

# New Bern Daily Journal.

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Twenty-Third Year

## Have You Seen Our New Neck-wear?

It will be worth your while at least. It does not cost anything to look, and but very little money to buy.

We have just received a new shipment of the newest things on the market in Chiffon, Lace, and Taffeta. Collars and Cuffs to match.

**NEW TIES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.**

**J. M. Mitchell & Co.,**  
PHONE 288.  
42 Pollock St., Opposite Post-office.

## SPRING SHOES.

Our Spring Line of W. L. Douglas, Stacy Adams and Lewis A. Crosette Shoes have come in and we are showing the

**NEWEST STYLES** in High Shoes and Oxfords. In Patent Leather, Tans, Vics and Box Calf.

**Come in and See Them.**

We will be pleased to show you.

**J. J. BAXTER.**

## You Will Save Money

By buying goods at This Week's Sale. Read carefully every item advertised in this advertisement and you will soon find a saving from 25 to 40 per cent.

**104 Sheeting.** Three hundred yards of Best Quality 10-4 Sheeting, price elsewhere 28c, our price this week 20c yard.

**Sea Island.** 1,800 yards the very best full yard wide Sea Island. Others ask 7c a yard. We sell the same quality for 5c the yard.

**Hamburg Bargains.** 1,400 yards, fine quality Edging and Insertion. Price elsewhere 15c, our price 7c the yard.

**Rubbers.** Men's Rubbers 50c, Ladies Rubbers 40c.

Our end of Season's sale of Clothing and Furnishings. The Bargain hunters are buying large packages of Goods each day. Big cut in Suits, Sacrifice price on Overcoats.

**S. COPLON,**  
75 Middle Street.

## Groceries.

Fresh Lot Apples, Onions and Irish Potatoes

JUST RECEIVED A Solid Car Load of Flour from the old Reliable Voight Milling Co., embracing the following popular brands.

OUR PATENT, CALLA LILY AND ABOVE ALL.

Our Geo's are Fresh

and Carefully Selected

Reasonable Prices.

We solicit consignments of all kinds of Country Produce and Guarantee Prompt attention and Quick Returns and will promise the Highest Prices that can be obtained.

Give us a Trial.

**L. H. Ervin,**  
No. 81 South Front St.

## Elwood Wire Fence

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CAR LOAD.

BEST FENCE ON THE MARKET.

Full line Building Material, Paints and Oils.

SAW MILLS and MILL SUPPLIES.

Gaskill Hdw. & Mill Supply Co.

### A MATTER OF HEALTH



### THE SHOPS REMAIN

An Elaborate Spread Given at Hotel Chattawka.

The Officers of The Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad Company Meet The Citizens Under Most Pleasant Circumstances.

There was an event at the Hotel Chattawka yesterday which marked a epoch in the history of New Bern, especially its commercial history. It was a banquet in which fifty representative citizens met the officials of the Atlantic & North Carolina road, formerly the Howland Improvement Company, as it is now operated. The gentlemen had been over the road on a tour of inspection. They returned in their special train from Morehead City at one o'clock and soon after were conducted to the hotel where the local party was awaiting them. They were cordoned an informal reception and then escorted to the banquet room.

The dinner was an elegant spread of six courses in which the delicious shad played an important part. The feast reflected great credit on the hotel management. Following is the bill of fare:

- New River Oysters on Shell
- Queen Olives Celery Mixed Pickles
- Planked Shad Mre de Helie
- Potato Saratoga.
- Julienne Wine.
- Roast Saddle Venison Current Jelly
- Roast Wild Turkey Cranberry Sauce
- Chicken Salad, Maysnoise Dressing
- Spring Radishes.
- Broiled Shad Roe Saut'e
- Mince Pie Pumpkin Pie
- Assorted Cakes.
- Bents Water Wafers Edom Cheese
- Sylabub and Garrett's Sautene Wine
- Coffee Chocolate Tea
- Cigars and Cigarettes.

After the cigars were lighted, Mr. M. DeW. Stevenson as Master of Ceremonies made a very pleasing introduction to the first speaker, Mr. William H. Oliver, who as second, oldest resident of New Bern welcomed the guests in a cordial manner. Mr. Stevenson then made some happy remarks in which he referred to the visit of a Rhode Island gentleman who visited this county forty years ago, but came on a different errand—Gen. Burnside. He paid a graceful compliment to the Union general and said that he believed that he treated the people of New Bern as considerately as any one could under the circumstances.

Mr. Frank S. Gannon, vice-president of the Atlantic & North Carolina Co. was the first of the visitors to speak. He said that he was overcome with the cordiality that the officials had met, and with the demonstration in particular. It is the desire of the company to gain the confidence of the people and their cooperation. The time has come when a rail road organization cannot think that it owes the north and the future thereof. The company's interests are the interests of the people. It is a proposition where co-operation is necessary and where that fails it is a failure to be regretted by the people as well as by those financially interested. He made a statement in regard to the rates. Application has been made to the Commission for authority to reduce rates on New Bern from \$2.00 to \$1.00 on an average of more than 30 per cent below the old rates.

There is a need to take into the account that the road is not only a means of transportation, but also a means of commerce. The road is a means of commerce. The road is a means of commerce. The road is a means of commerce.

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east of New Bern have been reduced five cents a barrel and three cents a on stations west. Planters along the line of the Atlantic Coast Line will have no better advantage in shipping their goods than truck raisers on the A. & N. C.

A satisfactory rate on lumber is being contemplated and negotiations are being made with the Pennsylvania Company to get a rate to inland towns.

As to the improvements on the road the company has purchased 500 tons of rails, heavier than those in use now have placed orders for 2,000 more tons. They have received box cars and will order 50 more of the same style and will also have 20 open cars. They will place an order for six new passenger coaches and will dispense with the car stove resorting to steam heat for the coaches.

The matter of increasing the speed of trains must necessarily wait upon the improvement of the track, but they hope within a few months to reduce the time between New Bern and Morehead City twenty minutes and possibly one half hour.

The next speaker was Judge LeBaron B. Colt, United States Circuit Judge of 1st. Judicial Circuit. He expressed his appreciations in regard to Mr. Stevenson's remarks on Gen. Burnside, who he said was held in love and veneration by the people of Rhode Island. He knew that the respect that he had won was because of his superior qualities as a man as well as a commander. He was at times eloquent and paid many compliments to the State of North Carolina. He made many references of a historical nature which were interesting as well as instructive. He counseled the citizens to be patient. Great bodies move slowly. While the company may be slow in making good their promises they would find in the end that corporations are not so inimical to people as is generally supposed. Don't kick. Don't rush to legislature with petitions and protests. Look to the future and respect the efforts of the corporation to give a good railway service on business.

The gentleman's address was replete with humor and he told many good stories. He was rapturously applauded during the progress of his speech.

Mr. Marsden Perry was then introduced who made a very felicitous speech sparkling with humor. He said he had two announcements by which wanted to settle once and for all and the first was that the railroad shops would not be moved. It had been the desire of the officials to have the shops at the place where the general offices were located. It is almost necessary to be where they can be in touch at all times with the mechanical department; they had, however given the matter their serious thought and had decided it best to keep the shops in this place.

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Those of the citizens who spoke were Messrs J. A. Meadows, G. N. Ives, James Hades and A. D. Ward. Their remarks were of a friendly and happy nature and developed a good spirit towards the visiting capitalists.

The visiting party who represent the executive part of the company were: Messrs Marsden J. Perry, president, Mr. Frank S. Gannon, vice-president, Mr. E. A. Neil, traffic manager and Mr. Fred Merritt. Judge Colt is not connected with the road.

Mr. R.-S. Howland was not with the party.

**That Beautiful Gloss.** comes from the varnish in Devos's Varnish Floor Paint, costs five cents more a quart though. Sold by E. W. Smallwood.

**New Masonic Theatre!**  
**THURSDAY**  
**MARCH 9th.**  
**Thomas Jefferson**  
**Rip Van Winkle**

Best on sale at Waters' Book Store.

## DIVORCE BILLS A LAW.

Confusion in Senate on Anti-Jug Law.

Multitudes of Bills Passed Affecting Municipalities. Some Craven County Bills in the Bunch.

Special to Journal. Raleigh, Feb. 3.—There was a long and interesting hearing by the Senate judiciary committee this evening on the divorce bills. It was decided by a vote of 7 to 6 to report favorably.

The McNinch bill, has passed the House, but members said there would be a hard fight on it in the Senate tomorrow. An effort was made to secure a favorable report on a substitute bill of Mason of Gaston, which is the law in the code of 1883. The vote was 7 to 8, Mason of Northampton, committee chairman voted no, and broke the tie.

In the Senate bills passed to incorporate Mays, Pitt county; to establish a dispensary at Falkland, Pitt county; to provide for appeals in contempt cases; to provide for payment of costs in Supreme court; substitute for House bill to prevent dealing in futures was made special order for Saturday.

Bills passed to furnish lawlessness on public roads in Craven. Senate refused to concur in House amendment to Scales bill to prevent fire waste; Geological survey reviewing its work and that by Government, urging passage of bill appropriating \$10,000 annually.

Bills passed changing time of court in Craven; to prohibit manufacture and sale of whiskey near hundreds of schools and churches; to fix time for courts in Craven and Greene; to limit duties of commissioners of Greene county regarding stock law; to define place of sale of intoxicating liquors this being new anti-jug law, substitute being adopted; to amend the oyster laws; to pay solicitors salary of \$2,500 instead fees; appointing hundreds of justices of peace in various counties; revenue act with amendments reducing tax on circus to \$200 a day; to regulate Life Insurance companies in this State and allowing them to register their policies.

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Bills passed to settle South Dakota and Schaefer bond matter; to prohibit fire insurance companies from conspiring to limit commissions of agents; to regulate county liabilities; to establish a geological survey carrying \$7500 to protect minor children whose father are dead and mothers are insane; to prevent fraudulent trading; to amend law regarding building and loan associations and regulate them. To require railroads to deliver goods within reasonable time. To regulate election law regarding pay of county boards; to amend dispensary law by repealing part requiring a record to be kept of all who purchase, making it misdemeanor for any one to procure liquor for minors and giving power to dispensary dealers to refuse to sell liquors to persons who in their opinion abuse their privileges; to revise the oyster law; to provide for opening public roads after they have been laid out; to fix time of courts in Martin; bill to prohibit shipment of liquor under fictitious names and bill amending law regarding power of mayors and aldermen to sell public property tabled.

Can't you eat, sleep or work? Bad liver? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes rich, red blood, gives strength and health. Cures when all others fail. No cure no pay. 25 cents, Tea or Tablets. F. E. Duffy.

For the finest line of meats in the city call at the Coast Line Meat Market.

**Wm T. Hill,**  
Phone 200

## NEW ARRIVALS

**J. L. McDANIEL'S** Cor. Broad and Hancock Sts.  
New Barrel Sauer Krout, Fresh Harvey, Small Sugar Cured Pig Hams, Fresh Invoice Heinz Baked Beans (Plain and with Heinz Sweet Mixed and Plain Sweet Cucumber Pickles, Florida and California Oranges, Ontario and Hecker's Prepared and Plain Buckwheat, Fresh Elgin and Fox River Print Butter, Dried Apples 5c lb.

**J. L. McDaniel**  
Wholesale & Retail Grocer,  
Parker Store. Corner Broad and Hancock Sts.

**The Trenc Furniture Co.,**  
54 Middle Street.  
**Spring Openers.**  
That just meet the wants of all. Cash or Installment. Offer extremely Fine Chances for Great Bargains. Just give us a trial and you will be convinced.  
Next to Sam Lipman's Dry Goods Store.

### OAKS MEAT MARKET.

The following schedule of prices will be adopted at the Oaks Meat Market on and after Saturday Feb. 18th.

WESTERN AND NATIVE STALL-FED BEEF.			
All Loin Steak per lb.	12c.	Standard Ribs per lb.	12c.
Shoulder cuts " "	10c.	Stew " "	7c.
PORK CUTS.			
Trimmed Loin per lb.	12c.	Shoulders per lb.	10c.
		Stew per lb.	10c.
SAUSAGE.			
Sausage, per lb.	12c.	All Pork per lb.	12c.
Devonshire Farm per lb.	20c.	Chitterlings	8c.
CORNED MEATS.			
Hams per lb.	14c.	Butts per lb.	10c.
Lard 5, 5 and 10 lb buckets per lb.	11c.	Lard in 50 lb cases per lb.	10c.

All Smoked Meats at Lowest Market Prices.

### POULTRY

**Wild Game in Season.**  
These Prices will be strictly observed, and PROMPT DELIVERY GUARANTEED.  
Thanking the public for past favors we solicit continuance of same, and we will endeavor to give satisfaction in every way.  
**OAKS MEAT MARKET.**  
HACKBURN & WILLET,  
Proprietors.

### Something About LAUNDRY

The Goldboro Steam Laundry has been recently equipped with the very latest improved machinery and guarantee perfect satisfaction in their work.

The undersigned has taken the agency for this city and will care for and deliver free of charge all laundry entrusted to him.

Call phone No. 185 between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock on Monday and he will do the rest.  
J. M. HINER, Agt

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To send your friend a Souvenir Post Card today.  
For sale by  
**Owen G. Dunn,**  
Leading Printer & Stationer,  
Cor. Pollock & Craven Sts.

**At Cost**  
I have several Wheeler and Wilson and improved ball-bearing drop head sewing machines which I offer at Factory Cost with freight added.

**FOR SPOT CASH**  
Add full line of Columbia, Bantler and Hartford Bicycles, Plats, Cartel, Gas, Ammunition, Edison Phonographs and Victor Talking Machines and records. Saw the Goods and fill the Spring Goods at lowest prices.

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**Dear Friends:**  
I have just received a beautiful line of Spring and Summer samples that I will make in suits for \$15.00, all work guaranteed. This price is for a short time only.

**A. BLOCK**  
HERBERT TALLOP,  
No. 41 South St., New Bern, N. C.