THE JOURNAL.

NEW BERNE, N. C., JAN. [illegible]

Mr. ROBERT STRONG, at Kinston, is authorized to collect and receipt for subscriptions to the JOURNAL.

Mr. J. A. McGEE, at Seven Springs, is authorized to receipt for subscriptions to the JOURNAL.

Kinston Items

Mrs Joyner has moved [illegible]

Mr Alex. Carr has moved [illegible] near Bell's Ferry.

Kinston Graded school has enrolled to date 243 pupils; 13 since the holidays.

Mrs. H. C. Bowen spent [illegible] with relatives at Catherine [illegible] low county.

Mr. A. C. Stewart [illegible] teaching a [illegible] few miles from town.

J. B. Pollock has moved [illegible] house in new town. [illegible] chief of police, takes his [illegible]

Kinston College opens with [illegible] new pupils and a [illegible] spring term, notwithstanding [illegible] times."

Schools are being taught in [illegible] the districts of the county [illegible] Hartsfield finds it difficult [illegible] hand a full supply of books.

The many friends of Nelie Patrick who read the JOURNAL will be pained to learn of his death. He was a sufferer for some time with consumption.

Mr. Frenches, agent for Hitchcock's Analysis of the Bible, who has [illegible] married one of our [illegible] ladies, canvasses Virginia during 1886.

Mrs. Leggett, of Farmville has spent Christmas at her brother's, Mr. Thad. Askew. We get our information from a certain Lenoir widower and it is reliable.

At least one more marriage license left, but they are not for sale. Hope to have a new supply soon. Do not stop marrying just because Christmas is over.

Prof. G. A. Grimsley is again at his post in the Kinston Graded School, after an absence of several weeks on account of sickness. He has had three attacks of fever.

Prof. Howser is teaching a number of classes of vocal music in this and Jones county. He is furnishing much pleasure for the young people as well as improving the music of the churches.

Mr. John Collins who performed the sad service of taking his daughter, Mrs David Walsh, to the Asylum, brought back with him Mr. Babitt, who was carried up several months ago. He is much improved.

Mrs. Dr. Lewis spent Christmas with relatives in Richmond, Va., and returned last Friday. Dr. Lewis had business, or made business in Goldsboro that day, and returned with her on the evening train.

Why should North Carolinians oppose the Blair bill? The first school funds the Old North State ever received were one and a half million from the United States Treasury in 1837. Andrew Jackson, a Democrat, was President.

The commissioners met in regular session Monday. W. W. Dunn, Clerk of the Superior Court, who was granted longer time, gave his official bond. The usual routine of business was transacted.

Mrs. W. R. Skinner has a very full school at Nunn's school house, Pink Hill township. Calisthenics, drawing, etc., are new features that have awakened an interest and show her to be a teacher up with the times.

Dr. Chas. Duffy and wife, Catherine Lake, have recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their married life. Quite a pleasant time it was. They are enjoying fair health, and we hope them many more years of domestic happiness.

We have the sad news to tell you that Mr. John Williams and wife of our town are dying and have been for some time, but still they live. I mean, they can dye an old suit and make it look like a new one. Success to every new enterprise.

J. B. Pollock says the Peoples' Mutual Assurance Fund is growing in favor with our people. You can draw a part of your money while alive, and this is just what all the Kinston bachelors will want to do. Why not save something for old age?

J. I. Vance, near this place, lost an excellent horse last Saturday morning. He was in hot pursuit of a fox, and his horse plunged both fore feet into a hole and broke its neck. He came near being badly hurt, but fortunately received only a few small bruises. Haven't heard how it was with the fox.

The board of education met last Monday. They found the total number of children of school age in Lenoir county was 5,879. There are 67 cents to each child. The board will meet again on the third Monday to appropriate the one-third of the school fund left to their disposal. They ask the presence and help of all who desire any part of this money.

From the [illegible]

MARRIED.

In Kinston, at the Disciples' church, on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, Dr. Geo W. Dodson and Miss Mollie Belle Walsh, Dr. H. D. Harper officiating.

This morning was as bright and sunny, as the bride herself, and a large crowd of admiring and appreciative friends, were assembled at the church where the solemn vows were plighted. The attendants were as follows:

Mr. W. C. Fields and Miss Ella Walsh, Mr. L. W. Walsh and Miss Mollie Forlaw, D. R. Jackson and Miss Annie Phillips, E. L. Miller and Miss Mattie Rountree, Mr. N. J. Rouse and Miss Gertrude Hooker, Mr. A. S. Patrick and Miss Hattie Tull, Mr. S. Oettinger and Miss Hennie Patrick.

The bride was neatly attired in a very becoming travelling suit, and the groom in the conventional suit of black, was, we heard some one say, the handsomest man of the party. After the ceremony was over, the newly-wedded pair accompanied by their many friends adjourned to the depot to await the train, which was to take them to their future home in Lynnville, Tennesse; and we feel sure that no sooner bride ever left our little town, or no bridal pair ever had more sincere wishes for their future happiness and prosperity. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful and valuable presents, those of Messrs. Rouse, Miller, Padrick and Oettinger, also Miss Tuck, of Danville, Va., being among the handsomest.

Disastrious Fire at Lebanon

NASHVILLE, Dec. [illegible]—A telephone message was received from Lebanon, Tenn., at an early hour this morning, saying a disastrous fire had broken out in the centre of the town and asking for aid from this city. Engines were forwarded by a special train. There is no telegraph office at Lebanon and telephone connection cannot now be had, owing probably to the office being burned. Though the town is thirty miles from here the light of the flames was distinctly seen at the time.

Severe Weather in the Northwest.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—A severe snow and sleet storm, which has been raging throughout the Northwest since Saturday has seriously interferred with telegraph wires in all directions. [illegible] lines west of here are down and communication East is very uncertain.

A dispatch from Sioux City, Iowa, last night, reports a blizzard there. It has been snowing and blowing steadily since Saturday and there is [illegible] snow to the depth of a foot on the ground, no signs of the storm abating.

At Desmoines and Omaha heavy snow storms are reported, and a St. Paul dispatch reports similar storms throughout Minnesota and Dakota.

The cold wave signal is flying from the Signal Service [illegible]

Beware of Them.

[illegible] all reliable Druggists everywhere.

[illegible] American Agriculturist [illegible] Demorest's Magazine, Scientific American, St. Nicholas [illegible] Texas Siftings, North American Review, New York World [illegible] Weekly [illegible]

New Year. [illegible]

A happy New Year to all [illegible]

Cabbages [illegible] truck farms.

The sidewalk has been greatly improved in front of Mrs. Susan [illegible] store on Pollock street.

Fishermen will find something of interest by reading the new advertisement of F. Ulrich in this issue.

The old year passed away [illegible] calmly [illegible]

Moore & Brady's oyster packing house is steadily at work employing from two to three hundred hands daily.

The county commissioners' room at the court house has been crowded for the last week or two by parties looking after their property which has been sold for taxes and deeded to the [illegible]

The schooner Warden & Frans which sailed from Baltimore Dec. 8th, 1885, bound for New Berne with a cargo of salt for F. Ulrich and others is reported having put in at Wilmington, N. C., in distress, leaking and with loss of sail.

The Graded School opened Monday with several new pupils. Among them were the children of J. E. [illegible] of Onslow, and Jefferson Davis, of Craven, who have recently moved to New Berne for the purpose of educating their children.

The Goldsboro Messenger says Rev. J. T. Brogden, a local preacher of that place, has been appointed by Rev. J. T. Harris, P. E. of the New Berne district as a supply upon Pamlico circuit, left vacant by the death of Rev. James Mahoney.

There was one death only among the whites of New Berne during the month of December. During the year 1885 there were [illegible] deaths. Six of these were over seventy years old; 12 above the age of sixty, 13 under five and six under one. This is [illegible] to the thousand.

Jones county has been transferred to Deputy Collector Alpheus W. Wood's Division of internal revenue. This is proper and right as the people of Jones do their business in New Berne. To have to send to Goldsboro for license to retail tobacco or whiskey puts them to unnecessary inconvenience.

Freeman Ernul, Esq., brought in a very fine Cochin China rooster Wednesday. He is only five months old but weighs fifteen pounds gross. This breed of chickens are noted for flesh, but they are said to be good layers also. Freeman says they grow [illegible] for Democrats. Wonder what breed [illegible] grow for Mugwumps.

We decline publishing the [illegible] from the [illegible] of Hog Island, Carteret county, entitled "The Situation in Bulgaria," because we think he is a little mixed in his geography and authorities, as, after a careful research, we find that the Balkans in Europe are not a spur of the Blue Ridge, and that the Mosque of St. Sophia is not [illegible] of Santa Claus.

We learn there was a large and attentive audience at Pollocksville on Wednesday evening to hear the address of Mr. John Long, and it was a fine address, also the ladies festival for the benefit of the Masonic Lodge building, the lower part of which is to be used as a school room was very successful. Several ladies and gentleman from this city attended, among whom were Messrs. F. Ulrich, S. H. Scott and their families, T. J. Mitchell, and others. We are glad to know the people of Pollocksville are taking such a lively interest in the cause of education.

Begins the Year Well.

Samuel W. Latham, Esq., on New Year's morning killed two wild turkeys at one shot. They were both of the gobbling kind and jointly tipped the scales at thirty pounds.

Fell With the Year.

Our job printer, R. R. [illegible] brings us an apple that fell from one of his trees on Thursday night, dropping it is supposed, while the bells were tolling the funeral of the old year. [illegible] growth.

The Pumpkin Cut.

[illegible] Meadows, Wm. Dunn and S. H. Scott, jr. Nearly one thousand guesses have been made [illegible] but of all these no one struck the right number but there were three within [illegible] Capt. [illegible] K. Hancock, Mrs. [illegible] Taylor and Wiley Spruill [illegible]

More Time.

[illegible]

Boy Ran Over.

[illegible]

[illegible] Jarvis

[illegible]

Oats and Clover Can be Grown.

[illegible]

Journalistic.

The Washington [illegible] has added to its editorial staff the young and talented H. A. Latham of Pitt. [illegible]

The Raleigh Farmer [illegible] has enlarged to twenty-four columns. Good [illegible] sign of prosperity.

[illegible] appears now [illegible] a new press and is much more readable. It always meets a hearty welcome at this office.

[illegible] announces [illegible] continue the patent outside [illegible] improvements. It is a really good local paper.

An Item for the Chatham Record.

At an auction sale of stock in the A. & N. C. R. R. at the court house, Monday, [illegible] shares of stock were put up and [illegible] per share, and the bid was not raised. Four shares were then put up and started at $[illegible] per share, [illegible] was not raised. One share was then put up without reserve and [illegible] being bid was taken down. The auctioneer then stated that the $[illegible] bid on the five shares and the $[illegible] bid on the four shares was by the owners themselves and there had really been no sale.

When the share of stock was sold on the 1st Monday in December at $21 00 the Record seized the opportunity to proclaim to the world the wisdom of Gov. Scales' policy, and at the same time to strike in the short ribs the newspapers that had criticised the Governor's action in regard to this property.

Now will the Record state to its readers that the Governor's wisdom in regard to the A. & N. C. R. has declined about seventy-five percent?

Jurors for February Term.

The county commissioners have drawn the following jurors for the February term of the Superior Court:

FIRST WEEK.

Township 1: Bryant Whitford, Jno. E. Kirkman, Edward A. Denkins, Harry W. Lawhorn, W. D. Kirkman, and Church [illegible]. No. 2 township: W. D. Stapleford, Lewis Gaskins. No. 3 township: Jeff Powell, W. W. White, W. L. Hawkins, W. J. French, Ruffin Moore, William White, Benj. F. Biddle, G. W. Carmack, Jno. B. Wooten, T. F. Woods, Alex. Davis, Albert Wootten, E. H. Lane, W. W. Doherty, Wm. Rhem. No. 5: B. F. Borden. No. 7: Geo. D. Connors, Hardy H. Perry. No. 8: Geo. Gardner, James F. Clark, David R. Williams, Geo. W. Bailey, N. Y. Wicks, Charles F. Hargett, Jno. J. Smith, Samuel Cook, Edward Paris. No. 9: James H. Stevenson.

SECOND WEEK.

No. 1 township: Winchester Wyche, [illegible] W. D. Whitford. No. 2: S. E. [illegible], Enoch Fulcher, A. Tyler, Lewis F. Rowe, Van Beek. No. 3: Jno. W. Griffin, E. N. Ferrell, Allen Hardy, Harrison Palmer, Jas. H. White, Jno. H. [illegible] W. West. No. 8: [illegible]

Apportionment of School Funds.

The County Board of education of Craven county at their meeting held on the 1st Monday in January made the following apportionment of school funds to the several districts in the county.

WHITE SCHOOLS. [illegible]

COLORED SCHOOLS. [illegible]

Not the Mortgage.

We publish this week from the Atlanta Constitution an account of what a young Georgia farmer has done during the last seven years on a farm. The first thing the young man did when the farm came into his possession by the death of his father was to mortgage the [illegible] Many newspapers in [illegible] would have pronounced him a failure [illegible] They declare that the mortgage system has ruined [illegible]

County Debt Statement.

We send our Supplement [illegible] statement of county expenditures. This contains the disbursements of [illegible] February and a portion of March 1885, including a large [illegible] fall term of 1885. Tax payers should read these statements [illegible]

A New Year's Greeting That is Appreciated.

Among the many New Year's greetings sent to the JOURNAL, [illegible] more highly appreciated than the one given below. It was not intended for publication [illegible] which we publish in order that our friends abroad may know [illegible]

We think it but proper to say that the JOURNAL [illegible] its ability in its columns and with its hard earned cash to establish the Graded School and erect the building to which the writer refers [illegible] equal share of honor with other citizens of New Berne, who labored earnestly for the same cause. Every citizen of this city should feel proud of the school and the building, and should continue to labor for its success. To be able to say that no child need grow up in ignorance is something that any town [illegible] might well be proud of.

NEW BERNE, N. C., [illegible]

EDITOR JOURNAL:—I wish to extend my greeting and good wishes for the New Year, together with the assurance of my appreciation of your continual courtesy in sending me the JOURNAL and publishing the notices of [illegible] services and work gratuitously. The prominence of a newspaper and the interests which it commands in the daily life of people are very great. It should therefore seek an ever ascending standard morally and intellectually.

It may not be a matter of indifference to you to know that, even to one of your readers, the JOURNAL seems to have sought and, in an encouraging degree, grown toward this standard. New Berne seems to me to have improved in many directions in the past few years, and I believe this is largely due to the influence of your paper. To my mind, though I may not be perfectly informed, the Graded School and the building which came after it, are the results of the energy and interest which the JOURNAL directed toward these ends, which have brought, and are bringing, manifold blessings to the people of New Berne.

I trust that 1886 may have many blessings and much usefulness and prosperity in store for you and the JOURNAL.

Friendly and respectfully yours,
V. W. SHIELDS.

Not If They Desire It.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—As a committee was appointed to investigate the records and business of the offices while the Republicans were in office, would it be wrong for the people to have a committee to make a similar investigation now while the Democrats control the offices? JOE.

We know of no law by which the people can order an investigation of their county affairs, but there is plenty of law, which, if complied with would render such investigations entirely unnecessary. We beg leave in this connection to call the attention of the Register of Deeds to sections 713 and 714 of Vol. I of the Code. If the people desire an investigation and appoint a committee for that purpose we can see no reason why they should not be allowed to make it. It seems that a precedent has been established for such a course if "Joe" is rightly informed.

Hon. John S. Long at Pollocksville.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—We hasten to press this morning, stunned by the after clap of a most joyous occasion, for active and elastic manhood tingled by the most brilliant flashes of a magnificent orator and highly interested by the splendid appearance of a large concourse of brave men and fair women is a sure heir to dull and sluggish spirits. But the occasion is too kindly a remembrance not to provoke a passing word in your paper.

The assurance that Mr. Long would address the people upon education and that the ladies would spread a most palatable supper for the benefit of our new school enterprise, brought a very intelligent audience together. We remember of faces of some handsome representatives of Duplin, Onslow and Carteret counties, and how gladly we hailed the steamer Trent with a batch of dignified and accomplished New Berneans.

The writer [illegible] looking at all these people felt still prouder of the human race and holds a higher faith in the eternal fitness of things.

In the midst of some of the best of human efforts and looks [illegible] But Mr. Long's popular education must have precedence of everything else in importance.

The condensation of his subject made almost every sentence [illegible] and he subordinated his luminous imagination to his matter-of-fact way of talking. We have seldom ever heard an address that told so many vital educational axioms in forty-five minutes. The criticism of our system of public education occupied his time at some length. His belief in the practicability of the extension of popular education so that classical and scientific [illegible] would be opened to the pupils of our common schools, making every free school house equal to our academies, putting such studies as geometry, Latin, history, botany and geology into the hands of the ignorant and poor gave his audience a lively train of new ideas.

Intellectual culture in its true sense is offered only to the favored few who are able to attend our high schools and colleges, which is inequitable with our extensive and intensive political system, and which would suit such majesties as the Czar and Sultan. [illegible]

[illegible]

The Charge Against Gen. Butler.

[illegible]

BRIEFS.

A [illegible] family of Germans in Pennsylvania have been stricken down from eating pork infected with trichinae.

[illegible] New York City for the hydrophobia [illegible] the Pasteur system of [illegible]

The U. S. dispatch boat Dolphin has at last experienced rough weather, and [illegible] behaved nicely.

At a public reception given in Washington President Cleveland shook hands [illegible]

[illegible]

Jones County Items.

[illegible] Wednesday morning [illegible] Mr. W. Koonce was moving to Cypress Creek.

At a mortgage sale in Trenton [illegible] cents per pound, corn $2 [illegible] per barrel. Fodder [illegible] cents per cwt.

We learn that Messrs. S[illegible] & [illegible] a few weeks have their [illegible] about or near where the new road crosses the Kinston road. We think they have chosen a good site for a paying business.

Our register of deeds on the 24th of December issued ten marriage licenses, five to whites and five to colored. I heard some of the boys say that he had become so accustomed to issuing them that if a gentleman walked in [illegible] would commence looking up the marriage papers.

I heard a gentleman remark the other day that croppers and land renters had a hard time of it this year. Why, says he, even my creditors have fed me, pulled up and have already had three sheets of my crop and had me summoned here today to have a festival over it, but have now concluded to wait until Saturday so they can then have one great grand festival.

A colored man from above Trenton applied to one of our magistrates a few days ago for something that puzzled all the magistrates and the whole legal fraternity "around Trenton." Said he desired a liver claim. After sundry explanations and a gentle hint that he desired to employ an attorney, it was discovered that he wanted a writ of claim and delivery, while the whole amount of property involved was only $1.02.

I hear one of our worthy magistrates say that he was really tired of so much lawing with each other. "Why," said he, "our magistrate's courts are having a continual court; no adjournment in Trenton." Well, so it is with our colored people every fall when they house their crop they commence selling it out [illegible] lawing each other until their crops are exhausted. Experience is a dear school but some of our colored friends can't even learn in this school as dear as it is.

Certain capitalists of New Bedford, Massachusetts, have entered into obligations with the land owners adjacent to White Oak river to clean out and clear the river of all obstructions to a point, which is designated in the contract, but I have forgotten the name of the point. The owners of these lands have granted them the privilege of cutting all marketable timber near the river for ten years. Provided that they remove and clear all obstructions out of the river, and that they must not cut the timber from the lands at no point on the stream any faster than the clearing and cleaning out of the river progresses. We further know that these obligations have been agreed upon, as they are now in our register's office for registration. We would like to say to capitalists who desire to invest their capital in timber, that there is an almost inexhaustible supply of good timber, such as oak, hickory, cypress, pine, birch, maple, holly, etc., on the banks of the Trent and Tuckahoe rivers, and if they desire any of these timbers, probably they might secure a good investment for their capital by an examination of our timber lands on these rivers. We know that our people would welcome all who desire to invest capital here and render all such all the aid and encouragement in their reach.

Swansboro Items.

[illegible] Mr. Henry Hall [illegible] every week by George [illegible] Irvin South, Mart Heady, Bill Dennis and Asa Moore, and sold at from [illegible] according to size [illegible]

The schooners Gold Leaf, Minnie Ward and [illegible] are in port [illegible] for New Berne. [illegible] M. Bloodgood [illegible]

Mr. G. W. Ward and [illegible] merry Christmas but say they think they could have seen a better one away from home [illegible] Piny Green [illegible] Gum Branch [illegible] If anyone wants a fourth-class [illegible] first class salary just call on that gentleman for the next ten days as after that [illegible]

[illegible]

A CARD.

[illegible]

La Grange Items.

Monday was a rainy Christmas [illegible] windy day.

Rev. Mr. [illegible] preached here last Sunday, his monthly appointment.

The cadets who spent the holidays at home are fast returning to their post.

Rev. Mr. Greenwood preached at the Primitive Baptist church last Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. A. R. [illegible] returned here Saturday evening and opened school Monday morning.

Times are hard [illegible]

The firm of Dever & [illegible] dealers in groceries and liquors in our place, has been dissolved. The business will continue in the name of G. K. Dever.

R. T. Wiggins and [illegible] left our town last Monday for Georgia. They go as overseers, or "woods riders," as they are known there, of hands working in turpentine. We wish them well in their new employment.

Rev. W. E. Swain, of the M. P. church, returned to his charge last Friday, and preached his first sermon for this year at [illegible] Grove last Sunday. Mr. Swain was sent to the churches on La Grange mission last year, and they are much pleased to have him returned to the mission this year.

We think most of our farmers are about ready to begin the year's work [illegible] We know that when the farmer does well, success may come to others, but if they fail others cannot succeed.

About forty negroes left here for the turpentine fields of Georgia Monday. Several women included. These annual migrations of the colored people to the South are demoralizing to labor here, it is said by some of our farmers. We don't say that this is the cause, but we do say that labor is badly at fault in this section, and while this may be one of the causes, there are an infinite [illegible] of other causes.

"I am so," said a delegate in a Virginia convention, "that our [illegible] Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup [illegible] I cannot understand him." That gentleman had no doubt tried this wonderful medicine.

Stonewall Items.

In my last items a mistake was made either by your type setter or myself in the report of the attempted rape case tried before Jas. W. Dawson, Esq.: instead the case being dismissed at defendants cost, it should have been at prosecutors cost. I will further state the testimony before the court did not criminate Mr. Hooker one iota but showed that it was malicious.

I took a short while to visit Oregon, Beaufort County, on last Thursday, and on my way there I stopped at Mr. Joe Peed's and refreshed the inner man, and beast to the satisfaction of both. Mr. Peed complains, like all others, of short crops, yet he averaged [illegible] lbs. of lint cotton per acre, corn about 8 bbls. per acre. Mr. Peed and Milton Wilkerson are grass raisers. Mr. P. having a fine pasture of Eureka grass which he likes better than any he has ever tried. His mule, horse, colts and milch cows appear to like it fully as well as Mr. Peed, from what I can see from his house. I then proceeded to Oregon, where I was the guest of as hospitable host and hostess as ever entertained a friend, to wit, Mr. and Mrs. Tuthill, and there I met Miss Mamie Tuthill, of New York City, who is visiting Mr. E. Tuthill her uncle, also Mrs. Alice Springer and Miss Jennie Burbank, and I assure you that a very pleasant time we had watching the old year pass away and the new one come in. If New York will send south such citizens we would be well crowded before we would say enough. The Messrs. Springers were piling up lumber by the thousands daily. Mr. Tuthill has the finest lot of clover and orchard grass I have ever seen anywhere. Those who think clover will not grow South just ought to go and see his.

Going to His Grave.

There he goes again direct to a saloon and pours down another heavy draught of strong drink, not so much because his appetite demands it, but for the artificial buoyancy it produces—the after-effects of which leave him more miserable than before. It is this dreadful practice that is daily sending thousands to their graves. A remedy for all this is found in the true friend of temperance, the best and purest of all medicines,—Electric Bitters. [illegible] at all druggists [illegible]

Starving Themselves.

[illegible] religious [illegible] Three weeks ago a revival [illegible] several others pledged themselves not to taste a morsel of food until certain things were accomplished. Thomas Green, who is [illegible] to have fasted fifteen days, began taking nourishment today.

There is no change in the condition of the Rev. Mr. Pate, who is conducting the revival meetings, and is also fasting. Six other members of the congregation are also fasting. Meetings are held at 6 a. m., 10 a. m., and 8 p. m. The authorities will not interfere. All insist that they began fasting that they might become [illegible] to save sinners.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. dwly

Scheming to Defeat Senator Sherman.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. [illegible]—Quite a number of the General Assembly are in the city tonight, and the presence of ex-Gov. Foster among them arouses the suspicion that he has not withdrawn from the Senatorial race. The Times [illegible] will publish tomorrow a scheme by which Sherman is to be defeated. It claims that two of the Republican Representatives-elect, C. L. Poorman and [illegible] are such enemies of Sherman and that they proposed to Representative John F. Haley, of Cleveland, a Republican, to support him for Senator if he would vote for himself and secure the Democratic votes. This would elect Haley. It is also claimed that Haley has agreed to this, and that the bargain is about closed. The Times also claims that Foster and Bushnell are in the arrangement [illegible]

Mr. A. R. [illegible] recently [illegible] one of the most remarkable [illegible]

MARRIED.

[illegible]

DIED.

[illegible]

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Jan. 5, 6 P. M.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, January 5—3:12 P. M. Futures closed steady. Sales of 88 900 bales.

January,	9.19	July,	9.79
February,	9.25	August,	9.88
March,	9.36	September,	9.63
April,	9.48	October,	9.48
May,	9.59	November,	——
June,	9.69	December,	——

Spots quiet; Middling 9 1-4; Low Middling 9; Good Ordinary 8 3-4.

New Berne market quiet. Sales of 51 bales at 7 to 8.

Middling 8 5-8; Low Middling 8; Good Ordinary 7 5-8.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

SEED COTTON—$2.20.
COTTON SEED—$10.00.
TURPENTINE—Hard, $1.00; dip, $1.75.
TAR—75c.a$1.25.
CORN—40a55c.
RICE—75a$1.00.
BEESWAX—20c. per lb.
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.
COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb.
" LARD—10c. per lb.
EGGS—17c. per dozen.
FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.
PEANUTS—50c. per bushel.
FODDER—75c.a$1.00 per hundred.
ONIONS—$3.50 per barrel.
FIELD PEAS—60a75c.
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.
APPLES—30a50c. per bushel.
PEARS—$75c. per bushel.
TALLOW—5c. per lb.
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