

# New Berne Daily Journal.

VOL. XVI--NO 171.

NEW BERNE, N. C., TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 21, 1897

ESTABLISHED 1832

## Santa Claus Is Already Making Tracks For Our Stores,



### WHERE HE KNOWS

He will find a stock of Shoes for Ladies wear, that are things of Beauty for Xmas presents.

And also the Ladies' Favorite Gift to her male friends of HANDSOME HOLIDAY SLIPPERS that make acceptable gifts, for Little Money.

### THE CHRISTMAS RUSH!



OF HOLIDAY BUYERS is upon us now and we can't weigh out Dried Fruits, Nuts, Candies, &c., fast enough. We are working for all we are worth to promptly fill orders.

From our Stock of FANCY GROCERIES you can prepare a dinner for a Gourmet.

## Hackburn's

## Good Things for Xmas!

We open our doors to the Holiday Trade with the determination to make this

### The Best Christmas Up to Date.

Are you coming in for your share. OUR TERMS ARE CASH, but our prices are so low that our competitors do not attempt to compete.

For a Little Money you can make your dinner table groan under the weight of good Things.

The very best of everything that should be found in a First Class

GROCERY STOCK.  
JOHN DUNN, Cash Grocer,  
55 POLLOCK STREET.

## Just Received

A fresh lot of those  
**LARGE HAMS!**  
That  
we  
Cut!

Also a fresh lot of Sister's Small Pig Hams and Breakfast Strips. We also have a nice lot of Bananas, Lemons, Florida and California Oranges; Mixed Nuts, Candy, Coconuts, etc.

We also have a full and complete line of Choice Family Groceries. Try our 3 and 5 lb Flour and the Fox River Print Butter at 30c lb. has no equal. Our 25c Roasted Coffee has no equal. Give us a call and get our prices. We guarantee satisfaction or refund your money.

Very Respectfully,

J. R. PARKER, JR., Wholesale and Retail Grocer.  
Phone 69. 77 Broad Street.

**Atlanta in Danger.**  
ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 19.—For nearly six hours today the entire city of Atlanta was without a water supply, and twice the fire department was put in a dilemma by the receipt of alarms from the business section. But both alarms proved false, and late tonight the supply was again turned on.

The cause of the trouble was the bursting of a steam pipe at the main work and the necessity of repairing the break at once. An army of employes and of volunteers was on the scene early, and under the direction of Superintendent Woodward put in a hard day's work.

### AD FOR KLONDIKERS.

Congress Appropriated \$200,000 To Be Used in Forwarding Supplies.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The conference reported on the bill providing relief for the Klondike miners was adopted by both houses of Congress yesterday and approved by the President.

The bill appropriates \$200,000 to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War in the purchase of supplies for the relief of the people in the Yukon river country or other mining regions of Alaska. The resolution further provides that the supplies may be sold in that region at such prices as may be fixed by the Secretary of War, or donated to those unable to pay for them.

The Secretary of War is authorized to use the United States Army in carrying into effect the provisions of the act, to import reindeer and reindeer drivers for the transportation of supplies, and to adopt such other provisions as are practicable.

Capt. David L. Brainard, of the subsistence department of the army, will be placed in charge of the relief parties that Secretary Alger will send to the Klondike region with provisions. Captain Brainard accompanied General Greely on his arctic exploration, and it was largely owing to his heroism that the small remnant of the party was enabled to prolong life until help arrived.

Secretary Alger yesterday sent a telegram to General Merriam, instructing him to pick out two officers and fifty of his best men to act as guards for the relief expeditions, and to equip them with clothing necessary for the journey. There will probably be twenty of these parties, and they will take 1,000 tons of food.

The United States military attaché of the legation at Stockholm has been directed to purchase the reindeer needed as draft animals and to ship them to Dyea. Mr. Kjellmann, the chief herder of the Alaskan reindeer herd, is now in Lapland, where he has been getting an opinion on the animals needed.

### THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

#### NEW YORK, December 20.

**STOCKS.**  
Open High Low Close  
Peoples Gas... 98 97 96 95  
C. R. & Q. .... 99 100 99 99

#### COTTON.

Open High Low Close  
January... 5.71 5.73 5.71 5.73

#### CHICAGO MARKETS.

**WHEAT—** Open High Low Close  
May..... 92 94 92 91  
**CORN—**  
May..... 29 29 29 29  
Cotton Sales 117,800 Bales.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 19.—Window glass factories throughout the United States will resume work as soon as they can get the furnaces hot enough to begin. This will be in about three weeks and means work for about 15,000 men.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Genuine  
Signature of  
*Wm. D. Galt*  
is on every wrapper.

### T. J. Turner Furniture Co.



We have just received the finest line of Hattan and Willow Rockers ever brought to New Berne. \$50 ordered especially for the Holiday trade. Prices ranging from 90c to \$5.00. We have taken great pains to select such stock as would make handsome Xmas presents. We also have 200 Handsome Pictures, which are very pretty. Special prices on Saint Cecilia and Panel Pictures. Do not buy before seeing our stock at our New Store, No. 73 Middle Street, next to George Slover's Hardware Store. Yours Respectfully,  
T. J. TURNER FURNITURE CO.  
NEW BERNE, N. C.

## IMPORTANT QUESTION.

### Tonnage on Fertilizers to be Argued January Ninth.

**Annual Sermon to Governor's Guards. Big Marriage Record for December. North Carolina Has Eighty-six Flour Mills.**

**JOURNAL BUREAU.**  
RALIGH, N. C., Dec. 20. St. Mary's School is now the property of the Episcopal Diocese of the State. The deed was recorded on Saturday when the first payment of \$10,000 was made. The trustees have 200 years in which to pay the remaining \$40,000.

Rev. Dr. Pittenger of the Church of the Good Shepherd, has been holding a Mission in Wilson and yesterday Rev. Mr. J. L. Porter of Florida occupied his pulpit for him.

The Governor's Guard went in full dress uniform to the Baptist Tabernacle yesterday where Rev. Dr. Mimms preached the annual sermon to them.

Up to 12 o'clock on Saturday there had been issued 87 marriage licenses since the 1st of December. That is a pretty good showing for one county.

The next term of Criminal court begins here January 10th instead of January 3. The Monday Evening Literary Club will hold its meeting for this month this evening at Mrs. Annie Parkers. Tennyson is the subject for the evening.

The negro murderer Ghavis was brought here yesterday afternoon in heavy chains. There was no disturbance upon his arrival.

The Labor Commissioner's Report gives 86 roller flouring mills in the State. These mills are mostly run by water, and they grind practically all the wheat raised in the State.

It is said that after Dec. 28th when the Frohman company puts "Never Again" on the boards here the Academy of Music will be closed. The manager this season have only had good troupe and it is hoped that who ever succeeds them as manager will do likewise.

Tom Chadrick, the convict who was thought to have escaped from the penitentiary Friday was discovered in hiding in the ceiling on Saturday afternoon.

The question of the constitutionality of the tonnage on fertilizers will be argued before the U. S. Supreme court January 8th if Justice McKenna's appointment is confirmed in time to give a full bench. It is watched with interest as it affects the Agricultural Department, and also the Agricultural and Mechanical college. The promised blizzard is arriving. The fine rain as it falls freezes on steps, fences etc.

There is little prospect that we will have a Christmas, other than one like we have usually.

Today is the shortest day in the year. In many yards roses and hyacinths are in full bloom.

The Supreme court adjourns on the 23rd for this term. Tomorrow it will hear argument in several criminal cases that have been docketed since the call of the districts ended.

It is said that in this State this year there has not been over 30 murders, while in South Carolina there has been over 200.

Chairman Dockery of the penitentiary board is here but declines to give his opinion in the matter of "swapping offices" between Smith and Mewborne.

Bishop Chesire yesterday preached a sermon on missions. There are 20 white Episcopal missionaries in this diocese, serving 62 churches. In 1887 the membership of the Episcopal church in this State was only 3,000, now it is 9,000.

### A Powerful Combination.

PITTSBURG, Pa., December 19.—S. S. Marvin, president of the United States Bakery Company, returned from New York today and announced that the consolidation of the three great cracker companies of the United States is now an assured fact.

The capitalization of the big combination, Mr. Marvin says, will be \$55,000,000 and it will be in operation by January 1, 1898. The three companies entering it are the New York Biscuit company, the American Baking company and the United States Bakery company. The last named is now capitalized at \$5,000,000, while the other two are rated at \$10,000,000 each.

### Russia's Recent Move.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Telegrams from all the continental capitals show that Russia's step at Port Arthur is regarded as tantamount to a permanent occupation and a reply to German's action.

A well informed St. Petersburg correspondent says there was no agreement between Russia and Germany, and that the latter simply warned Russia when the occupation of Kiao Chau was already decided upon.

Some of the Berlin papers express anxiety, but most of them welcome the news from Port Arthur as justifying the German position at Kiao Chan. It is not as actual evidence that Russia and Germany are settling together.

The Paris papers, without pretending to be deceived by Russia's innocent explanations, are pleased with the action of the ally of France.

### Latest News Items.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A special dispatch from Hamburg says: "Prince Bismarck, who braced up for the Emperor's visit, has relapsed into his former weakness, despondency and persistent insomnia. Mentally and physically Prince Bismarck is rapidly declining."

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Count and Countess Castellane (formerly Miss Anna Gould) have purchased an Italian palace at Verona, in which are eleven ceilings painted by Tiepolo. They will be transferred to the Castellane's Paris house, which contains a splendidly appointed theatre.

HAVANA, December 19.—The insurgents are increasing largely in numbers in the Provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Matanzas. A resident of Pinar del Rio asserts that 1,000 pacificos have gone to the insurgent camp. An ex-chief of the insurgents says that in the Santiago de Cuba Province the insurgents have increased in numbers to 5,000.

CHICAGO, December 19.—Washington Hering, proprietor of the Illinois Staats Zeitung, one of the leading German newspapers of the Northwest and postmaster of Chicago during the last term of President Cleveland, died suddenly yesterday afternoon of heart disease at his home, on Michigan avenue.

WASHINGTON December 19.—Senator Hanna will leave for Ohio on Monday or Tuesday and remain there until his campaign for re-election is ended. Early in the following week he will go to the State capital at Columbus. The Legislature meets January 3, but the balloting does not begin until Tuesday January 11.

### Voltaire and Rousseau.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The bodies of Voltaire and Rousseau were again exhumed yesterday at the Pantheon in order to settle a long-standing controversy as to their authenticity. The remains of Voltaire were well preserved and markedly resemble Houdon's statue. Of the body of Rousseau only the skeleton remained. Voltaire's skull was found to be cloven in two down the centre. There was no trace of a shot wound in the skull of Rousseau, and this disproves the general belief that the author committed suicide by shooting.



### Christmas Advice

May be wasted as it is only the wise that profit by other people's experience, but we will give it for what it is worth. You will get more real satisfaction, comfort and wear out of one suit of custom tailor-made clothing than you will out of twenty ready-made suits. Why not? What is a tailor for? To fit every curve, remedy every defect of figure, have your collar lay just so, and give you the style of a generation. We do it every time.

F. M. CHADWICK,  
Merchant Tailor,  
101 MIDDLE STREET.

### SURE CROUP CURE.

When your baby whoops in middle of night—Croup is impending—give the child a dose of ARWAY'S CROUP SYRUP and the little fellow is well and laughing in five minutes. REMARKABLE and harmless, but true, or we will refund the money, 25c. AT  
Bradham's  
Reliable Drug Store.

## Truck!

PEAS! PEAS! PEAS!  
—AND—  
Beans! Beans! Beans!

The earliest of Extra Early Peas, and improved Valentine and Rust Proof Wax Beans.  
Potatoes to arrive.  
Are You Come! Come! Coming!

J. F. CLARK,  
Brick Store, Near Market Dock.

For the next ten days  
we will sell the

## Very Finest Elgin Butter, Fresh from the Dairy for 25c per lb.

And the Best Selected Stock of CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES to be found in this city at prices which defy competition.

We have just received a Fresh Supply of Hein's Sweet and Sour Mixed Pickles, Sour Kaut and Tomato Catsup.

You can buy the Best Goods, and the Most of Them, for the Least Money at

## McDaniel & Gaskill, Wholesale & Retail Grocers.

71 Broad St., NEW BERNE, N. C.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING UP AND SETTLING

## RIVERSIDE,

With desirable occupants and owners, I now make for a limited time the following advantageous proposal:

## LOTS!

ONLY \$250.00.

BALANCE \$1.00 A WEEK.

Every man of moderate means, and every man working on a salary, may own a home. Buy a home and pay for it in installments.

When the first payment is made, I will give you a guarantee to make on a deed for the lot when all payments on same are made, to pass book or weekly payments.

Safer than a savings bank, and far more profitable. When the lot is paid for, I will build you a MODERN COTTAGE, (your choice of plan) to be paid for in monthly installments. Payments out little more than you would pay rent. For example, a cottage costing \$2,000, will cost in monthly payments, \$30, for 7 years, and the house and lot is yours.

If you want a smaller cottage, say to cost \$1,200. The monthly payments will be \$18. At the end of 7 years you own a house and lot in a desirable locality, increasing in value every day.

Full information, maps, etc., call on  
A. M. BAKER, Agent,  
57 Pollock Street.

### WILLIAM DUNN.

## Your Doctor Fights

Disease with medicine. If the medicine is not right, he can not conquer disease. If the druggist does his duty the medicine will be right, and your doctor will stand a fair chance of winning the victory.

You can help your doctor by having your prescription filled at

Bradham's  
Reliable Drug Store.

## WANTED

A suitable vessel or barge for about 60 days from February 15th, next, to anchor at mouth of Pease tank River in North Carolina to receive for the Government's passing steamer.

Apply to make sign, stating dimensions and terms of charter.  
M. K. KING, Gen. Manager,  
Nik. & So. R. R. Co.,  
NORFOLK, VA.

## GEORGE SLOVER,

73 MIDDLE ST.,

NEW BERNE, - N. C.

Has an Entire  
New Stock of

## ... HARDWARE.

Cook Stoves,  
Wilson's Air-Tight  
Heaters.

Ask for MASURY'S MIXED PAINTS, the best paint in the world.

All Goods Guaranteed as Represented or Money Refunded.

PURE NORTH CAROLINA MALT WHISKEY, recommended by leading physicians for medicinal purposes, sold only at  
J. F. Taylor's.

MY TABLE WINES cannot be equalled in this city. Imported Sherries, Brandy, and Wines of all kinds, the finest brands.  
J. F. Taylor.

FOR LIQUORS of every kind, the Palace Saloon is the cheapest place. Only the Best Goods Sold and the Best in the Cheapest.  
J. F. Taylor.

## THE OLD RELIABLE

J. D. DINKINS,

HAS OPENED A  
FIRST CLASS

## Wholesale Place,

A. 51 A Hill Street,  
Next to the Old Blue Store.

THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK  
EVER BROUGHT TO THE CITY.

Pure Old Baker Rye,  
Echo Spring Rye,  
Silver Brook Rye,  
Star A Rye,  
Pure Old Rose Valley Rye,  
Pure Old N. C. Corn,  
N. C. Apple Brandy,  
Peach Brandy,  
Orange, Blackberry, Scuppernon  
and Port Wines.

Case Goods  
of all kinds. Cigars & Tobacco

My Motto is—  
Quick Sales, Small Profits.