

THE DAILY JOURNAL.

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NEW BERNE, N. C., THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1882.

NO. 4.

LOCAL NEWS.

Spring weather yesterday.

No cases before the Mayor yesterday.

Shad seventy-five cents per pair yesterday, and but few in market.

Fifty-two tubs of fish shipped from here over the Midland yesterday.

The Midland Railway Co. is constructing a new platform near the warehouse.

E. M. Pavie is giving his building, on Broad street, a neat coat of paint, which adds greatly to its appearance.

Steam packet *Ben Winder* from Norfolk was at the Hughes wharf yesterday unloading ice for Watson & Daniels.

Esq. Hill says petty offences have been greatly on the decrease in the Five Points section since the beginning of the year 1882.

Thos. E. Gaskins, a leading up-river farmer, brought thirty bags of cotton down on the *Neuse* on her last trip. He left it in charge of Dail Bros. for sale.

The boats from Carteret county keep New Berne well supplied with sweet potatoes. Bahamas brought fifty cents per bushel yesterday by the boat load. "Yellow barks"—shipping potatoes—brought sixty-five cents per bushel by the boat load.

Personal.

Dr. Wm. Peterson, of South Creek, Beaufort county, is now in the city. He reports the health remarkably good, and farmers are busy planting their crops.

Personal.

Mr. Mary Bayard Clarke is in attendance at Snow Hill Court, being summoned a witness in the case of Dr. G. K. Bagby vs. Mrs. Cynthia Dunn, removed from Lenoir.

Departures.

The steamer *Trent* left on her regular trip to Jolly Old field on yesterday with a fair load of freight.

The *Pamlico* cleared at 1 P. M. yesterday with a good load of naval stores, cotton, vegetables &c.

Freight Arrivals.

Freights over the Midland arrived for the following parties on Wednesday: C. H. Fowler, G. B. Guion, V. Barzanti, Duffy & Co., Mills & Walker, John Suter, Manswell & Crabtree, H. Sperlberg, J. A. Meadows, C. E. Slover, W. W. Lawrence, Gen. B. Ransom, E. D. Arthur, Roberts & Bros., Geo. N. Ives.

New Berne Market.

COTTON: Middling, 114. Low Middling 104, Good Ordinary 94 Ordinary 8. Sales yesterday of fifty bales at prices ranging from 10.00 to 10.75.

TURPENTINE. Yellow dip \$3.00. Sorape \$2.00 per barrel of 280 lbs.

RICE. 1.10 to 1.20. Sales of 200 bushels at the latter figure.

CORN. In bulk 83 cents, in sacks 86 cents per bushel.

Sharp Skin.

E. M. Foscoe, Esq., of Jones county, showed us yesterday a coin used during the war of 1812, called a *sharp skin*. It is simply a Mexican dollar cut into eight pieces—triangular shape—and used for change. Mr. Foscoe, in settling the estate of the late Daniel Harrison, found this piece of coin in a trunk, and was informed that Mr. Harrison's father purchased it while at Beach Island during the war of 1812.

Steamer Arrivals.

Deliance, of the Clyde Line, came in yesterday morning at 8 o'clock with a full load of general merchandise, guano and a lot of horses and mules for A. & M. Hahn.

The *Trent* came in from up Neuse with corn, shad and a number of passengers on yesterday evening.

Contentnea arrived from Trenton yesterday at 5 P. M. with a full cargo of COFF, meal and cotton.

Pamlico, Capt. Pritchett, of the Old Dominion Line, came in yesterday morning with fair cargo of general merchandise and five passengers.

Rev. E. F. Marable.

This distinguished and able divine began a series of meetings in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday night. It was our pleasure to be present, and we were not only deeply interested in the dissertation of his theme, but were greatly edified. The subject was *Safety*, and well did he say that in all our agricultural, sacred and political relations, we desired to be on the safe side. The speaker said there is a life beyond and there were two worlds beyond and we must inhabit one or the other. The safe one is preferable to the unsafe one. The speaker showed (a) from the experience of the sainted dead and (b) from the word of God that the only safe and infallible side is Christ and Christianity. We will not attempt to give even

a synopsis of the discourse, but advise our citizens to avail themselves of the pleasure of attending his meetings.

Fire Alarm.

Yesterday, at noon, a false alarm of fire was raised near the depot, giving us an opportunity of seeing a little of the New Berne Fire Department.

To our provincial eyes, unused to anything better than a hook and ladder company, or a hand chemical engine, the fire companies here are masters of their art, combining both power and celerity. Standing up stairs in the printing office, next door to the Atlantic fire engine, and going down immediately on hearing the fire alarm, we found the engine already being driven out in a trot, changed to a half run as soon as the horses got fairly in the street, with the engineer sitting in rear of wagon, hurriedly striking matches to get up steam. And all this was done with the disadvantage of one of the horses being out of place in the back yard, the noon feed being about to be given.

The New Berne, which is on Broad street, further up town, made equally as good time as the Atlantic, and, being two blocks nearer the supposed fire, reached there first. The horses for that engine were at work on the street, and so well drilled were they that upon hearing the alarm they wheeled and made for headquarters of their own motion, as quickly and intelligently as a man could have done.

La Grange Items.

What is making a fine appearance.

James Hardee and Wiggins, in the Institute Section, were married last week.

Corn planting was the order of the day last week. The smart ones are nearly through, while the lazy ones have not commenced.

Saturday afternoon is the harvest time among the merchants in town. Judging from appearances, last Saturday did not yield a bountiful harvest.

Col. J. W. Isler, of Wayne, who has been seriously ill for the past two or three weeks, was in town Saturday. His health is still quite feeble.

Ben F. Sutton, of Bucklesbury, took unto himself a third wife on last Thursday. Miss Elsie Herring, of Wayne county, was selected as the bride.

Fishing with hook and line in Bear Creek is a paying business to some. Henry Bunn caught a "chub-fish" that weighed, when first caught, 94 pounds. So says the fisherman.

Lewis Hinson, the man who hand-sticked Henry Suttin's head, was up before Capt. W. S. Byrd, and discharged without bond. It is curious to know how aggravated cases can be made to appear, and upon investigation the evidence is entirely different.

The colored element in the Republican party of this State have conventioned. I see that one of the grievances set forth is that the colored people are partially excluded from sitting on juries. Any person, be he white or colored, who complains because he is excluded from the jury-box, discloses the fact that he is entirely unfit to serve. It is about time for the political cauldron to boil, and we may expect to see the scum rise.

Lenoir Letter.

CONTENTNEA NECK, April 4, 1882.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Though the JOURNAL has departed from the "Municipal City" and has taken up its abode in the "City of Elms," still we all feel a deep and abiding interest in its welfare and success. After seeing your issue of last week, we now feel assured that we will not only receive the benefit of all local news which the JOURNAL has heretofore curtailed, but a vastly improved paper, which will wield a wide moral and political influence in Eastern Carolina. We have heard many express satisfaction with the first issue. Accept our congratulations upon the bright prospects which lie before you.

The farmers of this section are busily engaged in preparing their lands for planting. There will be a slight increase in the acreage in cotton. Small grain is looking unusually well. We venture the assertion that there is some as fine wheat in this township as there is in the county. We have some excellent farmers. Messrs. A. G. Coward, W. H. Rountree, C. T. Barwick, R. M. Abbott and several others in our community are not only making a living, but are making money on their farms. There is a vast amount of productive land in this township. Only pluck and energy are necessary to make it the garden spot of the county.

We are not lagging behind in material improvement. Mr. Jno. L. Ives has lately completed a large and commodious dwelling. Mr. Frank Bruton

is building. Mr. A. G. Coward will begin during this month the erection of an elegant two story dwelling. The Masonic Lodge at Bethel is now being painted and plastered. When the work now being done upon it is completed, this building will be an ornament to the community. The lower floor is used for a school room and is now occupied by Mr. J. D. Murphy, who has a flourishing school. The many public spirited citizens are fully alive on the subject of education. The good seeds sown by "Ye Editor" during the winter, while acting as county superintendent of public schools were not sown in vain. The people are beginning to realize that there can be no progress without culture and no culture without schools.

Mr. Lewis Kilpatrick, one of our best citizens who has been in bad health for sometime, we are glad to say, is rapidly improving.

Some of the fairest among the fair daughters of Lenoir were visiting the family of Mr. W. H. Rountree last week. Lenoir feels proud of her many charming belles. Why there are so many old bachelors in the county is a mystery to your old and humble correspondent,

R. E. PORTER.

Jones County Items.

Commissioner's meeting to-day, not so many present as usual.

The farmers in county generally are very well advanced this spring in preparing for their crops and in planting. Jones county can boast of having as practical, energetic and well to do farmers as any county in the State. I am glad to see men diversifying their crops and especially have they planted more small grain than usual. I think a variety of crops are more profitable as well as a more certain mode of farming.

I offer diversifying as a suggestion to the farmers and I hope you will discuss the subject through the columns of your paper.

Willie Hutchins a nephew of Mrs. Parker about 14 years of age, died in this place last Saturday night, of heart disease.

Miss Hattie Moses of Kinston is visiting Mrs. Capt. Page.

Dr. J. H. Scarborough of Sampson county has located at this place to practice his profession. The Dr. has had two or three years practice and sustains quite a good reputation, and I am confident he will succeed.

The superior court of this county convenes next week, the criminal docket is very small which speaks well for the morality of the county. M.

Jones County Letter.

DRUID GROVE NEAR TRENTON.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—An ancient proverb hath it

"There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip."

I say ancient proverb because my information gathered from those pretending of learning, is that it originated in the presence of Ancaeus, King of Samos, who lived through the Trojan war, that it was a good couplet, afterwards in use by the Latins subsequently translated by Erasmus in his time, by a very elegant line of hexameter. This much I have heard; if any one doubts the same let him prove the contrary.

Now sir, to an application of my proverb. I am not apt at application in such matters. The fact is plain that there is no railroad running to Trenton yet. Reader apply.

Mr. Best has offered to do the work of construction and equipment through the entire county on the payment to him of \$50,000. The great agricultural interest of the future of Jones county demands a railroad, but those figures, alas! Too high. Plenty of good people about Chiquipin who can't read that sort of writing. Mr. B. must come at us again.

Not many people out on Monday last; a good sign—work to do at home. The horny handed sons of toil, as our good office seekers call us, are busy.

We are now having an abundance of that necessary grit, lawyers. Quite a number out on Monday, all young men save Capt. Rasberry, who is justly called "the father of the bar." When Capt. Rasberry draws his broad sword for the arena the scimitar of the soldier is well used by his younger friend, Mr. Pearsal. Mr. D. Perry of Lenoir comes out every public day. He is a rising young man. Mr. Gilman and F. D. Koonce of Onslow, Mr. Manly of New Berne, and Mr. Cab. Koonce were all in attendance on Monday.

Capt. F. R. Page looks hearty and handsome. His leg was badly damaged by the water a few nights ago, but quickly repaired by that energetic gentleman.

The news that Dr. Barker is going to

lecture here during court week is a source of pleasant anticipation to many. He will find many most interesting subjects of phrenological dissection residing in this county, and if our good people will be generous in their offerings of craniums for examination, the entertainment will be complete. There is one man who lives in Trenton or near, "with the front of Jove, an eye like Mars, to threaten and command." To thus is allied a generous, yes, I might say—prodigal regard for himself and with an imagination so indulgent in his every wish of famous narrative that at his bidding the curtain can rise on any state of facts. He is a fitting subject, marked and distinct. I will not mention his name. You know him.

In conclusion pardon a compliment to your paper. My neighbors unite in saying it is the best paper ever published in New Berne. This may be a doubtful compliment, but I mean it to be a true one.

Very respectfully, W. D.

STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

—Governor Jarvis denies that he is Mahoneizing and that he is after Senator Ransom's place.

—*News & Observer*: Poultry is very scarce and high. Eggs have fallen from 20 to 17.—The revenue collections in the fourth district for the week ending last Saturday evening were \$21,253.49.

—A chicken with a beard like that which adorns a turkey gobler, is shown as a curiosity at Moore & Pegram's store.—Gov. Jarvis will to-morrow leave for the west, to make, in company with Senator Vance and Treasurer Worth, an inspection of the completed portion of the Ducktown branch of the Western North Carolina Railroad.

—*Winston Leader*: A Winston canary bird bears the euphonious name of John Algernon Bacon.—Sixteen persons were confirmed in the Moravian church last Sunday evening.—The rite of baptism was administered to four children at the Episcopal church last Sunday.—R. M. Sloan of the First National Bank of Winston, has been elected Cashier of the Reidsville National Bank.—Thirty-three barrels of whiskey were sold by the Collector on Friday last, the same having been forfeited to the United States.—Henry Hill, a colored mail carrier, charged with extracting letters from the mail pouch between Smith Grove and Hall's Ferry, in jail awaiting trial at the Federal Court.—Sunday next is Easter. A large number of visitors will be in Winston to witness the Moravian customs on that day. We learn that several of Greensboro's fair daughters will visit the "Queen city of the Western Hills."

A Slight Attack of Paralysis. Sunday morning Gov. W. W. Holden attended Sunday school, as usual, at the First Baptist church. Going home after the close of the school services, he awaited the hour for church. Just before 11 o'clock he was in his sitting room, and as several members of his family preceded him, on their way out of the house, he reached out his hand to take his hat, and in an instant fell back in his chair, paralyzed. A physician at once attended. Gov. Holden was unable to speak for some hours, but was after a little time entirely conscious. Sunday night he rested well, and yesterday morning was much better and able to converse. His physician thinks the attack a slight one.—*News & Observer*.

Military News.

The Charlotte *Observer* says: Already preparations are being arranged to make the celebrations of the 20th of May for this year an occasion long to be remembered. A letter has been received by Captain E. F. Young, of the Hornets' Nest Riflemen, from Adjutant General Jones, conveying the gratifying intelligence that he would order an encampment of the State Guard in Charlotte for several days about that time, and of course the military here will do the honors of occasion. A big programme is shortly to be mapped out; Gen. Hancock and staff, Gov. Jarvis and staff, and quite a number of other prominent gentlemen are to be invited.

Federal Court.

This court convenes to-morrow for regular business. We learn there are on the criminal trial docket eighty cases—all for illegal distilling, retailing, moving, &c. There are twenty-six cases in which the United States have sued distillers upon their warehouse bonds for their non-payment of taxes. There are twenty warrants returned by commissioners parties being held for court. There are, also thirty civil suits. We are glad to state, that while the clever clerk, J. W. Payne, is still on crutches, yet he is able to attend to all business in his line.—*Greensboro Register*.

HAY! HAY!

FINE LOT NORTH RIVER HAY Just received and for sale low.

ELIJAH ELLIS, Apr. 6 1 w d

FOR SALE.

AT A BARGAIN. A Matthew's SOA WATER apparatus, with Counter Top, Marble, and all complete in perfect order. No reasonable offer refused.

F. M. AGOSTINE, New Berne N. C.

CITY ITEMS.

This column, next to local news, is to be used for Local Advertising.

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On and after Monday, April 10, 1882, Freight and Truck Train will leave New Berne, Goldsboro and other points as follows:

Leave New Berne,	3.30 P. M.
Gold'sboro, daily except Sunday, 10.25 "	
Arrive Portsmouth,	11.47 A. M.
Leave Portsmouth,	5.30 P. M.
Arrive Baltimore,	Monday 5.00 A. M.
Leave Portsmouth, Wed., Sat. and Mon.,	
Arrive Philadelphia, Thurs., Sun. & Tues.,	P. M.
Leave Portsmouth, Mon. Wed. and Sat. 6.00 "	
Arrive New York, Wed. Fri. and Mo.,	A. M.
Leave Portsmouth, Tuesday and Friday 3.00 P. M.	
Arrive Boston, Friday and Monday,	A. M.

Shipments made on SATURDAY, will have to remain over in New BERNE and WELDON until MONDAY, when they go forward on regular schedule.

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Midland N. C. Railway Co.

[Atlantic and No. Ca. Division.]

TIME TABLE No. 13.

In Effect Sunday, 11:44 P. M., October 30, 1881.

Express, Passenger and Mail Trains run on this road as follows:

EAST.		WEST.	
No. 47	STATIONS.	No. 48	
Arr. L'v.		Arr. L'v.	
A. M. A. M.		P. M. P. M.	
6:00	6:30 Goldsboro,	6:30	6:00
6:15	6:45 Best's,	6:45	6:15
6:30	6:55 La Grange,	6:55	6:30
6:45	7:05 Falling Creek,	7:05	6:45
7:00	7:15 Kinston,	7:15	6:55
7:15	7:25 Dover,	7:25	7:05
7:30	7:40 Core Creek,	7:40	7:20
7:45	7:55 Tuscarora,	7:55	7:35
8:00	8:10 Clark's,	8:10	7:50
8:15	8:25 New Berne,	8:25	8:05
8:30	8:40 Riverdale,	8:40	8:20
8:45	8:55 Croatan,	8:55	8:35
9:00	9:10 Woodbridge,	9:10	8:50
9:15	9:25 Havelock,	9:25	9:05
9:30	9:40 Newport,	9:40	9:20
9:45	9:55 Hollywood,	9:55	9:35
10:00	10:10 Cape Fear,	10:10	9:50
10:15	10:25 Atlantic Hotel,	10:25	10:05
10:30	10:40 Morehead Depot,	10:40	10:20
11:05			11:44
A. M.		P. M.	P. M.

THROUGH AND WAY FREIGHT, PASSENGER CAR ATTACHED.

P. M. P. M.		A. M. A. M.	
7:00	7:30 Goldsboro,	9:15	9:45
7:30	8:00 Best's,	9:45	10:15
8:00	8:30 La Grange,	10:15	10:45
8:30	9:00 Falling Creek,	10:45	11:15
9:00	9:30 Kinston,	11:15	11:45
9:30	10:00 Dover,	11:45	12:15
10:00	10:30 Cape Fear,	12:15	12:45
10:30	11:00 Tuscarora,	12:45	1:15
11:00	11:30 Clark's,	1:15	1:45
11:30	12:00 New Berne,	1:45	2:15

Apr. 1-4-ly.

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