

# New Bern Weekly Journal.

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NEW BERN, CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1904 --- FIRST SECTION.

NUMBER 2.

## RIOT LEADERS ARRESTED

Nine Negroes Appear Before Judge Bryan on Charge of Riot and Assault.

As a result of the assault on special deputy sheriff Herman Stocks, in James City Saturday, nine negroes were arrested on a bench warrant issued by Judge Bryan and appeared before him at the court house yesterday.

Sheriff Biddle went to James City yesterday afternoon and the men submitted to the summons without any show of resistance. The names on the warrant were: William Moring, Jos. Ilist, Anthony Forbes, Delvy White, Jacob Long, Garfield Swindell, Henry Paul, Richard Forbes, Henry Jones, Delphin Ward, James Chase, Joseph Gibson, Grant Tankard, George Jones, Andrew Forbes, Gansy White. Those whose names were on the warrant and were not found were Isaac Idlett, Thomas Forbes, Fred Allen, Andrew Jones and James Wilson. Four of the men were employed by Munger and Bennett and the balance were hired by the Blades Lumber Company.

They were arraigned before Judge Bryan at 5 o'clock and plead not guilty to the charge as read in the affidavit.

No one appearing for the State, Judge Bryan appointed Mr. Ernest Green to act on behalf of the prosecution.

Mr. O. H. Gul, representing the Blades Lumber Co., stated to the court that in view of the fact that the men were needed as operatives at the mills, Mr. Blades and Mr. Munger were desirous of signing their bonds as the court might name. He waived the right of examination and asked that bond be fixed. The Judge remarked it would be necessary to hear some evidence in order to determine in what bonds he should hold them.

The first witness was the wounded man, Herman Stocks. He recited the circumstances of the assault from the arrest of Moore to the time when he was rescued from the assailants in James City yard. He identified most all the men in the crowd before him as principals or aiders and abettors in the attack. He designated Joe Gibson as the man who carried an ax and threatened to hit him with it.

George Jones and Jacob Long were identified as the men who pulled Stocks from under the mob, and ran him out in the yard. Delphin Ward was picked out as one with the iron pipe with which he was hit on the head.

Dr. Frank Duffy stated to the court that he regarded Stocks' condition as dangerous inasmuch as there is no telling to what extent the skull is injured. That while there is no fracture of the bone, it may have made some conditions which would develop serious later.

The judge fixed the bonds of Anthony Forbes, Joe Gibson, George Jones, Joe Long and D. Ward at \$300 each which was signed by Mr. Blades. He also signed the bond for the balance of the men employed by him in the sum of \$300.

Mr. Munger signed the bonds of Paul and White at \$300 each and \$100 each for the others. The aggregate amount of the bonds will be about \$2,400.

## A Notable Visitor.

Mr. Roswell Miller and family of New York, former president of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway and chairman of the Board of Directors of the same road, arrived in the city from Wilmington last night in their elegant private car, Minnesota. They have been passing a few weeks in Florida and are on their way home. They stopped in New Bern in order to renew old acquaintances and memories.

Mr. Miller was here during the yellow fever epidemic and was a soldier in a New York regiment which was stationed here. He is desirous of meeting the old soldiers here and reviewing the events caused by the civil war.

The car is now on the side track in the A and N C yard. The party will leave for the north tonight.

No Gloss Carriage Paint Made. will wear as long as Devco's. No others as heavy bodied, because Devco's weigh 5 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by E. W. Smallwood.

## THEY COME AND GO.

Mrs. Lena Barnum, of Aurora, is in the city, the guest of her mother Mrs. R. B. Oks.

Messrs. A. M. Williams and J. B. Harvey of Vanceboro were in town yesterday.

Mr. J. E. Latham returned from Norfolk Sunday.

Rev. D. A. Morehouse who has been the guest of friends for several days returned to his home in Newton, Mass. last evening.

Mrs. P. H. Pelletier and family left for New York on the steamer Neuse, last night.

Messrs. M. DeW. Stevenson, D. L. Ward, A. D. Ward and O. L. Abernathy left yesterday morning for Trenton to attend the spring term of the Superior court for Jones county.

Mr. E. P. Epstein, cutter with the Epstein Bros. will be in the city today with an up-to-date line of samples.

SAW MILL machinery for sale also planing and shingle machine but little used and nearly new for particulars address F. O. Box, 718 Newbern N. C.

## NEW QUARTERS SECURED.

The New Bern Military Academy and Carolina Business College Will Locate on Old Fair Grounds.

Saturday Col. J. S. Holliday leased for a term of ten years, the old fair grounds for a term of ten years. This step will be to the immense advantage of the institution as now they have a chance to expand and increase their membership in a manner that few other locations could afford.

In preparing for the reception of the students about June 1: the buildings which are standing on the fair ground will be thoroughly overhauled and remodeled. The exteriors will be painted and calcimine.

In addition to this there will be erected several new buildings for the ever increasing student attendance which will contain barracks, dormitories, recitation rooms and accommodations for the business college and music department. In all these buildings modern improvements and conveniences will be established and the students will not want for any good thing.

The grounds will be enclosed with a handsome picket fence with an attractive arched entrance. They will be fitted and beautified with the idea of making them the most thoroughly attractive and beautiful grounds in this section of the State. They will also be admirably adapted for drilling the cadets. A fountain will be placed on the campus for the comfort and refreshment of the students.

Twenty-five men will be put to work at once at the construction of these buildings and everything will be pushed as rapidly as possible compatible with safe construction. Several thousand dollars will be expended to make the improvements that have been planned and when they are completed there will be a transformation which will certainly be a great benefit to the city.

The citizens of New Bern should realize that this school is really a splendid feature in the growth and development of the place. It is in the hands of able, competent young men who are making a success of their venture. Other towns have furnished institutions of similar nature with grounds, buildings and other requisites and it is to the city's interest to make a liberal donation to this school. Several hundred dollars have been promised for the proper equipment of this school and it is hoped that the public spirited people who want to see New Bern grow and flourish will look into this matter and materially assist the young men in this worthy undertaking.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Little*

## List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at New Bern, Craven county N. C. Apr. 4, 1904.

MEN'S LIST.

- A—Classie Adams.
- B—Herbert Bryant, 88 Queen St.
- Charlie Bates, Rufus Barrington.
- C—E. O. Eaton, James Carpenter.
- D—J. H. Dillon, Charlie Dugan.
- F—Philip Foy.
- G—Capt. C. T. Gillikin, care Bell of Dover.
- H—J. B. Henderson, Ernest E. Hill, R. F. D. 49.
- P—Henry Peaterson, Phillips Permands 147 S. Front St. (D. L.) Wistor Pad gett.
- S—Curtis Spencer, W. B. Simmons.
- T—Larve A. Tiller, John Tonar, Jasper N. C.
- U—William Ulstery.
- W—Isaac Whitford 27 Cedar St, Tommie Willis.

WOMEN'S LIST.

- B—Mrs. Jos. Bryan 270 Barren St.
- Miss Anie Bryant 13 Hancock St, Miss Mamie Brown box 787.
- C—Mrs. Eleanor D. Connor.
- D—Miss Mittie Darden, Jasper, N. C.
- G—Miss Cavlett Green, 6 Jones St.
- H—Miss Carrie Hall, 22 Norwood St, Miss Lular Henderson.
- M—Mrs. W. H. McNair.
- P—Mrs. Sarah Parsons, Miss Betty Bridges.
- S—Miss Wennie Smith, Mrs. Sallie Stanly 41 —St.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say advertised and give date of list.

The regulations now require that (1) one cent shall be collected on the delivery of each advertised letter.

S. W. HANCOCK, P. M.

To the Mothers!

I have just received a big line of boys' knice pants suits at low prices, sizes 8 to 17. Special prices for the next 10 days.

E. W. ARMSTRONG.

To the Men!

Our men's clothing for the Spring has arrived. We will take pleasure in showing you through. Give us a chance to save you money. Special prices for the next ten days.

E. W. ARMSTRONG.

## NO DECISION FILED

In Finch-McBee Case. Preparing For Examination of A. & N. C. Road.

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, April 4.—Judge Brown has not yet filed his decision as to the motions in the case of Finch and McBee. The case will not come up any way until the July term.

The board of internal improvements of the A & N C road, and the special committee of examiners of the A and N C railway, met this afternoon in the Governor's office and mapped out the work to be done, and the methods of doing it. The examination will be thorough.

Another Corporation Beaten.

Special to Journal.

Washington, D. C. Apr. 4.—The United States Supreme court handed down a decision on the case of the People's Gas Company vs the City of Chicago. The case was appealed from the United States Circuit court for the northern district of Illinois and the decision was rendered against the gas company.

A New Bern Woman Asks

"have you a floor paint that will last two weeks?" Yes we have Devco's; it has a beautiful gloss and will last two year if properly applied.—E. W. Smallwood

## North Carolina in Sundry Civil Bill.

The House Committee on Appropriations today completed the sundry civil bill. While the measure indicates a big cut in regular and supplemental estimates, the items affecting North Carolina show up about as expected. Post-office, Durham, limit of cost, \$100,000; already appropriated, \$63,500; completion of building under present limit, \$30,000; Postoffice, Goldsboro, limit of cost, \$50,000; already appropriated, \$28,750; present bill carries for completion of building under present limit, \$16,800, being the balance of \$50,000. Greensboro, for rental of temporary quarters for post-office and United States Court, \$5,000; Marine biological laboratory, Beaufort, in Representative Thoma's district, for completion of laboratory, including construction of wharves, piers, jetties and general improvements, \$5,000. The bill also carries \$50,000 for three life-saving stations, twofin Representative Thoma's district and one in Representative Small's district.

This Congressional District does not suffer so badly in the big cut in the committee's report of the sundry civil bill, thanks to our Congressman, Charles R. Thomas.

## SWANSBORO.

March 31.

We are having better weather after the big frost.

Our farmers are very much discouraged about their farm work. There has been so much rain that they could not plough and it has put them behind in their work.

Capt. M. E. Bloodgood who has been boating oysters to Elizabeth City came home last week to spend a few days with his family.

There are two three mast schooners in here now loading lumber at the Swansboro Lumber Co.

There was a basket party at the school house on Swan Creek last Saturday night for the benefit of the M. E. Church at Queens Creek. Mr. T. M. Woodhall took some of our Swansboro girls over there in his launch, among them were Mrs. T. M. Woodhall, and Misses Mamie Franks, Flora Mattocks, Dollie Mattocks, Daisy Pittman, Ida Ward, Mattie Moore and others, we can't remember their names.

No sickness here except mumps and colds.

Mrs. W. E. Mattocks and daughters, Miss Flora and Dollie Mattocks and Miss Bessie Holland went to Stella on the Launch Roseland last Tuesday.

Mrs. M. A. Russell who has been spending a few days with relatives in Swansboro returned home last Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Pittman.

## OLIMAX.

Death of I. Erwin Avery.

The news of the death of I. Erwin Avery, on last Saturday, local editor of the Charlotte Observer, was a shock to this writer, as it must have been to every one who was personally acquainted with this brilliant young journalist. He was a man who commanded the respect and highest regards and was popular every where he was known. His death seems most untimely and deplorable, and his loss is one which is felt by the Press of North Carolina, and his going leaves a special sadness among those who knew and loved him for himself.

Mens and Boys Furnishings!

If you need a Hat, Shirt, Tie, Collar and Cuffs or any thing else in the furnishing line, can save you money.

E. W. ARMSTRONG.

Wanted.

25 to 100 Experienced Men to Make Shingles. Timber good and highest cash price paid workmen.

ROGERS & BARRUS, Pollockville, N. C.

## MCBEE'S REPLY

Big Representation of Counsel For Conspirators.

Affidavits Made by Counsel as to Alleged Agreement by Governor Aycock. Numerous Allegations as to Mismanagement of A. & N. C.

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, Apr. 2.—Marked interest shown in hearing of motions in case of Finch and McBee before Judge Brown in Superior court. They were present with their attorneys, W. H. Day, W. W. Clark, T. M. Argo, F. H. Busbee, and W. C. Maxwell, John W. Hinsdale and W. S. O. B. Robinson not further appearing in case. The State was represented by Attorney General Glimmer and Solicitor Jones. Attorney Argo read a letter to Solicitor requesting bill of particulars. Solicitor had refused to grant request. He asked order for bills. Also moved to quash indictment.

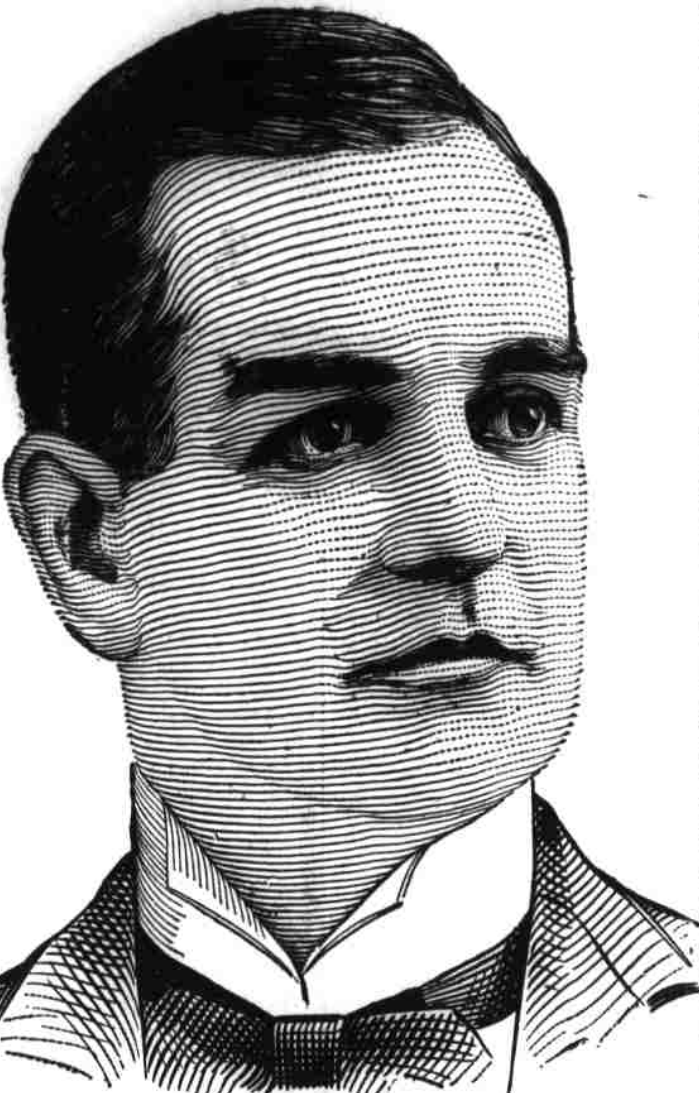
It was further stated that defense would demur in jurisdiction of court, contending that according to U. S. statute it is if anything a crime to conspire to wrongfully influence Federal court. He then added motion to continue.

He stated he had several affidavits bearing upon motion to continue. Solicitor Jones moved that the motions be passed upon before affidavits were read. This was declined and affidavits were read by W. W. Clark, McBee and others including J. A. Turner, manager of the hotel of Morehead City and Mary Baker its cashier. W. W. Clark in his affidavit went into detail as to alleged agreement by Governor Aycock that if suit of Finch for a permanent receivership of A & N C R R were dropped in Federal court the prosecution against McBee would be dropped in State court.

Clark swore he was sure they had positive assurance from Robinson that the Governor agreed to drop prosecution, and unless this had been done, the Finch bill would not have been drafted, the John P. Caylor bill would have been filed, and the witnesses subpoenaed. McBee in affidavit says he was under appointment by Judge Parnell, was arrested by Sheriff at New Bern on bench warrant, and hurried here and upon arrival, informed John W. Hinsdale his only counsel within reach had been subpoenaed as a witness for the State. His motion to waive examination was not allowed and hearing was had at which Hinsdale, his counsel, under fear of contempt of Court, and in absence of his client Finch, was made to testify to entire conversation he had with Finch and McBee and other witnesses and required to give evidence of his knowledge of case. Agreement to settle and sign a decree was done under direct duress of Criminal prosecution, that the bench warrant was sworn to Attorney General, issued by Judge Clark and served for the sole purpose of obstructing action of Federal Court, by forcing withdrawal of suit then pending, absolving receivership under duress, forcibly taking Railway out of Federal court, and returning it to officers. McBee filed another affidavit that it is material for his defense to prove truthfulness of allegations set in Finch bill for receiver regarding mismanagement of A & N C Railway. That road has been and is now being run largely as political machine. Many useless and expensive employees have been fastened upon it in payment of political obligations of those potent in its management, extravagant contracts, made numerous unlawful free passes given, that under transparent disguise of local counsel many men influential in N. C. politics been granted annual passes, who could never give any legal service. The National Oil Company is a favored bidder and its managing agent, the soliciting agent of the road solely to secure him transportation on other roads; that eleven agents of the railway had defaulted. Business of railway has been unskillfully, carelessly, improvidently and corruptly managed; road has been operated in interest of State administration and largely with view to create and perpetuate political influence in favor of said administration, funds have in many cases unlawfully misapplied and diverted, particularly in purchase of Atlantic hotel.

McBee says he expects to prove first suggestion of filing bill for receivership in Federal court was made by one of

## THE POPULAR COUNTY CLERK OF THE CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO.



HON. WILLIAM A. DEANE, OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Hon. Wm. A. Deane, Clerk of the city and county of San Francisco, was Chief Deputy in the office of his predecessor during the latter part of his term. He is a Native Son, having been born and raised in the city of San Francisco, and has for many years been prominently identified with the Order of Native Sons of the Golden West, as well as other fraternal organizations. He is an exceptionally popular young man, socially and politically also, as evidenced by the ballots cast at the late election, he having defeated his opponent for the office of County Clerk by nearly 8,000 votes.

In a letter written January 28, 1899, from San Francisco, to Dr. Hartman, Mr. Deane has the following to say of Peruna:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—"I would not be without Peruna, as I have found it to be the best remedy for catarrhal complaints that I have ever used. I have tried most all of the so-called catarrh remedies advertised, and can conscientiously say that of all the remedies for catarrhal complaints recommended to me none have been so beneficial as Peruna."—WILLIAM A. DEANE.

CATARRH assumes different phases in different seasons of the year. There is, therefore, four quite well-marked varieties of catarrh. Winter catarrh, autumn catarrh, summer catarrh, and

organs. In the spring the catarrh seems to chiefly affect the stomach and nervous system. In the summer the bowels suffer the most; while in the autumn the liver and kidneys seem to be particularly subject to the ravages of catarrh.

Of course it is not meant by this that catarrh is absolutely confined to these parts of the body during the season to which we have assigned them. Catarrh may attack any organ in any season of the year, but the liabilities are so much greater for catarrh to attack particular organs in certain seasons that these four distinct varieties have become recognized.

Mr. Robert Douglas, Homeopathic Specialist, cor. 6th and F Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C., in a recent letter to the Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, O., has the following to say concerning their noted catarrh remedy, Peruna:

"I have been a practicing physician for some years, during which time I have administered Peruna to a number of my patients for colds, catarrh and general debility with great benefit to them. I have paid particular attention to its effects, and I have absolute confidence in its curative qualities, and have no hesitation in giving it a most emphatic endorsement."

Hon. Clement M. Hammond is one of the best known newspaper men in New York City. He was for years editor of one of the principal papers in Hartford, Conn., later was a prominently connected with the New York Recorder and New York World. He has traveled extensively and is known all over the United States for his talent as a newspaper man. Writing to The Peruna Medicine Co., he says:

"For about six years I have had trouble every fall and winter with my voice. At times it has extended to my bronchial tubes and lungs. I think all this trouble came from whooping cough, which I had when I was about twelve years old, and which left me with catarrh. Since I have taken Peruna, my voice has been clearer than in over two years, all of which I am willing to testify to." Mr. Hammond's address is "The Arlington," 61 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Peruna is an internal remedy—a scientific remedy for catarrh. It cures catarrh wherever located. It cures last. Peruna gives strength by stopping waste. By saving the mucus it enriches the blood. By cleansing the mucous membranes it preserves the vital force. No remedy can possibly supply the place of Peruna. Insist upon having Peruna. Take no other remedy. There is no substitute for this catarrh medicine. Send for a free book on catarrh. Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

largest private stockholders, with assurance he would join in the complaint and his association of stock interest favored lease and would also join in bill Judge Brown took papers in case and will on Monday announce what he will do in regard to various motions.

The Hyman Supply Co.,

Dear Sirs:—

Over fifty years ago, our firm began selling paint throughout the South sales have continued uninterrupted, and ten times greater than any other brand of paint. Read the following:

"Have used the L. & M. paint twenty years, houses painted with it eight years ago show better today than houses painted with other paints within two years."

A. B. Edgell, Ailschua, Fla.

"Have used all brands of paint, L. & M. Pure Paint stands better, and wears longer than any other paint I have ever used in my ten years experience."

H. F. Smith, Palmetto Concord N. C.

"I painted Frankenburg Block with L. & M. Paint. stands out as though varnished. Actual cost was less than \$1.30 per gallon."

W. B. Barr, Charleston, W. Va.

"I painted our old homestead with L. & M. Paint twenty-six years ago. Not painted since; looks better than houses painted in the last four years with other paint."

H. S. Scottfield, Harris Springs, S. C.

"Used the L. & M. Paints for sixteen years. Painted three houses with it fifteen years ago; they have not needed painting since."

J. E. Webb, Hickory, N. C.

Respectfully,

LONGMAN & MARTINEZ.

These Celebrated Paints are sold by Hyman Supply Co.

## "Plastico"

A SANITARY WALL COATING.

Plastico is NOT a hot water, fishy glue Kalsomine. It is a finely powdered rock, in white and beautiful tints to be mixed with cold water. Any one can brush it on. Plastico has the peculiar property of cementing to the wall, destroying disease germs and vermin and never rubbing or scaling. Wall finishes that must be mixed with hot water are Kalsomines, no matter what fact of names they bear. Before these unwholesome mixtures and buy Plastico in 5 lb. packages only, properly labeled. Sample card of Plastico tints free.

ANTI-KALSBORNE CO., Grand Rapids, Mich.

For sale by E. W. SMALLWOOD

## North Carolina HAMS

Nice lot just received.

Also new lot Harvey's Small Sugar Cured Pig Hams and Breakfast Strips.

Good Canned Corn 10c can, Corn and Tomatoes, Okra and Tomatoes, Tomatoes, Lemon Cling Peaches, Early June Peas, Lima Beans, String Beans, Beets, Succotash, Canned Meats, Lunch Tongue, Salmon, Sardines, Scotch Herrings, Cheese, Macaroni, Fancy Fresh Elgin and Fox River Print Butter

A complete stock of everything nice in the grocery line. I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.

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J. L. McDANIEL, Wholesale & Retail Grocer,

'Phone 91. 71 Broad St'

## JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF N. C. Hams, Shoulders and Side Bacon.

Also plenty of Nice Fresh Eggs 15c Dozen.

Give us a call for anything in the Grocery line. You will find our stock always fresh and complete in every way. Satisfaction Guaranteed or your Money refunded.

Yours to please,

J. R. PARKER, Jr., Wholesale and Retail Grocer,

HOME 69. Cor. Broad & Hancock Sts.

## Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Give us a call for anything in the Grocery line. You will find our stock always fresh and complete in every way. Satisfaction Guaranteed or your Money refunded.

Yours to please,

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