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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.

Sun rises, 5:12 | Length of day, 13:48
Sun sets, 6:60 | Moon rises, 10:00 p. m.

The frame for the covering over of the railroad wharf is being raised.

The Register of Deeds issued one marriage license to a colored couple during the past week.

L. F. Tillery has relieved Justin Jones at the telegraph office in this city. Mr. Jones goes to Salisbury.

A stock company has been organized in Beaufort for the building of another hotel on the site of the old Atlantic House.

Our thanks are due Senator Ransom for two bound volumes of the compendium of the tenth census of the United States.

Rev. E. M. Forbes preaches at Christ's Church to-day, having exchanged with Rev. V. W. Shields, who fills his place at Beaufort.

Presiding Elder J. E. Mann will preach at the M. E. Church this morning and evening. Quarterly Conference will be held at the church on Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Two parties were arraigned before His Honor, the Mayor, yesterday for disorderly conduct. They were represented by counsel who asked that the hearing be postponed until to-morrow. The court so ordered.

At the District Conference of the M. E. Church, held at Mount Olive last week, the committee on parsonage reported that a neat building had been erected in the city of Goldsboro at a cost of $2,500. It is now occupied by Rev. Dr. Hall.

Schooner Arrivals.

The *Mary S.*, Capt. Jim Berry, from Junipes Bay with corn consigned Burrus & Co. and Wahab & Credle.

The *Sarah E. Middleton*, Capt. Stowe, from Shelburne for Burrus & Co.

Havana, Capt. Caffy, from Engelhard, with corn for Burrus & Co.

Fire.

Yesterday morning at about one o'clock Mr. J. W. Hill, a private watchman on Middle and Pollock streets, gave the alarm of fire, which proved to be the kitchen on the premises occupied by Mr. James Willis on East Front street. A stream from the Atlantic engine soon squelched it. The New Bern engine was out in good time, but for some cause did not get to work.

Commissioners' and Magistrates' Meeting.

The County Commissioners and Magistrates meet to-morrow for the purpose of levying taxes. We don't know whether it is the duty of the Board of Magistrates or not but we think it the duty of some one to inquire of the Commissioners if sec. 45, chap. 117, acts of 1881, has been complied with, and if not, is there any reason why sec. 47 of the same act should not be enforced. People who hold claims against the county are entitled to their money, and if it is neither in the hands of the Sheriff nor Treasurer, they should know it so they can go about making terms with somebody to shave them. Let the inquiry be made either by the Board of Magistrates or the finance committee.

Sunday Train.

As will be seen we have given elsewhere the Sunday train on the A. & N. C. Railroad will be discontinued on the 12th inst. While it may be a pleasure to many, who have no other time to spare to take a trip on the Sunday train, yet it is incompatible with Holy Writ, as we are commanded to remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Yet we have heard the idea advanced that it is just as much a violation of the commandment to call to work six days in the week as it is to labor on the seventh. We think the railroad authorities are right in discontinuing the Sunday train, for whatever work is done on that day should be done in the service of the Lord.

Mail Facilities.

Our c[illegible] cation is [illegible] to hold [illegible] ponsible [illegible] Adam's [illegible] cannot [illegible] throw [illegible] ing better [illegible] been [illegible] and [illegible] maybe the [illegible] ing [illegible] think the people who are mostly interested in the matter [illegible] cause of [illegible] that Mr. [illegible] by the [illegible] increasing [illegible] probably [illegible] time to attend to the business of [illegible] ing new [illegible] business at all.

Movements of Newbernians.

R. O. E. Lodge has returned from a trip North.

James Campbell, Esq., has returned from Asheville.

Mr. Joseph Nelson's family have returned from Beaufort and will go West in a few days.

Dr. F. W. Hughes has returned from a trip West.

Mrs. F. Walker and family left for Beaufort on Friday night.

Mrs. Harriet Fox and Mrs. Ka R. Jones are spending a month with friends at Clinton.

Mail Facilities.

Mr. [illegible] was p[illegible] would be [illegible] Creek, in Craven county, and Jolly Old Field, in Pitt county, for the purpose of conducting the Postmaster's business in a different style from [illegible] rally conducted, especially small offices. Mr. John S. Manix, more than six months ago, received orders from the Post Office Department to open, or determine where these offices should be situated. He has [illegible] the department did not want him to do, but [illegible] 800 people mail facilities which they were entitled to. By the exertion of the property they own in Craven county, which but for the foresight of Craven's Senator, would have been irretrievably lost to Craven and attached to Carteret, the loss to Craven on the taxes (so at least delay judgment from the tax of A. [illegible] which they justly owe) is $57,000. But the whole thing in a nut shell, is, why Mr. Manix did not, as he was ordered to do by the department, see that offices were opened at Adams' Creek and Jolly Old Field? The probability is Mr. O'Hara or his friends will inquire into this matter and place the responsibility and blame where it justly belongs. Let us have your views, Mr. Journal, in regard to the matter.

GLOSTER.

Kinston Items.

The gin house of John D. Wooten, jr., at Elm Grove, Lenoir county, was burned down last Thursday. It was the result of overheat from grinding corn.

Last Saturday, while George Whitfield, residing on the farm of Calvin Koonce, in Jones county, was returning home, intoxicated, the horse took fright and ran [illegible] throwing Whitfield out and breaking his arm and neck.

The best watermelons of the season came from John L. Clark, farming on the land of Mrs. Cynthia Dunn, near Kinston. They are large, sweet, brittle, crisp, delicious to the palate and invigorating to the liver as a "free pill" or "hop bitters." They have not the taste of guano like most of the melons of the present day.

Another mule, the property of Wm. B. Nunn, driven by Jonas Stanly, jacked [illegible] the river bridge last Friday at the same place where Jesse Harper's cart went over a short time ago. The cart was badly broken, a barrel of dip turpentine lost, but the mule escaped without a break loose before the [illegible] Mr. Nunn says the [illegible] for the turpentine, if [illegible]

The newly [illegible] of this county have nearly all [illegible] only a [illegible] are [illegible] Sand Hill [illegible] to whi[illegible] ship. [illegible] slip up [illegible] able, but [illegible] Lottin [illegible] not be [illegible] him, as [illegible] dark lantern [illegible] never he [illegible] any suggestio[illegible] Col. Ferr[illegible] Representativ[illegible] bore, had not [illegible] township was in [illegible] first named on the list for each township is elected for four years; the rest for six years.

Not Always Prepared for Emergencies.

It seems that there will be no end to jokes they get off on our old friend [illegible] Meyer, the city detective. The [illegible] to be a true bill, and the boys [illegible] not long in getting hold of it. It [illegible] that the old gentleman had [illegible] him, yesterday morning [illegible] followed up the rumors until he had him in most of worldly aplomb [illegible] pounding certain questions of a business nature to the proprietor. The [illegible] took his seat and quietly waited [illegible] the drummer adjourned to the street, when he accosted him and demanded his license for the business he represented. The frightened salesman [illegible] demanded the authority [illegible] thus stopping him upon the public highway, whereupon the detective, with a good deal of confidence, said he would soon show his authority and, diving down into the pocket of his coat, [illegible] arm, he fished out a paper which he supposed [illegible] which [illegible] tective [illegible] this drummer and [illegible] had [illegible] similar comment [illegible] long [illegible] The [illegible] gentleman was [illegible] stated [illegible] coat, and in the meantime the drummer vamoosed [illegible] dealer [illegible] tective [illegible] before [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

Outlaw in Lake Items.

[illegible] Y., 18 [illegible]

Appe[illegible] is the re[illegible]

Mrs. [illegible] through Howard, of New Berne, [illegible] visiting her mother, Mrs. [illegible]

Joseph Hyatt is building a house [illegible] Gum [illegible]

Mr. Amos Simmons is quite sick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. E. Rhodes.

Dr. Wooten is absent on a second visit to see his mother, who has been ill for some time.

The first picnic for the season was held at Adams Spring last Tuesday. Next Tuesday is the big day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowen have returned from a visit to relatives in Duplin, Wayne, Lenoir and Jones.

What we wrote about the distance on the Quaker Bridge road was information obtained from Capt. McIver.

Miss Leah Jones, of New Berne and Miss Jan Farrior, of Kenansville are visiting Mr. Jos. E. Rhodes' family.

Capt. McIver has treated himself to an excellent wagon and horse, suitable for transporting supplies for the convicts.

Mrs. Joseph Rhodes is at home after an absence of seven weeks with Mrs. Howard, her daughter, who is much improved in health.

Swagger is playing havoc with the horses. There have been 10 or 12 horses lost in this part of the county, and several cases now pending.

We have it very dry; have not had a heavy rain in two or three weeks. It is parching up gardens, turning cotton yellow, and injuring young corn seriously.

The convict who eloped from Quaker Bridge Road, was caught near New Berne and is now under close watch and confinement, as well as hard labor. We learn that he stole several articles of clothing, etc., while at large.

THE LATEST NEWS.

CHICAGO, August 3.—Last night while a man named Bezey was on his way to the train with his children, Mrs. Josephine and Christine, aged respectively ten, twelve and sixteen years, the horses became frightened and plunged into the river at Polk street bridge, the draw being open. The hackman and Bezey escaped, but the children being cooped up in the vehicle were drowned. The horse [illegible]

RICHMOND, VA., August 3.—Charles Henry Lee, colored, was hanged here to-day for the murder of Daniel Miller, another colored man, in Henrico county, Va., last February. The execution took place in the yard of the county jail, which is located in this city. The affair was private, only a limited number of persons being admitted to witness the hanging. The court house yard and vicinity were crowded with people, most [illegible] The [illegible] Lee died without a struggle, his neck being broken.

LONDON, August 3.—The *Daily News* asserts that the total number of deaths from cholera in Egypt for the week is 18,000. It says the disease is now less virulent. Of the men attacked among British troops an average of six survive.

CAIRO, EGYPT, August 3.—The weather here is intensely hot and the average temperature [illegible] degrees. Several deaths from sunstroke have occurred.

LONDON, August 3.—A dispatch from Capetown [illegible] O'Donnell, the murderer of Carey, is an American citizen [illegible]

DETROIT, August 3.—The Commercial Flouring Mills, [illegible] belonging to Henkell & Voesher, were totally destroyed by fire last evening. They were among the largest in the State. Loss $75,000; [illegible] rebuilding will be commenced immediately.

LONDON, August 3.—The trial of Tessa [illegible] Nyiregyhaza, Hungary, charged with murdering her Solymosi, a Christian girl, in the synagogue at Tisza Eslar, in order to procure her blood to mix in the passover bread, has been concluded. A verdict of not guilty was returned.

STATE NEWS

Gleaned from Exchanges.

Goldsboro *Bulletin*: Mr. John Pate showed us an ear of green corn the other morning that measured 16 inches in length that was not more than half grown, being in what is called the "blister." John was as mad as a March hare with his son for pulling it. He said if it had been left alone until it had matured, he could have a yard stick of the cob. The counsel of the negro, Robt. Pratt, are endeavoring to have the death sentence commuted to imprisonment for life. A petition for that purpose is being signed by a number of our best citizens.

Winston *Western Sentinel*: Not less than seventy-five new buildings will be erected in the Twin City this year. As soon as necessary arrangements can be completed the *Sentinel* will be enlarged to an eight column paper. From one bushel of wheat, in three sowings, A. E. Conrad, Esq., reaped this season 137 bushels! How is this for poor old Forsyth county? The mail carrier on the route from this place to Mocksville is eighty odd years old. The distance is 27 miles and he goes one day and comes the next. His name is John Brown!

Winston *Republican*: Mr. R. L. Cox, of Sedge Garden, is recognized as one of the leading farmers in the county. He was in the city Saturday and had only the day before finished threshing his wheat crop. Upon inquiry we obtained the following: He sowed 27 bushels on 50 acres and threshed out 775 bushels of strictly first-class wheat, above the standard in weight, being an average of 23 and 19-20th bushels to the bushel sowing and an average of 15½ bushels to the acre. This is the best average yet reported. One thing is especially worthy of note, Mr. Cox sowed but little more than half a bushel to the acre while in other crops reported the sowings were nearly double this amount. Will not Mr. Cox give us an article setting forth his mode of culture?

Chatham *Record*: Mr. W. H. Holland, of New Hope township, has a son who is seven years old and weighs eighty pounds. Mr. Fred Smith, who lives on the plantation of Mr. J. J. Taylor, near Lockville, met with the misfortune, a few days ago, of having his house and contents consumed by fire. Last year the total valuation of all the property in the county, both real and personal, was $2,618,281, and this year it is $3,138,908—making an increase of $520,727. Last year there were 3,032 polls listed for taxation, this year there are 3,139—an increase of 107. Our esteemed townsman, Mr. Hiram T. Chapin, has at his drug store a curiosity, the like of which we have never before seen. It was taken out of Haw river, near Henley's mill, and is what we may call (for the want of a better name) "a fresh water sponge." It is perfectly clear (like a cup of ice), is about 8 inches long and 4 inches in diameter, is soft to the touch, and in the centre is a small twig around which it has collected or grown.

Charlotte *Journal-Observer*: Mr. George E. Wilson, who has been appointed receiver for the old Bank of Charlotte, is now paying the stockholders of that concern about 7 3-10 cents on the $1 of stock. This bank was chartered in 1853 and Mr. E. E. Wilson has been acting as its president since the war, and by him the funds were turned over to Mr. George Wilson for disbursement among the stockholders. This is about the only old State bank that has paid its stockholders anything at all in the way of dividends on the wind up.

Mr. John C. Blandy, whose return from Colorado, was noted yesterday brought with him a fine lot of furs of the various wild animals found in that country, all neatly mounted, with the heads of the animals attached. Glass eyes, of the exact shape, size and color of the living animal, give the heads a startling look. Among the collection are coyotes, swift foxes, cougar, mountain lion, wild cat, prairie dog, brown bear and a buffalo. The furs were dressed by the Indians and show their extraordinary skill in this art. They are worth looking at, and Mr. Blandy takes pleasure in showing them to his friends.

Fayetteville *Observer*: On Tuesday, the 24th of July, Mrs. Edna Lee died in Harnett county at the extraordinary age of 107 years, having been born in what is now Sampson county in 1776. Six years ago, when 101 years old, she was baptized before a large congregation, while seated in a chair, in the Free Will Baptist Church, Shady Grove, Sampson county. Up to within a short time before her death her mental faculties were remarkably bright and her physical powers wonderfully preserved considering her advanced age. The worthless dogs are again at the work of destruction. We are sorry to learn that within the past few days Mr. James M. Smith has lost twenty or fifteen sheep by dogs worrying them. But these canine cut-throats are sacred to our law-givers, and no method of redress can be devised for the luckless sheep-owner. Work is now going on on the new graded school building on Haymount. The yard is piled with bricks, lumber and other building material, and the contractors, Messrs. Campbell Bros., young men of energy and skill, who have done a great deal of good work in this section of the State, hope to push the work to completion by the middle of September.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW BERNE MARKET.

(Reported by Berry & Co.)

COTTON—Middling, 9; strict low middling 8 3-4; low middling 8 1-2.
CORN—In sacks, 65c.; in bulk 56c.
TURPENTINE—Dip, $2.25; hard $1.25.
TAR—Firm at $1.50 and $1.75.
BEESWAX—35c. per lb.
HONEY—60c. per gallon.
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 6c.
MUTTON—$1.50@2 per head.
HAMS—Country, 18½c. per pound.
LARD—Country, 12½c. per lb.
FRESH PORK—7@8c. per pound.
EGGS—12c. per dozen.
PEANUTS—$1.50 per bushel.
FODDER—$1.25 per hundred.
ONIONS—$1.00 per bush.
APPLES—25@50c. per bushel.
PEAS—85c. per bushel.
OATS—35@40c. per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 9c. to 11c.; green 5c.
TALLOW—6c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 45@50c. per pair; spring 25@40c.
MEAL—Bolted, 75c. per bushel.
POTATOES—Bahamas, 50c.; yams 60c. per bushel.
WOOL—12@20c. per pound.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building 5 inch, hearts, $4.00; saps, $3.00 per M.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—$17.50; long clears 9½c.; shoulders, dry salt, 7½c.
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—30@50c.
SALT—$1.00 per sack.
FLOUR—$4.50@7.50 per barrel.

Notice!

On and after AUGUST 12th inst., the SUNDAY TRAIN will be DISCONTINUED on the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad.

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One Piano by Schomacker, Brussels Carpet and Parlor Stoves, Bureaus and Bedsteads, Extension Table and Chairs, and numerous other things.

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MIXED paints, $1.35 per gallon, at BERRY'S.

[illegible] follows: [illegible] 4.50; hams 8.50; [illegible] 25; cabbage 4 to 5c. Gem[illegible] Oct. 1st, basis each [illegible]

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[illegible] Dealer in Drugs, Chemicals and Patent Goods.

CITY TRIFLES.

Two cents a line to local notices. Rates in small type for first insertion, and [illegible] for subsequent insertion.

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