

The Neuse to be Overhauled.
The Neuse left New Berne Monday afternoon on her last trip until she has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired. She goes on the way to Norfolk for that purpose, and it will most probably require one month or six weeks before she will be in proper shape to resume her schedule from New Berne to Elizabeth City.

The New Berne will serve on the regular run of the Neuse, in the meantime.
The New Berne has, just recently, been overhauled at New York City, and makes her first trip here, when she comes to New Berne today.

Mayor Ellis had but one offender of the city laws to appear before him yesterday morning, and that one was in the person of Julius Canaday, colored. It appears that Julius has been violating the law by peddling cheap jewelry in the city without having applied for and paid a license, that he might the better enjoy this privilege.

Officer Land caught the above while in the act of selling his wares, and forthwith arrested him. Mayor Ellis released Julius upon payment of costs, \$2.00 and the peddlers license for one month \$5.00.

Drivers of horses have other precautions to take besides being careful as to where and how they hitch their horses or whether or not they leave them standing. If a horse is not carefully tied he is liable to get away and cause some damage, and persons therefore should be careful to select a strong object to which they hitch their horses, and also see that a rope or strap of sufficient strength is used. During the past two days there have been two runaways, one from being carelessly hitched, the other because of the horses being left standing unattended.

The storm which has been threatening for several days, began to develop here yesterday noon, increasing in intensity up to about 8 p. m. last night, when it seemed to have reached its height. It was a rain storm, with a heavy gale blowing from the southeast. At times during the afternoon the sun shone, which soon gave way to heavy clouds, with heavy rainfalls, with the wind blowing a gale. The weather was generally warm and uncomfortable.

The storm caused no serious damage so far as could be learned. The capsizing and sinking of a boat off Union Point caused various rumors of loss of life but nothing authentic could be learned as to the correctness of these rumors.

Avings suffered, being blown into tatters, and trees were blown down in different parts of the city, with branches and leaves pretty well scattered everywhere. The electric lights suffered some. The water in the river was very high. Towards midnight the wind moderated and the sky cleared, the wind veering to the westward.

Editor Journal:
I hear that my dear friend, Rev. L. C. Vass, D.D., is to be buried here tomorrow, October 1st. I hasten to offer one flower of sincere affection. I have loved him longer than any other person in New Berne. I met him as a Chaplain in General Lee's Army in March 1863, was sure I had none more faithful or efficient.

He lovingly claimed me as his guest at our first Conference in New Berne, after the war. I was a happy guest. His saintly mother was then in his home here. He has now gone to join her in her home. God bless his sorrowing family and friends.

The fall crop is coming on very rapidly and the prospects are for a very successful one.
The spinach is making a fine showing and the fall potatoes and cabbages are in splendid condition. Mr. Willett says that he expects a very large yield this fall.
There was a light frost last night, but it did no damage.

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Death of Rev. L. C. Vass, D. D.
Our community was shocked yesterday when it became known through a telegram to relatives that Rev. Lachlan Cumming Vass, D. D., the beloved former pastor for a quarter of a century, of the first Presbyterian Church of this city, died at Charlottesville, Virginia.

We voice the sincere regret of our entire community at the loss his family, the Church, and the world has sustained in the sudden demise of our departed friend, pastor, scholar, and theologian—and we extend to them our sympathies and commend them for consolation to the great head of the Church.

He was graduated at Princeton College, N. J. in 1850 with the English Salutatory, then studied law, made a profession of religion and united with the Presbyterian church at Warrenton, Va. in 1857, under charge of the Presbytery of Winchester, Va. As a candidate for the theological Seminary, Ky., thence to Union Seminary, Va., and was graduated there in 1863.

He entered upon his ministry in New Berne in July, 1866, which continued for about twenty five years, when he received a call to the Presbyterian church in Savannah, which he served up to the date of his going abroad early this summer.

Mr. Vass was married on the 9th of May, 1867, to Miss Mary E. Jones, daughter of Mr. Frederick J. Jones and Mrs. Hannah A. Jones. In 1873 three children of this marriage, all girls, died at short intervals of violent diphtheria, he has now two boys, Lachlan Cumming, who is preparing for the gospel ministry and Edward Smallwood, who is studying medicine at the University of Virginia.

Rev. Dr. Vass has been frequently honored by different Ecclesiastical bodies of the Presbyterian faith, as their commissioner and representative at home and abroad.

The body will arrive on the train this evening, and will be deposited in the Presbyterian church, from there the funeral will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Legislated Himself Out of Office.
Office holding seems to be peculiarly sweet, even if the office is worth nothing, "Few die and none resign!" A very ludicrous scene occurred at the last meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Pamlico county, Martin Harris, a very pompous and extremely black colored brother was before the Board saying that a change be made in the line of his School District by means of which four families be put in another district.

Very respectfully,
W. J. MONTFORT.

hall and called a lawyer, and said: "These here gemenans in there is done got this here thing all tangled and mixed up, and gone agin the law. I want it straightened out!"

Among our arrivals this week will be about 500 pairs Ladies' Men's and Child's sample shoes, which we offer at absolutely wholesale cost. Barfoot's

PERSONAL.
Mr. C. Dewey, of Goldsboro, is in the city.
Dr. J. W. Duguid went to Dover yesterday morning.

Mr. L. B. Midyette, of Oriental, came to New Berne on business yesterday.
Miss Maud B. Kinsey left yesterday morning to enter the State Normal School.

Miss Mary Moore left yesterday morning for Red Springs where she is to enter the Red Springs Seminary.
Mrs. H. J. Lovis returned yesterday afternoon from a tour of the mountains of Western North Carolina.

Mr. John F. Cowell, of the firm of Fowler, Cowell & Co., of Bayboro, was in the city yesterday, on business.
Rev. N. M. Journey, who has charge of the Methodist church, at Mount Olive, N. C., is in the city on business.

Miss Margaret Bryan returned yesterday afternoon from a tour through the mountains of Western Carolina.
Mrs. R. A. Richardson, and children, returned to Richmond, yesterday, to visit her mother, who resides in that city.

Miss Aurora Mace returned yesterday afternoon from Black Mountain, where she has been spending the summer.
Miss Gertrude Willis left yesterday morning for Greensboro where she will continue her studies at the State Normal School.

Always a Democrat.
Editor Journal:
Dear Sir: I see in your issue of the 24th inst., that your Ward's Mill correspondent says that I will not vote the straight Democratic ticket in the coming election. He is very much mistaken. I have never voted and have never expected to vote any other than the Democratic ticket and now, even if I were a Populist from principle (since in this State Populism and Republicanism are synonymous terms) I should be compelled to vote the straight Democratic ticket; and I am sure both my sons join me in the above sentiments.

Very respectfully,
W. J. MONTFORT.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.
WARD'S MILL ITEMS.
Miss Edith Hyman left for New Berne last Monday to visit relatives.
Mr. W. S. Wynn left for New Berne last Monday to purchase his usual stock of goods, returned Tuesday.

Mr. J. W. Nobile was at school last week teaching in Carteret county.
Miss Emma Weeks of Cedar Point is visiting Miss Lillian Bender, of Ward's Mill.
Mrs. J. J. Jackson of Jacksonville is visiting Mrs. R. K. Bender.

BAYBORO ITEMS.
Mr. Augustus Dought is quite sick. We hope he will soon recover.
Mrs. Mary Merriam from Elizabeth City, is the guest of her brother Mr. J. W. Stille and relatives.

MAYSVILLE ITEMS.
Business seemed quite rushing Saturday.
Mr. L. T. Gillett of Trenching High school was in town Saturday.
Mr. R. S. Wells of Stella was in town on business Saturday.

Mr. J. Walter Dill of Stella passed through Thursday en route to New Berne.
Mrs. E. L. Cox of Jacksonville returned Friday. She has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Cyrus Foscoe.
Messrs. E. H. Henderson and C. E. Haynot arrived Friday from Kinston. They report a very large crowd at the speaking Thursday.

SWANSBORO.
A cool snap with a white frost last week.
Health improving some.
Mrs. H. R. Ward, who has been visiting at Monroton and Newport for two weeks, returned home last Friday.
Mr. Dan Ward, who is at work on the fishing steamer "Floyd," of Lenoxville near Beaufort, was home last Saturday and Sunday on a visit. He reports the menhaden fishing as very dull now.

Mr. C. T. Foscoe and wife, of Fowle, Jones county, were in town last Saturday and Sunday attending the Quarterly meeting here, this was Mrs. Foscoe's first visit here in 30 years, we were glad to see her.
Miss Emma Weeks and Isora Jones, of Cedar Point, Carteret county, were in town last week visiting Miss Carrie Ward, this was Miss Emma's first trip to Swansboro, she went on New river to visit her cousin, Miss Lillian Bender a while.
Miss Isora went on Brown Sound to visit Mrs. Joe. W. Freeman.

Mr. G. W. Ward took in a part of the protracted meeting at Green's Creek last week. Bro. Cole, Dixon and Henderson were the preachers, meeting lasted 5 days several conversions so we heard.
Mr. Ed. Foster had the misfortune to lose his pocket book last Saturday while on his way to Jacksonville containing some \$12 or \$13.
Two cases before Mayor Russell last Saturday.
Politics is booming, Oaslow Co. Populists and Republicans have filed, the Republicans asked and were given one commissioner and one J. P. this looks like a victory for the Pops this year, as there are some 500 or more Republican voters, if they vote for the Pops, they will be elected by about 500 majority so we judge.
Yesterday was Masonic Lodge day here. Dr. M. Montfort, the W. M. didn't appear.

A Candidate.
I wish to offer myself as a candidate before the people of Green County for the position of county commissioner. My object in view is to protect the laboring classes, neither asking nor begging favors from any particular party.
Respectfully,
B. F. STILLEY.

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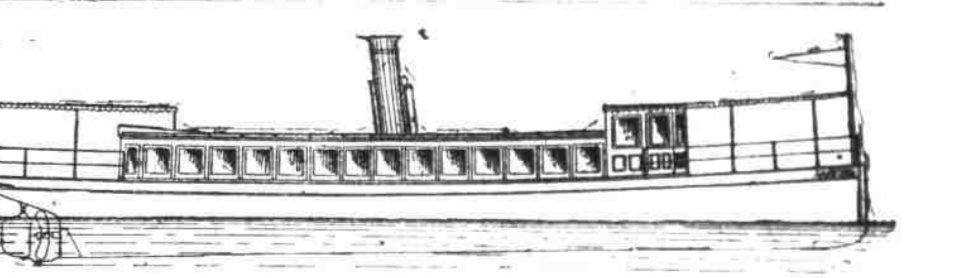
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