## LOCAL NEWS

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No cotton in market yesterday. Price

The Baptist Sunday, School will pic-

Our truckers are shipping squash. Mrs. Calvin Kirkman of Maple Cypress sent down a box of fine ones on the camer Cutter on Thursday.

Mr. A. Capehort, a cadet of the Horner School, and his sister, Miss Minnie, of Roxobel, Bertie county, are visiting Mrs. W. P. Burrus, of this city.

The "Farmers Club" of Elizabeth City had a meeting in the Economist office a few days ago. A lawyer, an editor and a captain did all the talking.

E. M. Foscue, Esq., of Jones, was in the city yesterday and says he has the st crop of cotton he has seen in a long time, but intends to clean it "if it takes all summer."

Mr. Wm. Dunn, one of our scientific truckers, has taken one hundred and one barrels of Irish potatoes from one will be extra fine in quality.

the Gaston House to the fact that one of the window blinds just above the balcony of the hotel is in a critical condition.

Several hundred barrels of potatoes were on the Old Dominion wharf yesterday evening which denotes a large shipment to-day. The steamer Cutler brought in eighty barrels from up

The military spirit in the Old North State must be on the wane when old companies, such as the Guilford Grays quite promising. The small appropriation made by the Legislature for the support of the State Guard was not much of

Dime party to-night at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Morris, on the corner of Neuse and Hancock streets. Held under the auspices of the ladies of Neuse street M. E. Church which is sufficient guarantee of a pleasant evening's enter-

Thos. S. Gillett, Esq., of Maysville, was in the city yesterday with a portion of his wool crop. He says wool growing. like everything else, has its drawbacks. He has lost during the winter and spring with great care by the local Board of one hundred and fifty head of sheep by dogs, bears and wild cats.

Maj. Dennison sold on yesterday one hundred and fifty tons of cotton seed meal to the Aome Guano Co, of Wilmington. This meal has been used in connection with the cotton seed hulls on Irish potatoes near the city this spring with very satisfactory results. We predict that the Major will not have to ship much of it next season. The home demand is bound to grow.

Mr. C. K. Gallagher, of this town recently came into possession of a relic of the late war—the fife of old Bartley, the negro fifer of the Jeff Davis Rifles. Many of our readers are familiar with old Bartley's favorite air which he used to play, and which bears his name to this day. It will revive old m in the hearts of the surviyors of the Jeff Davis Rifles to visit Mr. G. and see the old fife. - Washington Gazette.

L. J. Moore, Esq., has been confined to his room for several days, and had not improved any yesterday evening.

Mr. Jno. D. Howard is still quite

Mr. N. S. Richardson has been confined to his room for a day or two.

At the regular annual election of officers of St. John's Lodge,No. S A. F. & A. M., held on Wednesday night, the fol-lowing were elected for the ensueing year: A. W. Wood, W. M.; J. H. Hackburn, S. W.; E. Hackburn, J. W.; T. A. Green, Treasurer; E. G. Hill, Sec-

New Buildings. We learn that Maj. John Hughes conemplates putting up, with the permission of the Board of City Council, six new buildings on the late burt lot on the market dock. The frame of the buildings are to be of wood, using sheet from for weather boarding and covering which will make them almost as accure from fire as brick and a great deal

The Potter, Capt. Murphy, from Vysocking with corn consigned to W.

erahi, Copt. Cankill, from

Swan Quarter, with corn.

A delegation of citizens of this city left for Raleigh yesterday morning to consult Gov. Jarvis relative to the lease matter. If anybody can make money by leasing the road we can't see why our own people should not do it. Cerpaid her floating debt and declared a ring this hot weather. dividend, she ought to run singlehanded.

Quaker Bridge Road.

Mr. F. G. Simmons, Chairman of the Commissioners of the Quaker Bridge Road, has just returned from a visit to the work in Onslow and reports it going on well. He is unstinted in his praise of Mr. McIver, the Superintendent, and says the State could not have procured the services of a better man for the position. He only fears that some of the fair maidens over there may capture him, and as a safeguard against such an accident he secured a sort of a quasi promise from Mr. McIver that nothing tending to matrimony should be inacre this spring. His shipment to-day dulged in until after the completion of the road ; if then he desires to take unto Maj. Geo. Credle has requested us to himself a wife Mr. Simmons will fling call the attention of the proprietor of open the doors of his residence near Quaker Bridge and give him a good send off.

The County Commissioners of Jones have let out the contract for the building of the bridge, and the people all along the line and on the Onslow side will have the pleasure of travelling the finest road next winter that they have

seen in many days. Mr. Simmons reports the crops along the route from here to Onslow as looking

State Colored Normal School. The third session of this school located by the State in New Berne, will begin on the 25th of June, under skillful instructors from Lincoln and Shaw Universities. After two weeks' drilling will begin a five weeks' course, on Monday, July 9th, under the leadership of Principal Ella Somerville, now employed in the colored schools of Washington City, D. C. A corps of competent assistants will accompany her. No such opportunity for improvement has ever been offered the colored teachers of this State. It has been arranged Directors, after consultation with Gov Jarvis and Superintendent Scarborough. Every colored teacher who can possibly embrace these advantages, should do so, To have good schools there must be good teachers. Good teachers must be trained thoroughly. This effort should be welcomed by the colored people. We welcome it. The school has been well conducted in the past and has done good. By such work as this now proposed, the State of North Carolina shows its deep interest in the educational welfare of its colored citizens. The school will be continued after the special five weeks' course ends.

The Picnic Again;

MR. EDITOR;-A notice of the Episcopal Sunday School Excursion-Picnic, as en by one pair eyes, having appeared in your paper, I beg a little room for detailing a few points as seen from another location. An occasion like this is intended to develop little incidents which at other times would pass unnoticed, but while every one is so good natured it adds not a little to past enjoyments to jot them down, that those who could not accompany us may more fully understand the situation and enter into our pleasures and to know that in this special department the trip, including the landing, dinner, etc., was a

complete success.

The steamer Elm City offers special dvantages as an excursion boat, neat, mug and tidy, so constructed that the party is naturally and necessarily di-vided into small detachments, just large nough for merry parties, and too small to admit intruders.

The saloon was given up to the mothera, nurses and the wee little ones. The dining room, in addition to the sub-stantials, gave room for a large card party. The space about the pilot hous ntained the Ninth grade young girls with beaus thicker than leaves, etc., and to-day they understand the nautical expressions of doubling capes and putexpressions of doubling capes and put-ting in stays better than Prof. Wardla w can begin to explain it. Griff. Credie pre-suppted the after part of this deck for a party of young girls and was left in undisturbed possession, but such shouting, gaiety and fun as they had let them tell. Astern down stairs were invited guests and friends; this party, once complete, seem to hold together as though bound with bords. We noticed external of the C. M. C. there and a good sprinkling of young men. Amidship

souls, making the most of the occasion and enjoying the cool breezes, while forward were the staid and long mamed of the A. & N. C. R. R. We are glad to ones with now and then a single jewel; see our people taking an interest in this this little release from house-hold duties was highly appreciated by them and

they hesitated not to express it. The boys were around the lemonade tainly any road that can support two tubs as usual and if Prof. Johnson has sets of officers and pay the expenses of as much trouble in keeping their thirst a receivership ought by economizing slaked as our secretary had he should have something left. We know she is close the term Friday night, for they valuable property, but until she has will find no opportunity for study du-

The superintendent sat himself down in an easy chair and commenced reading the morning paper; this suggested an effort on the part of some of the mischief-loving ladies to utilize him by slipping a running noose over his head and making him pay court to some of their number; this could not be made to work on our downward trip, but after his good dinner he became more tractable and on the homeward excursion it worked as though greased for the occasion. It may have been an express ion of opinion and suggestion of the secretary, that decided him to submit to the inevitable.

Will Bryan's gray mule omnibus line was one of the necessities of the shore party; as he drove up to the wharf with his rail-body cart loaded with the gayest party of marriageable ladies, all singing "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," with Peele acting the part of conductor and carrying a strong tenor it seemed to your correspondent exactly according to the eternal fitness of things.

Harry Stevenson's opposition ferry line was highly appreciated, but the superintendent will have to describe it. planting rice. This is intended to be a truthful narrative and I only give evidence of what I saw; I hear however that it was decided impracticable to make the home trip with but one oar-lock and he sent a half mile to secure one while the delay was really enjoyed by the passengers.

The dinner Geo. Credle pronounced excellent, and we do not believe he sustains the character the JOURNAL has given him.

Capt. Gibbs came on the picnic ground with his mate, engineer and Abe Lee the Adam's Creek Agent. No amount of persuasion could get the Captain and Abe away from the good feast Mrs. Adams had served for them. Mrs. Bryan however held the bite a line passed around Salter and Gus and she fed them literally and to their complete satisfaction.

The grounding of the steamer at the wharf is immaterial, but when we started the strong southerly breeze carried Charlie Blank's hat off toward the sound and should Capt. Spencer find it he need not trouble to return it, as Charlie now wears one furnished him by Capt. Gibbs and it is real becoming and he looks lively in it.

Capt. Gray saw the party off with everything on board to minister to their comfort and promised them a good time. He met us on our return and saw all safely landed. We make our best bow to him and take pleasure in commending his enterprise in fitting up "Gray-Lee Beach" as such a delightful and commodeous picnic ground and the steamer Elm City as a well fitted means of transportation there. I am living in New Berne and my name is

TRUTHFUL JAMES.

Crop Reports. The crop reports collected by the New York Times indicate that the yield of wheat this year will be greater than the average of the last ten years, which was 854,000,000 bushels, but considerably smaller than the yield of last year which was 502,000,000 bushels. This falling off may be partially compensated for if the present promises of an unusually large corn crop are fulfilled. The corn crop of 1880 was the largest ever raised, being over 1,700,000,000 bushels. This year's crop promises to nearly equal it. The general crops also prom equal it. The general crops also prom ise to be good. The oats crep will be FIRE! FIRE! FIRE! larger than usual, and the promise for hay and fruit in the West is excellent. The reports take no notice of the Middle and New England States. The general result affords ground for expecting a fairly good business year.

News of Neuse River.

The steamer Snow Hill went up Tuesday heavy loaded with merchandise Our old friend W. H. Ward was on oard with the same old bottle. She did not go up Gar Creek.

Your correspondent was in Beaufort county Monday. The farmers are hard at work and their farms are in a pros-perous condition. Bee robbing was in full blast Monday and I left the county a sweet boy.

On my way to Washington Saturday

was still another party of congenial and E. H. Anderson are said to be the NEWBERN HOUSE.

The weather is getting so warm hall only take on one-half dozen of Dawson's beer this week; that is cutting my rations down half; I don't think they will growl at that. I and your Tuscarora man are said to be the only white men that drink at Dawson's bar: we don't think so. LITTLE BILL.

### Vandemere Items.

M. Fentress is hilling corn.

Cotton is looking very backward. Mrs. U. C. Holton is visiting Mrs. Fowler at the Ferry this week.

Messrs, E. G. Robbins, J. R. McCotter and G. Jones went on a deer hunt Saturday, and killed a large buck and were home by 11 a.m.

Capt. Ballance, of Washington, N. C., E. G. Robbins, J. R. Jones, J. L. Winstead and I. Jones were on a fishing spree Monday with a drag net, and only caught about forty fish and three bushels of oysters.

S. F. McCotter expects to ship fifty barrels of Irish potatoes by Elm City on the 14th inst., and several other farmers are digging to ship same time. It has been so wet this spring Irish potatoes are rotting in the ground, and the farmers are compelled to dig them to save

Mr. J. R. McCotter says he has five acres of corn that the curlew bugs have destroyed. Mr. Fentress also says he has one or two acres destroyed by the bugs. They say they think it is caused by planting rice on the land the year before. I hear several parties are done

### Kinston Items.

The "good die young." This is not intended as whitewash for spring chickens however.

We notice the return of Wm. Hunter. Esq., of this place, after a seven week's trip as a commercial traveller.

Sheriff Davis brought Sylvester Lawhorn from Petersburg last Tuesday and lodged him, for the present, in the Goldsboro jail.

W. D. Pollock, a stduent of Chapel Hill from this county, returned home last week. He took a distinction in elecution at the last commencement.

Young ladies. sympathizing with the legal fraternity for their awkwardness on the ball room floor last Friday night, 'say men of talent and commanding intellect are never good dancers."

At an election last Wednesday, in Kinston, for officers of St. John's Lodge, No. 96 A. Y. Masons, for the ensuing year, the following were chosen: S. H. Rountree, W. M.; W. G. Taylor, S. W.; Henry Cunningham, J. W.; C. Gray, Treasurer; H. W. Cummings,

## COMMERCIAL.

NEW BERNE MARKET. Corron-Middling, 9 1-2; strict low

aiddling 9 3-8; low middling 9 1-4. CORN—In sacks, 68c.; in bulk 64c. TURPENTINE—Dip, \$2.25; hard \$1.25. TAR—\$1.00 to \$1.25. TAR—Firm at \$1.50 and \$1.75. Honey—60c. per gallon.

BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.

MUTTON—\$223.25 per head.

HAMS—Country, 16c. per pound. LARD—Country, 14c. per lb. FRESH PORK—7a9c. per pound. FRESH PORK—7a9c. per pound.
EGGS—15c. per dozen.
PEANUTS—\$1.50 per bushel.
FODDER—\$1.25. per hundred.
ONIONS—4c. per bunch.
PEAS—\$1.00a1.25 per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 9c. to 11c.; green 5c.
TALLOW—6c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 80a70c. per pair.
MEAL—Bolted, 75c. per bushel.
POTATOES—Bahamas, 50c.; yams\_60c.
per bushel.
TURNITS—3c. per bunch.

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TURNITS—30. per bunch.
WALNUTS—50c. per bushel.
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This house, known as the Macon House, has been thoroughly overhauled and renovated, and is now opened for the summer travel.

A three story porch has been added on the south front, in full view of the ocean.

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## Schedule

NOTICE.

All persons liable under Schedule B. Tax are hereby notified that they are required by law to list the same during the first TEN (10) lays in July. Persons failing to list within the time will be placed on the delinquent list, and will be charged with double tax. I will be at my office to receive the same. Blanks furnished.

JOSEPH NELSON, Register of Deeds.

## J. M. SCOTT

Has just opened, on the Southwest corner of Middle and South Front streets, a stock of First Class Family Groceries FIVE NEW TABLES JUST PUT IN,

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### CITY ITEMS

This column, next to local news, is to be used for local advertising. Rates, in cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

A. H. Potter in making sods water does not use pump water but pure cistern water.

Sewing machine—bran new—can be bought cheap at the JOURNAL office.

## Notice to Truckers

Goldsboro, it is imperatively necessary the Train should leave New Berne promptly at FOUR o'clock, p. m. Truckers are requested, therefore, to have

their Truck at the Depot not later than Fifteen Minutes to Four. All Truck arriving after that time will be

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