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THE JOURNAL.
New Bern, N. C., Jan. 3, 1899.

A DAY IN THE CITY.

The weather probabilities for today are warmer and partially cloudy weather. Samwell's Trained Animal and Vaudeville tonight don't forget. It's the chance of a life time.

It was quiet about town yesterday, the banks being closed, and no markets on the exchanges.

The third of the series of German given under the auspices of the German Club, took place at Lawthrop Hall, last night.

Protracted meetings every night at 7:30, at the Christian Church. Preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Uplifted Christ. Solo by Mr. Herbert Willis.

Sunday night an entire dressed log was stolen from a beef stall, opposite L. J. Taylor's store. It is supposed to be the same crowd broke into Mr. Taylor's.

The colored people celebrated yesterday in a quiet manner, observing it as Emancipation Day. There was a gathering at the court house. Several car loads of excursionists came in on the railroad, spending the day in town.

Handsome Posters.
The Fair Association is sending out the new posters for the Fair, and they are both new in design and very attractive.

Secretary Green is very busy these days getting matters arranged for the various exhibits, which is no small task.

Apply the Remedy.
Subscribers to the Daily or Semi-Weekly Journal, who fail to receive their papers can assign one of two causes, namely, fault in delivery, or expiration of subscription.

The remedy is simple in either case, send word to the office.

The Weather.
The cold wave reached here early Sunday morning, with a shiver of wind and a slight snow flurry.

The temperature fell rapidly and ice formed during the day. Sunday night was clear and cold, and Monday a m. thermometer registered 18 degrees. It was cold and clear all day Monday.

"Cannot Do Without It."
An old and valued subscriber of the JOURNAL, at Rocky Mount, N. C., sends his subscription for 1899, and very kindly says "Cannot do without it. Always welcome visitor at my home."

Every newspaper editor appreciates such an expression, and no editor is likely to be spoiled by too much of such kindness.

Name Old Gang.
Sunday night the store of L. J. Taylor corner Queen and Bern streets, was entered, the thieves knocking in a door panel, thus affecting an entrance.

A number of bottles of whisky and wines were stolen.

Judging from all appearances, this is the same gang which has operated at other stores in this city.

It is about time for the police to catch some of this gang.

An Oyster Feast Party.
An enjoyable oyster feast was participated in yesterday, afternoon at The Oaks, the following being in the party: Misses Mohler, Brooks, Hyman, Annie and Emma Stevenson, May Ganton, Bettie Windley, Agnes Foy, Louise Denison, Corrie and Addie Clappole, Isabel Bryan; Messrs E. A. Bost, W. W. Clark, Gulon Dunn, N. C. Hughes, Mark Stevenson, J. Leo Burrus, D. H. Davis.

Money Drawer Robbed.
A panel in the front door of the store of William Lorch, on upper Broad street, was broken in on Friday night, and an entrance to the store effected.

The money drawer was robbed of what was in it, the amount being unknown. No clue to the robber or robbers.

Citizen of Craven County Dead.
The report of the death of Mr. J. W. May is brought to the Journal. Mr. May died at his home in Maple Cypress, in Craven county, on last Friday, his death being due to pneumonia. He leaves five children to mourn their loss.

Mr. May was a farmer and a worthy citizen, greatly liked by all who knew him.

New Bern Company's Banquet.
The annual installation of the officers of the New Bern S. E. Engine Company took place last night, and afterwards the Company with a few invited guests sat down to a sumptuous banquet, which had been prepared by that excellent caterer Mr. Sam Kodeliffe.

The "boys," young and old, entered into the occasion with their usual spirit, and thoroughly enjoyed everything. A number of toasts were called for and replied to, the speakers receiving liberal help in the way of side remarks from the rest of the company.

The awarding of the handsome dressed doll recently shown in the front window of D. F. Jarvis' store, whose name has been the subject of many guesses, will take place tomorrow, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

There were ten successful guessers of the doll's name, (Virginia Dare) and the following, who guessed correctly will please call and decide to whom the doll shall be awarded.

Misses Annie Mace, Katie Street, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. C. E. Shover, Miss Estelle Parker, Mrs. G. S. Attmore, Bettie Sutton, Meriel Groves, C. H. Miss Leah Jones.

Great Animal Show.
Samwell's Trained Animal and Vaudeville show played to a large house in Kingston.

They are in New Bern tonight at the theatre, giving matinee Wednesday, also appear Wednesday and Thursday nights. They have the finest and best trained animals in America and are drawing large crowds everywhere.

Don't forget to see their boxing dogs, Corbett and Fitzsimmons, in an eight round bout.

Admission to gallery, children 10c, adults 20c, admission 20c, reserve seats without extra charge. Tickets on sale at Waters' store.

The Tunny Speaks.
At a mass meeting held at Trinity's precinct, No. 2 Township, December 31, 1898, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we denounce the action of the mass meeting held in New Bern in this month, in the manner of appointing committees on county affairs.

Resolved, That in appointing said committees the townships should have been notified and let each town select its man to serve in said committee.

Resolved, That we denounce S. W. Latham for county commissioner and recommend in his place Silas Patcher.

Resolved, That this resolution be sent to the New Bern Journal, and request to publish same.

N. T. FELCHER,
Chairman.
C. E. GASKINS,
Secretary.

PERSONAL.
Miss Katherine Griffin returned to Dover yesterday.

Mr. J. W. Timberlake returned Sunday from Oriental.

Miss Katherine Matthews returned to Morehead last night.

Mr. Lynn Hendren returned to Trinity college yesterday.

Mr. Henry Nunn left yesterday, returning to Guilford college.

Senator and Mrs. J. A. Bryan left yesterday morning for Raleigh.

Hon. Frank Thompson and Mr. E. M. Kousser of Oaslow, are in the city.

Miss Belle Marks left yesterday morning for New York to attend school.

Messrs. Jas. D. Delamar and A. E. Hibbard went to Durham yesterday.

Mr. P. H. Pelletier left yesterday morning for New York on business.

Mr. C. E. Foy returned on the Neuse Sunday morning from a business trip to Norfolk.

Misses Rebecca and Mary Emma Street returned home last night from visiting at Kingston.

Miss May Hendren has returned to Trinity College, after spending the holidays at her home in this city.

Miss Mabel Chadwick, of Beaufort passed through the city yesterday morning, returning to Trinity college.

BUCKLEN'S ARBICHA SALVE.
THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. F. Duffy.

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BATTLE OF MANILA.
This spectacular to be seen at New Bern Fair.

Among the attractions promised at the Fair to be held in New Bern next month, the great spectacular of the Battle of Manila, reproducing Admiral Dewey's great achievement will be seen.

In this spectacular the American Fleet will be seen moving up and attacking the Spanish fleet and vessels, and all the realistic effects of the conflict will be given in detail.

MAJOR DANIEL T. CARRAWAY.

A Tribune of Craven.

The members of the Cotton and Grain Exchange unite in commemoration of the death of Major Daniel T. Carraway, and recall with sincere admiration his long and honorable course as superintendent of this institution.

While his loyal service and excellent judgment were of incalculable benefit to the business of the Exchange and to this community, his gentleness of manner and kindly disposition endeared him more and more to his associates.

His Christian faith which seemed to grow with years of wisdom, ruled his life, and being that peace which our people all understanding, excites our deepest veneration and presents an example most virtuous and amiable.

His refined and delightful humor made him a most interesting companion, the remembrance of which will long live in our minds as his generous deeds will be cherished in our hearts.

May eternal light shine upon him.

M. MAXBY,
T. A. GREEN,
C. E. Foy.

Obituary.
Death has again invaded our circle and claimed one of our good members. Brother Anson Wallace departed this life Dec. 24, 1898.

He lived to a good old age, his life was a busy one, but his last days were passed in much pain and suffering.

The following resolutions were adopted at a meeting December 21st 1898. Whereas, It has pleased the Ruler of the Universe to remove our honored and worthy brother, Anson Wallace; Therefore in view of the loss we have sustained, and still heavier loss occasioned to his respected relations, be it

Resolved, That the members of Faith Hope and Charity, hereby desire to express their sense of bereavement at the loss of our esteemed brother.

Resolved, that we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to the relations and near friends of the deceased, hoping that even in the saddest of their affliction they may yet find some consolation in knowing that the worth of his private life was appreciated.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this lodge, and a copy sent to the family of our deceased brother, also inserted in the New Bern Journal.

W. H. ROBERTSON Chairman,
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Funeral for Daniel L. Russell.
The funeral of Daniel L. Russell was held at the residence of his widow, Mrs. J. M. Russell, on Wednesday afternoon, December 29th, 1898.

The services were held at 10 o'clock and were conducted by Rev. J. B. Olive. The deceased was born in New York, and had resided in this country for many years.

He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was a devoted and successful business man.

His death was caused by a heart attack while he was in the city on business. He leaves a widow and several children.

The interment will take place on Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the cemetery.

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Forum for January.
The Forum begins the new year with an excellent number. Sir Charles Dike writes forcefully on "The Future Relations of Great Britain and the United States"; Adjutant-General Corbin contributes a paper on "The Army of the United States," showing the wonderful improvement of late years in its personnel; and Mr. G. Everett Hill, who was private secretary to the late Col. G. E. Waring, gives the substance of the Colonel's report to the United States Government "On the Sanitation of Havana." All of the remaining articles are eminently readable.

1899 Greeting.
In your resolutions of reform and economy for the year 1899, remember the prompt, reliable and cheap watch and jewelry repairer,
BAXTER THE JEWELER,
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Vote Privileges.
Sealed proposals will be received by the Secretary from this date to January 10th, 1899, for rental of Restaurant, Fruit and Confectionery, Sandwich, Barbecue and Oyster Privileges during the 12th Annual Fair of the East Carolina Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Association to be held in this city February 26-28, 1899.

George Green, Secretary.

Messrs. D. F. Foy, J. Leo Burrus, Jesse Clappole, Wm Dunn, Geo Henderson, C. D. Bradham, F. H. Bryan, H. R. Bryan, Jr., J. G. Dunn, Wm Fletcher, R. A. Nunn, Mark Stevenson.

New Arrivals.
We have just opened two bales Sattens Covered Comforts, at the unusual low price \$1.49 each. — RAINBOY'S.

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QUINCY.
(HALF MOON)
This place is a new post-office in Onslow county, but it is better known as Half Moon. The people are engaged in farming and lumbering. F. R. Smith, who has the contract for supplying the saw mill at Jacksonville with logs, is operating in this section now, and gives employment to quite a number of men. The tram road is about three miles long and runs down to New river at the old weir, from which place, they are towed by steamer to Jacksonville. Mr. Smith is a bustling young man, and should be called "Hustling Pete."

Mr. John Peteway, is our efficient postmaster. We have mail three times a week from Jacksonville.

Rev. J. B. Olive of Swainsboro preached for us last 3rd Sunday.

Last Wednesday night, there was a Christmas tree at the church here under the management of Mr. John Peteway and sister, Misses Gertrude and Beale, which was one of the best we have ever had. The tree was well filled with presents for the little folks, young folks, sweethearts, etc. Many thanks are due the managers for the excellent manner in which it was conducted.

Swainsboro News and Personal.
New year now, boys, time to swear off. The Christmas holidays passed off pleasantly and everybody seemed to have a good Xmas.

G. W. Ward who is teaching school on New river spent Christmas home with his family. Capt W. W. Dennis who runs P. B. Smith's steam boat towing logs in New river also spent the holidays home. John Howland, Jr. formerly of Morehead city but recently of Goldsboro, has located here to buy fish, oysters and shrimps.

Miss Carrie Ward of Marines is teaching the public school at Hubert. Mr. Henry Jarman of Richlands is teaching at Wards Mill.

G. R. Young is our mail carrier now from here to Mayaville.

D. H. Russell has some very nice cabbage plants that will soon be ready for transplanting.

We regret to learn of the illness of W. S. Wynn of Wards Mill. Hope he may have a speedy recovery.

The friends of Mr. R. N. Summersell will regret to learn of his death which occurred at his residence near Jacksonville on the night of 25th ult. He leaves a wife and son to mourn their loss. Mr. Summersell was about 33 years old and was well known throughout this and adjoining counties.

The Week of Prayer.
At the invitation and suggestion of the Evangelical Alliance for the United States the Week of Prayer will be observed by several churches of the town, according to the following programme:
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Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.
In the Eastern District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of N. C.
In the matter of J. H. VINSON, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.
To the creditors of J. H. Vinson, of New Bern, in the County of Craven and District aforesaid, bankrupt:
Notices is hereby given that on the 29th day of January, A. D., 1899, the said J. H. Vinson, was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of L. J. Moore, Referee, in New Bern, N. C., at 12 M. on the 11th day of January, 1899, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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47 & 49.

GUESS HOW LONG THE CANDLE WILL BURN.

We have placed in one of our front windows a very large candle which we will light Monday at 12 o'clock and to the one that guesses the nearest length of time the candle will burn we will present FREE the beautiful Dressed Doll in the window.

The Guesses are Absolutely Free to every one that makes a purchase.

Guess as often as you make a purchase.

Holidays Are Over.
Now that the Holidays are Over, your thoughts turn to something more serious than Gifts, Toys, etc., and we have some good news for you.

Cloaks and Capes.
Trying to keep up full assortments has left us with more garments than we usually carry at this season, so we chop the price off about one-third and expect to make short work of them.

\$12 50 Jackets are now	\$9 50
10 00 " " "	7 50
9 00 " " "	7 00
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Capes are reduced in the same proportion and these values are such that ought to command your immediate attention. The garments represent the best workmanship that is possible and the newest Style.

Fur Collarettes.
We also have a few fur Collarettes that must be sold at once. They are principally black and the prices now are \$3 00 to \$4 00. They were \$4 00 to \$6 00.

Picture Frames
Some new picture frames, of embroidery, have just been received. The frame and piece of stamped linen are together and the price is 35c.

Some fancy frames are 50c.

Art Squares.
A belated shipment of Art Squares has just been opened. They are none the less pretty because they are late, and the prices are low for such quality of all wool Squares. 3 x 24 yds \$4 50. 3 x 3 yds \$6 00. 3 x 34 yds \$6 50.

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