New Berne Weekly Journal.

NUNN & HARPER, Proprietors. INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS. Terms $2.00 Per Year.

VOL. IX. NEW BERNE, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., FEBRUARY 24, 1887 NO 47.

OETTINGER BROS.,

Kinston, N. C.,

ARE READY WITH A LARGE STOCK OF

FARMERS SUPPLIES

AND

General Merchandise,

Which they propose to sell

For Cash or on Time,

—AT—

Reasonable Prices.

J. W. STEWART,

HEADQUARTERS FOR

Mules, Horses and Buggies.

A Cargo of Fine Horses and Mules just received.

The Best Buggy on the Market for the money.

Horses and Vehicles to hire at reasonable rates.

Broad Street, New Berne, N. C.

jan6 w2m

DAIL BROTHERS,

Wholesale Grocers,

HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR

TWO STORES, SOUTH OF THEIR FORMER STAND,

And keep of FLOUR, MEATS, COFFEE, SUGAR, SYRUPS, MOLASSES, SALT, TOBACCO, SNUFF AND CIGARS, an everything in the GROCERY LINE, a FULL STOCK and at LOW PRICES for CASH a24tf

MEXICAN WAR SURVIVORS or their Widows. New Pension Law. Apply at once for blanks and full information. Twenty years' experience. Best references. Success or no fee. R. McALLISTER, Jr., Attorney-at-Law, P. O. Box 23, Washington, D. C.

ADVERTISERS by addressing GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., 10 Spruce St., New York, in good faith, can obtain all needful information about any proposed line of ADVERTISING in American Newspapers. 176-page Pamphlet, 30c.

OPIUM and Whiskey Habits cured at home without pain. Book of particulars sent FREE. B. M. WOOLLEY, M. D., Atlanta, Ga. Office 65½ Whitehall Street.

WEAK, UNDEVELOPED PARTS Of the body enlarged and strengthened. Full particulars sent sealed free. ERIE MED CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

LADIES wanted to get up Tea Clubs for our Pure Teas and Coffees. A host of useful articles to select from as premiums. Send for Illustrated Price and Premium List. Special Offer: to every tenth person that answers this advertisement, we will send free one pound of choice Tea. Address NATIONAL TEA & COFFEE CO., Boston, Mass.

WANTED. Active, energetic man, to represent [illegible] per month, and expenses. Goods staple; every one buys; outfit and particulars free. STANDARD SILVERWARE CO., Boston.

To Advertisers!

For a check for [illegible] we will print a ten-line advertisement in One Million issues of the leading American Newspapers. This is at the rate of only one-fifth of a cent a line for 1,000 Circulation! The advertisement will be placed before One Million Different newspaper purchasers or Five Million Readers. Ten lines will accommodate about 75 words. Address, with copy of Adv. and check, or send 30 cents for Book of 176 pages. GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., 10 Spruce St., New York.

K. R. JONES,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

AND

General Merchandise.

BAGGING AND TIES, Etc.

Consignments of [illegible] and other Produce solicited.

Prompt Attention Guaranteed.

N. W. Cor. South Front and Middle [illegible]

NEW BERNE, N. C.

FURNITURE.

Parlor Suits, Chamber Sets,

Walnut Bedsteads

Bureaus, Wardrobes

Mattresses, Chairs,

Lounges, Sofas,

Centre Tables, Etc.

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES

JOHN SUTER,

Middle Street, New [illegible]

GASTON HOUSE,

NEW BERNE, N. C.

S. R. STREET, [illegible]

The Only First-class [illegible] Omnibus connects with all Trains and Steamers. Large sample rooms for commercial travelers. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOM recently been [illegible] in good style [illegible]

GEORGE ALLEN & CO.

DEALERS IN

General Hardware

Agricultural Implements, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Hoes and Axes, Woods' Mowers and Reapers, Steam Engines, Cotton Gins and Presses, Fertilizers, Land Plaster, Kainit, Mechanics Tools and Hardware, Lime, Brick, Cement, Plaster, Hair, Paint, Kalsomine, Varnish, Oil Glass, Putty and Hair, Freezers, Refrigerators, Oil Cook Stoves, Eureka Burglar Proof Sash Locks warranted to give security and satisfaction.

PRICES VERY LOW

GEO. ALLEN & CO.

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA

MARBLE WORKS,

NEW BERNE, N. C.

Monuments, Tombs.

ITALIAN & AMERICAN MARBLE

[illegible] satisfaction guaranteed.

JOE K. WILLIS, Proprietor

[illegible]

NEW BERNE, N. C.

LOOK HERE!

HOUSE KEEPERS.

[illegible]

L. H. CUTLER'S,

26 & 28 Middle Street,

NEW BERNE, N. C.

A CULLUD SARMON

[illegible]

Keep a plowin' an' a hoein' an' a scrapin' ob de rows,
An' when de ginnin' s done you can pay up what you owes;
But if you quit a workin' ebery time de sun is hot,
De Sheriff's gwine to lebby on ebery thing you's got.

Whatebber 'tis you's a-drivin' at, be sure an' drive it through,
An' don't let nuffin stop you, but do what you's gwine to do;
For when you sees a nigger foolin', den as sho's you're born
You's gwine to see him comin' out de small end ob de horn.

I thanks you for de 'tention you hab gib dis afternoon—
Sister Williams will oblige us by de raisin' ob a tune—
I see Brudder Johnson's about to pass round de hat,
An' don't let's hab no half-way doin's when it comes to dat.

STATE NEWS

Gleaned from Our Exchanges.

Charlotte *Chronicle*: The interest in the afternoon meetings seems to deepen and widen rather than decrease. A tidal wave of religious interest seems to be passing over our community. Few are careless and unconcerned upon this vital question.

Winston *Daily*: The revenue collections at the Winston branch office during the month of January amounted to $52,622.93.——W. S. Moore, merchant of Greensboro, has shipped north this far this season 18,065 rabbit skins.——A glorious revival of religion is going on in the M. E. Church at Reidsville. Over 70 persons have professed religion with the interest spreading and intensifying.

Washington *Progress*: We learn that a gentleman from Baltimore, who is interested in steamboat building, visited the new steamer last week, and after a thorough inspection pronounced her a beautiful vessel and a credit to North Carolina ship builders.——The railroad from Jamesville to Plymouth is still much talked about. The survey has been made and levels taken. We hope the work will soon begin in earnest.

Greenville *Standard*: Our farmers are not investing much in fertilizers this year. A good sign. ——The Birmingham craze has reached Greenville. Have heard a few say they would like to go.——Strange to say the news has just reached us of the serious misfortune that happened to Mr. Geo. Belcher, [illegible] a few weeks ago. [illegible]

[illegible]

... look at the immense carcass. It weighed 500 pounds, and looked more like a dead cow than it did a hog, from its size. The hog was a Berkshire.

Wilmington *Star*: Mr. Jacob H. Smith, a well known citizen of Wilmington, died at his residence on South Front street Sunday morning last, in the 54th year of his age. He had been sick for many months with consumption.——Several persons living in the eastern part of the city report that their cows have been poisoned by eating leaves of mock orange cuttings which have been hauled out beyond the city limits by the street carts.——The survey of the Atlantic Coast Line, from Sumter to Augusta, has commenced. The engineering corps, with Col. Fleming Gardner as chief, started out a few days ago. The road will be completed in about one year.

Washington *Gazette*: Stark Simpson, colored, who was found guilty of murder in the Owens case, has been sentenced to death. The Governor will commute the sentence to imprisonment for a term in the penitentiary.——Mr. L. Colbert received a telegram from his son, Samuel H. Colbert, of Winston, announcing the death of his little son, Jimmie, a boy of about nine years, Tuesday.——Hon. B. W. Waters is at home, having been called here by the death of his little child. He has the sympathy of the entire community.——Our progressive friends of the Jamesville & Washington Railroad have now placed the new coaches, several in number, on this road.——Recently near Leechville, Mr. N. Satterthwaite had the misfortune to fall from his wagon and caught his head between the wagon and wheel, stopping the wheel. Help being near he was extricated without serious hurt.——A colored man named Bill Bonner, who was carrying a lighter load of shingles through the lock above Pantego, is supposed to have fallen overboard and drowned.

Charlotte *Chronicle*: News was brought to the city yesterday of the death, in Mallard creek township, of Mrs. John Wylie.——Mr. Jack Anderson, an aged citizen of this county, died at his home near Matthews station last Saturday of pneumonia.——Mr. Zebulon Morris, a gentleman who was well known throughout this county, died at his home in Morning Star township, yesterday morning. Mr. Morris was 65 years of age.——Miss Lavinia Hunter, a lady who was well known in Charlotte and who had many friends here, died in Crab Orchard township yesterday after a lingering illness.——As we anticipated last week, the accessions made to nearly every church in our city Sunday morning showed that the Mississippi evangelist is accomplishing a great work among us.——The stockholders of the Charlotte plaid mills held a meeting yesterday and decided to proceed [illegible] building the mills and beginning the manufacture of plaids, according to the original plan. The location for the mills has not yet been decided upon, but it will be within the corporate limits of the city. The company means business, and the mills will be in operation before summer is [illegible]. The capital stock of the [illegible] Mill Company, is, we understand, $50,000.

Raleigh *News and Observer*: Five new arrivals were registered at the penitentiary—[illegible] county. They [illegible] several summers [illegible] Raleigh.——At the close of the services last Sunday at Edenton street Methodist church, the pastor took a collection to finish paying for the new church, and about $1,400 was subscribed, which with some amounts yet to be collected on old subscriptions, it is hoped will pay the entire indebtedness.——Last Saturday night Mr. John W. Walker, manager of the Oak City Manufacturing Company, at a late hour arose from his bed while asleep on the second floor of his house, raised the window and fell out of it. Strange to say, no bones were broken, though his arm was dislocated and he sustained several severe bruises. [illegible] progressing very well. Mr. Walker is something of a somnambulist and frequently rises in his sleep and walks about the room.——The Governor yesterday pardoned Henry Kennedy, who was convicted of manslaughter at the spring term of Lenoir county superior court, 1881, and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. The pardon was recommended by the solicitor and a large number of the best people in the county. Important facts in the case were developed and laid before the Governor, which strengthened the recommendations.

E. City *Economist*: A [illegible] went ashore on Diamond Shoals, Cape Hatteras, on Sunday, Feb. 6th, and every effort was made to rescue the vessel by the life-saving crews near by, but without avail owing to the stormy weather. The bark and crew were all lost.——J. W. Albertson, Jr., has been elected Second Lieutenant in the Pasquotank Rifles, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieut. Wadsworth. He will make an excellent officer.——The fishermen of every class have now set their nets, and the indications are that the season will be early and short. The balmy weather will bring them on and the comparatively dry weather will distribute them in our upper waters. [illegible]

... and the new line of steamers from New Berne to Elizabeth City. The Pennsylvania Central has got some money and competition is the life of trade.

Goldsboro *Messenger*: The Salvation Army is coming to Goldsboro. Services will be held in Kornegay Hall, which has been rented from the first of March.——Under a new arrangement at the graded school, the smallest children are required to study only about three hours each day. This will meet with the approval of all who adhere to what we consider a good theory—that long confinement and extended application to study for little children is hurtful. "All study and no play makes Jack a dull boy," and the little folks require considerably more play than study. The arrangement was found necessary in the interest of economy—in short for want of funds to do better. ——We learn that an accident occurred at one of the big ditch crossings, during the rain Tuesday, which came near resulting seriously. A countryman came to town with his little son and purchased some pork and some whiskey. The former he carried in a barrel, the latter in his stomach for awhile, but it got into his head before he reached the crossing, and wagon, barrel, boy and man, tumbled into the ditch. But for timely assistance the boy would probably have been drowned, as the ditch, like the man, was quite full at the time. We trust that the lesson contained in the narrow escape will not be lost.

The Prospect of War.

Although the German people do not wish to do any more fighting, Bismarck and Von Moltke have been trying to induce the Reich stag to increase the army by some 50,000 men, and lengthen the term of service from three to seven years. But the German parliament refuses to consider the subject. This led to its dissolution and a call for a new election. Yet war in the near future is regarded as inevitable. Bismarck professes to feel kindly towards Russia, and declares that it is France which is waiting for the chance to attack the Fatherland. It is very certain that the French army is an enormous one, that it has been strengthened with the view of having another wrestle with Germany, and that the foremost French inventors have been at work forging new destructive weapons, which are calculated to give the Gallic armies an advantage over the Teutons. To help its armies, the French have almost succeeded in navigating the air. Indeed, in calm weather, they have found out how to propel an aerial vessel to and from certain points, though as yet they have not been able to overcome strong winds. The next war in Europe will be a terrible one. It will involve all the nations, and some 4,000,000 effective men will oppose each other in deadly array. It is positively disheartening to think of the mighty efforts that are now being put forth to kill human beings when the next conflict takes place. Science and art have been enrolled in the service of slaughter. Let us at least hope that our own country will keep clear of all foreign entanglements, and that we will not suffer from the operations of the armies that will be called into existence to settle the burning Eastern question.—*Democratic Monthly*.

[illegible] MUSIC.—We have received the following selected piecesof new music: "Dreams of my Childhood," a good song by Nash, 30 cents; "Happy Birds," a waltz song by Holst, which has a pretty melody and very tasteful accompaniment, 40 cents; "Only a Year Ago," song by Sargent, with excellent words and music, making a good song for any singer who desires something above the commonplace, 35 cents. And among the instrumental pieces for the piano are the following, which will please most players: "Dreams d'Amour" waltz, by Waldteufel, whose beautiful waltzes are so popular, 50 cents; "The Chipping Cricket," [illegible] composition by [illegible] Lange, 40 cents; and "Popular Fugitive" by Whitney, a very interesting piece which we commend to the attention of good players, 35 cents. Any of these pieces will be mailed free [illegible] address on receipt of the price by Oliver Ditson & Co., Boston, Mass.

[illegible]

Stonewall Items.

[illegible]

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Special to the JOURNAL.

RALEIGH, February 16, 1887.

SENATE.

The following were the principal bills introduced: Relating to canals in Craven county; to reduce the fees of registers of [illegible]; [illegible] to levy a special tax.

The bill to allow [illegible] to be used in working the public roads, which was discussed at such length yesterday and passed its second reading, was made the special order on its third reading [illegible] Tuesday.

HOUSE.

TUESDAY NIGHT'S SESSION.

At last night's session of the House, Mr. Brogden, rising to a question of personal privilege, denounced the editor of the Wilmington *Star* for an editorial in that paper of the 9th instant.

The bill to incorporate the Wilmington, Onslow and East Carolina R. R. was referred to the committee on corporations.

The House, after some debate, passed on its second and third readings, the bill to increase the appropriation for the four colored normal schools from $2,000 to $8,000 per annum.

The following bills passed third reading: To repeal the charter of the Oriental Fish and Oyster Co.; To charter the Savings and Deposit Bank of N. C.; [illegible] to authorize the State Board of Education to construct certain roads and canals.

A resolution asking Congress to extend aid to the widows of surfmen and members of the life-saving service was adopted.

The bill in relation to the drawing of jurors in Craven county was tabled by the passing of an amendment. At this there was great applause in the Republican [illegible].

WEDNESDAY'S SESSION.

The following were the principal bills introduced:

To allow Pamlico county to issue bonds [illegible] To restore to citizenship certain persons of infamous persons; To increase fees of registers of deeds.

The House again went into committee of the whole on the revenue bill, and its consideration by sections was resumed. An amendment to strike out the section providing for a merchants' purchase tax was voted down, as was also one to strike out the part of a section allowing State merchants a rebate on drummers' license tax.

To every section amendments were offered, and but one amendment was adopted.

At 2 o'clock the committee rose and reported that it had considered the revenue bill as far as the 24th section.

At 1:30 the House adjourned until to-morrow at 10 a. m.

SENATE.

RALEIGH, Feb. 17, 1887.

The following bills were introduced: To incorporate the Mutual Life Insurance Company of North Carolina; to establish a reformatory in connection with the penitentiary; to amend the charter of Wilson; to incorporate the Northeast River Drainage and Land Co.; to establish the Enterprise Land Co.; to hold a February term of Edgecombe Superior court.

The following bills passed third reading: To amend the charter of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R.; to allow Beaufort county to levy a special tax.

The bill was taken up to so amend the constitution as to declare clerks of superior courts, sheriffs, registers of deeds and county treasurers ineligible to office for more than two successive terms. It passed by the [illegible]

HOUSE.

Rev. Mr. [illegible] of the Baptist [illegible] offered the opening prayer.

[illegible]

[illegible] and two others [illegible] the bill to prohibit clerks, registers of deeds, sheriffs and treasurers of counties to hold office for more than two terms unless a term has intervened, passed third reading: 25 to 15.

The bill to incorporate the Northern and Southern Railroad passed second reading.

HOUSE.

THURSDAY NIGHT'S SESSION.

The House at its session last night adopted the Senate resolution providing for an adjournment of the Legislature March 7, *sine die*.

The bill to promote the cultivation of shell fish in the waters of the State passed its second and third readings.

Nearly the entire session was devoted to the consideration of the special order, the bill to establish a Bureau of Labor and Statistics. It appropriated $6,000 the first year and $4,000 subsequently, for the maintenance of the bureau. After a long debate pro and con, an amendment was adopted making the appropriation $3,000 the first year and $2,000 the second. The bill then passed its first reading. The Knights of Labor, it will be remembered, are urging the passage of this bill. They claim to represent 40,000 mechanics, and say the passage of such a law is of vital importance to them.

FRIDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Among the bills introduced were the following: To prevent gambling; to incorporate the town of Bell's Ferry, Pitt county; to prevent the squandering of the public school fund; to punish false pretenses in securing the sequestration of cattle; to allow Mayer Hahn, ex-Sheriff of Craven, to collect arrears of taxes.

THE [illegible] BILL

Was taken up as a special order, and the House went into consideration thereon, Mr. Holt in the chair. The bill was considered by sections. To section 2 an amendment was offered abolishing county boards of education. This caused a warm debate.

Many other amendments were offered to sundry of the 25 sections of the bill, but none of them of any importance were adopted.

The committee rose at 1:45 p. m. and reported the bill as fully considered. The House passed the bill in its second and third readings.

The House then adjourned.

Important Railroad Movement.

Learning that there were some officials of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad in this city yesterday and that a movement of importance was being considered by the gentlemen, a *Landmark* reporter last evening visited the office of Mr. R. B. Cooke, general passenger and freight agent of the road, and asked him what was the nature of the reported movement. Mr. Cooke in reply said: "We contemplate at an early date to establish a daily through line between the Northern cities and those of Eastern North Carolina. Our railroad and the Norfolk Southern will operate jointly in the matter and make it possible for freight that may be shipped from New York, Philadelphia and other points to be delivered by the carload, unbroken, at Elizabeth City, N. C. Cars will be run through to Elizabeth City and at that point the freight will be transferred to steamers for delivery at Washington, N. C., Newberne, N. C., and points on the Chowan river. Arrangements have or are about to be perfected for this movement and the matter will be in operation in a few days. On and after the first of March a daily freight train will be run which will leave this city in the morning and reach New York and other points within twenty hours from the time of leaving Norfolk. We will spare no effort to afford speedy delivery of freights and give to this section the full benefits of the Northern markets."— [illegible]

Lost Off Hatteras.

CAPE HATTERAS, Feb. 22, 1887.

Great excitement was caused here this morning during the progress of a fierce wintry storm by the report that a vessel had been discovered by the life saving [illegible] hard and fast on the outer [illegible] Hatteras Shoals. Owing to the unusual fury of the storm it was impossible to reach the wreck [illegible] the life saving crews [illegible] with sympathy and pray for the [illegible] of the wind [illegible] [illegible]

Washington N[illegible]

[illegible]

NEWS NOTES.

The President has nominated Capt. A. W. Greely, Fifth Cavalry, to be chief signal officer, with the rank of Brigadier-General.

In the West Virginia joint convention Monday, the ballot for United States Senator stood—Camden, 36; Maxwell, 34; scattering, 12.

The New York strike is not ended yet. The longshoremen have resolved that they will not return to work except on their own terms.

Twenty-five thousand prisoners, held for various offenses in India, were released on Wednesday, in commemoration of the Queen's Jubilee.

Frank Rivers, aged 65 years, a traveling agent for Scribner's Sons, New York, died suddenly of apoplexy Tuesday, at the Bensler House, Buffalo.

The President has allowed the act making an annual appropriation of $400,000 to provide equipments for State militia to become a law without his signature.

Prominent Democratic politicians of Brooklyn have gone to Washington to urge the President to appoint Alonzo Slote, a prominent mugwump of that city, Minister to Austria.

In New York Tuesday Gay W. Foster, who swindled country merchants by ordering goods from them and giving bogus drafts, was sentenced to State's prison for six years.

A man who says he is Harry McMunn, the Cleveland, Ohio, fur robber, who was forcibly rescued from the officers at Ravenna a few days since, was arrested in Pittsburg Tuesday.

In a quarrel between two brothers named Hurt at Hopkinsville, Ky., Hill, a by-stander, interferred in the interest of peace, when Charles Hurt struck him with a club, killing him instantly.

A serious snow blockade exists on the Central Pacific Railroad between Colfax and Cisco, Cal. The Overland train that left San Francisco Monday is detained at Colfax, and a west-bound train at Cisco.

The Republican District Convention at Providence, R. I., Tuesday, to nominate a candidate for the Congressional vacancy caused by the unseating of Major Pierce nominated Beriah H. Lawton by an almost unanimous vote.

Mrs. Sarah Rhoads, was indicted in Greensville, O., Tuesday, for the murder of Alfred Blizzard, whose mutilated remains were found in a creek lately. Mrs. Rhoads was captured in West Virginia after a long chase. In her valise was found Blizzard's head.

Captain William Cottrill, of Mobile, Ala., one of the most popular owners and breeders of thoroughbred horses in the country, died at his home in that city Monday morning. It is understood that all his horses and racing interests have been transferred to Mr. W. H. Williams.

Dispatches received at London from Zanzibar state that the Sultan of Zanzibar has refused the demand of the Portugese Governor of Mozambique to surrender certain disputed territory. Several Portugese men-of-war have sailed to Tungi, which they threaten to bombard.

There was an argument in the United States Circuit Court at Pittsburg Tuesday before Judges McKennan and Acheson in the case of Wm. M. Robinson et al. vs. the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company et al., in equity, against the report of the masters appointed by decree of October 6, 1886.

A committee representing the 700 employes of the Pottsville (Pa.) Iron and Steel Company, who struck Monday against the employment of non-union men was without his knowledge or approval, and that they should be promptly discharged. This satisfied the strikers and they returned to work.

The grand jury of Rowan county, Ky., has indicted Henry S. Logan, Morgan McClury and Lou Rayborn, charging them with conspiracy to kill Judge A. B. Cole, Col. Z. T. Young and his son, Allie W. Young, county attorney of Rowan. James A. Harris, alias Pendlum, has confessed that he was hired to assist in killing the above persons, having promised to secure four others to aid him.

The United States mint at Philadelphia has secured a counterfeit two-dollar-and-a-half gold piece of 1852 for which it has been in quest for years. At the Philadelphia Bank it was pronounced genuine, and the acid test at the sub-treasury subsequently failed to show anything wrong. The assayer at the mint says it contains only twenty-seven cents worth of gold, but is the most perfect and dangerous counterfeit ever made.

Masonic Tribute.

At a regular meeting of Franklin Lodge No. [illegible], A. F. & A. M., held at their hall in Beaufort, N. C., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The brittle thread of life has been severed by order of the Grand Master of the Universe and our esteemed Brother W. H. Barker has been called from toil and labor to everlasting rest and refreshment and;

Whereas, Our deceased brother was to the end faithful to his trust, and true to the tenets of the order. Therefore,

Resolved, That in the sudden taking away of Brother Barker, Masonry has lost an exemplary character and this lodge a valued member, whose death we deplore, whose absence we mourn, and whose place in our hearts will be [illegible] only by the recollection of his [illegible] his kindly nature, his [illegible] and the nobility of character.

Resolved, That [illegible] with humble [illegible] to the Divine decree which [illegible] and in tendering our sympathy to the bereaved family we [illegible] them to the tender mercy [illegible] kindness of the Supreme [illegible] in His wisdom [illegible]

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions [illegible] family of Brother [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] for publication [illegible] record of Franklin [illegible]

[illegible]

WHAT IS IT?

A Pestilence that Walks in Darkness, Destruction that Wastes at Noonday.

We have published in our columns from time to time different advertisements in regard to Bright's Disease and its cures.

What is this terrible disease?

We have taken the trouble to make an investigation from the best sources and we give the results to our readers.

What astonishes us is the general indifference given to kidney disorders. The kidneys do not sound the alarm of their diseased condition, owing to the fact that they have very few nerves, hence few suspect that there is any disease in them. Irritation, inflammation, ulceration set in, and then the little tubes, of which the kidneys are full, are destroyed and thrown off, and from this fact are called tube casts.

As soon as this begins to take place it is only a question of how fast decomposition goes on before the disease results fatally. If the proper remedies are taken before final decomposition or waste of these tubes commences or becomes too far advanced, that is the only and last chance for relief. It is at this point or before that Warner's safe cure proves so beneficial, and may cure or stop the wasting away of the kidneys if it has not advanced too far.

The most remarkable thing of all our investigation is the fact that the patient with Bright's disease has no exclusive symptoms, but has the symptoms of every common disease.

First he may possibly feel a dull pain in his back, generally upon one side, which does not debar him from his usual business routine. After a time he may begin to feel neuralgic pains, or have a slight attack of what he may call rheumatism, or headache, with high or dark colored urine, with an unpleasant sensation in its passage, and after standing showing an unnatural condition. Later on, come tired feelings, loss of ambition or vigor, or loss of or failing eyesight, which is very common, with a distressed condition of the stomach. Any one of these symptoms is liable to occur.

This no doubt accounts for the proprietors of Warner's safe cure curing so many diseases. By regulating and building up the kidneys, symptoms of general ill-health disappear. They justly accuse the medical profession of treating the effects and not the cause. Finally if this disorder is neglected the patient either dies of apoplexy, pneumonia, heart disease, blood poison, consumption, or any other disease that the system is most subject to.

It appears that Gen. Logan realized his condition, and was well aware that his disease was of the kidneys, and expressed himself in indignant terms at the folly of the doctors in treating him for rheumatism when it was the kidneys that caused his attacks."

We have no doubt that very many people in this country have the same trouble as the General, but little importance is attached to this malady by the medical profession because of their inability to cope with it, either in its first appearance or advanced condition.

There appears to be some one cause for nearly every other ailment of the human system, but up to the present time no one has been able to fully account for this terrible malady. We understand that the people of Germany have become aware of its fearful fatality, and have offered 400,000 marks ($100,000) to any one that can satisfactorily explain the cause.

GOLDEN THOUGHTS.

Spend less than you earn and you will be rich.

A good way to make children tell the truth is to tell it yourself.

Oh, how small a portion of earth will hold us when we are dead, who ambitiously seek after the whole world while we are living.

The golden beams of truth and the silken cords of love, twisted together, will draw men on with a sweet violence, whether they will or not.

If we hope for what we are not likely to possess, we act and think in vain, and make life a greater dream and shadow than it really is.

The deepest trust leads to the most powerful action. It is the silencing oil that makes the machine obey the motive power with greatest readiness and result.

Our condition never satisfies us; the present is always the worst. Though Jupiter should grant his request to each, we should continue to importune him.

May the Lord give me such an insight into what is really good, that I may not rest contented with making Christianity a mere addendum to my pursuits, or with tacking as a fringe to my garments!

Secretary Manning Resigns.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.—Secretary Manning, after formally resigning his position in the Cabinet, took an afternoon train for New York, intending to go home for rest and recuperation and on private business. He was undecided as to whether he would return to the department, but is scarcely expected to do so. He left with the President his formal letter of resignation, to which the President will reply. Assistant Secretary Fairchild assumed the duties of Secretary, and will continue to act if Mr. Manning does not return, until Mr. Manning's successor is nominated and confirmed.

Prince Hohenlohe for Peace.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Prince Hohenlohe, Governor of Alsace Lorraine, has issued an election manifesto, in which he says the government asked the passage of the Septennate bill because it was persuaded that Germany would be threatened very soon, as a part of the French nation was longing for war, and believes France to be stronger than Germany. Alsace and Lorraine, not desiring war, should elect to the Reichstag conciliatory deputies who will accept the peace established in 1871. "These days," Prince Hohenlohe says, "are pregnant with decisive issues."