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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.

Sun rises, 4:59 | Length of day,
Sun sets, 7:18 | 14 hours, 14 minutes.
Moon sets at 8:50 p. m.

The Post-office at Cove in this county has been re-established and our friends there once more have the benefit of regular mails.

We were visited on yesterday by another copious shower of rain, which cooled off the atmosphere and made it more pleasant.

We learn that Dr. Long, the attending physicsan, reports the condition of the colored boy Horrace that was struck by policeman Hurtt, as much better and thinks there is no cause for alarm.

We hear there was quite a row at Morehead City on Tuesday evening between a member of the Gate City Guards and a young man from Norfolk by the name of Jenkins. One of the Guards received a pistol shot in the thigh.

Some of our citizens were entertained awhile yesterday evening by the capers of two very large porpoises that made their appearance in Trent river, and when first seen was off the Old Dominion Wharf. They traveled on up as far as the railroad bridge, when they turned back and made their way down the river towards the sound. They were supposed to have been driven up here by the storm with a large quantity of fish.

Circus Coming.

The National Circus, we learn, is to be here on the 30th inst. It is said that 22 cars are required to carry it.

Fourth of July.

We have received a copy of the McConnelsville *Herald*, which contains a speech delivered by Col. J. W. Andrews, well known in this section as Superintendent of the Midland Railway Company. Though coming from a British subject, the speech breathes healthy, patriotic, American sentiments.

Confederate Bonds.

There seems to be quite a boom in Confederate bonds again, of certain denominations. We have a card from a firm at Augusta, Ga., offering to pay $8.00 per thousand for Confederate bonds 6, 7 or 8 per cents with 1865 coupon on, and will pay half price for those bearing January '66 coupons. They also offer $2.00 per thousand for State war bonds with 1865 coupons on.

Married,

At the M. E. Church, in this city, on Wednesday evening, July 18th, by Rev. Dr. Burkhead, Dr. Wm. Pell Ballance to Miss Ina G. Potter.

At Portsmouth, N. C., on Tuesday night, July 10th, by the Rev. Mr. Lumly, Mr. Thos. Robertson to Miss Bettie Mason, of Beaufort. We learn that the marriage was known only a very few intimate friends, and that even, the "old folks" were surprised.

Trip to Polloksville.

A pleasant trip it was to Polloksville yesterday behind the span belonging to Clement Manly, which, while they are not beauties, are No. 1 D. R. T.'s—Dirt Road Travelers. It was also a pleasure to meet our old friends at this thriving little village, and to find them cheerful over the business outlook. The sound of the hammer and saw could be heard, which is unmistakable evidence that the town is not finished. Mr. Hudson is adding another story to his already capacious store, and many other improvements have been made since our last visit. But amidst all the pleasure of meeting old friends we found some sad as well as cheerful. The death of Mrs. Charles Whitty, which sad event occurred during our stay at the village, cast a gloom over the community.

In our next issue we will notice the closing exercises of Prof. Rhodes' school and the admirable speech made by Clement Manly, Esq.

C. F. & Y. V. Proposition to Lease.

We have seen a letter from the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley people, in which they say this their proposition to lease the A. & N. C. Railroad, when so changed will be so amended as to meet the public objection urged against it as first submitted. They say their first [illegible] was necessarily very crude not having had full time to mature it, and finding the proposed feature regarding the location of the cross road to Sanford or the completion of the link from Goldsboro to Fayetteville, objectionable to the public, then, strike that out as not being a matter of vital importance to them. We should judge from the general tenor of the letter, that the proposition when again submitted will be such as to meet the general views of those having the matter in charge. But we should infinitely prefer a proposition to purchase outright; such as should receive the approval of the stockholders, and then let the matter go over to the next session of the Legislature.

Gen. Tom Thumb is Dead.

His real name was Charles Haywood Strattan, was born in Bridge Port, Connecticut, January 4th, 1838. He entered the service of P. T. Barnum and was placed on the stage in 1852. When fourteen years old he travelled through America, England, France and Germany, and proved a decided hit in the Old World. He was married to Miss Lavinia Warren in 1862. He made money, lived in ease and died Sunday morning, July 15th, at Middleboro, Mass., 45 years old. Barnum described him as being under two feet high, weighing less than Wixlen pounds, beautifully formed and quite a handsome man. His wife survives him who is a tiny little woman, equally as small in proportion as was Tom Thumb himself.

More Railroad.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—I have noticed of late several railroad articles published in your paper in favor of purchase by the N. C. Railroad or lease to the Yadkin Valley Railroad, each having their merits.

But I would like to ask why all that has been claimed cannot be accomplished by the Eastern Carolina Railroad Company. Now I think there is too little importance given to any enterprise started at home by merchants and business men of known character and integrity, who have no other object except to bring order out of chaos. It is a well established fact that no railroad has been run with success in this nor any other State when controlled by the political party in power; the Governor clearly admitted this in his speech at Morehead, and in conclusion said this, the A. & N. C. Railroad was the only one left in which the State has a controling interest, and he was desirous to place it in the hands of some good company if he could do so without damage to the private stockholders and State.

It is known full well that the Eastern Carolina Railroad Company is composed of business men in Raleigh, Goldsboro, Kinston, New Berne and Carteret, most of whom are shippers over the road, and some are the largest shippers from the points at which they reside and do business; they know how this road has been managed for the last 10 years, the many difficulties they have experienced with their business in connection with the road, believing that under their management with no political party to please, with the best men in the right place to operate upon a purely business base, that it can be made to pay a fair profit upon the investment.

They do not feel that it would be safe to sell or lease to any other company if they can by any fair means buy or lease the same, for the following reasons: Many of the stockholders of the E. C. Railroad are large stockholders in the A. & N. C. Railroad, and are also interested in the stock owned in the county in which they live; they also believe that by their management the people along the line of the road will be benefited, their wants will be strictly attended to for no other purpose except to increase the revenue of the road, as they believe no road can be successfully operated unless it has the sympathy and good will of the people along the line.

Then it is not the intention of the Eastern Carolina Railroad to cut off or refuse to receive any business West of Goldsboro, will always be ready to connect or upon fair business propositions to build and connect with the Yadkin Valley or any other road or place, provided that it is for their interest to do so. But do say that they shall not operate the A. & N. C. Railroad in the interest of any other road to the injury of the A. & N. C. Railroad, of any town, city nor the people along the line of county through which it runs; that they want to operate the road just in the interest of the people to the benefit of its own business and exports. Second, in direct opposition to all that may seek to injure them in any way.

Mr. Editor, what objection can be urged to the Eastern Carolina Co. and its purposes? The road is to be leased or sold; and any money made would it not be better to keep it at home? We have the money, means and ability to run this road successfully, and should have the first chance every time, all other things being equal.

EASTERN CAROLINA.

The Sea of Oblivion

would long since have swallowed up SOZODONT in common with so many forgotten tooth pastes and dentifrices, did not the experience of a whole nation prove that it possesses signal advantages. It thoroughly cleans the teeth, dissolving and removing their impurities; it revives their fading whiteness and strengthens their relaxing hold upon their sockets; it renders colorless ulcerated gums hard and healthy; and besides neutralizing an unsavory breath, invests it with its own fragrance. dw

CHAPPED HANDS, FACE, PIMPLES, and rough Skin, cured by using JUNIPER TAR SOAP, made by CASWELL, HAZARD & Co., New York. th-2

An Old Paper.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 16, 1883.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—I send for publication a paper which can hardly fail to interest Newbernians. It will probably appear in print for the first time in your columns, though it was executed nearly two centuries ago. It is a warrant from the Lord's Proprietors of the then Province of Carolina to Christopher Gale, then Receiver General, to supply the Baron De Graffenried and his "Poor Palatines" with provisions etc., and from its date it must have been issued about the time they were setting out to make the settlement of Newbern.

The original warrant is in the possession of the South Carolina Historical Society, having been presented to the Society by Judge W. N. Pringle in 1879. The paper is yellow with age, but the writing, in a bold round hand, is clear and distinct and the seals are well preserved. The names of Lords Craven and Carteret are still familiar in your State as names of counties, as they were also for a long time in the same connection in this State, and the names of Ashley and Sir John Colleton are with us here still. The name of the Duke of Beaufort is common to both States.

Their Charter was not surrendered to the Crown by the Lords Proprietors until 1729. When the Province came under the rule of the King in that year it was divided into North and South Carolina, previously to which the whole had been known as Carolina, but it is noteworthy that in this warrant the term *North* Carolina is used at a date twenty years before the separation.

A copy of the order of Council directing the division of the Province has never been found, so far as can be learned. Like many others of the early Colonial records it was not preserved in any of the public archives, and the fact of the issue even of such an order has been questioned by some.

G. D.

Warrant to Christopher Gale, Receiver General to Supply Baron Graffenried with such provisions as he shall have in his Hands towards the maintenance of such poor palatines as shall Arrive there.

"William Lord Craven Palatine, The most Noble Henry Duke of Beaufort, and the Rest of the True and Absolute Lords Proprietors of the Province of Carolina."

To Christopher Gale Esqr. Receiver General of that part of Our Province of Carolina that lies North and East of Cape Feare.

Whereas Landgrave Christopher De Graffenried, intending to Transport several Families of Poor Palatines into North Carolina has made application to Us that We should give Direction to Our Receiver General to supply ye sd Palatives with such Provisions and Effects upon their Arrival there as We shall have in your hands towards the Support and Maintenance of the Poor Palatines aforesaid. We do therefore hereby require and Command you do from Time to Time supply the said Christopher De Graffenreid, or such other Person or Persons as he shall Impower by Writing under his own hand, with such Necessaries and Provisions as you shall from Time to Time have received of 1709. Anno Ours in Your hands and at such Rates and Prizes as You received them, taking his or their receipt what the Value of them shall amount to wch Receipt and Exact Account of what they have received from You, You are to Send Us by the first opportunity, as also a Duplicate of the Same by some other Ships and for so Doing this shall be your sufficient Warrant. Given at Craven House under Our Hands this 22d Day of September Anno Dom. 1709.

CRAVEN Palatine. [SEAL.]
CRAVEN for the Lord Carteret. [SEAL.]
M. ASHLEY. [SEAL.]
J. COLLETON. [SEAL.]
J. DAWSON. [SEAL.]

Recorded in ye Council Book this 31st of March 1712.

N. CHEVIN, Secretr.

NOTE.—These seals are in red wax in a good state of preservation, with armorial bearings distinct.

Grantsboro Items.

We had a bad wind and rain storm yesterday. We have an account of the wind blowing Mr. J. B. Reel's house, barn and kitchen all down. A terrible disaster. Damages has not been estimated yet.

We are all nearly done hilling our crops and they are looking very well considering the season.

We have a long farmer farming on the New Ditch Farm. He says he has got 15 acres of rice looking well. It is about two feet high on an average, and as clean as a yard. I think he is looking for a wife—the cause of this.

Mr. Isham Bridgford, Warrenton, N. C., says: "I had the dropsy and was benefited by using Brown's Iron Bitters." dw

Off for the Sea Shore.

MR. EDITOR:—There was a lively scene at the depot yesterday morning before the departure of the 8:30 train for Morehead.

In accordance with previous plans and arrangements which had been thoroughly discussed and as nearly perfected as it would be possible to have them, under the circumstances, the following named young ladies, members and under the auspices of the "Old Maids Club," with the popular and indispensable Mrs. C. E. Slover as chaperon and general manager, boarded a "no smoking" car—class cut for Morehead, where they will take charge of the late Sea Breeze House (new name not yet reported) for the season, or longer, and do their own living and find themselves. They will also probably be found. We cannot name them in order of their ages, as no one is supposed to know the age of an Old Maid, therefore we'll try it alphabetically: Miss Hannah Allen, Miss Florence Bryan, Miss Nettie Hollister, Miss Ella Ives, Miss Nellie Jones, Misses Bettie, May, Shine and Mat. Oliver, Misses Mary and Lalla Roberts; also Misses Sadie Hollister, Mamie Roberts and Emma Katin, who are not full-degree members. Last, but not least, Mr. C. E. Slover went as councellor and right-hand man to his amiable spouse and her summer wards. He will probably return as soon as they get settled, as the "horrid men" are to have nothing to do with that enterprise. We were not allowed a glance at the car load of household goods, apparel etc., but there were some articles left out and were on exhibition on the platform, a list of which we proceed to give: First, AN AX which if some one steals will get about the only steel it ever had. Second, A BASKET to be used in catching crabs, blue fish, mullets, flounders, eggs, chickens, watermelons and field potatoes.

There were several "devoted swains" present, who had evidently made a desperate effort to get up in time to see the party off. And there were several others who were conspicuous by their absence, they will probably go down soon and make excuses.

Ladies, we make our most respectful bow, hoping your summer vacation at the Sea Breeze may be a continuous picnic.

P. A. R. E.

New Berne, July 18, 1883.

Seven Springs Items.

Rev. J. M. Sprunt, D.D., of Kenansville, will preach at the Presbyterian Church at this place on the 5th Sunday.

The Neuse River fleet of dredge boats, under command of Capt. Game, has passed down the river and is doing good service.

Our friend W. C. Whitfield has located for the practice of physic at the residence of N. B. Outlaw, of Duplin county. Success to him.

La Grange has a Jeff Davis. Our own town boasts of a Robert E. Lee, Who can produce a Beauregard, a Joe Johnston or a Stonewall Jackson?

A gay party of excursionists came up on the steamer *Kinston* on Monday last under charge of Capt. Dixon. Some of the pleasure seekers remained at the Springs because it was near the water, others came to town because it was near the beer.

That sea monster, that almost demolished Henry Spence's fishery some time ago, has made another raid with reinforcements. The trap with all the appurtenances disappeared, and where it is gone no one knows, but we have just heard that it was found six miles below Kinston, and had in it three crocodiles, two alligators, a sea lion and fourteen sturgeons.

Our ferry, the only means for crossing the river since the bridge has been down, was obstructed the other day by an order to the ferryman not to touch the moral soil of the opposite shore; the soil upon which our forefathers bled, and died for the Confederacy which died too. A couple of Kinstonians bound for Seven Springs came near postponing their visit, and only taking a view of the promised land. We learn one gentleman ink another of the cause of this restraining order and he answered that it was "pure cussedness" he supposed. However, some benign influence sought to calm the devilish instincts of human nature and Sam again accommodates the public.

We have a regular Dandy Jim in our town. Said Dandy Jim dressed himself from top to toe. He poured a bottle of castor oil on his head, added lard and cheese till you couldn't begin to tell and then that fifth moustache! it was waxed and combed and curled and waxed and pulled and stretched and twisted till there was no rest for the wicked finally, being on up for the occasion, and with a pair of dog-head slippers on his feet, he voted himself a perfect woman stunner. To the Whitfield house he went.

Where beauty, wit and grace
Always adorn the place,

and then and there demanded an introduction to one of the fair guests but this fair one, with brains as well as beauty, said she had heard enough of him already. Moral—Dog-head slippers will carry a dude into society.

It is the inherent right of every citizen to review the acts of our public men; be it known, therefore, that our town commissioners have held another meeting. They are known as our city fathers, and this time report a full meeting. One of the aforesaid fathers resolved himself into a committee of one on junk houses and fish ponds and unanimously resolved that if the Neuse River was dried up that it would be an excellent place for dried herrings. It was further ordered that no bomb shell or torpedo shall be exploded more than once in any store where crockery ware is kept, and that damages thus accruing shall be known by the damaged merchant's eyes and the jug handles on his arms. It was resolved that no mean man shall live in this burg. If any man is found in town too mean to allow a turtle dove to fly over his field, or a tame pigeon to light on his barn, he shall forthwith be expunged, obliterated, exterminated, killed or wiped out.

Stonewall Items

Mr. Bonner Hopkins, of Goose Creek Island, reports crops very poor and bugs plentiful with them.

Mr. Charles Flowers, of Chapel Creek, lost a valuable farm horse a few days ago. Blind staggers the cause.

Prof. A. H. Hamlin, with his family, left us for South Creek on the 18th. He takes charge of the school at Aurora. We wish him success.

Mrs. Thomas Campin, of Vandemere, died on the 14th inst. of pneumonia. She leaves a husband, two children and many friends behand who have the sympathies of all who knew her.

Mr. Lawrence Miller's family, with others, leave in a day or so for Portsmouth to spend the ballance of the summer there, and I learn that a good many from South Creek will also summer it there.

Mr. Benj. Brinson, of Baird's Creek, was with us on the 14th, and while here purchased a fine grade Cotswold buck lamb. He is one of the few who try to improve and raise sheep, dogs or no dogs.

There was one of the biggest law suits begun here on the 17th that has taken place before a J. P. since we have been a county; a suit for damages brought by Mr. Wm. Potter, against Mr. George Dees and many others for flooding his land.

I see in the JOURNAL a report of the curlew bug conversation at Mr. K. R. Jones' store and I will here let you know how the bug business stands here and who are the ones to apply to if you wish to know whether it is true or not. It is reliably reported that Mr. Shade Redding said that in his corn if one gets tired of walking, all he has to do is to get a piece of board large enough to stand on, lay it down and step on and off he goes without any further locomotion on his part, and Mr. Bradford Gatlin says that he is confident that a bushel basket could be filled in a very short time in Mr. Jas. H. Gaskins' field. I assure you that they are and have been playing sad havoc with our corn.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW BERNE MARKETS.

COTTON—Middling, 9 1-4; strict low middling, 9; low middling, 8¾.
CORN—In sacks, 68; in bulk, 65.
TURPENTINE—Dip, $2.25; hard, $1.95.
TAR—$1.90 to $1.95.
TAR—Firm at $1.90 and $1.95.
BEESWAX—25c. per lb.
HONEY—60c. per gallon.
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 6½.
MUTTON—$1.50@2 per head.
HAMS—Country, 12½c. per pound.
LARD—Country, 12½c. per lb.
FRESH PORK—7@8c. per pound.
EGGS—12c. per dozen.
PEANUTS—$1.50 per bushel.
FODDER—$1.50 per hundred.
ONIONS—$1.00 per bush.
APPLES—25@50c. per bushel.
PEAS—$1.60 per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 5c. to 7½c. green 3c.
TALLOW—5c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 45@50c. per pair; spring, 25@40c.
MEAL—Bolted, 75c. per bushel.
POTATOES—Bahamas, 50c.; yams 60c. per bushel.
WOOL—18@20c. per pound.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch hearts, $3.50; saps, $2.50 per M.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—$20 long clears 10c.; shoulders, dry salt, 9c.
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—
SALT—95c. per sack.
FLOUR—$4.00@7.50 per barrel.

CITY ITEMS.

This column, next to local news, is to be used for local advertising. Rates 10 cents a line for first insertion, 5 cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

Sewing machine of all kinds for sale or to be bought cheap at the JOURNAL office.

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

50 Tons Prime Timothy

For sale by the TON, VERY LOW.

Parties in want of hay will save money by calling on
July15-6t W. P. BURRUS & CO.

Wanted.

To know where there is a Woolen Factory that makes a specialty of manufacturing wool into blankets. Address
P. M.,
Comfort,
July15-d6tw Jones County, N. C.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

RALEIGH, N. C.

The ADVENT TERM of the 35th Semi-Annual Session of this School begins THURSDAY, SEPT. 13th, 1883.

For Catalogue address the Rector.
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For Sale.

Will sell cheap for CASH, TWO OLD LOCOMOTIVE ENGINES and ONE OLD LOCOMOTIVE BOILER.

For further information apply to
BASIL MANLY, Jr.,
July10-d2w Supt. N. and R. R.

Well, What of It?

Nothing in particular, only during this heated term, and during the visit of Barnum and at W. L. PALMER'S, on Middle street, Good Cool Soda Water, Genuine Deep Rock Water, and excellent Ginger Ale, good and refreshing drinks. Also, the choicest brands of Cigars, Tobacco and Candies, Canes, Lemons, Oranges, etc., anything in my line nicely exchanged for Cash. Trade Dollars taken at their bullion value; be mindful currency at their current value.

W. L. PALMER.
Second door north cashier's corner of South Front and Middle sts.
July11-d1m New Berne, N. C.

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238 RICHMOND ST.
PHILADELPHIA.
ESTABLISHED 1859.

Maker of Gentlemen's Fine Custom Boots & Shoes of the Latest Styles and BEST GRADES.

Would refer to Messrs. B. K. Bryan, Geo. Henderson, Geo. H. Roberts, Geo. R. Oliver and others, all of New Berne.

☞ Orders by Mail solicited.
July8-d&wly GEO. W. J. HARVEY.

Notice to Firemen.

ORDERED, That all persons who were active Firemen on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1883, be and the same are exempt from Poll Tax for the year 1883.

ORDERED, That the above exemption shall not take effect until the proper officer of the several Fire Companies furnish the list taken with a certified list of the active members of their company on said 1st day of June.

ORDERED, That the Clerk of the Board publish the above order for ten days.

JOHN NELSON,
June16-d10t Clerk Board of Commissioners.

Just Received,

Fine Sugar Cured Hams,
Breakfast Bacon,
Sugar Cured Shoulders,
Choice Butter and Cheese,
Best Quality of Lard.

HEADQUARTERS FOR FINE LIQUORS.

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

CHAS. H. BLANK.

Just Received,

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

Tobacco and Laundry SOAP in great variety.

Sparkling CIDER, a cool and refreshing drink.

Finest Grade of FLOUR.

Pure APPLE VINEGAR.

HAMS and Breakfast Bacon.

Special bargains offered to cash customers.

C. E. SLOVER.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,