

NEW BERNE, N. C., FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1883:

VOL II.

LOCAL NEWS. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. M. WATSON-Trustees' meeting. C. E. SLOVER-Groceries. GEO. H. WHITE-Trustees' meeting.

urus] Miniature Almanac. hin rises, 4:50 | Length of day, Jun sets, 7:19 | 14 hours, 31 minutes. Moon sets at 8:36 p. m.

Heavy thunder shower yesterday evening.

The steamer Snow Hill arrived from Bell's Ferry yesterday.

Our traveling agent, Maj. D. T. Carraway, is "doing up" Philadelphia.

Wilmington had thirty-nine deaths during the month of June-13 whites and 26 colored.

The artesian wells bored up town for the purpose of draining the low places are working admirably.

The Board of Trustees of the New Berne Academy meet this evening at 3} o'clock at H. R. Bryan's office.

Mr. John U. Smith, of the Cotton Exmarine hospital.

Messrs, Dunbar and Oast, steamboat inspectors, will be in the city to-day. Any one wishing license as master, pilot or engineer, can make application to them before 4 p. m., as they will leave at that hour on the Shenandoah.

Messre, Manwell & Crabtree are build-About seven years ago they built an eight horse power for him, but his business has increased until he is compelled to put in heavier machinery.

Our fellow citizens at Trenton, we understand, celebrated the Fourth of July by assembling themselves together and appointing a committee to prepare quarters for the convict force and have them in condition to receive them when Trenton and Core Creek road.

The first mail from Trenton to Richlands carried many relics from the ancient town to her younger sister. We learn that Capt. J. H. Foy, the leading politician of the county received quite a number of Tilden and Vance campaign documents. Cad Koonce received an almanac and many others were reimportance.

Our Steam Transportation Lines. Our transportation companies, rail as well as by water, all appear to be and are prospering, those which concentrate and those which radiate from our port. The fact is one which should stimulate our people to further exertions in and Oden. extending and multiplying these facilities. We have observed what no one here can fail to appreciate: the increased volume of business and the improved condition of all business and manufacturing enterprises in New Berne

following the establishment of the lines of the Clyde, Old Dominion, Neuse River Navigation, Trent River Transportation and Pamlico Transportation Companies, the Cherry Line to Vanceboro and the Snow Hill Line on Contentnea Creek.

But it is in the sections of country watered by the Trent, Neuse and Bay Rivers, Contentnea, Swift, Adams and Broad Creeks, that the improved condition wrought by better transportation facilities is most seen and felt. Wherever the steam-whistle of the river boat

has sounded, its echoes have awakened change, caught a cat fish on the wharf the people and aroused the spirit of at the foot of Craven street yesterday, progress, until it is safe to say that the which was generously donated to the past six years of steam navigation on the Neuse and its tributaries has done

> more to improve the condition of our people and section of country than the railroad has accomplished during 'all the years of its existence.

> > Yet the amount of money invested in

these river lines combined, is very limited compared with results. Sixty ing a fifty horse boiler and engine thousand dollars, of which the steamer for John Pearce, Esq., of Polloksville. Elm City represents about one third, will fully cover the amount of money invested in all these enterprises, and not less than twenty per cent per annum has been earned by them in dividends. In other words, a profit of \$12,000 a year has been derived from the investments in these steam lines.

When, therefore, a section of country is shown to have been so prosperously affected by its transportation facilities. they come over to begin work on the and the transportation lines are all at the same time so prosperous in the earning of dividends, it argues a very satisfactory condition of affairs all around. and should lead to the investment of more money and the establishment of new routes. When a public spirited citizen is appealed to for money to inaugurate a new enterprise having for its object progress and improvement, membered with documents of minor he rarely withholds his ail according to his ability, and to such spirit of public enterprise our aiready est lines largely owe their existence. Now when results are shown to have justified their inauguration. in their effect upon business prosperity, and what was to act. measurably begun as public enterprise has turned out good paying private investment, there should not be found among our business men, or the people of any section wanting proper transportation facilities those who shall hesitate

Board of Councilmen. The monthly meeting of the Board of Councilmen of the city was held Tuesday night, Mayor Howard presiding. Present: Councilmen Gray, Rountree,

A petition was presented from numerous citizens, asking that the vote on the motion to purchase an engine for the Reliance engine company, which was lost at the last regular meeting, be replaced in the upper part of the city. On motion of Councilman Crawford, the vote was reconsidered, and on motion of Councilman Moore, the matter was referred to the Fire Department Committee, with Councilman Gray added, with instructions to ascertain the cost

of repairing the old engine, and to report at the next meeting. Mr. E. K. Bryan asked for L. J.

Moore, that he be allowed to repair a building on Craven street. On motion the request was unanimously granted.

A petition from Mr. Patterson was read, asking permission to erect a frame building in the rear of the Central Hotel. The roll of members being called' the petition was lost by the fol-Dr. John A. Pollock, in Kinston, lowing vote: Gray, no; Rountree, no;

Hackburn, no; Miller, yes; Moore, yes; Jones county, represents that the pros-Crawford, yes; Oden, yes. pects for making a large crop of hay A petition from Mrs. Dewey was

in that county are very flattering; thinks offered, asking permission to add a that Col. Moses and Col. E. B. Isler are second story to her millinery store. contending against each other for the The vote being taken, resulted as folbest yield in grass. lows: Councilmen Gray, Rountree and

The Kinstonians-most of them-Huckburn voting no; Councilmen went to Sugg's Mill in Greene county Miller, Moore, Crawford and Oden yot-

yield than last year.

matter at once and give us water. R.

Kinston Items.

to celebrate the 4th, where, according ing yes. The petition was lost. to Doc Mitchell, a greater miracle than Councilman Gray offered a motion the feeding of the four thousand with that the ordinunce forming the fire disseven loaves was to be performed-the trict and penalties be repealed. The feeding of five thousand with six little motion was lost. pigs. On motion the ordinance preventing

sion.

It is said the prayer of a large land parties from keeping more than two head of cattle in the city at any time owner in this county whose sail boat was repealed. was snagged while on the "vasty deep" during the recent meeting of the rail-

A petition from M. Richardson was read, asking to be imbursed for damages road magnates at Morehead was worth done by the authorities in cleaning out all the prayers uttered on the ticklish a ditch on her lot. On motion the peoccasion: "Oh! Lord," said he, "give tition was tabled. us a little more land and a little less The Mayor's report was read, showwater."

ing costs collected \$5.15, Fines collected \$5. four months ago and Mrs. Nancy

The Marshal's report was also read, Smith, whose husband, D. C. Smith, showing cost of work on streets and died two months since, were married pumps \$204.40. Fines collected \$5; on the 3d instant, in Woodington township, by James Herring, J. P. These costs \$5.15.

Mr. E. B. Hackburn, foreman of Newparties realize the truth, it is not good

EDITOR JOURNAL :-- I desire, through ment as "one of Nash county's most your paper, to call the attention of our successful farmers." Yes, Thomas Sutcity authorities to the fact that the ten, a farmer for over twenty-five years pump on Pollok street, opposite Mr. in the Bucklesberry section of this town-John Detrick's residence, has been out ship, has never bought a pound of meat Hackburn, Miller, Moore, Crawford of order for several months and it is or lard, nor one bushel of corn or wheat, often the case that water cannot be got- or one pound of flour, for his own use, ten out of it at all. It has been patched up and now has a goose with her second several times within the last few months brood of goslings hatched by her from but in a few days after it is worked eggs laid by her this spring. It is rarely upon it is as bad as it was before. It is the case when a friend cannot get a a great inconvenience to the people barrel of corn or ham of bacon from considered, and that immediate steps living in that vicinity to have to go so him. The Wilson Advance will have to be taken to get them an engine, to be far for water. I hope the Mayor and trot out another man. pump committee will attend to this

Mrs. Nancy Casey, who was examined by three of the Justices of this township and a regular physician some two or three weeks ago and pronounced insane, was examined by twelve jurors

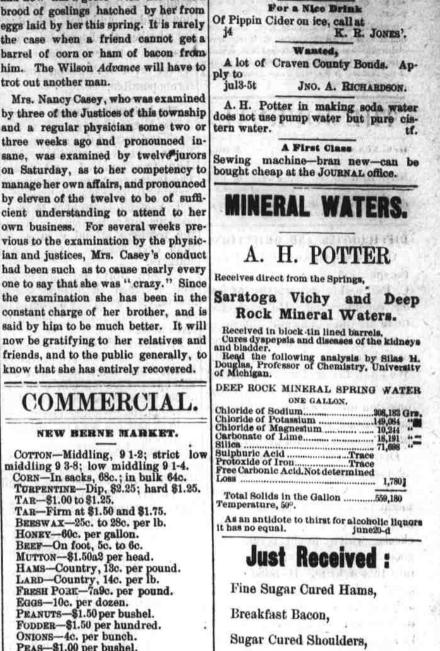
There was no "4th of July" in Kinson Saturday, as to her competency to ton on the 4th of July. Not even a fire manage her own affairs, and pronounced cracker broke the quietude of the occaby eleven of the twelve to be of sufficient understanding to attend to her The cotton and corn crops on the own business. For several weeks pre-South side of Neuse river in this county vious to the examination by the physicare looking well and promise a better | ian and justices, Mrs. Casey's conduct had been such as to cause nearly every one to say that she was "crazy." Since Miss Anna B. Hardee, daughter of the late Pinckney Hardee, of this constant charge of her brother, and is county, died on the 4th instant, of cansaid by him to be much better. It will cer of the stomach, at the residence of now be gratifying to her relatives and friends, and to the public generally, to Daniel E. Perry, Esq., just from

know that she has entirely recovered. COMMERCIAL.

NEW BERNE MARKET.

COTTON-Middling, 91-2; strict low middling 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. BEESWAX-25c. to 28c. per lb. HONEY-60c. per gallon. BEEF-On foot, 5c. to 6c. MUTTON-\$1.50a2 per head. HAMS-Country, 13c. per pound. LARD-Country, 14c. per lb. FRESH PORE-7a9c. per pound. EGGS—10c. per dozen. PEANUTS—\$1.50 per bushel. FODDER—\$1.50 per hundred. ONIONS-4c. per bunch. PEAS-\$1.00 per bushel. HIDES-Dry, 9c. to 11c.; green 5c. TALLOW-6c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 60a70c. per pair. MEAL-Bolted, 75c. per bushel. POTATOES-Bahamas, 50c.; yams 60c. per bushel. TURNIPS-3c. per bunch. WOOL-12a20c. per pound. SHINGLES-West India,dull and nom.

inal; not wanted. Building 5 hearts, \$3.50; saps, \$2.50 per M. inch Office Sec'y and Treasurer



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K. R. JONES'.

CITY ITEMS.

The Chenpest Grang

and Lemons iu the city can be found at

This column, next to local news med for local advertising. Rates, line for first insertion, and 5 cents each subsequent insertion.

Choice Butter and Cheese,

Best Quality of Lard.

HEADQUARTERS FOR FINE FLOUR.

Catawba, Scuppernong, Sherry and Port Wines, and a Complete Line of the Best Grades of Liquors for family use.

Summer Bates.

The A. & N. C Railroad Company has adopted the following rates for the summer season, which will be in force from the 5th day of July to the 15th of October : From New Berne to Morehead City and return, \$2.00. Saturday tickets, good from Saturday to Monday, \$1.50. Tickets in same proportion at Smithfield, Goldsboro, La Grange and Kinston are on sale. to invest their money in and aiding to

Mayor's Court.

One case of "drunk and disorderly ' before the court yesterday. Fine \$3.00 and cost.

On Tuesday James Chattman and John Guilford were up for an affray. Guilford was fined \$5.00 and cost, Chattman afford. \$10.00 and cost. Chattman not being able to plank up and being regarded as a sort of a nuisance any way, was sent to jail for twenty days.

Lost in the Corn.

suffer for bread next year if we have a wealthy, and a subscription of fifty true report from his farm and no acci- thousand dollars to the establishment dent befalls it from this time on. We and equipment of a first-class steam hear that he tells it that one day last line, giving all necessary landing facilweek he neglected to have the horn ities, would not be felt by those people blown at the usual hour-12 o'clock- Such line would not only afford them and one of the hands undertook to go home without having the sound of the horn to direct his course, and he actually got lost in the rank, waving corn. The Morehead correspondent of the fail to return to its stockholders fifteen Patriot could make another Charlie percent of their investment, every year. Voorhees out of this fellow.

Celebrating the Fourth. There is life in the old land yet. The 4th of July has not been entirely obliterated from the minds of the youth and old age of the City of Elms. The unit public exercises of the day

was a parade of the colored firemen of our olty, joined by a squad from Ralligh. They made a very creditable dis-

samore Elm City, Kinston and minus; the Silver Cornet Band bands in the the Good r regalia in and as night's large orowd in front of Mr. John Dunn's Illuminated Pollock street granters, canon crackers,

provide them. The pecuniary success which has attended the enterprises already inaugurated should be sufficient to induce an investment in new ones. to say nothing of the benefits and convenience which steam lines confer and

There is the county of Hyde, cut off in large measure from intercommunication with the world, and in its commerce restricted to the slow and uncertain movoments of sailing vessels. The peo- Crawford voting in the negative. Commodore Cicero Griffin will not ple there are all well-to-do, if not

> quick, frequent and cemain communication (a sufficient consideration for the outlay) but, according to all experience and observation, such line could not The people of Onslow are suffering for the want of steamboat communica-

tion with Morehead City. They are amply able to provide themselves boats for the navigation of the New and White Ocak Rivers, and Bogue Sound, and such line there would pay fully twenty er cent

It is quite safe to say that if the people of Hyde and Onslow would themelves move in the matter they would he met half way. The pushes would New Berne and steamboat people would readily join them in the est of lines, but they must first show a willingness to help themselves. Owners of steamboat property will not generally employ it on an experimental line without the people to be served manifest their faith in and purpose to sustain it by pecuniarily interesting themselves. The New Berns and Pamlico Line was ublished, and the Elm City built by the people along the route interesting reater or less degree of the Neuse and Frent River and tributary lines.

bern engine company, was present and asked for repairs on their engine house. On motion the matter was referred to The County Commissioners held their Fire Department Committee with power

On motion, Covncilman Hackburn was authorized to purchase one dozen chairs for the use of the Councilmen. On motion, Mr. W. G. Brinson was requested to copy the tax list at a cost not to exceed \$30; in case he refuses, the matter to be referred to the chairman of the Finance Committee with power to act.

On motion, the tax levy for city purposes on real and personal property shall be 60 cents on the \$100, and poll tax \$1; Mr. Crawford voting against increase of poll.

On motion, a levy of 20 cents on the \$100 was made on real and personal property, and 50 cents on each poll for Graded School purposes; Councilman The usual monthly bills were allowed. the minutes read and adopted, and the Board adjourned.

R. D. HANCOCK, City Clerk.

Vandomere Items.

George Jones killed a fine deer Jane 30th.

Mrs. Thomas Campen is very sick with malarial fever.

Mahalia Morgan, colored, died June 26, 1883. She was about 90 years old.

Mrs. R. Messock died June 29th, aged about 60 years. She leaves a husband and several children to mourn her loss. Some of our young men behave themselves very badly at Bay Creek Church Sunday nights. Hope they will do better in the future. Dr. J. M. Hodges

Our Sabbath School is progressing very nicely now at Mount Zion Church and would be much better if the old hends would turn out.

Capt. Walker, of the schooner Warren A. Hall, is at our wharf loading with lumber for D. H. Abbott, for the Philadelphia market.

Mrs. Sallie Lewis, of Goose Creek island, died June 13 at her residence, iged 67 years. Rev. Joseph Brothers preached har funeral June 16.

Capt. Ben Cook was married June 28 -the second time to the same lady. He is the champion oysterman of Pamlico; he some times salls oyster shells for

dropsy of the heart. He was about 40 years old and a native of Currituck county. He leaves a wife and 4 or 5-shildren. Mr. Stephen Ballance died June 80-

for man to be alone and "have done it and done it quickly."

Mr. Hardy Stroud, whose wife died

regular meeting last Monday, a full held board being present. After the disposal of the usual routine business, quite a spirited discussion sprung up on a resolution introduced by Commissioner M. H. Wooten, instructing the Lenoir county proxy to vote for the lease of the A. & N. C. Railroad to the Gatlin Syndicate. The chairman of the Board, L. Harvey, Esq., who acts as county proxy, vigorously opposed the resolution, declaring it unwise and improper to handicuff him with defined action in the present aspect of affairs. Commissioner Wooten warmly favored the resolution and was bold and outspoken on the course of Gov. Jarvis in refusing to allow the private stockholders to control the destiny of the road after he

had publicly declared his intention to do so. No vote was taken on the resolution, leaving it undetermined how week. the Board stand on leasing to the Gatlin Syndicate. They do, however,

favor a lease to some party on proper terms.

La Grange Items.

Fine growing weather, and the crope are taking advantage of it, and the grass too.

H. H. Thomas, the only jeweler and watchmaker in town, left for Enfield on Tuesday.

Several of the town citizens and some from the country, intend visiting Sugg's

Dr. J. M. Hodges will locate in this place and commence the practice of his profession in a few days.

Sheriff Davis was in town Saturday on official business. W. W. N. Hunter. ex-S. C. C. of this county, was also in

Services at the Methodist Church Sunday, by Rev. S. H. Isler, of the Presbyterian Church. Text, Mark 5th chapter and latter part of the 19th verse. Subject, the benefits of the power of peech in the Church.

Fields' new hotel will need a clerk. applications received from hard ware dealers, young magistrates and acquain-tances in Williamston. Miss Emmle will receive applications, with the privilege to reject all.

The Free Press asks can any Lenoir ounty farmer make the same state jun14dtd

Board Trustees New Berne Academy, NEW BERNE, July 6th, 1883

This (Friday) afternoon at 3 1-2 o'clock, at the Cflice of RENRY R. BRYAN, ESQ., on South Front Street. The election of Teachers of the Graded School for session of 1883 and ³⁴⁴ will take place and the question of improve-ment of the Academy buildings will be dis-

By order of the President. W. M. WATSON, Sec'y and Treas.



To the Board of Trustees for the Colored Graded School in and for the City of New Berne, N. C.:

GENTLEMEN : You are hereby requested to meet at the OFFICE of GEO. H. WHITE, THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING, at HALF-PAST SEVEN o'clock, to take into consideration the feasibility of permanent organization, and other matters of By order of the Chairman, By order of the Chairman, GEO. H. WHITE, Sec'y. It

FRESH BUTTER received every

A NEW stock of TEA for the summer trade just received.

Toilet and Laundry SOAP in great variety. Sparkling CIDER, a cool and refreshng drink. Finest Grades of FLOUR. Pure APPLE VINEGAR. English Island MOLASSES. HAMS and Breakfast Bacon. Flavoring Extracts (all fresh).

Special bargains offered to cash cus-

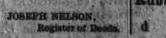


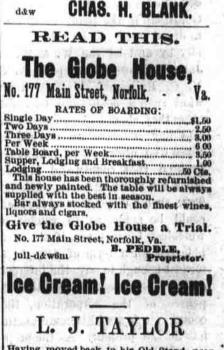
Brick | Brick | Brick | For sale in quantity and quality to suit archasers. Contracts solicited, Sales yard in Market Dock. Address all communications to J. F. CLARK, hyld&wif. New Berns, N. C,





All persons liable under Schedule B, Tax are hereby notified that they are required by aw to list the same during the first TEN (10 days in July. Persons failing to list within the time will be placed on the delinguent list and will be charged with double tax. I will e at my office farnished.





Having moved back to his Old Stand, near Depot, has opened TWO ICE CREAM PAR-LORS, one for white and one for colored people, where they may enjoy a plate of very fine Ice Cream. He also furnishes Ice Cream by the pint, quart or gallon at very reasonable rates. Soda Water, Bottled Ginger Ale. which is always kept ICE COLD. Lemonades made at reduced rates. Special attention is called to his Lorillard Snuff; he only keeps one kind, and that is genuine Lorillard, High Toast Scotch Snuff, He has bladders from 3 oz, up. He has very fine Cigars, Tobacco, Candy, etc. Call and see him at once and you will "Come Again." L. J. TAYLOR, june24dly Near Depot, New Berne, N. C. L. H. CUTLER, Stoves and Hardware, Sash, Doors & Blinds. LIME, CEMENT and PLASTER HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS. Paints, Oils, Glass and Putty GUNS AND PISTOLS. TOILET SETS Rubber and Leather Belting Rto., Bto., Etc.