



An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, **BRUSH OF FIGS**, manufactured by the **CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.** illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid from the principles of plants known to be medicinal laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers gently yet promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, make it the ideal laxative.

In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from seeds and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the **CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.** only. In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
SACRAMENTO, CAL.
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.
For sale by all Druggists.—Price 50c. per bottle.

THE JOURNAL.

New Bern, N. C., July 2, 1899.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Barfoot—Chloroform.
G N Ennett—Sawney.
O Marks Co.—Special sale.
Hackman—Something new.
R. J. Erwin & Bryan—Fire works.
R. H. Baxter—Men's shirts.

Business Notices.

TORPEDOES, Sky Rockets, Roman Candles, &c., at reduced prices. Roberts & Bryan.

FOR SALE—The Candy and Confectionery business formerly owned by A. M. Baker. For particulars apply to Frank H. Jones.

HOW to conduct a War of extermination—use Columbian Insecticide Powder, smokeless, noiseless, kills out all roaches and water bugs—Guaranteed as sure as a shotgun. Henry's Pharmacy, 127 Middle street.

I HAVE a very large stock of newly made, Hartford and other tires and am selling them very low for cash. \$3.00 to \$5.00 each. Wm. T. Hill, Phone 132.

IF you are looking for a place to board while your family is absent, or any one wishing regular board, can do no better than to stop at Hotel Neusee. My tables are furnished with the best the market affords. Satisfaction guaranteed. I give free baths to guests. Call and see me. Rates reasonable. J. Barker Green, Prop.

THE finest Beer always on draught, at JACOB'S, Middle Street.

Violet Soap, 3 cakes for 25c. No better bargain to be had in quality or price at Bradham's Pharmacy.

A fresh lot of Royster's Chocolates and Bon Bons in sealed packages just received at McSorley's.

A few days ago a prominent lady remarked after drinking glass of Coca Cola at Davis' Soda Fountain. "That is the best glass of Coca Cola I ever drank in my life."

J. J. Baxter is closing out his summer clothing, shoes, dress goods, &c., very low.

For that "something better" desire, when Ice Cream fails, try Pineapple Snow, at Bradham's Fountain.

Bath Suits.
J. J. Baxter, has a new line of Bath Suits just in for ladies, misses boys and men.

The Oaks Market offers a better grade of Fresh Beef than usual, today.

Fine lot of Smithfield Hams just received at the Oaks Market.

Sliced ham, to suit purchasers, at Oaks Market.

Everything you need to keep you cool this hot weather at "the only place there be."

Burton Ale is made at Burton on the Trent in Wales, but you may now find it at Burke's on the Trent.

Your prescriptions if brought to us to be filled, will be given our most careful attention, and will be filled with Drugs and Chemicals as pure and fresh as the old reliable houses can furnish us. Davis' Prescription Pharmacy.

If you want Life Giving Sweets you will find Honey in abundance at T. J. Baxter's Residence No. 23, Eden street. For sale in any quantity, style or grade of Comb Honey.

CAPUDINE

Is the only remedy that will certainly cure Headache and Neuralgia without any bad effects whatever. A fair trial is all we ask. 25c bottle at well-stocked druggists.

Only in New City.

Partly cloudy, continued cool, with slightly shade in the weather forecast for today.

The banks in the city will be closed on Tuesday, the Fourth of July, it being a National holiday.

There was a fair sized crowd on the trains going to Morehead, last night. A number went from here.

A JOURNAL employe has the distinction of riding the highest geared wheel in the city, the wheel being geared to 100.

Deputy Sheriff Harry Wooten, took Dave Lee, the negro horse thief and jail breaker, to Kinston yesterday, and he is now confined in Lenoir county jail.

Yesterday was the first day in July, when saloon licenses for the quarter are due and payable. Two saloon keepers were "short" and did not open.

Hafford Willis of Vanceboro, was arrested yesterday upon a bench warrant from Judge Henry R. Bryan, and placed under a one hundred and fifty dollar bond to keep the peace. Willis gave bond.

The owner of the horse stolen at Washington, N. C., by Dave Lee, arrived here yesterday and proving that the horse was his property, the city authorities turned the animal over to him, and he left with it.

The New Bern Reel team is daily practicing for the August tournament. The members say that the team going to Greensboro will be the best ever going out of New Bern. It ought to be a sure winner for the Belt.

The Christian Science Reading Rooms 87 Craven street, are open daily. Service Sunday, 10:30 a m and 5 p m. Wednesday 8:30 p m. Morning lesson, subject: God, Exodus, 2:14. Afternoon lesson is a repetition of the morning lesson. All are welcome.

DEED.

Sophie Duffy, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Nixon, aged one year eight months.

Funeral from family residence on Metcalf street Monday 10 am.

Real Estate Transfer.
The valuable piece of brick property on Middle street, known as the Daves building has been sold by E. E. Harper, Real Estate Agent, to our townsman, Mr. James E. Smith.

The consideration was \$6,000 cash.

Case Looks Suspicious.

Mr. N. Orlean, who was bitten by a made dog in this city a few days ago, and who went to Pasteur Institute, New York City, for treatment, has sent the following telegram to Mayor Patterson: "New York, June 30. 'I have seen the Pasteur people. They think the case a suspicious one. I am being treated.' N. ORLEANS."

A Summer Event.

Every summer the clearance sale at O. Marks Co. is looked forward to as an event of much importance in dry goods circles.

This year promises to be a larger sale as many more items are sacrificed and no doubt the ladies will be on hand early to get the best bargains.

See their ad in another column.

The Best Prescription for Chills

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

Reception at Pollockville.

Mrs. J. H. Bell gave an elegant reception complimentary to Capt. and Mrs. C. Corbin of Baltimore. From 8 o'clock to 11:30 the beautiful and exquisitely furnished residence of Mrs. Bell's was thronged with guests. The halls and parlors were handsomely decorated for the occasion and here was indeed a scene of artistic beauty.

Refreshments were served and later dancing and various games were indulged in. It was an evening full of pleasure.

"BICYCLE AND A FRIEND."

DeWitt's Little Early Risers benefit permanently. They lend gentle assistance to nature, causing no pain or weakness, permanently curing constipation and liver ailments. F. S. Duffy.

First Watermelon Party.

The JOURNAL force, last night, took a recess, and gathering together enjoyed a Watermelon party among themselves.

Watermelons are not a scarce article of food to a newspaper editor, foreman and compositor, nor for that matter it is not a strange diet to the "printers devil."

But melons are not plentiful in newspaper offices so early in the season, nor do subscribers pay their dues with fifty cent and one dollar melons.

Last night's party was not occasioned by such a contribution, therefore the necessity of saving the melon by calling 'all hands' to help eat it.

The melon eating last night was in the nature of a surprise, it being sent in by that Prince of New Bern Fruiters, "Ras Royall, with his compliments, therefore a greater pleasure to Ye Editor and Force, for it was a free melon, and a good one.

May New Bern always have such a Royall fruit dealer, and may his profits continue to be royal.

A CHILD ENJOYS

The pleasant flavor, gentle action, and soothing effect of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be constipated or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

A cool feature for a hot day—Pineapple Snow—5c at Bradham's Fountain.

THE FOURTH.

No Celebration on the Water. Program of Events.

The committee on Fourth of July on the river, have decided that the several events shall begin at 5 p m on that day.

This will be in the cool of the evening, and at a time when every one can get out and enjoy the sight.

The program will be as follows, although the order may not be followed.

Rowing Race, crews from U. S. Cutter Boatwell and New Bern Division Naval Reserve. Prize, box of cigars, to winning crew. Contributed by O. D. Bradham.

Sailing Race. Entrance fee 50 cents, winning boat to take all the entrance money.

Ladies Rowing Race. Prize, handsome belt.

Tub Race. Prize, Nickel Watch. Contributed by F. R. Duffy.

If the weather permits, a swimming race, by a number of young men will probably take place.

PERSONAL.

Miss Myrtle Pope left yesterday to visit at Kinston.

Mr. I. H. Barras of Pollockville, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Ola Barker of Stella, is visiting at Mr. Thos. Danieles'.

Mr. W. H. Chadbourne, Jr., went to Wilmington yesterday.

Mr. S. D. Moody left yesterday for a short stay at Seven Springs.

Mrs. George Howard and children, returned from High Point last night.

Mrs. E. S. Gules and children, came home from Morehead yesterday morning.

Mr. L. B. Ennett, of Cedar Point, is in town the guest of his brother Mr. Geo. N. Ennett.

Mrs. A. C. Hyman and daughter, Miss Brudie, left yesterday morning to visit at Wilmington.

Rev. H. B. John returned last night from attending the New Bern district conference at Kinston.

Mrs. Franc H. Jones and children, returned home yesterday morning from Beaufort, where they have been spending several weeks.

Mr. P. M. Pearsall, who has been spending a week at Seven Springs passed through the city last night going to Morehead to spend a few days.

Postmaster Short!

EDITOR JOURNAL.—Permit the publication of this brief statement in a paper that stands for truth and consistent honesty:

The following names are the bondsmen of I. D. Hargett, who is accused by the United States of being behind the issue of \$948.12 and who was Postmaster at Rekey Mount, N. C.:

\$3,000 Geo H White, New Bern.
\$3,000 James H Young, Raleigh.
\$1,000 E M Green, Wilmington.
\$500 R S Rives, Fayetteville.
\$1,000 John S Johnson, New Bern.
\$1,000 Isaac H Smith, New Bern.

I. D. Hargett, without experience was recommended by George H. White, to the President and to the honorable United States Senate, as being a capable honest man.

I am told Hargett was placed there by White to be a tool, so that his special political friend Watson could in fact be the postmaster and get the money. Of course, I did not think an only negro Congressman would do a thing like this.

Even now and more so when I become a member of Congress, I would suffer my little finger severed from my right hand, before I would allow any man to pay one cent, caused by my poor judgment and bad heart.

I really think under the circumstances the only negro Congressman should pay every dollar due the Government by reason of his appointee's default.

This would fix the matter so it should be, the innocent bondsmen following the only negro Congressman would not lose their homes and their families be reduced to want.

The Government recognized us as white men in accepting us on the bond of Hargett. We should act like white men and pay the bond without putting the Government to the least trouble.

I suggest that I. D. Hargett and the bondsmen come together and raise the shortage. We have been duly notified by the Government.

Here and there it is said by some of you, that the negro in our beautiful, prolific and glorious south is not protected by the law.

I think we all will agree that the law in our beloved Southland furnishes ample protection to the race, its big men to be honorable and do right by one another and be men in a crisis.

Some of the bondsmen are pleading the baby act, saying "I am now broke."

1. We all know it is but morally right and honest that the only negro Congressman (as he styled and called himself on the floor of Congress on one occasion) to pay to the United States Government the entire sum claimed to be due the government.

2. He falling in this, which of course he will, it then becomes the duty legally for each bondsmen to pay his share of the bond, even though you had to borrow it. Remember you swore and affirmed unto men and God that you were worth this bond above your homestead and lawful exemptions.

Signed, IRAAD H. SMITH, New Bern, N. C.

SQUARE PEG FOR ROUND HOLES.

Does How Moralism, Think Parents and Guardians to Blame.

This is a subject somewhat trite it is true, but its exasperation is so frequent, thrusting itself, as it does on you daily that one is almost constrained to take it up and attempt on the opportunities of its application.

The most marked examples of the rectangular peg being utterly unsuited to the circular orifice are perhaps found in the so-called "learned professions."

For this there are two causes, the first being that these gentlemen occupying prominent places in each community because of their professions are conspicuous; and second: being members of the "higher grade" they cannot without loss of "dignity" descend from their totally unsuitable perch, where all the holes are circular—to a plane where a also rectangular opening awaits them, and which they would fit to a T.

The non-professional fellow who tries his hand at one thing and fails, tries another and keeps trying until he finds a place to fit him.

Parents and Guardians are much to blame for the most conditions.

Fater having made some little progress in the world, in a not perhaps very "dignified" calling, but for which he was fitted and hence successful, has accumulated a comfortable competence and wishes to ascend the social ladder a step or two, and as a means condenses his son, (who has inherited his father's fitness for the business in which he succeeded) to become one of the "learned professional" men. And another square peg will spend his life vainly trying to crowd itself into an aperture, utterly unsuited to it, and for which it was never intended.

It is true, that sometimes, after many years, and much wear and tear, the attrition has been so great that the sharp corners become partly rounded, and a sort of mis fit results; but it is even then a melancholy evidence that there was a mistake at first.

As illustrating the point, I once knew a great hulking fellow, with the appetite of a quadruped, and the brawn and muscle of a prize fighter, to which class he bore a not altogether remote physical resemblance, who was educated for the Ministry.

With every physical and mental characteristic eminently suited to the plow, or blacksmith shop he was in the profession into which he was thrust a failure, he hectored his congregations in ungrammatical English, endeavored to assume the manners of a gentleman, was half-fellow-well met, with the "boys" and in a way popular, but was totally void of those Spiritual Characteristics that would command respect of the pious and devout; He was "a square peg in a round hole."

Who has not abundant knowledge of the misfit Doctors, Lawyers and other "professional" men all over our land, they are almost as numerous as the successful members of the professions and I amply illustrate and emphasize our contention.

As we have before remarked, it is not the fault of the victim, but of the parent or guardian and there should be a remedy for the evil.

The only one that occurs to us is that, every youngster be given a good sensible education, which being acquired, he be permitted to elect his own vocation in life and the chances are that his natural predilections will land him where he belongs. DEAN SLOW.

You can't cure dyspepsia by dieting. Eat good, wholesome food, and plenty of it—Lodol Dyspepsia Cure digests food without aid from the stomach, and is made to CURE. F. S. Duffy.

A WOOD WORKING FACTORY

With Capital Stock \$10,000 Paid Up Organized.

Mr. M. L. Hollowell has promoted an enterprise, and successfully and quickly organized a company which will furnish the money to build and equip a factory for the manufacture of sash, doors, blinds, balusters and the various manufactured articles which may be made in a thoroughly equipped wood working factory.

Mr. Hollowell has made a personal visit to a number of these factories at High Point and other places in this State, and he sees the same opportunities for success in New Bern for such a factory, as has been made by the factories at other points in North Carolina.

There can be no question that the raw materials for such a factory are right at hand here, and as for the demand for the manufactured article that exists every day, and the goods only need to be made to find a ready sale.

The capital stock of the new company, which has not been organized so far as an election of officers is concerned, is \$10,000, all paid in by citizens here.

A site will soon be selected and a building erected, equipped with all modern and latest improved machinery.

An experienced manager will be engaged to conduct the manufacturing part of the establishment.

"What might have been"—if that little cough hadn't been neglected—is the sad reflection of thousands of consumptives. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs and colds. F. S. Duffy.

Many golden opportunities have been lost by those who suffer from rheumatism. By taking Rheumaloid now they will be permanently and positively cured.

Dollars and cents should teach you to have your prescriptions filled where qualities are always reliable and you get the most value for the least money. Our customers' interests are always our interests and you may depend upon every prescription sent out is composed of the best and freshest drugs money buy. Leave yours with us, we will deliver them at your residence. Bradham's Pharmacy, Phone 78.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Results of Saturday's Baseball Games. Special to Journal.

St. Louis, July 1.—Baltimore 6, St. Louis 2.
Pittsburg July 1.—Brooklyn 2, Pittsburg 3.
Cleveland, July 1.—Boston 3, Cleveland 10. Second game—Boston 14, Cleveland 6.
Louisville, July 1.—Philadelphia 4, Louisville 10.
Chicago, July 1.—New York 9, Chicago 16.
Cincinnati, July 1.—Washington 1, Cincinnati 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club	W.	L.	P. Ct.
Brooklyn	45	19	.708
Boston	40	25	.615
Chicago	38	24	.613
Philadelphia	37	24	.607
Baltimore	34	26	.567
St. Louis	26	28	.483
Cincinnati	20	29	.509
New York	30	33	.476
Pittsburg	29	33	.475
Louisville	23	40	.365
Washington	18	45	.286
Cleveland	13	49	.197

Thomas Rhodes, Centerfield, O., writes "I suffered from piles seven or eight years. No remedy gave me relief until DeWitt's Witch hazel Salve, less than a box of which permanently cured me." Soothing, healing, perfectly harmless. Beware of counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

Bradham's Phosphates always satisfy—they are made just right and are not only healthy but aid digestion.

Old English Ale on draught at Burke's.

Monarch Shirts

I have just received a beautiful line of the Celebrated MONARCH SHIRTS.

When you see Monarch stamped on a shirt you know what you are buying.

R. H. BAXTER,

No. 95 Middle Street.

At the Book Store

The Standard of Excellence in Quality of Stock and Manufacture is fully attained in all our Fashionable Stationery.

G. N. Ennett.

Why Suffer With Dyspepsia

When you can get a Wood Saw and Saw Buck from us for 85c. Well Brooms are up in Prices but we have them and you must sweep, if a nice house you would keep

A Farm Bell and Frame for \$3.00.
An Alarm Mo sey Drawer for \$1.25.
We have Hand Saws for 40c, 65c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.
A Towel Roller for 15c.
A Hat Rack for 10c.
Bird Cages have recently advanced in price but we have them at the same low price. Call and get one before they are all gone.
A Revolving Harness Punch 60c.
Door Mats, 50c, 75c, 80c and \$1.00.
A Decorated Japanese Crumb Tray and Brush for 25c.

We have just received another lot of Celebrated Thermometers and Barometers and they will go at 25c each.

Did you get your freezer last week? If not remember we have a few left. White Mountains, Lightnings, Arctic and Owl Bitters.

Our Nickel Plated Stoveware, Polished and Galvanized Ware is very attractive. Next to the preparation of the food is the use of it in which you cook it.

Have you seen our latest patent Ice Pick and Ice Maker. 15c for one of these is money well invested. The Ice Shavers are on the go. Have you supplied your self. Price 15c, 50c and 75c each.

Brick Trowels for 60c. A Hack Saw for 75c. An Iron Square for 25c. Garden Trowels, nice for transplanting flowers, 5c and 15c each.

Thermometers with Red Glass for tobacco burns Tobacco Kullers for cutting your tobacco. Tobacco Twine, 5c, 10c, 20c.

Mason's Fruit Jars.

Fruit Jar Rubbers, 5c dozen.
A Star Filter Bucket for 35c.
Our Balloon Fly Traps have come and now the flies must go.

Ask Royall, the Candy Man about our Hat Traps.
Are you troubled with rats?
We have the Traps.
Yours for Business,

J. C. Whitty & Co.

June 30, 1899

MONDAY, JULY 3d,
GRAND CLEARANCE SALE,
AT
O. Marks Co.

Our Annual Clearance Sale takes place Monday, July 3d, and the special prices we name are **GOOD FOR ONE DAY ONLY.** During this sale no goods will be charged and no coupons given. Here is a list of some of the good things that await you. Be on hand early and get some of them.

Yard Wide Bleaching,
Standard quality, absolutely free from starch, 5c

The balance of this season's Calicos all go at 3 1-2c

Figured Lawns and Organdies, that were 20c, 12 1-2c
Figured Lawns that were 15c and 12 1-2c, 10c

Figured Lawns that were 10c 6 1-2c
All 8c Colored Lawns, at 5