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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation.

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THE JOURNAL

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. J. K. Land—Collection of Rents. Craven County—Receipts and Disbursements.

Business Locals.

EARLY Spring Goods have arrived and more to follow. Call and examine before placing your order for clothes. Samples on cards and in book form.

CLOSING OUT the following goods for CASH ONLY—Apple Vinegar 5c qt., 15c gal.; West India Molasses 7c qt., 25c gal.; 3 lbs. Atmore's Mince Meat, 20c; Standard Oil Co.'s 150 test Red Oil, 10c gal.; White 150 test, 10c gal.; Heinz Sweet Pickles, 15c qt., 25c gal. All good, 78 Middle St.

TRY a nice cool glass Budweiser Beer, on draught at the Palace Saloon today. Something fine.

FOR RENT—Six room dwelling on S. Front Street, adjoining residence of S. H. Lane. Apply to S. M. BUNSON.

PERMANENT Employment Summer and Winter. National Portrait Company, Chicago.



A Neat Tie,

A comfortable shirt, suspenders, anything in the furnishing line, we will be pleased to show you. Our stock is fresh and up-to-date.

We have no old styles. You should see our new spring shoes, which have just arrived. The shape is something new.

You ought to have an Ascot Tie, it is the latest. Our Spring Hats are in the newest shapes and colors and the prices are bound to suit you.

Our Spring samples of Sattings have arrived and we can suit every one, both in quality and price, to say nothing of the perfect fit our tailor guarantees.

Call and see us and be convinced that we are up-to-date and that our prices are right. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Baker & Dunn.



Knows a Good Thing

When they receive a box of our Choice Chocolates or Orange Bon-bons they all exclaim in unison, 'They are pure, wholesome and tempting, and can be indulged in by the children as well as their elders, with nothing but good effects. Our Taffy and Brittle are made fresh every day.'

C. J. McSorley & Co.

FARM FOR SALE

A Good Farm, near Stella, Carteret county. Will sell it Cheap. Write D. HART at Stella.

A DAY IN THE CITY.

The weather bureau forecast for today is, fair and warmer.

The pay train of the W. & N. was on its usual rounds yesterday gladdening the hearts of its employees.

The maximum temperature as observed by the Government Weather and Crop bureau yesterday, was 60.5 minimum 34.0.

The county commissioners met in session, yesterday, and will again today. Full proceedings will be published in these columns.

The schooner Houston has arrived from Baltimore with a cargo of hay for Charles B Hill, the hay, grain and feed dealer.

Fifteen bales of cotton sold yesterday at 4.50 to 5.50. The sales in New York were unusually large 243,000, and the price was higher.

Work on the Trent river bridge was being pushed yesterday. The pile driver was at work in the stream putting the piles in position.

Schooner Cornelia, Capt. B. L. Hill, from Norfolk, loaded with fertilizer, arrived Sunday. Capt. Hill will sail today to load lumber at Oriental.

The Little Helpers will meet this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Henderson at half past three. An election of officers will be held and a large attendance is requested to be present.

In the JOURNAL's article on the road supervisors meeting, published in Sunday's JOURNAL, it should have read that the road overseers would have five days to make their report, not road supervisors.

The Elizabeth Circle will meet this (Tuesday) afternoon at four o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Seymour, and a full attendance is desired. Meeting was postponed Saturday on account of rain.

The entertainment furnished by Chas. E. Lindall at the Academy last night was varied and especially entertaining to the children. It was held under the auspices of the King's Daughters.

About forty persons were vaccinated yesterday and it is hoped that the number will increase. It is a duty that each one owes to himself and to the public. Dr. R. S. Primrose is doing the work and can be found at the City Hall from 12 to 2 o'clock.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. N. H. Street returned home from Kenansville last night.

Mr. Bryan Gardner of Grifton is in the city on a short visit.

Mrs. Sadie Willis returned last night from a visit to relatives at Dover.

Capt. Joe Gaskill left last night to visit his family at Beaufort.

Mr. John Thomas returned yesterday from a three weeks hunting trip at Newport.

Mrs. Sol Ottinger of Kinston, arrived last night to visit Mrs. M. M. Marks.

Mrs. J. H. Bell and Miss Lilla Ward of Pollockville, are visiting in the city.

Rev. N. M. Journey of Goldboro passed through last night going to Beaufort to spend a few days.

Miss Swindell, niece of Rev. F. D. Swindell, came down from Goldboro last night, and is visiting at the Methodist parsonage.

Miss Ivy Hayes of Raleigh, daughter of Maj. Hayes of the U. S. Army, arrived last night to visit Mrs. Rogers on East Front street.

Messrs. S. J. Lane, R. C. Cleve and Macon Bryan of Vanceboro, and J. T. Lincoln of Maribel, were in the city yesterday on business.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy to action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by F. S. Duffy, Druggist.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank the Fire Department for its timely aid on Sunday morning, and also to express my sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses extended to Mrs. Lovick and myself, by our neighbors and friends during and after the fire.

H. J. LOVICK.

Mayor's Court Yesterday.

Several small happenings were at the mayor's court yesterday.

The case of a colored man from Bealboro was heard. He made a disturbance Saturday night when drunk. The patrol wagon was called and he was carried to the station. On the way the jolting wagon seemed to revive him from his stupor and he suddenly raised up and struck Sergeant Howell two heavy blows on the eye, making a very bad bruise. On the charge of disorderly conduct, he was fined \$20.00 and costs. On the charge of assaulting an officer, he will be tried later.

Wilson, the "soldier man," who peddles material for mending holes in tinware, was sent across the river and warned not to return. Wilson is an odd character, not bad, except when drunk. Then he has the pleasant habit of walking into some house and sitting down at the table and demanding dinner. At one residence he walked in and went up stairs to bed. Such conduct is not viewed with approval by householders.

A white tramp was taken charge of yesterday by the police. He had just invaded town and had stopped at a house to beg. He craved some disturbance and the police had something of a chase to catch the man. These characters are more frequent as Fair week approaches. They will be taken care of promptly by the police and will only be welcomed in that way.

Two men were arrested last in the evening for begging. They claimed that they were all right but were strangers in town without money. They will be released this morning and allowed to proceed on their way.

The Kingston Trip.

The Minstrel Company special train will leave here tomorrow, Wednesday, at 2.30 p. m. and returning will leave Kingston at 2 o'clock, after the German, which is to follow the entertainment.

The fare for the round trip is only 50 cents. There will be the strictest order preserved on the train, and while there is no occasion to expect anything but good behavior from all, assurance is given that every lady can feel perfectly safe from disturbances of any nature.

Monday Morning Fire.

About the time the church bells were ringing Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, an alarm of fire was turned in from box 34. The fire was in the residence of Mr. H. J. Lovick on Middle street and by the time the Fire Department was on the spot the blaze was working through the roof in the rear.

The origin of the fire was from an overheated tile chimney and the fire had gotten a start in the upper part between the ceiling and roof to which there was no ready access. The Department went to work with a will and it was soon seen that the flames would not have a chance to spread. Some of the boys had on their go-to-meeting clothes and they were not benefitted by the smoke and water.

The upper rear part of the house was burned out and the whole place flooded with water. As a result the plastering over the entire house will come off. The walls had just been nicely papered.

The loss is about \$500, and is fully covered by insurance. Considerable furniture was carried out and taken care of by neighbors, and Mr. and Mrs. Lovick received many invitations from friends to visit with them until they had things in order again.

The value to this city of the abundant water supply can scarcely be overestimated. Even a few moments delay in obtaining the necessary pressure, in case like Sunday's might result to great loss. No town is a better insurance risk than New Berne, as it is seldom that a fire has a chance to get fairly started.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches, and fevers without unpleasant after-effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

The Haymakers.

This ancient and honorable order had a largely attended meeting last night at Roundtree Hall.

The Sultan was present and several new members were initiated into the order, receiving with due solemnity the different degrees conferred upon them.

There will be another meeting tomorrow, Thursday night, at 8 o'clock at Roundtree Hall.

City Council Proceedings.

Chairman Draney called attention to Chapter 3, Sec. 53 of the City ordinance relating to painting telegraph, telephone and electric light poles.

On motion the Mayor was instructed to enforce said ordinance.

Moved by Councilman Watson that the matter of leasing the Barrington building corner Broad and Hancock streets referred to the Mayor at last meeting with power to act, be rescinded. Carried.

Councilman Draney moved that some other person other than the Mayor be appointed to make the lease. Motion was tabled.

On motion the F. D. Committee was instructed to investigate and find suitable quarters for the New Berne Engine Company. Motion amended by adding the Mayor to said Committee.

On motion Fiera Bryant was relieved from payment of license tax.

On motion an ordinance against the use of air rifles was referred to Committee on ordinance and license.

A petition asking the repeal of ordinance in reference to closing bar rooms at 13 o'clock and opening at 5 o'clock was on motion tabled.

Councilman Green offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the closing of bar rooms at 12 p. m. be and the same is hereby suspended from and after Monday February 28th to Saturday March 5th.

The matter of returning cost in case of City vs. Ireland, was upon motion tabled.

The following motion by Councilman Watson was, on motion adopted: That the Committee on Lights be instructed to locate the arc and incandescent lights used by the city and to have printed a list of same to be given to the Electric Light Company who shall be required to use same for reporting out lights in presenting monthly bills, showing number of hours each light has burned.

The Chief of Fire Department recommended that the 5th ward Hose Keel Company, retain the reel and hose in their possession as from personal observation they have always done their duty.

The Mayor's report as follows was read and adopted:

New Berne, N. C., Feb. 1, '98. To the Hon. Board of Council.

Gentlemen:—I have herewith report that I have imposed in Mayors court for the month of Jan., '98.

Fines, 110.80
Cost, 78.65
\$189.45

Very respectfully,
A. R. DENNISON, Mayor.

Chief Police report as follows was read and adopted:

To the Hon. Mayor and Board of City Council.

Gentlemen:—Below please find my report for the month of January 1898.

We have made during the month,

61 arrested.
42 convicted.
49 dismissed.
7 were bound over to court.
3 were released by Mayor.

Fines collected, \$64 30
Cost collected, 55 70
Total \$120 00

Which has been turned over to City Treasurer and I hold his receipt for same.

There is outstanding which I have so far been unable to collect.

Fines to collect, \$46 50
Cost to collect, 22 95
Total \$69 45

Respectfully submitted,
M. T. ROBERTS,
Chief of Police.

Police report as follows read and adopted:

POLICE REPORT.
The police are still in need of uniforms, in order to have a completely equipped force.

Policeman Robertson has been absent from duty one day during the month by permission of the Mayor.

The City Hall and Police Headquarters are in good condition.

There have been no suspensions during the month.

Very Respectfully Yours,
M. T. ROBERTS,
Chief Police.

On motion the electric light bill as audited and recommended by the committee was allowed. Bills allowed, all members of the board present voting yes.

No further business the Board adjourned.
HUGH J. LOVICK,
City Clerk.

Light to be Installed.

The Naval Reserve have received broad swords and foils, with which they will be drilled.

This organization is one that ought to receive some financial assistance from the city. Its members are at personal expenses which few of them can afford, and unless some aid is given the Reserves, they can hardly keep up and be of use.

The city would find the Reserves of valuable service, should any emergency arise requiring the preservation of the peace.

Mr. Nunn is Admitted.

A special from Raleigh was highly pleasing to the JOURNAL last night, as it told of the successful examination of Mr. R. A. Nunn before the Supreme Court for admittance to practice at the bar.

Mr. Nunn has been connected with the JOURNAL for the past two years, and at one time was actively engaged with this paper. He has been studying law with Simmons, Pou and Ward, and his preparation was very thorough.

Mr. Nunn is a deservedly popular young man and has a promising future before him in his chosen profession. It is to be hoped that he will continue to make New Berne his home and we predict for him a successful career.

The Surprise of All.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with LaGrippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hoagy Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and a half dozen bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at F. S. Duffy's Drug Store.

Riverside to be Built up.

Agent A. M. Baker, reports that the demand for lots at Riverside continues, and also that the lumber is on the ground for the construction of one new house, with prospects of several more being erected very soon. See the advertisement of these lots on first page.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The collection of rents and accounts given careful and personal attention. Best of references given J. K. Land, 127 Broad street.

T. J. Turner has a dwelling house on Hancock street for rent, 7 rooms and city water, No. 70 next to his residence.

Give your order for enlarging Pictures to T. J. Turner. Crayon work 16x20 at \$1.98. Satisfaction guaranteed.

T. J. Turner has left a few more of those fine Oak Collier Boat Rockers well worth \$2.25. Our price \$1.75.

The Columbia Desk Calendars have arrived and can be had of Wm. F. Hill, agent, at cost, 10c each.

Go to J. J. Baxter and get the latest thing out in Shirte.

Wm. T. Hill carries a full line of Bicycle Sundries, at lowest prices. See him before purchasing.

I am offering my entire stock of Winter Goods low down for the cash. J. J. Baxter.

J. J. Baxter is agent for the Viscal Patent Leather Shoes just in. Every pair guaranteed not to crack. Who ever heard of it.

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The Best You Have Always Bought. It is the standard preparation for every ailment.

A Card.

In behalf of the New Berne Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1 we desire to hereby extend the thanks of the company to Mrs. L. M. Hendren and the ladies who so kindly assisted her and to Mr. John Dann, for the refreshments so kindly and thoughtfully tendered the members of the fire department during the fire at Mr. Lovick's on Sunday last.

A. H. BAXFORD, Foreman,
C. C. THORNTON, Sec'y.

Why Not Own a Home?
Don't pay rent all your life and in the end have nothing but a lot of worthless rent receipts to show for thousands of dollars thrown away, when you can have a home (both house and lot) built according to your own idea, in any location you may select, by simply paying me what you are now paying in rent, comparatively. A. M. BAKER, Agent, 57 Pollock St.

Spring and Summer Sewing! No better time than February to do ones sewing for coming season. Provision was early made to have in store the right goods. Assortments more complete have not been shown in the city. In the line of Heavy White Cottons, particularly suited for children, are small check nainsocks, little patterns in heavy cotton welts, medium and very heavy marseilles. In Colored Cottons, are new printings in full yard wide percales, plain colored piques, plain and figured duck and fancy crash. Matched Sets in Embroideries, Matched Sets in Fine Machine Torchons, closely resembling the expensive hand made lace and narrow hand run Smyrna laces. Moderate prices prevail throughout the entire collection. H. B. Duffy

AN UNDERSELLING SALE OF Muslin Underwear! Beginning tomorrow morning we commence our 5th sale of Ladies Muslin Underwear with the Largest Assortment and Lowest Prices we have ever had. These goods are made in rural community and do not come in touch in any way with the sweat shops of the large cities, and are carefully made. Every garment is cut full and no skimping of either goods or workmanship. We invite your inspection of these garments as you will find it will save a great deal of sewing for Spring. We can give you only a hint of the assortment. February 6. O. MARKS CO.

Meadows' Guanos! Meadows' Cotton Guano, Largely increases the quantity and grade of Cotton. Meadows' Gold Leaf Tobacco Guano, Produces Tobacco of the finest quality, especially fancy wrappers. Meadows' Dissolved Bone and Potash Compound. Meadows' All Crop Guano. Meadows' Great Potato Guano. Meadows' Great Cabbage Guano. GERMAN KAINIT & DIAMOND PHOSPHATE. A SPECIALTY. E. H. & J. A. Meadows Co., MANUFACTURERS, NEW BERNE, N. C.

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