

Meeting of Board of Aldermen.

New Bern, Jan. 30. Board met pursuant to recess, Mayor Patterson, presiding.

Aldermen present, Barrington, Gaskill, Seales, Ives, Watson, Lane, McCarthy, Johnson and York.

The following petition was read to the Board:

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of New Bern:

The undersigned residents and taxpayers of the City of New Bern hereby petition and apply to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of New Bern or a subscription on the part of the City of New Bern of the sum of fifty thousand dollars to the capital stock of the Pamlico, Oriental and Western Railroad Company.

This petition and application is made under and pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature ratified the 27th day of January 1903.

Saturday's Legislature.

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, January 31.—Bills were introduced in the Senate today authorizing the removal of cases from Mayors courts to magistrates courts.

The bill to make drunkenness a misdemeanor failed to pass the Senate. A bill was introduced to establish a State Historian Commission with \$500 annual appropriation.

Great Increase of Students.

Special to Journal.

RALPHIGH, Jan. 31.—The number of students at the Agricultural and Mechanical college here today, reached 501, which breaks the record. There are now 127 in the Agricultural department, while two years ago there were only 27.

Fresh Pork Sausage 12 1/2c lb at J. R. Parker Jr.

A full line of Fancy and Plain Cakes at J. R. Parker Jr.

Bradham's Pharmacy

IS NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

with a new stock of drugs and new stock of seeds. Opposite the Postoffice.

GREAT REDUCTION IN WATCHES.

Open face small ladies silver watch reduced from \$4.00 to \$2.75. Hunting case from \$3.50 to \$2.25, ladies 25 year gold filled Waltham movement from \$18.00 to \$12.50. Ladies solid, 14 karat, stout case, Waltham movement from \$18.50 to \$15.00.

Gentlemen thin, small size, 20 year, gold filled, Waltham movement from \$18.00 to \$11.00.

My whole stock will go the same way until we are established in my old stand. I am now at J. J. Baxters

J. O. BAXTER.

STILL GOSSIP

Over Results of Senatorial Contests.

Fight Over Liquor Question. Audubon Bill Does Not Conflict With Hunting Game Birds

Brigadier General Davis. Mild Weather.

RALPHIGH, Jan. 31.—Lee S. Overman, Senator elect, left this afternoon for Salisbury his home. He tells me he received yesterday some 250 telegrams, from all parts of North Carolina, and from other States. He says that his thanks for these kind telegrams be expressed to the senders, when he will later answer personally Cyrus B. Watson and Locke Craig left yesterday afternoon for their respective homes at Winston and Asheville.

One of the odd things about the last vote in the Democratic caucus Thursday night has not been told. Watson had 69 votes with 15 ballots yet remaining to be counted. Strange to say every one of that 15 was for Overman. They were called one after the other, while people literally held their breath.

Another curious thing about the vote Thursday night was that two Watson men were "paired"—Glenn with Moody. It appears to the belief of many persons that the Waltham liquor regulation bill will get a favorable report from the joint committee. The liquor men are making their main fight on the London bill. Col. W. T. Dorich of Goldsboro is their chief counsel. He has had an office here for a fortnight or more and is working very hard.

Much interest is felt in the bill chartering the Audubon society and protecting song and sea birds. The slaughter of the terms and gulls has practically exterminated them, but with protection they will again multiply. A man named Gould, in Dare county, is the one who slaughters birds for milliners' use. He hires men to shoot them. The shooting is largely done during the breeding season, "dust" shot being used. Of course the young birds, their parents killed die in the nests, and the eggs decay. The committee has so amended the bill that it does not conflict with local laws regulating the killing of game birds. The law as to these is shamefully abused. Mr. W. W. Smith of this city during a recent trip to the coast found that the people who shoot by "fire light," at night, were killing 90 or 100 ducks at a shot. These law breakers will be knocked out of their nefarious business by the game wardens provided for by the Audubon bill.

Charles L. Davis, who was on duty at military headquarters here two years, as a Major of the 10th Infantry. He went to Porto Rico as Lt. Col. of the 8th Infantry and was collector of customs. Then he went to the Philippines as Colonel. Now he is made brigadier general. He is an ardent member of the North Carolina Society of the Cincinnati.

So far the winter has been mild, far milder than last winter, but February is dreaded. It is usually the worst month in the year.

Application To Vote Bonds.

Whereas, pursuant to Act of the Legislature ratified the 27th day of January 1903, rat residents and taxpayers of the City of New Bern have made application to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen for a subscription of Fifty Thousand Dollars, to the Capital Stock of the Pamlico, Oriental and Western Railroad Company.

And Whereas it is the duty of the Board of Aldermen, under the provisions of said Act, upon the filing of said application to order an election to be held upon the question of 'Subscription' or 'No Subscription.' Therefore be it ordained.

Section 1. That an election be held in the City of New Bern on Tuesday the 24th day of March 1903, for the purpose of determining the question of a subscription by the City of New Bern, in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars to the Capital Stock of the Pamlico, Oriental and Western Railroad Company, the said subscription to be made in Bonds of the City to run Thirty Years and to bear interest at a rate not greater than five per cent, interest payable semi-annually, the said Bonds to be of the denomination of \$1000.00 and to be issued to the said Company as per.

Sec. 2. That for the purpose of holding the said election the following voting precincts are established:—

First Ward at City House.

Second Ward at Court House.

Third Ward at Streets Stable.

Fourth Ward at Hargett Shop.

Fifth Ward at McCarthy's.

Sixth Ward Hough and Ready Hook and Ladder house.

And it is further ordained that the following persons be and are hereby appointed Registrars and Poll Holders for the various voting precincts:—

First Ward, Registrar R. R. Hill, Poll holders Geo. Jones, J. T. Lincoln.

Second Ward, Registrar D. F. Foy, Poll holders, E. K. Bryan, Robt Hancock.

Third Ward, Registrar E. S. Street, Poll holders J. W. Smith, W. J. McSorley.

Fourth Ward, Registrar D. B. Jones, Poll holders Brice Anderson, John Hill.

Fifth Ward, Registrar C. J. McCarthy, Poll holders, C. T. Hancock, J. P. Stanley.

Sixth Ward, Registrar Ed Hollowell, Poll holders A. J. Gaskins, Jno Wetherington.

Sec. 3. That [at said election the ballots used shall contain the words "Subscription" and "No Subscription" and the polls shall be opened and the election held under the same laws, rules and regulations under which elections for Aldermen are held under the charter of the City of New Bern.

Sec. 4. That if a vacancy, for any cause shall occur in the office of Registrar or Poll holder the said vacancy shall be filled in the same manner provided in the charter of the City of New Bern in elections held for Aldermen.

Sec. 5. That a new registration of the voters of the City of New Bern is hereby ordered for said election and for the purpose of such registration the various Registrars shall open the registration books at the various voting precincts herein named on Friday the 6th day of March 1903 and shall keep them open to and including Saturday the 14th day of March 1903 and said books shall be kept open during said time from eight o'clock a. m. to six o'clock p. m. of each day.

Sec. 6. That the result of said election shall be ascertained under the same laws and regulations provided in elections held under the charter of said City for Aldermen.

Sec. 7. That this ordinance shall be published in the Daily Journal until the day of election Tuesday March 24th 1903.

F. T. Patterson, Mayor.

J. J. Tolson, City Clerk.

Services Today.

Presbyterian Church—Preaching at 11 a. m., 7:30 a. m. by the pastor, Sabbath School at 3:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Christian Church—M. S. Spear Pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 3 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.

Centenary Church—Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. F. Bumpas, pastor.

Services at the First Baptist Church this morning as usual at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 8 p. m. The hour for the second preaching service will be announced at the morning meeting. Rev. H. O. Moore, pastor.

Regular services at the Tabernacle Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Lumberton at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 87 Craven street. Services Sunday 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible Lesson Sermon today Subject, "Epithet" 1 Thessalonians 12:20. Sunday School after morning service. Testimony service Wednesday 7:00 p. m. Reading Room is open daily. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mailard's Candy at Davis.

Davis Pharmacy has secured the exclusive sale for Henry Mailard's famous candies and has just received an assortment. The quality of the Bonbons and Chocolates are unequalled by anything of the kind in the market. They are put up in a style of elegance far surpassing any package yet produced in this line.

Fresh roasted Coffee ground to order 15 20 25 35 cents per lb at J. R. Parker Jr.

J. J. Baxter is offering for the next 30 days heavy double breasted floss lined underwear at 50c per suit, also boys and girls heavy ribbed hose at 10c worth 15c.

Mothers, Quakers, Bakers and Leggings One Flight 10c pair, at J. R. Parker Jr.

NEW BERN GROCERY CO., NEW BERN, N. C.



A prominent factor among the commercial interests of New Bern is the Wholesale Grocery house of the New Bern Grocery Company, which succeeds the well-known firm of J. A. Paris & Co., of long and successful operation. Under the leadership of courteous, thoroughly trained and experienced gentlemen, the New Bern Grocery Co., is rapidly progressing and gives every indication of exceeding the good business of the old firm. Mr. R. Ulrich, thoroughly known to the patrons of the

old firm, holds the position of Secretary and Treasurer and their patrons can rely upon his giving able attention to their interests.

While handling all articles pertaining to the grocery line in large lots, a brand to which the New Bern Grocery Co. gives especial attention is "GOOD LUCK" Baking Powder—the Leavener which has so satisfactorily served the housekeepers of the South and Southwest that its sale throughout its entire field largely exceeds the combined sale of all other brands. The above car, containing Twenty-seven Thousand, Five Hundred and Thirty-two (27322) pounds—

over Thirteen and three-quarter tons of "GOOD LUCK" was recently purchased and the New Bern Grocery Co. is now about ready for another car of similar proportions.

When one stops to consider that a car-load of "GOOD LUCK" Baking Powder will leaven Thirty-two (32) car-loads of flour, he realizes to some extent the large amount of business transacted by the New Bern Grocery Co. and is convinced of the fact that "GOOD LUCK" is not only the most economical but, to the consumer and grocer, both, is the most satisfactory baking powder on the market, in every particular.

Yours to Please,

J. L. McDANIEL, Wholesale & Retail Grocer,

'Phone 91. 71 Broad St'

N. C. Hams

A few Nice ones just received and another lot expected today.

I have a few gallons of Nice strained Honey at 20c qt. Fresh lot Ontario Buckwheat, Clover Hill Print Butter, Maple Syrup, New Orleans and Porto Rico Molasses, Evaporated Peaches and Apples, Prunes, Codfish and Irish Potatoes, Peanuts, Canned and Bottled Goods of all kinds, Headquarters for Fine Teas and Roasted Coffee.

Give me a call.

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J. L. McDANIEL, Wholesale & Retail Grocer,

'Phone 91. 71 Broad St'

Valentines!

All the latest styles in Lace, Card, Mounts and Cemies.

ENNETT'S BOOK STORE.

REDUCTION!

My entire stock of Ping Pong Sets Reduced as follows:

\$1.25 Sets to \$1.00,
1.50 " " 1.15,
1.75 " " 1.35,
2.00 " " 2.00,
Call before they are all gone.

OWEN G. DUNN, 59 POLLOCK ST.

Toggery Shop Talk.

In Neckwear you'll find that the "English Square" D6 Joinville Scarfs and Cuffs Ties are most worn. Have some Novelties in Hosiery, too; you'll find all New Spring Goods here.

When you want Mens Togs, consult me.

J. E. BENTON, HATTER AND HABERDASHER, 97 Middle Street.

Have You a Cough Or Sore Throat?

Duffy's Cough Killer will cure you. Antiseptic, healing and soothing. Guaranteed.

DUFFY'S PHARMACY.

PEPSI-COLA At The Fire!

There was sufficient of this popular drink saved from fire on Monday night to supply the dealers' needs. The factory will be in operation in a few days and then expect more business for New Bern.

Only 8 Days More

For CLEAN SWEEP SALE of Jan. 1903. A Few Great Bargains. All New Goods. No Trash.

500 Mens Suits at half value.
200 prs Heavy Pants, value \$1.25 for 75c pr.
350 Boys Suits at half value.
1500 Mens and Boys Caps, value 2 and 2 1/2c, to close out at this sale at 1 1/2c.
475 Mens and Boys Shirts, value 75c, 75c and \$1.00 your choice at this sale 35c.
50 doz Mens Suspenders, 25c value, must go at this sale at 12c.
50 doz Ladies, Mens and Childrens Hosiery, will close out at this sale, 3 pairs for 10c.
750 yards Table linen, red and white, value 50c, must go at this sale at 24c.
2500 yards white, garnet, black and blue Casimere, 50c value, to go at this sale for 24c.
SHOES, SHOES, SHOES.

Shoes of all kinds and all sorts to fit and suit everybody.

LOOK! LOOK!

We invite the public to attend this sale and get the best bargains ever offered.

M. F. WARREN, JIM GASKILL, Salesman.

S. COPLON,

75 Middle St, next to Gaskill Hdw. Co., New Bern, N. C.



Special for 3 Days AT Hackburns Ribbons

100 pieces Best Quality Satin Gros Grain, Satin Faille and Satin Taffeta, all colors, Note Price and widths—No. 2, 2 1/2, 5, 2 1/2, 7, 5c, 9, 8c, 12, 8c, 16, 10c, 22, 15c, 80, 35c.

Remnant Sale

50 Pieces Dress Goods, at 1/3 their value in Broad Cloth, Venetian, Courts, Granite, Serge, French Flannels and Novelties.

None of these remnants will be cut.

SOMETHING SPECIAL in Ladies Belts, all late styles, and up-to-date:

25c Value at 15c, 50c Value at 25c.

THIS SALE FOR 3 DAYS ONLY.

NEW BERN GROCERY CO., Successors to J. A. Parris & Co.

WHOLESALE GROCERS

Our connection with Manufacturers, Importers and Packers makes us Headquarters on everything in the grocery line. We buy in car lots and do Strictly a Jobbing business. Try us for prices and be convinced.

NEW BERN GROCERY CO.

Coal.

Splint for use in grates and stoves, and best quality Bituminous for all steam purposes.

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Oak, Ash and Pine. Prompt delivery.

Hollister & Cox Craven St.

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Whitehurst's

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PEPSI-COLA

HEALTHFUL AND INVIGORATING. Cures Nervousness, Relieves Exhaustion, Promotes Digestion.

5c.

AT SODA FOUNTAINS.

SEEDS!

ONION SETS, white, yellow and red varieties just received

Large consignment of Spring Seeds from Rust, Landreth Perry & Co.

BRADHAM'S PHARMACY, Cor. Pollock and Middle Sts.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Seeds at Davis.

Davis Pharmacy has just received a fresh supply of Landreth's Garden Seeds and Mandeville and Kings Flower Seed

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Care that you get **H. G. C.**

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C. J. McSorley & Co's Confectionery Store

THE BEST SWEETS

GOOD CONFECTIONERY.

So good that the baby can eat its fill of it. What is there in pure, delicious confectionery to hurt either baby, child, or grown up persons? There are no purer materials than the ones we use. There is no cleaner way of making confectionery than ours.

J. W. WOOD, (Successor to Foy & Wood) Practical Tinner, PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING

All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

good stock of Cook and Heating Stoves at right prices.

Can be found at the shop on South Front Street formerly occupied by the Arm.

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Coal and Wood!

A few cars of the celebrated Thacker Lump Splint Coal. The best substitute for hard coal on the market.

Also steam & smithing coal.

The best quality Oak, Ash, Mixed and Pine Wood.

Prompt and quick delivery.

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