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Kinston Items.

Business Meeting.

There will be a business meeting of the Wise Fork Church in connection with the Sunday-school, next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. A full attendance is desired. A. J. Loftin and H. C. Bowen will be present.

Mr. A. Ostlinger went North on Tuesday to buy his spring stock.

King street is still ahead in the line of new comers. It is another boy.

Messrs. White and Hicks are turning out various products at the hoop factory.

Messrs. Ostlinger Bros. are putting a new floor in their store and raising it about eight inches.

The sanitary regulations of our town are strictly enforced. We nominate the present incumbent for Mayor again.

Some very good work on the streets is being done now by the street commissioners. Mr. Hawkins come up our way.

We hear of nothing of special importance occurring in the meeting of the county commissioners on Monday. One thing seems to be settled—that we are not to have a poor house.

Funerals do not agree very well with young men who treat too many girls especially when he is required to partake of every treat. But the oysters were very fine—we pounded on them ourselves.

There is very great activity among our fishing friends now. We are glad to see them so warmly engaged. We depend to a large extent upon them, and we wish them the biggest kind of luck this year.

The rifle team practice regularly now. Mr. Jno. L. Hartsfield pearced the bull's eye at the last trial. There will be another test of marksmanship on Friday p. m. Brother J. will be ruled out unless he consents to shoot with his glasses on.

Visiting the workshop of one of our undertakers a few days ago we were a trifle surprised to see at considerable dust had accumulated on his embalming case—a sure sign of good health to the community. It is true—Kinston is exceedingly healthy.

Dr. R. H. Lewis, of this place, class of 1883 University N. C., has been selected by a committee of the Dialectic Society of that institution to deliver an address before its members at the coming commencement, given its history during his connection with it.

Kinston College register shows the number of one hundred and one pupils for the collegiate year of 1888-'89. By the way, the commencement of this institution comes off on Thursday 30th May this year, instead of on first Thursday in June as indicated in the catalogue.

There would have been a fire yesterday in our town about ten o'clock Wednesday night, had it not been a false alarm from tin by moonshine instead of a blaze. There was dressing and 'hurrying in hot haste" for a few minutes and some school boys showed how efficient and handy they could be when an emergency demanded.

On Friday night, at the opera house here, was held the well attended meeting of citizens from last week. Committee constitution and by-laws reported. Their report, with a few amendments, was adopted. The object of the organization, as stated in constitution, is "the permanent prosperity of our town and vicinity." The officers are: Pres., B. W. Canaday. First Vice-Pres., S. H. Loftin; Second Vice-Pres., Dr. H. O. Hyatt; Sec. and Treas., J. F. Taylor. Committee on railroad interests of Kinston: Dr. H. D. Harper, J. W. Grainger, L. Harvey, B. F. Nunn and O. H. Allen. The executive committee will com. on Friday and will be named by the president and announced in Free Press.

There was a full turn out of the citizens of Waller's neighborhood, eight miles from Kinston, on Friday to witness the closing ceremonies of their district school. Mr. Ben. Maxwell, the teacher, has given excellent satisfaction during his short stay there. "Seeing is believing"—we saw and we believe. The children acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner, and it was delightful to witness the evident praiseworthy pride that they took in performing their well acted parts. Dr. Lewis of Kinston College gave a half hour's address after the children got through. And such a dinner, spread out a long table in the grove we have never seen beaten. We are going there again. Your reporter was the royally entertained guest of Mrs. Jarman Becton.

Stonewall Items.

Q. M. Sawyer is quite low no hopes of his recovery. heart disease is the main trouble.

F. F. Cherry was over today fixing up his cotton and corn planter ready for the spring planting. If he will only use a little printer's ink my opinion is he would see quite a change, for he has a good planter.

Thos. A. Mewie moved his family from here on the 7th inst to your city. He takes a job as sawyer at the Hiades Bros. saw-mill in James City. Thomas Baxter moved in the house vacated by him, so we have but one vacant house in our place.

Jerome B Sawyer met with a serious loss on the 9th inst His barn with nearly 100 barrels of corn was consumed by fire. The barn caught from a burning tree, and no one near until it was entirely enveloped in flames, it being some distance from where he lived or any one else.

There are only two prisoners in our jail, and one's term of imprisonment will end in a few days and the other is in for failure to give bond. will have to stay until court. Only four paupers in our county poor house, and four or five who receive assistance from the county. What county can beat ours?

IN MEMORIAM.

Died, at her home near Stella, N. C., February 20th, 1889, of paralysis, Aunt Sarah A. Koonce, in her 59th year Aunt Sallie was the daughter of Abraham and Maria Koonce, and was born April 29th, 1830. Her long life was one of painstaking, active, industrial habits her chief enjoyment being sought in thorough devotion to domestic duties Self-sacrificing, she lived for others on earth while laying up treasure in heaven. Her illness was short, and when the crisis came it was "a death like sleep," the earthly tenement yielding up its spiritual body without a struggle to its upper and better home. She was ready to go, and happy habeen the transition for her. She has left us, but gone to reap the golden reward of her consistent life while sojourning here, and to realize how rich and glorious her treasure in heaven has grown in the hands of a just and beneficent Creator. Green be her memory in the hearts of her surviving family and friends. Thus one by one this good family are crossing over to the other shore. Only one older brother is left on this side, and age has already silvered his honored locks while his earthly ties are growing less as his loved ones are making up the family. His devoted wife, than whom there is none who has higher claims to all that make up the most congenial of companions, the wise and best of mothers, the noblest and most Christian of women, is now his chief earthly solace, as both patiently await the summons for them to attend the rejoicing of a happy and reunited family in heaven. May we all get there, and may the temporary separation we endure enhance the delight and bliss of one heavenly greeting.

J. W. SANDERS.

Sanders Store, N.C., March 6th, 1889

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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" " North Amer. Review	5.25
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CITY AND VICINITY.

W. B. FLANNER—Boots and shoes

W. L. PALMER—Where have the Indian gone

BARRINGTON & BAXTER—Agents for Hatties shoes etc.

Pamlico has plenty of corn to sell.

The fat men on Bay river are putting in a large oat crop.

Carteret Superior Court will convene next Monday Judge Shipp presiding.

Mrs. S. H. [illegible] street is the [illegible] the paint brush.

Mr. F. W. [illegible] has been great[illegible]

The receipts [illegible] Weekly Transcript and Morehead[illegible] like the return of an old friend.

Within the past three weeks over a thousand cars of fish [illegible] shipped over the A. & N. C. Railroad.

In excavating for the cemetery road on George street, the workmen have struck the brick foundation [illegible] of Tryon's palace.

Governor Fowle has appointed Hon. C. C. Clark a Director of the Penitentiary. This will be gratifying news to Mr. Clark's friends.

Many of our readers will be glad to learn that Mr. Robert S. Primrose graduated last week in New York Medical College. He took the fourth honor in a large class of students.

Croom & [illegible] has just completed a boiler for C. H. Bunk's shingle mill which is being erected near the city. This firm is also just completing a sixty-five horse-power boiler for Dey Bros at Beaufort which has been built in about eighteen days.

There is considerable inquiry and discussion about the list of Justices for Craven county. It is reported that the last sent up by the executive committee was tampered with, but the JOURNAL can learn nothing definite about the matter until we get the list appointed.

We learn that it is believed that the extension of the city limits will increase the population sufficient to entitle us to a free delivery of mails by carriers under the postal laws of the government, and that steps will be taken to have a census taken looking to that result.

A Seal Captured.

James Green of Slocumb's creek was in the city last week with a seal five and a half feet in length. He was captured in Oliver's creek about fifteen or twenty miles below New Berne.

Fire at Charlotte.

The following special to the JOURNAL was received Monday:

Fire broke out on the cotton platform here at noon today. Three hundred and fifty bales of cotton were badly burned before the flames were arrested. The damage is estimated between four and five thousand dollars which is covered by insurance. E. K. B., JR.

James City Not Incorporated.

A private letter from Raleigh states that James City has not been incorporated, nor is it likely that it will be. If the property was not in dispute and the inhabitants were clearly entitled to an act of incorporation still they ought not to have it so long as they send such representatives to the General Assembly.

Presenting the Figures.

The Kinston Free Press contin[illegible] argument for a change of management in the A. & N. C. R. and is giving figures to bear out its assertion that the lack of more friendly relations with the R. & D. is on account of the unpopularity of the present management of the A. & N. C. The remainder of the Free Press is so contentious and [illegible] figures as Dover will to stand a change.

It is very evident that the popular cry down here is to have a change. It only remains to be seen whether Governor Fowle will regard the demands of the people more than whether [illegible] Governor Scales, he will pay no attention to Eastern sentiment but will rather bear their curses.

Kep A Counts.

We publish elsewhere [illegible] by a statement by Mr. Daniel Lore[illegible] one of the most prudent and successful farmers in this county, which shows that there is a good margin in making cotton to the farmer who goes about it right, that is, makes his supplies first and makes cotton the surplus crop.

But the feature which we desire specially to commend in Mr. Lane's system of farming is the keeping of accounts. He informs us that he has kept an account with his nine acre patch of cotton for several years. This is what every farmer ought to do. If the Grangers and Alliances can educate the farmers up to keeping accounts with every crop planted they will have accomplished more for the success of agriculture and advancement of farmers than any other one thing they can do. Thousands of farmers all over the country cultivate crop after crop, pursuing the same methods of manuring and cultivation and they never know where the advantages or the losses come in. They go on from year to year until finally they begin to realize that they are not so well off as they were a few years back, yet they can not tell where the leakage is and consequently they are ready to accept almost any solution of their difficulties that is offered.

Can any other business be conducted successfully without the keeping of accounts so that the man engaged can always tell how he stands, whether he is making or losing. Not much. Neither can farming be safely conducted on the slip-shod plan.

Every farmer should know at the end of the year what he has made. If he has lost money on any particular crop he will endeavor to find out the cause of his failure and provide against a repetition of it.

Mr. Lane farms on a small scale, to be sure, but it is far better to be successful on a small farm than a failure on a big one. Keep accounts.

Taking Time by the Forelock.

A gentleman from Jones county tells a joke on some of the settlers in the Chinquapin section (by the way one of the best sections of Jones or any other Eastern county that when the engineer force of the Atlantic Coast Line went through sometime since surveying a road from Kinston to Jacksonville, several of the farmers proceeded to enclose their calves and other stock to prevent the train from running over them. We hope the day may not be very far distant when these people will see the train and not merely the surveying corps.

War Should be Declared.

Information comes to this city that a large number of boats have been engaged for sometime at Gull Rock, the finest oyster rock in Pamlico Sound, taking oysters to the waters of Virginia and Maryland. Superintendent Coakely of the canning establishment went down a few days ago to ascertain the facts. He was expected back yesterday but up to this writing he had not returned. We shall proceed to interview him when he does return and report the facts.

The General Assembly before adjourning ought to have provided a navy for the protection of our oyster grounds, which have been generously opened to those who want to invest amongst us. Against the marauders who are bent on cleaning off all the beds in Pamlico sound. The thing must be stopped or the Fair Association will be called into action.

A Knight of the Order of Leopold.

The following announcement is made by the Norfolk Virginia:

Mr. Charles W. Bergner, of the Bergner & Engel Brewing Company, has been decorated by the King of Belgium as a Knight of the Order of Leopold for his kindnesses to Belgians in this country and for his efforts in promoting the success of the Exposition in Brussels last year. Mr. Bergner was one of the vice presidents of the United States Commission to Brussels. He was just returned from a three months tour of Europe.

The Bergner & Engel Company is represented in this city by Mr. James Redmond who has recently visited their immense brewing establishment in Philadelphia. To those who are fond of this beverage, the Bergner & Engel will at once commend itself.

Knocked Overboard and Drowned.

On Saturday, night the schooner Laurie, a wood boat from Slocumb's creek, Isaac Rouse, col., master, and Ezekiel Chance, col., mate, left New Berne on return trip under a fair wind and was making good time. When off Riverdale, Chance, the mate, was on deck, was struck by the fore boom and knocked overboard. The mate called to Mr John D. Pittman, who with Mr. Isaac Taylor, the only white men on board, was in the cabin and immediately rounded too. Mr. Pittman came from the cabin in time to see Chance before he had sank and had no doubt they would be able to pick him up. But the unfortunate man could not swim, and the boat being under full sail was about seventy-five yards from him before they could tack. About a minute after Mr. Pittman saw Chance, he, Chance, yelled out and sank immediately. He lived at Slocumb's creek and had always been regarded as a negro of good character. His remains had not been recovered up to last night.

A Fatal Accident.

Monday, about two o'clock in the afternoon Mr. John Vaughn, the superintendent of E. H. & J. A. Meadows fertilizer factory, while soaping the band, the mill being in motion, his foot slipped and caused him to fall across the band, which quickly carried him under the pulley and wedged him between that and the frame of the mill. Williams, one of the colored hands present, threw the band as quickly as possible and had the engine stopped. It took some fifteen or twenty minutes to extricate Mr. Vaughn, as the frame of the mill had to be removed. When released his face and head were badly bruised and bleeding, his right arm was crushed from and including the elbow down, and an ugly gash was cut under the arm.

Mr. Vaughn was taken at once to his residence on Craven street where he died about 1 p. m. Tuesday, not quite twenty-four hours after the accident. Upon further examination Tuesday it was discovered that two or three ribs were broken and that he was severely injured internally. The physicians held a consultation Tuesday morning and decided that the only possible hope of saving the life of the unfortunate man was in the amputation of the right arm, and in this there was only one chance in a thousand. The amputation was made and death followed in a short while.

Mr. Vaughn was a faithful employee at the fertilizer factory. He leaves a wife and two children, a grown son and a little daughter, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Railroad to Onslow.

The Argus is urging the people of Goldsboro to build a railroad into Onslow county. If there is any county or town in the State able to subscribe to and build a railroad that county is Wayne and the town Goldsboro. They have, without incurring one dollar of indebtedness, secured about as good railroad facilities as any town or county in the State, and are now in condition to pay for additional railroads. It would pay Goldsboro and Wayne county handsomely to build a railroad to Onslow, but it would not pay Onslow to aid in the construction of such a road because for a less outlay a road can be constructed to New Berne and the people of that county will then have the advantage of both water and railroad transportation.

An amendment to the charter of the East Carolina Land & Railway Company was passed by the General Assembly which is a long step in the direction of building a road from New Berne to Onslow, and if the people of New Berne will but take hold of the matter and help to push it through, the road will be built.

Our people seem to be perfectly quiet while roads are being surveyed from every direction into Onslow county. The natural markets for the people of this county are New Berne and Wilmington. Of course Kinston, Goldsboro or any other town that has energy and push sufficient to build a road and get there first will carry the trade of the county.

Onslow county's great need is a railroad from New Berne to Wilmington. Such a road will open to the varied products of that rich county two good markets and give the people cheap freights. Such a road will also be of vast benefit to both New Berne and Wilmington and ought to be built at once.

WHY WOMEN FADE.

Women lose their beauty because colds undermine their life. Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption is an absolute cure for colds. For sale by R. Berry druggist, New Berne, N. C.

A HEARTY RECEPTION.

F. M. Simmons Returns and is Met By the Fire Department and a Large Number of Citizens.

When the JOURNAL's special telegram announcing the passage of the bill for a public building in this city was made known last Monday morning a spontaneous sentiment arose that Mr. Simmons who had labored for its enactment so faithfully and had crowned the closing hours of the session with obtaining the passage of the Postoffice measure which it had been asked for and sought for as important as it any should be rendered in public reception upon his arrival home.

Messrs. Jas. W. Moore, R. H. Hilton, E. M. Pavie and others at once took hold of the matter, and the people responded with a unanimity rarely shown in this city.

THE MERCHANTS STEPS.

On Friday morning information was received that Mr. Simmons, who had gone to Raleigh after leaving Washington to look after matters of importance to the constituency would arrive on the evening train. The news was at once circulated by [illegible] posters, through the city and the citizens agreed to [illegible] at the depot at 6 o'clock to join in the procession [illegible] the meeting [illegible] agreed [illegible]

In pursuance [illegible] that the fire [illegible] ness [illegible] At [illegible] with the [illegible] Hermione [illegible] the use of [illegible] New Berne [illegible] procession [illegible]

At [illegible] branch of the train [illegible] band struck up Hail Columbia, the New Berne engine [illegible] ous whistle and fire bells [illegible] the atmosphere was [illegible] with [illegible] nice. After the band [illegible] Mr. Simmons [illegible] of the passenger [illegible] conducted to the [illegible] Steps [illegible] are companies.

MR. SIMMONS'S REMARKS.

The procession moved down Middle to Craven, down Craven to Pollock, up Pollock to Middle, down Middle to South Front, down South Front to Craven, down Craven to the Exchange. At along the entire march the New Berne band kept up lively airs and fireworks illuminated the entire line.

AT THE EXCHANGE.

Arriving at the exchange Mr. Simmons was at once conducted to the Board of Trade room in the second story of the building. A stand had been erected during the day and in the afternoon the band had rendered some of its best pieces. H. H. Green, Esq., who met with Mr. Simmons at the [illegible] depot, appeared [illegible] and [illegible] chaste and eminently appropriate welcomed

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who addressed the vast audience for about twenty minutes, for long and at times eloquently. To him after an almost continuous absence of two years this was indeed an unexpected pleasure a happy return. He knew of but one interpretation to put upon this demonstration and that was, it is an ovation. You mean to say to me, said he, that my conduct has met with your approval. No success can compensate a man for the loss of the love and confidence of those who have confided in him. No success can be greater than our endorsement of the confidence you have reposed in me. He was [illegible] words to express [illegible] that loomed up in the [illegible] heart for the [illegible] of his [illegible] tive. He [illegible] to hold out [illegible] but [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]