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YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton, Grain, Provisions and Stocks Range in Prices. Receipts and Shipments.

The following are the market quotations, received by private wire to A. B. Baxter & Co. New Bern, N. C.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Date. Includes items like Cotton, Grain, Provisions, and Stocks.

New York, Oct. 27.

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PROSPERITY FOR THE PICK POCKETS.

The most remarkable "exhibit" of the recent "Fair Week at Raleigh, was the phenomenal success of the light fingered folk, or those commonly called pick pockets.

The showing made by the pick pockets was a startling one, and while the Raleigh papers reported scores of those who had lost valuables, there were probably as many more who suffered, but said nothing.

The great success of the thieves of course resulted from the prosperity that abounds throughout the State.

Every one had money, had it in small and large wads, and went to the State Fair to spend it.

The very bountiful supply of money every one had, compared to other times, and the desire to have a good time, gave the opportunity to those who sought the money of the unsuspecting sight seer.

In the matter of arrests, the Raleigh police do not make a good showing, and the example to be made of the very few thieves caught, does not cover the fact that the losses were very heavy, more so than they should have been, and this is likely to result to the detriment of future fairs.

The average visitor to a fair expects to get rid of whatever money he carries to the fair, but he wants to spend it himself, even if the shows may be poor, but does not want to be relieved of all his money at once.

It is to the credit of Raleigh that no concealment has been made of this pick pocket epidemic, the worse has been made public, and there ought to be no further "exhibit" of this kind permitted in the future.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

His Sabotage.

A gentleman who had grave doubts as to a servant's sobriety one day accused him of intemperance and as a test chalked a line across the floor and commanded him to walk along it.

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The Kidney and Bladder.

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To be proud of learning is the greatest ignorance.—Jeremy Taylor.

Who makes quick use of the moment is a genius of grandeur.—Lafayette.

Prosperity's right hand is industry, and her left hand is frugality.—Zimernann.

Pleasure is the flower that fades; remembrance is the lasting perfume.—Bonifera.

The higher the character or rank the less the pretense, because there is less to pretend to.—Boyer.

To an honest mind the best privilege of a place are the advantages it gives a man of doing good.—Addison.

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R. A. Trei Had Sick Headaches

135 Second Street, Troy, N. Y., August 25, 1903.

Mr. Trei says: "I have been troubled for some time with dizziness and sick headaches, and at times would feel as if I were only existing, and not living. I was extremely nervous and all run down.

Paine's Celery Compound Cured Him.

A comical vindication of the rights of property among the savages of New Guinea was witnessed by a missionary, the Rev. James Chalmers.

The shirt had once belonged to some white man, and the importance it gave the present wearer was tremendous.

But when his glory was at its height a bigger boy appeared, hot with rage and carrying a jacket. He fell upon the first lad and began stripping off the shirt.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. No one who is acquainted with its good qualities can be surprised at the great popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Early Liverpool advices were quite up to expectations due to profit taking by recent buyers.

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A DISAPPOINTED MAN.

He took life too seriously. He did not choose upward.

He starved from mental poverty.

He saved his money, but missed his mind.

His social facilities atrophied from disuse.

He thought he could not be happy without wealth.

He did not develop his manhood along with his business.

He murdered his capacity for happiness in getting ready for it.

He sacrificed the friends of his youth and had no time to make new ones.

He never learned the art of extracting enjoyment from common things.

He had developed a colossal power for receiving, but had never learned to give.

He was a victim of habit and routine; he never could rise above his vocation.

His only enjoyment was in repeating what he had been doing all his business life.

He had never learned to enjoy as he went along, but found that postponed happiness was a delusion.—Success.

Many Mothers of a Like Opinion.

Mrs. Plimer, of Cordova, Iowa, says: "One of my children was subject to a cough of a severe type, and the giving of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly always brought relief.

Smoking in Banks.

In every bank in New York there is a rule against smoking, and it is doubtful if any depositor or visitor ever sees a cell of tobacco smoke sitting through the atmosphere in the big counting houses—that is, no visitor who is excluded from the building promptly when the bank closes.

A Perfect Painless Pill.

is the one that will cleanse the system, set the liver to action, remove the bile, clear the complexion, cure headache and leave a good taste in the mouth.

A Personal Bill of Fare.

A squire of Andover once hired a brother of Patrick, who was in his employ.

Two Strong.

My boy tells me you discharged him, set the late office boy's mother.

A Cure For Dyspepsia.

I had Dyspepsia in its worst form, and felt miserable most all the time.

Hard Luck.

"Did you get anything?" whispered the burglar on guard as his mate emerged from the window.

Short and Merry.

He—Have saved up enough for me to live at the rate of \$10,000 a year.

He—For how long?

He—Oh, one year.—Life.

PEOPLE WE KNOW.

They are New Bern People, and What They Say is of Local Interest.

When an incident like the following occurs right here at home, it is bound to carry weight with our readers.

LARGEST AND FINEST STOCK OF HORSES and MULES.

Ever offered for sale in New Bern. A car load of each just in.

Also, complete line of Saddles, Wagons, Harness, Robes, Whips, Cart Wheels, Etc.

J. A. JONES, Broad St.

Natural Steak Lick!

Give your Horses and Cattle what nature intended for them and keep them in a natural condition.

Oyster! Oyster!

From now on we will have Oysters which we will serve by numerous, half-shell or otherwise.

Chapel Hill Oysters to-day at Nixon & Co's.

120 Middle St.

Best for medicinal uses. Direct from our distillery to YOU. HAYNER WHISKEY. PURE SEVEN-YEAR-OLD RYE. 4 QUARTS \$3.20 EXPRESS PREPAID.

Sale & Exchange STABLES. Fine lot Light and Heavy Draft Mules, also Good Working Horses Just Received.

L. G. Daniels, NEW BERN, N. C. John Dunn, Grocer. Staple and Fancy Groceries.

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HOLD YOUR HORSES & MULES. J. A. JONES, Broad St. That you may want to trade or wait if you intend buying until you see my stock and get my prices.