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## LOCAL NEWS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. A. GUYON—Bank Statement.

### Journal Miniature Almanac.

Sun rises, 4:48 | Length of day,  
Sun sets, 7:07 | 14 hours and 19 min.  
3 u. m.

### Thermometer Record of Yesterday.

10 a. m. 72°  
3 u. m. 70°

Three bales of cotton sold at the Exchange yesterday.

Mr. D. Stinson has received five new boilers for his saw mill.

Lumber has arrived from the Midland Railway Company's saw mill on the extension for the new depot.

The frame work of Mr. C. T. Watson's dwelling on the corner of Metcalf and Pollock streets is rapidly going up.

The *Neuse* brought in eighty barrels of Irish potatoes last night. She was unable to reach Kinston this trip, but sent her cargo up on a flat.

**Runaway.**  
Mr. Clem Manly's nag took fright at the popping of a pistol on South Front street yesterday and ran away, tearing the buggy to pieces.

**Struck by Lightning.**  
Yesterday evening the foremast of the schooner *R. T. Briggs*, while lying at Ellis' wharf was struck by lightning setting the topsail on fire and badly shivering the mast. A splinter four or five feet long and three or four inches thick was found about fifty yards from the boat. The mate was struck by a small splinter but not seriously hurt.

### Directors Meeting.

A meeting of the Directors of the New Berne and Pamlico Steam Transportation Company was held yesterday at the Board of Trade rooms, and it was agreed to increase the capital stock of the Company to \$15,000. Several propositions were offered for the building of a boat, but none accepted.

A meeting of the Stockholders is called for next Thursday night.

### Marine News.

The schooner *Mary S.* Capt. Berry, from Hyde arrived Wednesday night with cargo of corn.

The schooner *S. Francis*, Capt. W. B. Douglas arrived yesterday from Lake Landing with cargo of corn.

The schooner *T. T. Briggs* cleared yesterday evening after discharging her cargo and having her foremast shivered with lightning.

### Personal.

Mr. L. J. Moore went up to Kinston yesterday evening on legal business.

Mr. E. B. Harget of Silver Dale, Onslow county, called to see us on Thursday. The stand of cotton is pretty fair in his neighborhood.

Capt. W. J. Rasberry of Trenton passed through the city yesterday on his way to Kenansville to argue before Judge Gilmer, a case of injunction for ex-sheriff Worley of Jones against the Commissioners of Jones county. He was accompanied by Mr. Clement Manly of this city who appears for the Commissioners.

### Federal Decoration Day.

Pursuant to adjournment a meeting was held yesterday for the reports of the Committee appointed on last Monday.

The Committee on officials reported as follows:

Orator, R. B. Lehman Esq.  
Reader of Psalm, Geo. E. Tinker Esq.  
Chaplain, Rev. G. W. Offley.  
Marshal, Maj. Wm. L. Palmer.  
Assistant Marshals, R. C. Kehoe and C. R. Robbins.

The report was adopted.

Other Committees reported progress being instructed however to report finally at 5 o'clock Monday Eve next, at the Custom House when and where all persons interested in the ceremonies are requested to be present.

### Explanatory.

We are not satisfied with the way the JOURNAL is sometimes printed. We know that the public ought to always get a neatly printed paper. We have been laboring under three difficulties, and we hope soon to remove them. Some of our type is old and worn—we have ordered a new outfit which will reach us in two or three days, and the JOURNAL will then be printed out and out with new type. Our paper on which the Daily is printed is too thin—as soon as our present supply is out (about three weeks) we will have heavier paper. Our power press, being second hand, gives us trouble—and if we fail to get it to do nice work we will get rid of it and get a new one. We wish to succeed, and we know that a paper does not deserve success unless it is neatly printed.

### Mayor's Court.

"Peter Williams, you are charged with violating sec. 2, chap. 8, of the city ordinances by cursing upon the public streets."

"I am guilty, sir."

Policeman Hurtt, Braxton Latham and George Green were sworn.

Hurtt testified that Williams was drunk and cursing loud enough to attract the attention of a crowd; Latham heard Williams bring but one oath, while Green heard him talking loud and saying, "By Jesus, did you come after me?"

"Step this way, Peter. According to the evidence you are guilty of the charges."

"What! for saying by Jesus?"

"Don't make any difference about the particular words used so they were loud and boisterous. It appears in the evidence that you resisted the officer to some extent, but you are not charged with that. Under the circumstances I shall have to fine you two dollars and costs. Fall back and take your seat."

"All right. I takes an appeal from that," said Peter as he subsided.

A RING WITHIN A RING.

"Richard Tucker, you are charged with committing an assault on Mary Davis on the 24th. Are you guilty or not?"

"Not guilty, sir."

Matilda Gunterson and Mary Davis were sworn, and testified substantially that Tucker went to Matilda Gunterson's house for the purpose of making some sales—being a huckster—and Mrs. Gunterson asked him to return a ring of hers that he had in his possession. This he refused to do, but declared his intention of taking another off her finger and caught hold of her hand for that purpose and pulled her down on the floor, squeezing her hand so hard that the blood, said Mary Davis, was about to burst out. Mary took the shears and beat Tucker's hand with them until he let go; then Mrs. Gunterson slipped the ring off and handed it to Mary; she put it in her mouth and ran across the street, Tucker after her, into a house, where he squeezed her mouth so that the ring dropped out and he got it. Two rings were shown by Tucker, one of which Mrs. Gunterson recognized.

At the close of the testimony a second charge was brought against Tucker for an assault on Matilda Gunterson.

"I am not guilty, sir; not at all."

The same evidence was then rehearsed about his forcibly taking the ring from Mrs. Gunterson, at the conclusion of which His Honor asked:

"Is there any more evidence in this case?"

"Yes, sir," replied Tucker, "I want to speak, and I have a witness, Sarah Davis."

Sarah, an old colored woman on two crutches, hobbled up, took the book, and when His Honor concluded the oath said, before kissing the book, "Yes, sir, before God it shall be the truth and nothing but the truth."

"Tell us what you know about Richard Tucker's making an assault on Matilda Gunterson."

"Yes, sir. Mary Davis come to my house and told me—"

"That won't do. What I want to get at is, do you know any thing about his making an assault on this woman; were you there?"

"No sir, I wasn't there but Mary was telling—"

"Then you know nothing about it?"

"No sir."

"Yer Honor, she does know—"

"Keep quiet Tucker. You can stand aside, Sarah Davis."

"I will take an appeal."

"No, you needn't bother about an appeal; I will send you to court, anyhow. Let me see the ordinance."

After consulting the ordinance Tucker was fined \$20, and cost in each case.

"He can take an appeal if he wants to."

"No, I'll take thirty days in jail; rather do that than go to the Penitentiary."

"It is thirty days in each case, remember."

"Can't you make it thirty in all; I'll never go up there again."

"Thirty in each case," said His Honor, and "Court is adjourned," said the Marshal.

### A New Car.

On yesterday the *Enterprise*, the only first class car ever built in New Berne, was run out of the shops. It is about completed with the exception of the upholstery and putting on the air breaks. It is forty-seven feet long, and divided into a parlor, kitchen and sleeping rooms. The parlor is 30 feet long by 9 feet 4 inches wide, and will be nicely carpeted, will have centre tables, side board, chairs, lounges, etc. There are two sleeping rooms, and the kitchen has a large No. 8 cook stove; water tank, refrigerator, pantry, etc. It also contains a Spears anti-clinker, car heater, by which all the rooms can be

heated. The inside finish is of ash and walnut and is handsomely finished up. The outside color is of dark claret, it has the Janney car coupling, and will have air breaks. The car complete will cost about \$5,000.

The plan of the car was drawn by Master Machinist Manly and Mr. G. H. Marshall. The carpenter work has been directed and done by Mr. Jacob Taylor in a highly creditable manner. The work certainly indicates that he is master of his trade. This car will probably be the first to run into Smithfield, and will be a creditable turn-out for the machine shops of this place.

### Kinston Items.

"Kinston College" is the name of the institution of which Dr. R. H. Lewis will be Principal.

"Over the hills and far away" is the significant song of one of Kinston's finest young men.

Our friend Robinson Wood says he has been wrongly reported—that he thinks it very hard to confine a man, like a rhinoceros, to "one horn" a day. He can take 77 before breakfast if you call it post-ack bark tea.

S. H. Abbott's brick store is about finished. It is three stories—has an imposing imitation granite front, and presents the most city like appearance of any of the brick stores in Kinston. This building indicates the man—stylish, liberal and merchant-like.

Young corn and cotton in this section droopeth and are very sick! Drs. Kainit and Guano, great stimulants, will do all in their power to save life.

A fine lot of lumber, about thirty thousand feet, was shipped from J. F. Parrott's mill, on the Midland Road, last Tuesday, to Gen. Ransom at Morehead. Freight charges light and liberal.

George Wingate, Martha Wingate and Francis Wingate, husband, wife and daughter, all negroes, were up before Justice Coleman, Monday, charged with robbing and attempting to kill B. Nobles last January. The evidence was not sufficient to bind over to court.

### Beach Grove Picnic.

Through the kindness of Capt. Roberts the Beach Grove Sabbath School went on a picnic up to Biddle's Landing last Tuesday, the 23rd. The steamer *Neuse* left New Berne, with a small crowd on board, about 7 o'clock, and reached Street's Ferry about 9 o'clock when she took on board the Beach Grove Sunday school and proceeded on her way.

The run up the river was delightful, winding in as we did among the trees which fringe the river-shore leaning out over the water here and there as if to mirror themselves in its smooth bright face. Now and then we passed an opening in the dense forest in which was nestled a creek, beautiful and tranquil as some happy dream. A cluster of gum trees, called "Gum Orchard," presented a picture unique in its beauty, as we looked at it from the steamer that bright May morning. The cheerful and happy songs of the young people, and Nature dressed in her most beautiful robes of Spring, were all in keeping with the happy occasion. We arrived at the Landing about 3 o'clock, and then repaired to the grove in front of the house, where we were cordially welcomed by Mrs. Biddle and family. After which the tables were set, and all partook heartily of the splendid dinner set before them. As soon as the party had eaten, the whistle screamed, and very much to the regret of every one we had to hasten to the boat, arriving at Street's Ferry just before dark, found the road covered with water, except a small place just large enough for the Sabbath school to stand on, where they had to remain until their vehicles came to take them home, all of which added to the novelty of our trip.

The shore in front of Biddle's house presents a high bank with overhanging trees, and not far off, I have been told, is the place where Fort Barnwell once stood. Mrs. Biddle showed me a cannon-ball that they found on the place recently which is supposed to have been carried there in 1712.

Bros. W. P. Richardson, Chief Marshal, and J. H. Stevenson and J. J. Spier, Assistants, acquitted themselves admirably.

This school has been in operation 13 years, and all the original teachers and officers, save one, have been removed by death. The present Superintendent is the only original member still living. It has had 90 pupils in all, 40 of which are now active members of the church. The prosperity of the school is attributable to a large extent to the faithful and efficient labors of Bro. Daniel Lane, its present Superintendent. May the angel of mercy presiding over the destiny of Beach Grove Sabbath school ever smile lovingly and cheerfully upon them, is the sincere prayer of your correspondent.

J. M. L.  
New Berne, N. C.

Mr. Best's Boston bank has gone into liquidation because the people feared to patronize it in view of the former bad management. The truth is the old cashier had wrecked another bank, and this one was started to make a place for him. As might be expected he brought it to grief. And now notwithstanding Mr. Best, by some very good financial work, got it started again on a good basis, the absence of confidence by the business public operated to prevent its getting a fair share of business. Credit is like a wife's virtue, it must not even be suspected. The winding up of the bank, however, is not a failure, and we do not understand that any losses are to follow this suspension for purposes of liquidation. Mr. Best's railroad plans may not be interfered with at all by this operation. Of that we know nothing.—*News and Observer.*

### Half After Seven.

EDITORS JOURNAL.—I am glad to see that a portion of our good merchants have agreed to close their respective places of business at 7 1/2 o'clock every night (Saturdays excepted) until the 1st of September, in order that their clerks, who have been faithful to their interest, might have a little recreation. This is certainly a good step, and I can assure the merchants that they will never lose a cent by it. In fact it will so encourage their clerks that they will go to work each morning with renewed energy. I do hope that those who have not felt in line will do so at once. I am informed that the following is a list of those who agreed to close:

C. H. Blank, T. A. Green, Humphrey & Howard, C. E. Foy & Co., H. Sperling, Duffy & Gaskins, W. F. Rountree, J. W. Moore, E. H. Windley, Roberts & Bro., G. B. Guion, Dal Bros., Thos. Gates & Co., K. R. Jones, G. F. Humphrey, A. M. Harn, L. H. Cutler, S. A. Churchill, M. H. Sullivan, Jos. Schwering, Joe. L. Hahn, L. Weinstein, Wm. Sultan, O. Marks, A. M. Baker, Asa Jones, J. F. Ives, M. Pragg, C. E. Slover, Wm. Hollister, F. M. Bowden, Alex. Miller, W. E. Brown, J. J. Tolson & Co., J. W. Baxter.

A CITIZEN.

### From the Washington North State Press.

**The New Berne Steam Fire Engine Company to Visit our Town.**

On last Tuesday evening, just after our last paper was worked off, we were shown a letter from a gentleman in New Berne to one of our citizens, stating that an excursion party of seventy-five or one hundred from that place will pay our town a visit on the 29th inst. The New Berne Steam Fire Engine Company, fully equipped, and also the Cornet Band of that city, will leave New Berne on Monday morning, the 29th inst., and arrive in Washington about 7 o'clock on the same evening, remaining over in our town until Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

Let steps be taken at once by the authorities to give our friends a hearty welcome, and let them carry away with them the impression that the reputation for genial hospitality and good fellowship gained by our town in bygone days has not in the least detracted but rather increased. Our citizens will no doubt liberally second any movement which may be proposed for the entertainment of our guests and make their short stay in our midst as pleasurable as possible.

A meeting of the citizens of Washington was called on Monday night, May 22d, at the Court House, for the purpose of making proper arrangements for the entertainment of the New Berne Steam Fire Engine Company of New Berne, which is expected to visit our town at an early date.

On motion Mayor C. F. Warren was called to the chair, and E. S. Havens appointed Secretary.

The Mayor then stated the purpose of the meeting, and on motion the following committees were appointed:

**Committee of Reception**—Dr. D. T. Taylor, Col. R. G. Montgomery, A. C. Latham, J. D. Myers, W. T. Farrow, Dr. Wm. A. Blount, G. H. Brown, jr., R. W. Minor, Dr. John McDonald, Mayor C. F. Warren, J. L. Fowle and E. S. Havens.

**Committee on Arrangements**—J. N. Bell, jr., J. M. Martin, C. W. Taylor, A. P. Crabtree, F. B. Satterthwaite, Myer Morris and E. S. Havens.

**Finance Committee**—Col. R. G. Montgomery, C. K. Gallagher, G. E. Crabtree, T. H. Blount, jr., A. C. Latham, A. G. Hoyt, W. P. Baughman and C. W. Taylor.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

E. S. HAVENS, Sec'y.

[Since the above was in type Mayor Warren has received a telegram stating that the party would number about one hundred and thirty.]

### STATE NEWS.

#### Gleaned from our Exchanges.

**Roanoke News:** Many of the farmers are plowing up their cotton. Nearly all that was planted early failed to come up or died afterwards, and unfortunately most of it was planted early this year. The crop will probably be smaller than was originally intended because of the lateness of the season. The grain crop is in excellent condition, however, and we hope that the loss in the cotton will not be so serious as there will be more bread-stuffs than last year.

**Wilmington Star:** Judge Lynch has hanged or killed 20 persons in the South, 19 in the North and 6 on the frontiers since January 1, 1882.—A dry goods house on Broadway, New York, has sold \$4,000,000 of goods within five weeks. It expects to sell more than that sum before mid-summer.—Foreign immigration keeps up wonderfully. In ten months over 700,000 have arrived. March brought 65,000, April 104,000 and May will be still larger it is believed.

**New Berne Free Will Baptist:** Rice seems to be thrifty, and is from 3 to 5 inches high.—The new Methodist church near Riverdale is quite an improvement. 'Tis a neat and comfortable structure.—We learn from a friend that the cool weather for the past week has made the cotton look bad in the lower Broad Creek section in Pamlico county. He also stated that the rice birds had destroyed the young rice to such an extent that some would have to plant over.

**Goldsboro Messenger:** The surveying party of the W. & W. Railroad, surveying the route from Goldsboro to Greenville, met the surveying party of the Midland road, running a line from Kinston to Wilson, in the vicinity of Fool's Bridge, several days ago.—Our enterprising neighbor, Messrs. H. Weil & Bros., contemplate erecting two extensive brick stores during this summer. Building was never half so brisk in Goldsboro as at present. Now let us have some twenty or more new dwelling houses.—The graded school has had many visitors the past week, among whom we were pleased to see Hon. J.

C. Scarborough, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Prof. N. C. English, principal of the Greensboro graded school. Both these gentlemen expressed themselves delighted with what they saw, and speak of the school in most complimentary terms. Capt. M. C. S. Noble, of the Bingham school faculty, visited the school yesterday and is likewise highly pleased.

**Kinston Free Press:** We are sorry to learn that Maj. W. J. Barrett has been confined to his bed for the last five weeks and is still unable to be out.—Prof. Howard informs us that at the close of the present term of Kinston Collegiate Institute, he will sever his connection with the school. He expects at an early day to invest in a new business, thus abandoning the teaching profession, and for this reason he will, after this week, withdraw from the editorial staff of the *Free Press*.—Mr. Joseph Lassiter left for the West last Sunday.—The County Republican convention will be held in the court house at this place Thursday, June 3rd.

**Wilmington Daily Review:** Lilliput, Kendall and Orton, three of the famous anti-bellum rice plantations, situated about 15 miles below the city, presents a beautiful sight to parties passing down the river on the *Passport*. Everything is well under way now for the new crop, and rich harvests are expected this year. Kendall and Lilliput are worked by Mr. Geo. Kidder, who has recently purchased them, and Orton belongs to the estate of the late Capt. D. R. Murchison.—A capitalist has written to a gentleman in this city asking for information as to the amount of small fruits, vegetables, etc., which are brought to this market. The information is desired with a view of erecting a canning establishment here. Nearly all of our truckers and farmers would increase their crops if they were but sure that they could sell their products here, and we trust that the gentlemen who contemplate establishing the canning factory may be induced to come among us. If there is any one in the community who can give any information as to the amount of small fruits and vegetables raised contiguous to Wilmington, we will be pleased to receive it, and communicate the same to the gentleman referred to above.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION

#### OF THE

### National Bank of New Berne,

at New Berne, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, May 19th, 1882.

#### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$ 147,270.30
Cash	21,813.33
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	15,150.00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	6,796.21
Due from approved reserve agents	25,741.90
Due from other National Banks	100,465.96
Due from State Banks and bankers	1,933.96
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	26,247.58
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,065.18
Profit and loss	3,679.95
Checks and other cash items	19,643.33
Bills of other Banks	6,482.00
Specie	55.85
Legal tender notes	20,848.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	32,160.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	100.00
Total	\$ 433,165.94

#### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits	25,087.71
National Bank notes outstanding	60,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	235,791.82
Time certificates of deposits	28,394.12
Due to other National Banks	32,055.23
Due to State Banks and bankers	777.96
Total	\$ 433,165.94

#### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY OF CRAVEN, S.S.S.

I, J. A. Guyon, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. GUYON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1882.

G. H. ROBERTS, N. P.

Correct—Attest:

E. H. WINDLEY,  
L. H. CUTLER,  
JNO. HUGHES, } Directors.

### NOTICE.

The National Greenback Labor party of Craven county are requested to

### ORGANIZE CLUBS

In each voting precinct in the county immediately, and to select delegates from each of the precincts to attend a county convention to be held in New Berne, subject to the call of the chairman of the county executive committee.

THOMAS STANLY, Chm'n.  
May 25, 1882. d & w it

### Meeting of Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Trent River Transportation Company, will be held at the rooms of the Board of Trade in the city of New Berne, on Tuesday, May 30th, 1882, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the election of officers and transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before it.

E. H. BARNUM,  
Sec'y and Treas.

### OFFICE OF THE

### TRENT RIVER TRANSPORTATION CO.

NEW BERNE, N. C., May 24, 1882.

### STOCKHOLDERS SCHEDULE.

In order to accommodate the Stockholders of the company and others, the steamer Trent will make her regular trip up Neuse river, on Monday, May 29th, and return on Tuesday, May 30th, leaving Jolly Old Field at 7 a. m. for New Berne. Steamer *Conaneta* will go up Trent on Monday, May 29th, as far as Banks Landing, and will return on Tuesday, May 30th, leaving Banks Landing at 6 a. m., and Pollockville at 8 1/2 a. m. for New Berne. Parties availing themselves of trip down can return home on following day by this date.

GEO. T. DUFFY, G. F. A.

## COMMERCIAL.

### NEW BERNE MARKET.

COTTON.—Middling 11 1/2; Low Middling 11; Good Ordinary 10 1/2; Ordinary 8 1/2.

TURPENTINE.—Yellow dip \$2.50, Srape \$1.50.

TAR.—\$1.25 to \$1.50.

RICE.—\$1.15 to \$1.20.

CORN.—Firm 93c in sacks; 90c in bulk.

PEAS.—\$1.35.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.—Bacon—hams 13c, shoulders 9c; sides 10c, Lard 13c. Meal—unbolted \$1.00; bolted \$1.10; Fresh pork 8 1/2c. Beef—stall fed, 6 1/2c; on foot; grass fed 5c. Potatoes—yam 5c. Eggs 13. Hides—dry 10 1/2c, green 5c. Beeswax 20c. Chickens 60c/62c per pair. Folders \$1.50 per cwt. Peanuts \$1.75.

By telegraph to the New Berne Journal.

### DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, May 25.—Flour dull and unchanged; Howard st. and western superfine \$2.25a2.50; extra \$4.75a5.75; family \$6.00a6.75; City Mills superfine \$3.50a4.75; do. extra \$5.00a7.50; Rio brands \$7.25a7.37. Wheat—southern quiet and steady; western dull and closing easy; southern red \$1.35a1.40; amber \$1.41; No. 2 western winter red spot and May, \$1.41a1.41 1/2. Corn—southern white 90a92c; do. yellow 86a87c.

BALTIMORE, May 25.—Night.—Oats quiet; southern 60a63c; western white 62a64c; do. mixed 61c. Pennsylvania 60a62c. Provisions firm; mess pork \$20.00a21.00. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides packed 93a12c. Bacon—shoulders 10c; clear rib sides 12c; hams 15a15 1/2c. Lard—refined 12 1/2c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to prime, 8a10c. Sugar quiet; A soft 10c. Whisky quiet at \$1.20a1.21.

New York, May 25.—Cotton—Net receipts 10 bales; gross 40 bales. Futures closed steady; sales 142,000 b