

New Bern Weekly Journal.

No. 1. NEW BERN CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1906.—FIRST SECTION. 27th YEAR

TERRIBLE ITCHING SCALP HUMOR

Badly Affected With Sores and Crusts—Extended Down Behind the Ears—Some Years Later Painful and Itching Pustules Broke Out on Lower Part of Body—Son Also Affected.

A TRIPLE CURE BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"About ten years ago my scalp became badly affected with sore and itching humors, crusts, etc., and extending down behind the ears. My hair came out in places also. I was greatly troubled; understood it was eczema. Tried various remedies, so called, without effect. Saw your Cuticura advertisement, and got them at once. Applied them as to directions, etc., and after two weeks, I think, of use, was clear as a whistle. "I have to state also that late last fall, October and November, 1904, I was suddenly afflicted with a bad eruption, painful and itching pustules over the lower part of the body. I suffered dreadfully. In two months, under the skillful treatment of my doctor, combined with Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, I found myself cured. "Six years ago my son was laid up with a severe cold, a hard cough, and finally painful eruption all over the body. I procured the Cuticura Remedies as soon as possible, and after his faithful use of same was as well as ever in two weeks, as well as I can recall. He has never had a return of the illness, as far as I know. "I have always been pleased to commend the Cuticura Remedies, and testify as to their efficacy. I am a veteran of the late Civil War, '61-'65, between seventy and eighty years of age. Yours truly, H. M. F. WEAVER, Rosewood, Christian Co., Ill., Aug. 31, 1905." Complete External and Internal Treatment for every humor, from Pimples to Scalds, from Itchiness to Aggravation of Cutaneous Sores, Ulcers, etc., Heretofore, in the form of Carbolic Acid, etc., per quart of water, may be had at all drug stores. A single bottle of the most efficacious remedy ever known. Price 50c. Cuticura Soap, 25c. Cuticura Ointment, 25c. Sold by all druggists. "How to Cure Eczema," and "All About the Skin, Scalp, Hands, and Hair."

Wanted to Buy All Kinds of Southern Fruits and Vegetables

for CASH or will handle on consignment. Let me know your prices on what you have—or will have. Stephen J. Whitton, Jr., Commission Merchant 29 York St., Utica, N. Y.

Notice of Store Purchase

I have purchased the stock of general merchandise owned by Geo. S. Wilcox, (deceased) at Bellair, N. C. and will continue the business at the same place. Miss Lottie Wilcox will manage the business, with the assistance of Daniel Lane Jr. We expect to carry a full line of General Merchandise and sell at New Bern prices. We will thank all former patrons to continue with us. Very Truly, GUY S. LANE.

A Store and Lot in Oriental For Sale

A Lot 55x100 feet, and Store 22x60 feet with Shed 12x40 feet. For information apply to J. W. JORDAN, Oriental, N. C.

For Sale

For cash or on time one 10 H P engine, one 12 H P engine, return tubular boiler, one 50 saw Pratt Gin with feeder and condenser. Reasons for selling want to put in larger machinery. Nash Mattocks Silverdale, N. C.

Stray Dog

A white and tan female dog, followed the owner from New Bern county and is now in the hands of the sheriff. Anyone who has information as to her whereabouts should apply to the sheriff's office.

FAST MAIL APPROPRIATION

A Stirring Factor in Greensboro and High Point.

Congressman Kitchin and Page Oppose the Appropriation. Negroes Enjoy Bank Solas at Night. State Normal Societies to Give Festival Concert. Great Hunting Promises.

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SHOT HIMSELF

After a Periodical Spree and Fever Affliction

Young Man Highly Regarded. Sup. Joyner Issues Call for Meeting County Superintendents of Education. Wake Forest Defeats A. & M. College. Officers Installed in Marshal's Office.

Raleigh, April 2.—Leon H. Weathers, aged about thirty, resident of Raleigh, shot himself through the head with suicidal intent, after a periodical spree, and because of depression resulting from illness with fever, while in Mississippi, where he was engaged in cotton business. Physicians say he cannot possibly live. He leaves a wife and other relatives in Raleigh. He had made threats for several days, and took advantage of his wife's absence from the room to use his pistol, today. The young man was highly regarded and capable, and was for years employed in office of Charles E. Johnston and Company, here.

State Superintendent of Instruction J. Y. Joyner has issued a call for the fifth annual meeting of the State association of county superintendents of education in Raleigh, June 16th to 18th. A good crowd witnessed a game of baseball this afternoon here, between Wake Forest and A. & M. College resulting in a score of four to one in favor of Wake Forest.

Claudia Duckery took the oath of office as U. S. Marshal of this district and announced R. W. Ward of New Bern for office deputy, the appointee to succeed John C. Duckery, re-signed.

It enriches the blood, strengthens the nerves, makes every organ of the body strong and healthy. A great spring tonic. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets.

Brayer Branch

April 2. Mrs. Rachel Gaskins and daughter Bessie, returned from Wildwood last week. They have been visiting relatives and friends. They reported a fine time; hope they will come again.

Mr. Eddie Simpkins and Miss Njcie Vendrie were married a few days ago. I wish them a long and happy life.

Miss Ella Ipoek was the guest of Miss Bessie Sasser yesterday.

Mrs. Jane Miller is very ill, but hopes she will recover in a few days.

Mr. Bryan preached at Macedonia yesterday.

Mr. Ebbie Ipoek was the guest of Mrs. Rachel Gaskins yesterday.

Mr. Fred Gaskins and wife visited Mrs. Mattie Auther Saturday night and Sunday in Hills Neck.

Mr. Ernest Gaskins made a flying trip to Vanceboro a few days ago.

Mr. Raynor Ipoek, Misses Manda Baran and Ida Cayton was the guest of Miss Sadie Sasser yesterday afternoon.

Black Eyes.

Finest print butter, 30 cents per pound. Coast Line Market.

THEY COME AND GO.

Mrs. Frank Haakins and son of Philadelphia is the guest of Mrs. S. M. Smith.

Mrs. Charles Haynes of Raleigh is the guest of Mrs. Jas. A. Bryan.

Mrs. Jas. H. Heritage and daughter, Ethel May, who have been the guests of Miss Sadie Collins left last night for Baltimore.

SUPERFICIAL SENTIMENT.

Secret of Power Lies in Intensity of Emotion.

Superficial sentiment is without vital influence. The secret of power lies in the intensity of emotion, but especially in the poetry, art and literature. By no means poets can artists and writers adequately depict what they do not feel. There should be a thermometer of temperament as well as for temperature. Feeling and emotion have their degrees. We are serene when our feelings are in the temperate zone, judgment when we reach eighty-three, furor when we reach blood heat, mad at boiling point. When feeling falls below 30 we become indifferent, and when it reaches freezing point we are benighted. An emotion that does not attain the seventy-sixth degree is hardly worth recording. At summer heat the rarest flowers begin to bloom and nature becomes poetic. While the temperate is the proper sphere for pure reason and scientific observation, it is rarely, if ever, proper for the highest achievement in any art. In the world of art imagination and feeling are not content with a serenity that touches the borders of indifference. The creative instinct is never effective unless at a certain pitch of enthusiasm. It is the sharp, clear, brilliant current of thought that electrifies the brain. But an idea is worthless unless we can find a form to hold it. In the best work form and feeling appear to the beholder as one. An electric bolt seems a cold thing, yet a stroke of lightning will consume more at one flash than an ordinary fire would consume in an hour.—Francis Grierson in Critic.

GETTING THE NEWS.

Method Adopted at the Outbreak of the Revolutionary War.

In contrast to the workings of the newspaper of the day and the rapid transmission of tidings without the aid of even a wire to guide the messenger is a document printed in the Berkshire Courier at the beginning of the Revolutionary war. But evidently people were as eager then as now to hear the news. "For the Purpose of getting Speedy and Certain Intelligence from the Army at Boston. We the Subscribers hereby promise and agree to ride from this town to Tyringham or Sheffield by Turas so as to bring intelligence from thence each Day (the Sabbath excepted) and to Report the same at the House of Mr. Josiah Smith—And in Case no regular method is come into for bringing the News to Said Tyringham we promise to bear our proportionable part of the Expense in procuring Intelligence from Springfield twice in each Week—Witness our hands this 3rd Day of May 1775."

Following this agreement is a list of days, with the names of the citizens who were to be riders. Jacob Van Deusen, who agreed to be the first man to ride to Tyringham or Sheffield, was to go for it on Monday, May 8, and Mark Hopkins was to follow on Wednesday, the service from that time on alternating, except as to the Sabbath, which compelled a no news interval of two days in the week.

SPEED OF INSECTS.

A Common House Fly Travels a Mile in Thirty-three Seconds.

It is the popular belief that the flight of the birds is much swifter than that of the insects, but a number of naturalists who have been making a study of the matter think that such is not the case. A common house fly, for example, is not very rapid in its flight but its wings make 800 beats a second and send it through the air twenty-five feet, spaces ordinary circumstances, in that space of time. When the insect is alarmed, however, it has been found that it can increase its rate of speed by over 100 feet per second. If it could continue such rapid flight for a mile in a straight line, it would cover that distance in exactly thirty-three seconds.

It is not an uncommon thing when traveling by rail in the summer time to see a bee or wasp keeping up with the train and trying to get in at one of the windows. A swallow is considered one of the swiftest of flying birds, and it was formerly thought that no insect could escape it.

A naturalist, however, told of an exciting chase he saw between a swallow and a dragon fly, which is among the swiftest of insects. The insect flew with incredible speed and whirled and dodged with such ease that the swallow, despite its utmost efforts, completely failed to overtake it.

The Water Pitcher. The following simple method of keeping ice water in a common pitcher is worth knowing: Put a layer of cotton batting between two sheets of wrapping paper three inches higher than the pitcher. Fasten the ends of the paper and batting together, forming a circle. Paste a cover over one end of the batting and paper. This cover, when over a pitcher, must come close to the stand and so exclude the air, and ice will keep a long time. This paper cover will be found of great service in a kitchen for both milk and water pitchers.

Devotion. That was a remarkable instance of devotion to which an Italian Journal referred some time ago, wherein a husband on hearing that his wife looked her last in mourning committed suicide that she might have an opportunity to wear it.—London Queen.

Barometer. Young Doctor—He seems to have every confidence in my ability to save him. Old Doctor—Is he delirious on other subjects also?—Judge.

YACHTING.

The New Bern Yacht Club has just received a new boat from the New Bern Yacht Club.

TWO DAYS MONDAY AND TUESDAY

We will sell Ladies Muslin Underwear at a great reduction

1-3 Their Value

Night Robes at 63c; 83c, 98c, \$1.32 and \$1.52. Skirts, 42c, 72c, 83c, \$1.19 and \$1.53. Corset Covers, 21c, 29c, 33c; 47c, 98c, \$1.09. Pants, 27c, 31c, 46c. These garments are made of the best Lonsdale, Cambric and English Long Cloth or Nainsook.

J. M. Mitchell & Co., PHONE 288 61 Pollock St., Opp. Episcopal Church

Are You Thinking of Painting YOUR HOUSE THIS SPRING?

If so, you can get nothing better than Heath and Milligan Paint—Spreads better goes furthest. We guarantee it to give satisfaction. Get a color card from us. Full supply Windows, Doors and Blinds, Builders Hardware. Prices Right.

Gaskill Hdw. & Mill Sup'y. Co.

PHONE 147. Iron Safe Clause Judicially Declared Valid

Extract from decisions of Supreme Court in the case of Georgia Home Insurance Co. against Allen: "An Iron Safe Clause in a policy of Insurance requiring the assured to keep a set of books and inventory of the stock, which shall be kept in an iron safe at night and at other times when the store is not open for business, is a valid condition and binding upon the assured, the breach of which will void the policy unless it is waived by the insurer."

P. S.—We sell the J. Baum Safe and Lock Company's Safes, one of the best safes on the market. They succeeded in winning the Gold Medal at World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904. We have them in stock, weighing from 475 lbs to 2,000 lbs. Write for Catalogue and Prices.

F. J. TURNER FURNITURE COMPANY, New Bern, N. C.

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Strong Line of Fire Insurance Companies. All Business promptly attended to

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DAYS ARE COMING! We are prepared for them [and can give you any flavor you want. We also have some toothsome Dainties in Guth's Chocolates, and an Elegant Lunch requisite—Chicken Sandwiches. Cigars and Tobacco all the time.

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NEW BERN, N. C.

Go-Carts.

We have a new lot of baby carts in all styles at prices which will meet with approval.

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