THE JOURNAL.

NEW BERNE, N. C., NOV. 24, 1887.

PLEASE remember that I need money as well as the rest of mankind and if you owe me please pay me.
nov8 1m J. C. WHITTY.

Kinston Items.

Mr. Morton has opened a grocery in Tuckahoe, at Henry Bailey's old stand.

Dr. Pollock's residence is being framed and will be a very nice building.

A country ham occasionally finds its way to market. This is evidence that the cholera has left a few hogs.

Misses Ida Hargett and Sudie Becton and Sallie Huggins of Chinquapin, Jones county, are spending a few days with friends in town.

The railroad case has consumed two days, and the pleading will consume a large part of another. The case has held a large crowd all the while.

Mr. J. D. May has sold out the restaurant to the Mrs. Wm Loftin and Mrs. Perry. It will be kept at the same place, and the inner man can be well satisfied at a reasonable price.

Mr. Ed. Williams of Pink Hill township has sold his farm and expects to start for Arkansas in a few days. We regret to lose so good a citizen but hope that success may attend him wherever he may go.

The people about Prospect Church, Duplin county, have torn down the old house and built a new one this fall. This speaks well for the community. Rev. H. C. Bowen of Kinston, preaches there on third Sundays and has large hearings.

J. L. Burns, State Evangelist for the Disciples, has returned from a trip to New Berne. He went down to equip himself more fully for traveling. He begins his work December 1st, and has a list of appointments in Lenoir, Greene, Pitt and Beaufort counties.

Prices are improving on rice, chickens, eggs and almost all kinds of country produce. It would it not be better to economize all we can, work a little more, raise more to sell, buy less than to be all the time complaining about hard times? Let us all do our best to make times better.

The Superior Court has been in engaged since last Wednesday in trying cases on the civil docket. The most important case came up on Thursday. It was that of J. T. Edmundson of Wayne county, against the Western N. C. Railroad. It will be remembered that on the 23d of July, 1885, an encampment of the State guards was held at Asheville. The Goldsboro Rifles attended the encampment and on their way when between Black Mountain and Asheville some of the cars were thrown from the track and several of the members of the Rifles injured. Mr. Edmundson quite seriously. It was charged that the accident was caused by the reckless rate of speed the train was running and a suit was instituted for damages. The Railroad Company effected a compromise with all the injured men except Mr. Edmundson who refused a compromise upon the same terms and afterwards brought suit in the Superior Court of Wayne for the recovery of damages in the sum of $20 000. At the instance of the Railroad Company the suit was removed to this county. The plaintiff was represented by Messrs. Geo. V Strong, C B Aycock, W S. O'B. Robinson, J. W. Bryan and Jackson & Perry. The Railroad Company was represented by Messrs. W T. Dortch, F. H. Busbee and John F Wooten. Thursday and most of Friday were consumed in the examination of witnesses. On Friday evening Mr. Jackson opened the argument for the plaintiff. Saturday morning Mr. Dortch opened for defendant; he was followed by Mr Robinson for plaintiff; Mr. Busbee followed him for defendant and Mr Wooten closed for the defendant Mr. Aycock then closed the argument for the plaintiff in a compact, vigorous discussion of the testimony. After an impartial charge from His Honor, Judge Phillips, the jury took the case and set on it Saturday night, Sunday night, Monday night, Monday night—(having been put on two meals a day) Tuesday and up to this writing, Tuesday even they have not agreed.

GREEN MANURING

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I find that the same complaint of worn-out and impoverished land, producing small and unprofitable crops comes from all portions of the United States. Writers on the subject say that skinning the land is the cause of it. The term skinning the land is defined to mean raising a crop with or without fertilizers and then taking off all the vegetable products or burning them off before plowing. In other words, doing the opposite of growing a crop for the purpose of returning it to the ground.

President C. K. Adams of Cornell University, N. Y., says: "Look at the statistics of our Agricultural Department. In every State, North, South, East and West, the yield per acre of all the great crops has been steadily declining. The American farmer has impoverished the soil and gone West, and it is not certain that this process has yet been arrested. The New England States have held their own, not by means of improved agriculture, but by the general establishment of manufactories. The same process has been going on, that converted the fertile lands of Virginia into pine barrens. Thousands of acres in the Eastern States have been abandoned as practically worthless. Ever westward has been the movement until the current has come to a stop on the slope of the Pacific and there is no West to whose virgin soil we may flee. Our farmers no longer have the alternative of starving or moving West. They have the other alternative—the one which has long confronted the farmers of the old world—STARVATION, or a better knowledge of the conditions under which nature will yield a bounteous and a profitable return."

It seems to be a settled fact that the farmers of America have not yet found out how to obtain large crops, and at the same time to maintain the original fertility of the soil.

How can the farmer obtain this knowledge with the greatest certainty and at the least cost of time or money? Shall he spend his whole life in making experiments, or shall he by reading the records of the experience of other farmers obtain the advantage of their experiments also? Farmers must not be afraid of such book farming.

In the next article I propose to give some information regarding the great damage to the lands of the Southwest States, caused by burning the stalks and stubble before plowing, a plan adopted to save the labor of turning under the vegetable matter, which is so necessary to the life and vigor of the land. A

The Atlanta Constitution Straddles.

Next Friday Atlanta will vote on the question of prohibition for two years to come, and the Constitution, being divided against itself editorially, takes no sides, or rather takes both sides. The two editors, Howell and Grady, get in their enthusiasm, but it goes into the advertising columns and is paid at the usual rates. The burning eloquence of Mr. Grady, who invented the New South, is accurately measured by the following ad.: "The best reforms on this earth come through waste and storm and doubt and suspicion; the sun itself, when it rises on earth, wastes the radiance of the moon and blots the starlight from the skies, but only to unlock the earth from the clasp of night and plant the stars anew in the opening flowers." Mr. Howell is of a statistical turn, and is content with demolishing sarcasm, by means of facts and figures, his partner's sentimental points.—Baltimore Sun.

Horses, Cattle and Chickens.

For colic and grubs, for lung fever, cough or hide-bound, I give Simmons Liver Regulator in a mash twice a day. You can recommend it to every one having stock as the best medicine known for the above complaints. In using it with my chickens, for cholera and gapes, I mix it with the dough and feed it to them once a day. By this treatment I have lost none where the Regulator was given promptly and regularly.
B. T. TAYLOR,
Agt. for Grangers of Ga.

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Every subscriber to the New York World clubbing with JOURNAL receives a handsomely bound illustrated History of the United States.

To Our Patrons.

We will begin soon to send out statements of amounts due us for subscriptions, and we send them out for the purpose of collecting the money. We cannot give longer indulgence to those in arrears. Send us the money at once or be prepared for our agent when he calls.

The price of the WEEKLY JOURNAL has been reduced to $1 50 *when paid in advance*. The Presidential canvass and election will be on hand the coming year. The JOURNAL proposes to keep its readers posted on the progress of the campaign as well as on the general news of the day. Send one dollar and a half and get a good, live newspaper for one year.

Major Palmer blesses the man is that toil. See adv.

Wm. Cohen is offering goods at half price. See ad.

Our truck farmers are putting out their cabbage plants.

H. B. Duffy is trying the anarchist remedy on high prices. See ad.

The Superior Court of Craven will convene next Monday, Judge Avery presiding.

A concrete walk is being made in front of Hotel Albert. Quite an improvement and one that should be followed up by others.

Blades & Bro. are building a new wharf at their mills on the south side of Trent river. The steamer Trent and her crew are driving the piling.

Even the building of the Onslow railroad and a bridge across Neuse river is being agitated in the write up of advertisements. F. T. Patterson is this originator.

The Jarman Ice Factory has begun work at the old plate factory near the railroad bridge. The water for making the ice comes from Major Dennison's artesian well.

At Hotel Albert the patronage still continues good, and we notice names from nearly every portion of the country. Only a few days ago one gentleman was registered from England and another from San Francisco.

A large lot of dogwood logs are on the O. D. wharf waiting shipment. They ought to be manufactured before shipping. If it pays to carry the log in the round to some Northern mill to work up, why would it not pay to work it up here.

An interesting little letter addressed to Santa Claus appears in this issue. It was dashed in our office by a fixen haired chunk of a boy about as high as the door knob, but he scampered away too quick for us to learn who he was.

M Hahn has fitted up a carriage house on Middle street where he keeps a selection of fine carriages and buggies. He has close by his large stables with plenty of good drive horses. He is a great admirer of fine stock and likes to show them to his customers.

"But may it please your Honor, we are not sure it is a *religious* meeting" was the remark of counsel in a recent trial of parties charged with disturbing a meeting of the Salvation Army. His Honor thought it was and the offenders were bound over to court.

Does New Berne want to be on the new coast line of railway? If the projected line from Wilmington to New Berne is built it assures us that we are on the line; otherwise we may loose the golden opportunity, and when the coast line is built it will go west of us. Don't let the opportunity slip.

Oxford and Durham are rival towns for the marketing of tobacco. They are endeavoring to build a railroad from one point to the other and both are on a boom. It is the same with Durham and Henderson. A road from New Berne to Wilmington would help both places instead of destroying one to build up the other.

The next engagement at our opera house is December 6th. It will be the star, Miss Hellen Blythe, in "Only a Woman's Heart." The manager here informs us that a number of engagements have been made for later in the season, and among them some of the very best troupes on the road. We note Frederick Ward, The Mendelsohn Quintette Club of Boston and others of merit.

Messrs. Hallock & Drew a firm of northern gentlemen have established themselves at Riverdale for the purpose of shipping poplar logs north, where they are used in the manufacture of baskets. The first shipment goes forward tomorrow by the E. C. D line. It is this and similar manufacturing that ought to be carried on right here at home.

Branson's Almanac has been issued again for the 21st time. It is full of useful information about the State. The calculations are made by himself, and we believe is the only Almanac which has the name of the calculator on its title page. Mr Branson also publishes the State Directory, a five dollar book. A great deal of information is carried to the masses in Branson's Agricultural Almanac and it can be obtained for the small sum of 10 cents.

At the crossing of the railroad at Griffith street there has been erected a large sign reading "Look out for the Locomotive," a much needed precaution. We learn it is the intention of the A. & N. C R people to place these signs at all crossings along the line of the road, as when the new steel rails will have been laid to Goldsboro, (an accomplishment of the near future) it is intended that the running time will be shortened between Goldsboro and Morehead fully two hours.

Neuse Paper Manufactory.

The death of Mr. W. F. Askew, so long the proprietor of the Neuse paper mills near Raleigh, will cause no interruption in the work of the mills as it will be continued under the same by his son, W. F. Askew.

Reopening.

We are requested to announce that the Missionary Baptist Church at LaGrange will be reopened on the fourth Sunday in November. Several eminent ministers from a distance will be present.

Sudden Death.

News was received Saturday of the sudden death of Mr Noah Jackson which occurred at Vanceboro on Saturday night. He was taken ill while off in the field looking after his hogs and died in a short time after being carried to his home. He was about sixty years old, a good farmer and much esteemed by his neighbors.

Important Move.

The raven County Gun Club made a move last week in regard to the Oyster Fair. A committee was appointed to correspond with Commissioner Patrick, confer with the oyster and fish dealers, and report to a subsequent meeting. This is an important movement and betokens success.

A New Steamer for New Berne.

The following item was sent out with the press dispatches last Saturday.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 19.—The iron screw steamer Manteo being built for the Old Dominion Steamship Company was launched at Pusey & Jones' yard this afternoon. The vessel will be 190 feet long, 26 feet beam, 10 feet 5 inches deep. The Manteo will ply between Norfolk, Va., and New Berne, N. C.

Commutation Asked For.

A petition has been signed by a large number of the best citizens of Lenoir county living in Kinston and the Lousin swamp section, praying the Governor to commute the death sentence upon Charles F. Jones to imprisonment for life. Jones lived in the community for several years and all who know him say that he such an imbecile that he is utterly irresponsible for his acts.

The Conference to be Invited.

At the M. E. Church last Sunday the pastor, Rev. Mr. Crawford, submitted the question as to inviting the Conference to convene here next year and it was carried without a dissenting vote. A pressing invitation will be sent to the Conference and we feel almost assured that it will be accepted. So our poultry raisers must begin to prepare for an extra crop next year, and our oystermen must replenish their gardens and be prepared to supply us with the best while the preachers are with us.

The Game and Oyster Fair.

The committee appointed by the Craven County Gun Club is in correspondence with Commissioner Patrick relative to the Game and Oyster Fair to be held in January. We trust every citizen of New Berne will heartily cooperate with the Club in this matter and aid in getting up a creditable display of the oysters and fish that grow in our waters and of the game and wild fowl that exist in our forests. We want also a ladies department for the display of taxidermy, paintings, drawings, &c. Will not all take an interest in the matter and assist in making it a success?

Out of Debt.

The pastor of the M. E. Church announced on Sunday morning that the assessments of this church for the Conference year had been made good, that the debt incurred for repairs on the church a year or two since had been paid, but there was a floating debt of $150 for incidental expenses which he desired paid before the close of the present Conference year. A collection was taken and the amount was raised. This must be gratifying to our Methodist friends and will cause them to press the harder their invitation to the Conference to meet in this city next year. Our people generally desire this body to meet with us, and we trust it will honor us with its presence.

Order Rescinded.

At the special meeting of the board of commissioners on Monday last the order instructing the chairman of the board to bring suit against ex-Sheriff Hahn and his bond for schedule "B" taxes which the committee report unsettled, was rescinded and the committee continued until the next regular meeting. Mr. Hahn appeared before the board and explained why he was not on hand at the last meeting and stated that he was ready to settle whatever they could show that he justly owed the county. He does not think they will be able to show anything due by him on schedule "B" as he has settled with the county in full every year since he came into office.

A Bridge Across Neuse River.

We publish in another column a communication in regard to a bridge across Neuse river, and it is a subject worthy of the consideration of our magistrates and county commissioners. The stock held by Craven county in the A. & N. C R could not be converted into a better purpose than a bridge across Neuse river. It would increase the value of the land on that side of the river because it would put a market for the produce right at the doors of the owners. A gentleman who owns lands in that section and who is also a magistrate, but lives on the south side of the river, recently told us that his land on the north side were valued at one thousand dollars. "I would be perfectly willing," said he, "to have the valuation increased to two thousand dollars if the county would build a bridge across Neuse river."

The people on that side of the river, as Mr. Gaskins suggests, are taxed annually more than their State and county taxes in crossing Neuse river. The increase in the value of the property in that part of the county would pay the county to build the bridge. The stock owned by the county in the A. & N. C. R will more than build it.

A bridge across Neuse river, a railroad from New Berne to Wilmington through Onslow, Jones and Pender and an extension of the A. & N. C. R to Fayetteville are the things that the JOURNAL intends to advocate and urge as long as there is a glimmer of hope of obtaining either. The interest of the community demands that these things be done, and the JOURNAL will do its part towards getting them.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. For sale at R. N. Duffy's drug store.

The Railroad Subscription—Objections That Are Frivolous—Objections that Appear Valid.

An election having been ordered for a vote on the proposition to subscribe fifty thousand dollars to the New Berne and Wilmington Railroad it is well to begin to discuss the matter and meet in a fair and open way the objections that may be urged against it.

When the question is put, "Are you willing to tax Craven county $50 000 to build a railroad?" the answer from many who have not considered the question in all its bearings, will be "no, my taxes are as high now as I want them to be." But when it is shown that the construction of this road will secure to the county a through line of railway from North to South and all the advantages of such line are fairly shown and the question is put are you willing to use the credit of the county to the extent of $50 000, for which you will be taxed not more than fifteen cents on every hundred dollars worth of property you have, to pay the interest, and provide a sinking fund to pay the principal, it strikes us that a right thinking man will then inquire, "will the investment pay?" This is the question that ought to be considered in the light of reason, it ought to be considered as a plain business proposition, and without prejudice to those who projected the scheme. This levy of fifteen cents can be made, as was shown a few days ago with ease, and no increase over the levy for the present year, as the levy for the present indebtedness will be reduced next year and again in another year or two.

It is urged by some of the opponents of the measure that the construction of a railroad from New Berne to Wilmington will be injurious to New Berne in that it will divert trade that now comes here to Wilmington, that it will carry cotton and other produce from a few miles south of us to the latter city, and thus instead of proving beneficial will actually damage us. Men who hold to such views will certainly never consent to the building of any roads, unless it be a narrow gauge for such views are surely narrow and selfish. Had the people of Fayetteville entertained such views they would have objected to the construction of the Wilson short cut, because if such reasoning be true they would have said your road will take cotton and other produce from a few miles north of us to Norfolk and from a few miles south of us to Charleston and thus destroy what little trade we already have. But the "short cut" has had the effect to give the old town, that had for a long time been on the standstill or go back, a genuine boom. One of our own citizens, Mr. J. T. Hall, has just returned from there where he had been to put electric bells in a hundred thousand dollar hotel, says Fayetteville is full of life and activity. He attributes it to the new railroad and he comes back a warm advocate of the New Berne and Wilmington road. People who would urge such an objection, would, it seems to us, favor the erection of a barbed wire fence around a certain territory and object to placing a gate in it for fear some one would slip out and go somewhere else to trade. Such an objection is indeed frivolous and ought not to be entertained by an enterprising, progressive people.

Another objection which is urged by some, and which appears more just and reasonable, is that the road would benefit only New Berne and it is not right to use the credit of the entire county when the city alone is to reap the benefits. We might with just as much reason and force say it is wrong for the people on the north side of the Neuse river to be taxed to keep up a bridge across Trent river. If this railroad will build up New Berne, bring more people here, make it a better market, enhance the value of city property, the good will be felt by every man in the county no matter in what section he lives. It would be impossible for the county to aid in any public improvement that would not benefit some one portion more than another, but there is none that will be of more general benefit than something that will build up a town and make a market for the farmers' produce. If New Berne had a population of fifteen thousand instead of seven there would be double the demand for chickens, eggs, turkeys, fresh pork, beef, &c., &c., there is now; the property valuation of the city would be three millions instead of a million and a half and taxes would correspondingly decrease because there would be more property to tax.

A road from New Berne to Wilmington and a bridge across Neuse river are the two things that will bring new business and put New Berne on a forward move. A careful study of the subject, it seems to us, will convince any one that the investment will pay. A very intelligent gentleman who had given the matter some thought, remarked a few days ago that he was opposed to a subscription of one hundred thousand dollars, but since the proposition is for fifty thousand dollars he thought it would pay to try it. Said he, "If we do nothing but get ten miles of road graded it will be sure to draw the through line of road from Norfolk which is bound to come sooner or later."

To Santa Claus.

DEAR SANTA CLAUS—Christmas is almost here and I want you to please not forget me and where I live. I want a pistol and some caps and a tin turtle, and a velocipede and a little cart and a pack of fire crackers. I want a little hatchet. I wish you would bring me a nilly goat if you have any, but don't bring me one if he buts much. I will try and be a good boy; mamma says I must if I want you to bring me any thing. I haven't anything to feed a goat, so I will try to get him some fodder and a little corn and he can eat grass next summer, if the goat will eat paper please let me know, there is lots of paper in our back yard; don't forget to bring a bridle and harness, and if you think he would let me ride on his back you can bring me a saddle. Dear Santa Claus don't forget, please don't. I want an orange and lots of apples so I can give the children some, three (3) bananas, one pound and a half of good candy like Mr Dunn keeps. I wish you would bring little Belle some taffy, she loves it so good. I am going to bed now for I am sleepy. Good night, dear Santa. H. H.

Astonishing Success.

It is the duty of every person who has used *Boschee's German Syrup* to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all druggists to recommend it to the poor, dying consumptive, at least to try one bottle, as 80,000 dozen bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the *German Syrup* cannot be too widely known. Ask your druggist about it. Sample bottles to try, sold at 10 cents. Regular size, 75 cents. Sold by all druggists and dealers in the United States and Canada.

WE can furnish a Pure Blood Registered Jersey Bull Calf at moderate price if applied for immediately. This is an opportunity to obtain a calf of the best stock in America.
GEO. ALLEN & Co.

Kind Words from a Visiting Brother.

Rev. F. I. Reid, editor of the Raleigh Christian Advocate, recently paid a visit to New Berne and writes a letter from which we take the following paragraph:

Having promised to visit the city during the year, I spent Sunday and Monday, November 5th and 6th, in fulfilling the promise. Sunday was a lovely day. The Methodist church, which has been wonderfully improved in appearance since I saw it before, was well filled morning and night. The Sunday school at 3 p m., filled the church full. Everything indicated that the church and Sabbath school are in excellent condition every way, and on every hand I could see the successful work of the wise, faithful and greatly beloved pastor, Rev. I. W Crawford. He is leading wisely and his people are following him closely. They love him as well as a pastor ought to be loved, and the man who is "spoiling for a fight" can get it very quickly if he says anything against Brother Crawford in New Berne. He and his excellent family have captured the city.

There is, among other agencies for good in the church there, what is called "The Working Society." This is composed of male and female members of the church. It meets regularly, and its members talk over all the interests of the church and plan work for its improvement. These meetings are very pleasant and profitable, and this society works wonders for the church. The happy thought of organizing it was suggested by an invalid lady member of the church.

On Monday morning several conveyances were placed at our service for a canvass of the city for the Advocate, but the place is so compact that we could do the work more easily on foot. It was a real pleasure to mingle among the people, and when we closed up the work at 4 p m the results were, indeed, highly gratifying. At this hour Bro. T. A. Green, of the banking house of Green, Foy & Co., took me in his delightful conveyance to show me the sights of the city. To me it was an enjoyable ride. A pleasant tea party, with Brother and Sister Crawford at the hospitable home of Mrs. M. E. Mayhew and her estimable daughter, Miss Carrie, closed the day.

New Berne wants to entertain our next annual conference, and will send a pressing invitation for it. I never saw a people so anxious for a conference; and it is a spontaneous expression. Nearly everywhere I went they urged me to help them get the next conference to New Berne. One good sister said she would take six guests, and more if necessary. They are enthusiastic over the matter, and they ought to have the next conference. They will entertain it in royal style, and our preachers and laymen will be delighted with the place. I am going to vote for New Berne with both hands and with all my heart.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers. For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50c and $1 00 per bottle, at R. N. Duuffy's drgstore.

A Bridge Needed.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Dear Sir—I see in your last issue something said about a bridge across Neuse river, and it does me good to know that others are beginning to see our troubles on the north side of Neuse river; for no one knows our troubles like we that have the burden to bear. And talk about railroads being a necessity, but if everybody had as bad a chance to get to market as we do, they would say let's have a bridge. We have to pay as much to get a bag of cotton across the river as it would I expect to take it to New York. Twenty-five cents is what we have to pay and ten cents to get it to the Exchange, and everything else in proportion, and that is not the bad part of it, our lives are in danger many times in crossing the river; we have to take the weather as it comes, and you know this season of the year it is very changeable. We have to help pay for all the bridges in the county and why not let us have one. It would help New Berne. We have to carry our produce and sell it to the hucksters and they sell it to the citizens. If we could drive in with our carts we would go to their houses and sell to them. When we start to town we don't know when we can get back on account of the weather. Let our business be ever so urgent, sickness or anything that may be, we have to submit to it all, and it is unpleasant. If we are jurors the law don't make any provision for us.

Our ferriage as a rule is as much as our State and county tax, and with some more. We do the best we can; pay our taxes serve as jurors, go to our duty as other men go.

If we can't have a bridge, give us a steam ferry. We are willing to have any help we can get. I don't think there is a people anywhere that have as bad a chance to get to market as we do. I hope you and the friends of the cause will not stop sounding it out until there is relief, for no one knows where the shoe pinches but the sufferer.
ALFRED GASKINS.

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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 or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. N. Duffy. dec16 1y

The Sidney Wright.

Several years ago an iron steamer, Sidney Wright, carried the mail between this place and Elenton. She was afterwards lost at sea. A bottle was recently picked up on Sandy Neck beach, near Barnstable, Mass. containing a scrap on which was written the following, dated September 19, 1880: "On board the steamer Sidney Wright, to whomever may chance to pick this up. We are about fifty miles off Key West with broken crank pin and sea running heavy. Am afraid we will never reach home. Trust that some passing vessel may pick us up. If not the tale is told. (signed) Dennis Murphy, Boston." The Sidney Wright was a small iron propeller. She left Philadelphia on September 14, 1880, for Florida ports. Her crew consisted of six men. Neither vessel nor crew were ever heard of until the bottle was picked up.—Elizabeth City Falcon.

The ghost of the White House is said to walk half of every night, but he could do double that amount of work, if he wasn't afraid of the morning air, and knew that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cured all kinds of troublesome coughs and colds.

Sue stood at the gate in the late Spring twilight, and when she said good-bye, she felt neuralgia kiss her rosy cheek but she only smiled, for she had Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain.

MARRIED,

On the 7th day of November, 1887, at the residence of Mr. J. M. Nunn, of Southern Home, Ark., Mr. J. Luther Nunn, formerly of Lenoir county, N. C., and Miss Exie Leola Heathcote, formerly of Tennessee, Esq. J. C. Vincett officiating. May the blessings of life attend them. J. M. N.

At the residence of the bride's father in Craven county, on Wednesday morning, Nov. 16th, Mr. E. G. McDaniel of Trenton and Miss Julia C. Harvey, daughter of Mr. Matthew Harvey; Rev. C. W. Howard officiating.

The attendants were Mr. Hill Humphrey and Miss Harvey, sister of the bride; Mr. Herbert Archbell and Miss Bettie Harvey of Kinston.

The happy couple left for Trenton, accompanied by a large number of friends. The JOURNAL extends congratulations.

IN MEMORIAM.

Capt. Kilby Willis, an old and respected citizen of Onslow county, died at his home in Swansboro on Thursday morning the 17th inst., of inflammation of the bowels, aged about 66 years, leaving a wife, children and several grandchildren to mourn his death.

In the death of Capt. Willis the community has lost a good man and the church a pious member, he being a member of the Baptist church for the last twenty-five years.

DIED

In Craven county near New Berne on the 9th day of November, 1887, Mr. John L. Hartly in the 24th year of his age.

The deceased was a consistent member of the Free-Will Baptist Church at Kitt Swamp. He was faithful to all trust confided to him, was ever punctual at the meetings of the church and always ready to do with all his might whatever work was assigned him. He was married on the 19th of October and taken sick the next day and died in three weeks. He was a good citizen as his neighbors will testify. G.

At her home, New river in Onslow county on the morning of November 12th, 1887, Mrs. Julia M. Moore, beloved wife of John A. Moore and daughter of John Pearson and Hopy, his wife.

The subject of this sketch was indeed a true and noble woman, being possessed of a kind and genial disposition, and around her was peace and love. But alas, she is cut down in death just as life was full of promise to her, being about 33 years of age. Truly do we mourn over the loss of one so pure and good, but we mourn not without hope, we feel that her pure soul is now safely in the arms of Jesus. Her sufferings were great but were endured with patience and fortitude to the last. She leaves a husband, one sweet little daughter, an aged mother, two sisters and one brother, and a host of loving friends to mourn her loss. Farewell, dear Julie may we all meet you in the sweet by and by. W.

Near Swansboro on the 17th inst. Ezekiel Montford, an old and highly respected colored citizen of Onslow county, died at his home of old age and general debility, aged about 90 years. Very few people of the county white or colored but what knew the face of uncle Zekiel, as he was called, and was respected by all who knew him.

COMMERCIAL.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23—12 M.—Futures opened steady. Sales of 10,700 bales.

November	—	May	10.58
December	10.24	June	10.64
January	10.32	July	10.70
February	10.38	August	10.75
March	10.47	September	—
April	10.51	October	—

New Berne market steady. Sales of 165 bales at 5 8 to 9 5 8.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

Rice firm at 90 to 95 in sacks.
Corn steady, 47 to 55.
Fodder, 80c to $1 00 per hundred.
Seed cotton $3 00 per hundred.
Turkeys $1.50 to $2 00 per pair.
TURPENTINE—Hard, $1.10; dip $1 50 a2 00.
TAR—$1 00a$1.25.
OATS—37a40c. in bulk.
SERSWAX—18c. per lb.
BEEF—On foot, 4c. to 5c.
FRESH PORK—6a7c per pound.
PEANUTS—80c a$1.00 per bushel.
ONIONS—$2.00 per barrel.
CHICKENS—Grown, 50c.; spring 15c.
HEAT—65 per bushel.
APPLES—Matt 75c per bushel.
IRISH POTATOES—$2 00a3.00.
POTATOES—Bahamas, 30c.; yams, 40c. Harrison, 40c.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal, 6 inch $2 00a2 50. Building, 5 inch hearts, $4.00; saps, $1.50 per M.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—$16 50.
PORK—New family, $16 00.
SHOULDER MEAT—7c.
C. R. S. P. H's B. S. and L. C.—6½c.
FLOUR—$3.00a6.00.
LARD—7½c. by the tierce.
NAILS—Basis 10's, $2 50.
SUGAR—Granulated, 7c.
COFFEE—25a30c.
CHEESE—15.
SALT—80a85c. per sack.
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—80a47.
POWDER—$6 00.
SHOT—Drop, $1.50; buck, $1 75.
KEROSENE—8½c.
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5.
TALLOW—3½ per lb.

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w2t A. C. HUGGINS, Guardian.

To Whom It May Concern.
Notice is hereby given that at the written request of Wm. M. Watson a member of the Board, I have and do hereby call a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Craven, to meet at the Court House in New Berne on the 26th day of November, 1887, at eleven o'clock, a. m., for the consideration of matters referred to in said request, and such other matters as may properly and lawfully come before it.
JAMES A. BRYAN,
Chmn'n B'd Commissioners.
November 10, 1887. t20 td

Notice Tax Payers!
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, CRAVEN COUNTY, New Berne, Nov. 15, 1887.
You are earnestly requested to come forward and settle your taxes between now and December 1st, 1887. As no further indulgence can be given, I have no discretion to add costs to the tax payers.
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Sheriff Craven Co.
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Notice.
The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ewell Arnold, hereby give notice to persons holding claims against the estate of said Edward Arnold, to present them to the undersigned on or before Nov. 15, 1888, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Persons indebted to the said estate are called on to make immediate payment.
This Nov. 15, 1887.
J. W. ARNOLD, Adm'r.
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