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LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
JOHN A. RICHARDSON—Administrator's Notice.
O. BURNETT—Insurance Notice.
COM. OF ARRANGEMENTS—Laying Corner Stone.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
Sun rises 5:27 | Length of day,
Sun sets 6:36 | 13 hours, 9 min.
Moon sets 1:33 a. m.

The Mayor's court was not in session yesterday.

Hot weather has returned. Last night was a scorcher.

The Midland Railway shops have turned out two new cars.

The Academy Green is covered with a fine coat of weeds and grass.

The steamer *Neuse* has procured two chime bells with which to give notice of arrival.

About two hundred excursionists from up the road passed down yesterday for Morehead City.

Captain Dixon, with his steam derrick, is driving piling for a new wharf at Congdon's mill.

Major Dennison, with about a dozen hands, rolled a large boiler down Hancock street to his gin and oil mills on Saturday.

Rev. F. W. Eason will preach at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church to-night at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Kissing race on Wednesday night between a young lady and gentleman at a sociable at — on Middle street. The lady won, scoring 498 to 496. "Honey in the gourd!"

The raising of the side walk passing the market house on Middle street, and the new store of Capt. K. R. Jones on the Northwest corner of South Front and Middle, makes a decided improvement in that neighborhood.

Among the patents issued by the U. S. Patent Office last week was one to W. H. J. Goodwin of Raleigh, for improvements in motors. The patent was procured through C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., who are advertisers of ours.

The steamer *Neuse* arrived from Kinston yesterday evening with shingles, naval stores, watermelons and three barrels of crackers from Archbell's Bakery for J. W. Sheppard at Pollockville, and the following passengers: West Morris and lady, Mr. Houff and Mr. J. Jones.

To-day is the anniversary of the battle of Reams Station which occurred Aug. 25th 1864. In this battle Cooke's, Lane's and McRae's N. C. brigades highly distinguished themselves. The coolness with which they rushed upon the enemy's strong fortifications on that day has been justly regarded as one of the most brilliant dashes of the war.

The Largest Pear.
Mr. Geo. H. Roberts set up the largest pear of the season to the JOURNAL yesterday. It measured 12 inches in circumference and weighed one pound and three ounces.

Wilson Convention.
The following telegram came yesterday evening:

Craven, Edgecombe, Jones, Lenoir, Northampton, Warren, Wayne and Wilson represented in the Convention. Hon. O. Hubbs received twenty-two legal and regularly elected votes.

ROBT. HANCOCK, JR.

"Bits of History" A broad.

From a private letter from Mr. J. H. Muse, city editor, *Wilmington Star*, we take the liberty of printing the following: "Please mail me a copy of your paper containing the last Bits of the History of Newbern. Mr. Kingsbury had mutilated our copy before I saw it. I am taking a deep interest in the series under the above head, appearing from time to time in your valuable paper."

Alligator from Hyde.

Among the freights on the *Tiger Lily* which arrived on Thursday morning was an alligator consigned to Burrus & Co. and shipped by W. B. Swindell of Swan Quarter. Burrus & Co. not dealing in this kind of animal, turned him over to George Credle, and anyone wanting to buy can call on Mr. Credle and find out his pedigree. Mr. Swindell is a wide awake merchant; always dives deep and comes out safe. His next shipment to Burrus & Co. will probably be a lot of hand corn shellers.

Onslow Politics.

We have a card from Mr. J. H. Foy of Richards, announcing his platform in the coming canvass. Any matter of news or of personal explanation can always have a hearing with us, but the JOURNAL sees no necessity for publishing such as this, except in its advertising columns.

Mr. Foy announces that he will ad-

dress the citizens of Onslow at Swansboro on the first Saturday in September and at Jacksonville on the first Monday; and that the Hon. J. W. Shackelford will also speak at the Swansboro meeting.

Your Name in Print.

Cul. J. W. Andrews and lady returned from Nova Scotia on Wednesday night.

Miss Sallie Faison, who has been dangerously sick with malarial fever for several weeks, is, we are glad to see, about to recover so as to be out in a few days.

We were pleased to meet on Thursday Dr. W. H. Barker who has been absent for some weeks on a lecturing tour. He is recently from Edgecombe and reports the Hubbs element in the ascendant there. In talking the matter over they say that neither nomination was exactly legal, but they intend to support Hubbs because he is the better man.

Feed 'em With Money.

Yesterday, as a JOURNAL reporter stepped into the Register of Deeds' office, Moses Bryan, colored, had settled himself back into an arm chair, taken a chew of tobacco and had launched into politics.

"Dey tell me the democrat aint no party but I knows its the greatest party in de world. I knows when it fit wid de Whigs, I been here for fifty-six years and de democrat party has succided ebry sense. It is de only party dat could ever back de republican party. If de republican party had'n been based on truth and justice de democrats would have had de government long ago. De only way to beat 'em is to feed 'em wid honey. Jine de liberal movement. While de republicans are split up for Stimson and Halm de democrats are sticking together. But dey wont neber have control de government agin. Lovejoy told me that. They may have a majority in one house, but that will be all dey will have at one time. Yes, sah, de republican party is based on truth and justice but dey dun no how to handle it on dis side of Mason's and Dixon's line. Dem fellers on de other side know how to handle it."

"Yes sah, de way to beat 'em is to feed 'em wid honey. De democrats took Judge Manly, and he was a Whig and lected him befo de wah. I see been right here all de time and knows all about it. I use to wear as good clothes as Dr. Jimmie Hughes—had three or four fine suits, could change clothes every day or two."

Reporter: "You don't wear such fine clothes now-a-days, if I may judge from your present appearance."

Moses: "No; but I'm free. I used to tell old master Hughes dat I'd rather go ragged than to be a slave. I paid him for my time and had money plenty left, and fared as good as any body, but dat wern't like bein' free."

Moses here went into the details of the manner of his freedom and the election of "Father Abraham Lincoln" and called on an attorney who stepped in at the time to bear testimony to the truth of his statement.

Business Men Needed.

It is always pleasant for a newspaper to praise the business men of the city where the paper is published, but that plan is not always best for the city. Judicious criticism is often a kindness, and to that end we write.

New Berne needs a new infusion of business men in pushing "specialties."

Her regular business men, who are dealing in a certain routine, are wide-awake and enterprising, but there is a vast field in the business world, outside of this routine work, which is not looked after in New Berne. Take the Machinery trade as an instance, and Kinston and Goldsboro give an example of what can be done in this line. Of late, Mr. J. C. Whitty of Pollockville has moved to New Berne and is devoting himself to this particular business, and we look to see this enterprise boom here in this city. Then the horse trade, and buggy and wagon trade are not pushed. While all these articles are sold here yet there is nothing like the energy shown in seeking for trade from afar, as is done in the towns already spoken of. And there are dozens of other enterprises equally open for business push and enterprise. New Berne has double the advantages of Goldsboro and five times that of Kinston to extend trade, and when you admit that this city is surpassed by either of those places in any business enterprise, then it is admitted that there is a big blunder somewhere.

Where is the remedy to be asked? The JOURNAL has no hesitation in saying that a partial remedy is found in advertising. The columns of the Messenger, with its weekly Supplement, filled with business advertisements, show the leaning in that city; and in Kinston it will be freely admitted that

advertising in the JOURNAL helped materially to build up the machinery trade and the horse, buggy and wagon business.

So in New Berne these traders are doubtless making, and will continue to make, even without advertising, a fair profit in their business; but if they have the ambition to get rich; or a desire to do a large business; or the inclination to be of benefit to the community in which they live, then they will invite through the columns of the JOURNAL the thousands of people in Jones, Onslow, Carteret, Hyde, Pamlico, Pitt, Beaufort, Martin and Greene counties to come and look at their wares. While the Daily JOURNAL has a circulation of only 500, and the Weekly JOURNAL a circulation of only 1,000—a larger number, however, than any other paper published here since the war—yet it permeates nearly every neighborhood in those counties mentioned, and is read by hundreds who are not subscribers, and its influence is thus greatly extended.

It is well enough to add that advertising alone will not do the work. It is only an adjunct, and a man, to be successful, must have business capacity, and then he may look around for other means to widen his influence.

Kinston Items.

Miss Sallie C. Strong, who has been visiting her brother at Wilson the past week, returned home last Tuesday. She is delighted with Wilson and its intelligent and hospitable people.

L. J. Mowborn is as much a success at hunting as at fishing. He went out last Tuesday morning and killed two deer at one shot and freely circulated the "wenison" among his friends. Hurrah for Lam Mowborn forever.

Mr. Robinson Wood is getting up the reputation of being the most scientific and successful agriculturalist in this county. He has ate the roasting ears and pulled the fodder from the third crop of corn grown on the same spot of land this year and has planted it again for another crop. He beats the Hyde county rain man in truth telling.

The political cauldron is at boiling heat. The great magnates of the Republican party held a conference last Tuesday at the hospitable mansion of Antony Davis in Pink Hill and fixed up the slate for next Saturday. The speeches of the occasion are reserved for Sunday's paper. They will be good Sunday reading.

Onslow Items.

Mr. Lem'l Mills is catching the most nuttish fish now; he sells them at \$25 per thousand.

Wolf Pitt is a great country for farming, fishing and oystering in its season, and a great place for snakes and loggerhead turtles, besides mosquitoes and sandflies by the barrel. Also a great place for fruit of all kinds.

Mr. G. W. Wimbery is a large oyster and fish dealer, and a good farmer too, as well as a successful fruit grower. He has some of the largest pears and apples I ever saw. I measured one apple that was eighteen inches in circumference, and grew on a small tree, and a pear twelve and a half inches in circumference, which grew on a tree five and a half feet high.

The latest in the turtle line is one captured on the Banks by Mr. Council Lanier this week, a large sea loggerhead, which was five feet long on the under shell, weighed 480 pounds, and had 260 hard eggs and one peck of soft eggs inside of her. She had come up on the shore to lay. I did not see the turtle, but can testify to this fact by the words of Mr. Jesse W. Arthur, and Mr. E. B. Fonville of Wolf Pitt, this county.

Not much news now, only very hot weather, and somewhat rainy for crops in places; think the cotton is falling off some, though looking well yet. Dr. E. W. Ward is done pulling fodder—ahead of most of the farmers, but Col. E. W. Foyville is ahead in measuring fruit; he has eighteen pear trees, and I think one could pick ten bushels each from every tree in his orchards. They are large trees and very fine, the prettiest pear orchard I have seen here.

Mr. Lot Gregory is ahead on snakes; he killed six rattlesnakes in one week. One of them had sixteen rattles, was six feet long, and as large round as a 25 lb. white lead keg. Another man—I forget the name—killed one with two cat and three fox squirrels, one large rabbit and a tame cat inside of him. This snake was not so long nor had as many rattles—only fourteen—as the other one. I am teaching school down here, and I generally carry two fish gigs along all the time for snakes, and a bunch of mosquito netting for the insects, though they are not so bad as they have been.

STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

Washington North State Press:
Gen. Leach and Capt. Price, two leading Liberals in this State, are billed to speak in this town, on Friday next, and at Yeatesville on Saturday. From a letter just at hand, we learn that Mr. C. P. Mizell, of Jamesville, has just died from hydrophobia, caused by the bite of a rabid dog a few weeks ago. Of all deaths this seems to us the most horrible. Too much caution cannot be paid to these pests, especially during the hot season. Fortunately such accidents are rare in our section.

Raleigh Farmer and Mechanic:
Senator M. W. Ransom was in town several days of last week, and is said, by one of the city Liberal journals, to have brought a big "bar" of money for Democratic campaign uses. We doubt it; Democrats usually run their campaign with a "bar" of "Patriotism" and half-pint of specie. It is said, though, that a campaign weekly is to be issued by the Bennett-Cox club, and Senator Ransom has been invited to make a speech to the club. It meets on the fourth floor of the Fisher building.

Raleigh News and Observer:
The wet weather cut off the grape crop about one-half.—The Superintendent of Health says that a crop of chills and fevers may be looked for this fall, unless the weeds are uprooted.—The first open boll of cotton reported in Wake this season, was shown yesterday and came from the farm of Dr. R. H. Lewis, near this city. As an amateur agriculturist the genial Doctor is quite a success.—Work on the Penitentiary goes on rapidly. The roof of the east wing of the building is laid, and the hospital extension is nearly completed. The view of Raleigh from the towers of the Penitentiary is very beautiful.

The Wilmington Daily Review:
A subscriber at Magnolia tells us that a lump of silver, weighing nearly a pound, was picked up on the streets of that place a few days ago. The silver was evidently a souvenir of one of the terrible fires by which that town has been scourged. The supposition is that it was melted coin which was in the money drawer of some store which was consumed by fire.—We saw yesterday, in Mr. Yeates' book-store, a copy of the revised edition of Matur's Manual of Geography, intended expressly for North Carolina schools. It embraces a new map of the State, and a number of illustrations, among them a correct picture of the port of Wilmington. This latter is from a photograph taken by Mr. Orr, from the top of the guano warehouse on Eagle Island.

Letter From Norfolk.

EDITORS JOURNAL.—In my wanderings I have visited many places of note and among the important ones the establishment where the Norfolk Fertilizer is made. Mr. William Styron, formerly of your city, one of the proprietors, took me to the works and I was impressed with the advantages of the situation. It is located on the Portsmouth side of Elizabeth river, with a wharf extending out to the channel where a depth of twenty-five feet of water is reached, and where all the North Carolina steamers and other vessels pass in going to and from Norfolk, giving unusual advantages in receiving material and shipping the fertilizers to all parts of the country.

I was shown a few acres of growing corn, which plainly attested the value of the fertilizer, by the extraordinary height it had attained, and the heavy ears it was bearing. The soil was of a poverty stricken appearance, from which a feeble growth of old field pines had been removed, and yet the corn and also a plot of sweet potatoes, looked very much the same as that you see on the rich swamp lands of Pamlico county.

Mr. Styron was having another plot cleared up preparatory to growing KALE, which by the way, I notice receives considerable attention from the trickers here and I have not noticed cultivated about New Berne.

An explanation of the works would be too metaphysical—that is, explaining to you, what I don't understand myself. A description of the chemicals used and modes of manipulation, in any fertilizer works is very plain while you are having it explained, but not very impressive to the memory.

However, I saw a great bulk of oyster shells and several well constructed lime kilns, and learned

that shell lime was one important ingredient in the fertilizer. As to how it takes with the farmers the advertisement of Styron, Whitehurst & Co. in the JOURNAL gives the readers an idea.

Another place of interest is the furniture establishment of Messrs. S. A. Stevens & Co. This is a new building constructed under the eye of the enterprising proprietors. Each floor is devoted to a line of goods, beginning with carpets and curtains on the first and ascending through a magnificent display of bedroom and parlor sets until you reach the bedding department at the top. Each story is provided with an ante room where all furniture is unpacked when received and also packed for shipment. Through these rooms there runs an elevator constructed upon the latest plan and opens the trap doors and closes them automatically as it passes up and down; a great improvement on the old which trusted the closing of trap doors to the help employed, and has been the cause of many accidents resulting in death by persons falling through, in various cities of the country.

The building is 160 feet deep and 50 wide, and has an organ and piano room separated from the other rooms for the display of those instruments under the management of a competent salesman and where the leading manufactures in this line may be seen, heard and tested. For energy, perseverance and enthusiasm in his business, Mr. Stevens is a host in himself. With a courteous greeting for all who call, he impresses you that you would be well cared for in any business transaction with him.

Still another place of interest is the Elizabeth iron works. Here everything is so busy and so noisy that you are compelled to take leave of the affable proprietors, Mr. C. W. Pittitt, as soon as you have transacted your business, regretting that you cannot longer enjoy his genial company.

At the Sewing machine, repair shops of Mr. J. W. Beasley you will see a regular hospital of wounded machines, being dressed up and made as good as new and sold much below the usual figures. He also deals in several new ones at bottom prices.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW BERNE MARKET.

COTTON—Middling 11c; low middling 11c; good ordinary 10c; ordinary 10c. None in market.
CORN—80c, in bulk; 85c, in sacks.
TURPENTINE—Receipts moderate. Firm at \$2.50 for yellow dip.
TAR—Firm at \$1.50 and \$1.75.
RESIN—30c to 32c, per lb.
HONEY—60c, per gallon.
COUNTY BACON—Hams 15c; sides 16c; shoulders 15c; Lard 15c.
BEEF—On foot, 6c, to 6c.
SWEET POTATOES—50c, per bushel.
EGGS—12c, per dozen.
PEANUTS—\$2.50, per bushel.
POWDER—\$1.50.
PEACHES—15c, to 30c, per peck.
APPLES—50c, per bushel.
PEARS—\$1.00, per bushel.
ONIONS—\$1.50, per bushel.
BEANS—50c, per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 9c, to 11c; green 6c.
TALLOW—6c, per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 50c, per pair.
MEAL—Bolted, \$1.15, per bushel.
IRISH POTATOES—\$1.50, per bushel.
SHINGLES—5 inch, \$2.25, per M.; 6 inch, saps, \$4.00, per M.; hearts, \$5.00, per M.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, August 23.—Oats lower, southern new 45a50c; western white 48a50c; do, mixed 44a45c. Rye easier at 65a70c. Hay dull; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland \$16.00a17.00. Provisions firm; mess pork \$22.25a23.25. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides, packed, 11a11c. Bacon—shoulders 12c; clear rib sides 15c. Hams 15a16c. Lard—refined 14c. Butter firm; western packed 14a20c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 8a9c. Sugar quiet; A soft 9c. Whisky steady at \$4.19a1.20.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

WILMINGTON, August 23.—Spirits turpentine steady at 41c. Rosin steady at \$1.35 for strained, and \$1.45 for good strained. Tar firm at \$2.00. Crude turpentine firm at \$1.75 for hard, and \$2.75 for yellow dip and virgin.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, August 24—1 P.M.—Cotton futures closed steady; August 12 85 a12 87; September 12 50a12 57; October 11 90a11 90; November 11 60a11 70; December 11 68a11 69; January 11 75a11 76; February 11 87a11 89; March 11 90a12 90; April 12 12a12 14; May 12 23a12 24; June 12 34a12 40.
Cotton quiet; uplands 13; Orleans 13 5-16.

\$127.50.

TARBORO, N. C., August 17, 1882.
Received of the Monumental Life Stock Mutual Aid Society of Baltimore, Md., through their agents, Watson & Street, New Berne, N. C., One Hundred and Twenty Seven dollars and Fifty Cents, in full for loss of my horse. Insured under Policy No. 347 of said Society.
O. BURNETT.
B. F. SPRAGINS. aug25-d1w-wim

CITY ITEMS.

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

The Committee of Arrangements.
For laying the Corner Stone of the Kinston College on the 29th inst., desire to inform the public that half-fare rates or tickets for the round trip will be issued for one fare, to all who may wish to attend the ceremonies, at all points on the Midland Road.
Come one, come all.
It

Greenback Convention.

A National Greenback Labor Convention of the Second Congressional District will meet in New Berne on Thursday the 31st of August, at the court house for the purpose of putting in nomination a suitable candidate for Congress. Delegates are requested to attend from all the counties in the District.
CICERO GREEN,
Chairman.

CLAYTON COUNTY DELEGATES.

Isaac Brock, col., Frank Heath, Jeakun Griffin, Monroe Rountree, col., Charles Sutton, Caleb Dunn, col., Daniel Bryan, col., John A. Jackson, Jesse White, col., Robert Brock, Rite Nile, R. J. Brock, W. N. Gardner, William Griffin, John C. Collins, John T. Lincoln, Henry Spear, John O. Gardner, John G. Smith, Amos Biggs, col., O. K. Wetherington, George Willis, John Corbett, Barns. All Nationals are invited to attend.
Aug. 15.

NOTICE.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
CRAVEN COUNTY.

The subscriber being qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. E. Amyett deceased, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1882, before the Probate Court of Craven county, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said Estate to present them for payment on or before the

25th Day of August, 1882.

If this notice will be pleaded in bar of its recovery.
All persons indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment.
Done the 25th day of August, 1882.
John A. Richardson,
Administrator of the Estate of E. Amyett, dec'd.

RICHARDSON'S

Improved Roof Paint

An article long needed for the protection of Iron and Tin Roofs. It will not blister, crack, peel, crack or corrode. It will expand and contract with the roof or tin. It will not injure cement mortar. It is extremely durable and cheap. Manufactured and sold by

B. A. Richardson,
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aug25-d1w Norfolk, Va.

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NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT.
YAPON BITTERS are the result of years of chemical research and practical experiment. It is compounded from the extracted and concentrated essence of purely vegetable substances. It is entirely free from alcohol or other dangerous substances. It is the safest medicine to use for children and weakened constitutions, where a gentle yet effective aperient is required. They purify, invigorate and enrich the blood, stimulate it to heat the circulation, and it taken when required will keep the system in perfect order.
It is especially recommended for the cure of all MALARIAL fevers, Bright's disease of the kidneys, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Constipation, and all Liver complaints. As an aperient it does not cause flagging, but three times a day, and a tonic and alterative a small yet powerful morning and evening.

Prepared by J. M. LUDLOW,
Pharmacist and Chemist, Norfolk, V. A.
Aug. 19 and

B. PEDDLE'S

NEW

GLOBE HOUSE,

Norfolk Va.

Board per day, \$1.00
" week, 6.00
Table 60 per week, 4.50
Lodging, .50

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GLOBE HOUSE,
177 Main Street,
Lynchburg Oysters,
Specialty.

B. PEDDLE, Proprietor,
D 3 m Au 19 177 Main St.

Brick for Sale.

I will keep constantly on hand at Manwell & Crabtree's lot in New Berne a lot of first class hand-made brick.
For terms apply to James Manwell or to the undersigned

D-1m. C. SIMPSON.

NOTICE.

Having been appointed this day the Board of County Commissioners, Wood Inspector of this city, my office will be at James F. Clark's store.

J. J. ROBINSON,
Inspector.

ALEX. MILLER,

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Choice Groceries

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