

# New Bern Weekly Journal.

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NEW BERN, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1902.—FIRST SECTION.

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## Hot Rolls,

hot muffins, hot cakes, made with Royal Baking Powder may be freely eaten without fear of indigestion.

### FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS

In North Carolina. Congressman Thomas Good Work.

Special to Journal.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26.—Congressman Thomas has secured for North Carolina public buildings, for Durham, 70,000; Goldsboro \$35,000 and an increase of \$30,000 for Elizabeth City.

### Charges Against Immigration Bureau.

Chicago, April 25.—The Interstate commerce commission decided today to investigate the charges that the western immigrant bureau is a pool and conducting an illegal business.

### The Silk Mill Strike in Paterson.

Paterson, N. J., April 24.—The widespread mob violence has effectually tied up the whole silk dyeing industry of this town. The strikers met today to consider the reports of the committees sent to the employers. Three thousand men are out.

### SWANSBORO.

April 28.—We learn that the Swansboro Lumber Co., expects to enlarge their plant here soon, by putting up a new band mill.

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### MAYSVILLE.

April 24.—The weather has been fine for the past few days and is for the present as good as we can desire to have it. We hope that it may be as good all the year. Some of our farmers are planting cotton others are trans-planting tobacco. We hope that they are not too early about it.

We had a nice shower of rain this morning which will be of benefit to oats and other crops, also to the flowers (we want some nice ones for Sunday).

Free school is being taught here now by Miss Annie Koonce, she has a very large attendance.

Henry Foy who has been very sick for some weeks is reported to be improving slowly. We hope to see him well in a few days. Dr. Koonce, of Pollockville, and Dr. Jones, of New Bern, have been attending him.

Mr. D. J. Watson has begun work on his dwelling and is making right rapid progress.

Mr. Herbert Ward will soon have completed his residence on Main St.

The foundation and frame work of the Methodist church here was erected last week. The carpenters have suspended work until more money can be raised so that they can finish when they begin again.

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### FEMININE CHAT.

Miss Alice Roosevelt inherits much of her father's strength and activity.

Signora Crispi, the widow of the great Italian statesman, is to receive a pension of \$3,000 a year by order of the king.

Mrs. Minnie Davis of Omaha is a great-grandmother at forty-seven, but warns all girls against following her example.

Mrs. Eugene Field, widow of Eugene Field, the Chicago poet, is on a pleasure trip to the Hawaiian Islands. She will remain three months.

Miss Helen Gould has sent two expensive paintings to the Normal and Industrial college at Greensboro, N. C., as souvenirs of her recent visit to the institution.

Miss Susan Hale, a sister of Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D. D., came all the way from far distant Algiers to participate in the celebration of Dr. Hale's eightieth birthday on April 3.

Miss Maude Adams, the actress, gets \$2,000 by a bill which has just passed congress. Her grandfather had some horses captured by the Confederates during the civil war, and the heirs put in a claim for the loss.

Mrs. Plummer, widow of a former member of the Kansas senate, who was a confidential friend of Abraham Lincoln, has hanging on her wall one of the most interesting political letters ever written by Lincoln on the Buchanan-Fillmore-Fremont campaign.

Mrs. Mary A. Shody, although seventy-four years old, has just been graduated from a four years' course in history, astronomy, literature, etc., in St. Louis and has gone to Cuba, Mo., to take a course of piano lessons. She has raised a family and is a grandmother.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, honorary president of the Circlo Italiano, has been honored with a diploma from the Societa Dante Alighieri of Rome in recognition of the help she has given during the civil war, and the helps put in a claim for the loss.

### LESS WORRY.

Children will play and get over-heated get their feet wet, expose themselves in dozens of ways, and you can't prevent it. All you can do is to keep them as free from exposure as possible and always have in the house a Cough Remedy that can be depended upon. Anway's Croup Syrup will fill every requirement. It is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds and Croup or the price 25 cents will be refunded by any dealer selling it. Sold by Davis, Henry's, and Bradshaw's Pharmacy.

### RALEIGH.

Cotton Mill Trust Not Likely in This State.

State Charters. Inquiry on Freight Wreck. Land Grants. No More Money For Oyster Claims. Trial For Incendiarism.

RALEIGH, April 26.—Governor Aycock returned this morning from Athens, Ga. He expressed his deep gratification at the personnel and the work of the educational conference there and said he never heard a better speech than that of president Robert C. Ogden.

Monday evening the governor will make a speech at an educational rally at Marshallburg, Carteret county.

The State charters the Pythian Realty Co., of Concord, capital \$50,000 to deal in real estate; the D. McEachern Grocery Co., of Wilmington, capital \$10,000 and the Waynesville Brick Co., capital \$10,000.

The corporation commission has begun its investigation of yesterday's collision on the Seaboard Air Line here.

The Secretary of State is advised that one of the State's record books of land grants in 1774 is found in Perquimans county and will be sent to him. He has no original grants prior to 1780 and thinks these must be in the counties of Halifax, Craven, Orange, Chowan and New Hanover. He especially desires information regarding them.

It is quite well understood here, that no more money will be paid by the State on account of the oyster claims. The widow of a claimant has sued the State in the Supreme court.

It turns out that only 84 cotton mills are represented at the Underwood meeting at Charlotte Thursday. In these mills are 574,000 spindles, but 24,000 of these spindles are in weaving mills which have no idea of joining the yarn mill trust. Only 75 mill men were present. It is asserted by a well known mill man who was present that the trust will not be formed. He so told your correspondent today.

At Thomasville today the trial of a negro barber, Roy Edmonson began, on the charge of incendiarism. The chief clerk of the insurance commissioner went there to appear against the man. He says the evidence is very strong. Thomasville has had a dozen fires in the past few weeks.

### The Best Prescription for Malaria.

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

### THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co., New Bern N. C.

New York, April 28.			
COTTON.	Open.	High.	Low.
May	9.60	9.60	9.60
July	9.58	9.64	9.64
Aug.	9.34	9.40	9.32
Sep.	8.60	8.63	8.58
Oct.	8.31	8.37	8.31

Chicago, April 28.			
WHEAT.	Open.	High.	Low.
May	74	75	73
July	74	75	73

Corn.			
Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	62	63	62

Ribe.			
Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	935	933	925

New York, April 28.			
STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.
Sugar	125	125	124
So Ry	37	37	37
U. S. L.	14	14	13
U. S. S.	43	43	42
U. S. S. Pref'd.	94	94	94
Mo. P.	101	101	100
Atchafson	81	82	81
Va. C. O.	73	73	73
A. C. O.	55	57	57
Am. Ice	20	20	20

Liverpool			
Spots 5 1/2.	Sales 7,000 bales.	Aug.	Sept.
5.28	5.28	5.28	5.28

Coffee			
May	600	490	

### PORT RECEIPTS.

Same week		last year.	
Last week	60,000	Last week	72,000
Sat.	18000		
Mon.	8000		
Tues.	24000		
Wed.	9000		
Thurs.	10000		
Fri.	19000		
			91,000

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### Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

### BELLAIR.

April 28.—The Ellsworth troupe came over last Friday night and presented a very creditable performance at the Beech Grove Hall. Their main act, "The Turn of the Tide," is a good temperance piece, and was fairly rendered by most of those taking part in it. A few of the farcical acts were very good, but in a few instances had some tinges of vulgarity that should have been left out. With this exception they deserve patronage and commendation as their cause is a good one. They are trying to raise funds to finish the Ellsworth church, between Streets Ferry and Vanceboro.

Mrs. H. W. Holt, of Spencer, N. C., is visiting her old home and friends about Bellair.

Mrs. G. T. Richardson is at New Bern under the care of her physician, we learn she is doing well, and hope she will soon be entirely well.

There has been a change in the time of our Missionary meeting, our regular monthly meeting has been changed from the first Sunday to the second Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.

Prayer meetings which heretofore been on the second and fourth Sunday evenings are now changed to first and fourth Sundays at 8 p. m.

It is getting somewhat dry and a nice rain would be welcomed by most of the farmers. Cotton planting is nearly finished, corn is up well in some places and poor stands are indicated in others. Some early planted cotton is coming up, and as the frost seems to be past perhaps it may not be killed. Tomatoes are growing and blooming. Antelopes are very slow coming up. Bermuda grass pastures growing finely, and the cows that can find one now are rejoicing with renewed life and giving more and better milk. Many farmers are afraid of this grass, even in a pasture, but a few acres of it will pay more real profit year by year than the same land in any other crop, when the expense is taken into consideration.

The fruit crop seems thus far to be unharmed by frost, etc., and the peaches and plums are growing finely, apple trees are not yet all out of bloom, but generally seem to be fruiting sufficiently.

This is beautiful weather for farmers and the beauties of Spring on the farm are so ennobling, cheering and encouraging. We see occasionally a strawberry with pink cheeks, and soon strawberries and cream will have the right of way wherever they meet.

A Pocket Handkerchief. In a book which has been published on that never failing topic, the vagaries of the English language, the strange meaning of the word "pocket handkerchief" is described.

A "kerchief" (couverture) means a small piece of cloth made to put on the head, so that a "pocket handkerchief" means literally a small piece of cloth to cover the head, to be held in the hand, to be put in the pocket.—London Globe.

Hungry, but Fastidious. "Lady," said the wayfarer, "I can't eat these scraps."

"You can't?" said the housewife in surprise. "Why, you just told me that you were so hungry you could eat a house."

"Yes, mum; but I meant a porter-house."—Chicago News.

Know Her. He—So you know my wife? She—Oh, very well indeed. He—I wasn't aware you had met. She—We haven't, but I have a maid who was employed in your house for two months.—Illustrated Bits.

Eye Strain Cause of Sore Eyes. Inflamed eyes, styes, and headache are symptoms which point conclusively to eye strain, and to cure yourself you must seek the cause, correct it and then your trouble will disappear, you can stimulate and help nature in curing the symptoms by various ways, but still the cause is there and liable at any moment to break out again; it seems like pouring water on the smoke to put out a fire, to pursue any other course than the proper adjusted glasses to correct the strain.

A normal eye is one which when in repose the rays entering it are brought to a focus on the retina, when they are not this way an extra amount of nerve force is demanded to make them focus correctly, the result, an overflow of blood causing congestion, styes, the leakage of nerve force, the headache; it is not hard to understand how a severe strain can soon exhaust enough nerve force to cause a general breaking down of the whole nervous system.

By the aid of the latest instruments we can adjust glasses to any one, children especially, letting them go about their studies without being seriously handicapped on account of eye trouble.

J. O. BAXTER, JR.

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In public conveniences, however, Greece is still far behind the times. Athens is the only place where the hotels are tolerable, and travelers who go into the interior must take their own provisions and bedding. Even those who make little excursions by carriage for a single day in the neighborhood of Athens must carry a lunch basket, because the inns are primitive and filthy. Railway facilities are limited. With a few exceptions the roads are bad, but they are gradually improving, and most of the centers of great interest to tourists may now be reached by carriage. Only a few years ago travelers had to go on horseback or on foot, as they do in the Holy Land. Even now those who visit some of the most interesting places have to put up with discomforts, inconveniences and a good deal of dirt and bad smells, although they are fully repaid.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A CARD. To the Democratic Voters of Craven County:—I desire to state that while I have every admiration for the present incumbent of the office of Register of Deeds, I would strongly recommend as his successor another sterling young Democrat of equal ability and character, Mr. Geo. B. Waters. He has had ample practical experience in the office to make him perfectly able to discharge its duties with thoroughness, is well known in the city, no less than in the country, and is a young man of worth and character and I believe, would be most acceptable to the entire Democratic constituency of Craven county.

A. DEMOCRAT.

### FOR NEGRO EDUCATION.

Nearly Five and One Half Million Dollars

Paid by North Carolina in Twenty Years. Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows Reports. Rain Needed. Corporation Commission Hear Complaints.

RALEIGH, April 28.—The State superintendent of public instruction is preparing figures to show the amounts paid by this State for negro education. The sums paid negroes and whites were not kept separate until 1873. From then to 1880 the amount for negroes was \$596,000; from 1880 to 1890 it was \$1,216,000; from 1890 to 1900 it was \$1,848,000. For 1900 it was \$285,000 and for 1902 it will be \$250,000. All this is for the rural public schools, not including graded schools, or normal schools, the estimate for these for the past 30 years being \$200,000. The grand total is \$5,381,000.

The annual reports of the officers of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows for the fiscal year are completed. The gain of the order is great; for example 1400 members this year, that is since January 1. The receipts are in round numbers \$11,500. Grand master Robert Murray says but few members know the secret work and urges that officers be not installed unless they do know it. Grand secretary Woodell says that as the railways will not give properly reduced rates to the annual session of the Grand Lodge, etc., he urges that the meetings be made biennial. He says the matter of a home for aged and infirm has not been properly presented and urges that it be not abandoned.

Rain is much needed in this section. The growth of vegetation is phenomenal in exactly one week the trees have come into leaf.

Ex-Judge Shepherd left here today for Fayetteville to argue a case at Chambers a case involving the stock law fences of Bladen county.

The corporation commission left this afternoon and goes to the counties of Swan, Cherokee, Buncombe, Transylvania, Henderson and Mecklenburg, to confer with county officials as to tax assessments. It will at Murphy to hear complaints against the Atlanta, Knoxville and Western R. R.

Neglect Means Danger. Don't neglect biliousness and constipation. Your health will suffer permanently if you do. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure such cases. M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most satisfactory pills I ever took. Never gripe or cause nausea." F. S. Duffy.

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