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## LOCAL NEWS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

F. W. HANCOCK—Chill Pills.  
M. A. GRAY—For sale.

### Journal Miniature Almanac.

Sun rises, 5:37 | Length of day  
Sun sets, 5:41 | 11 hours, 44 minutes.  
Moon sets at 8:37 p. m.

The Blanche sails for Trenton this morning.

Jones county Superior court convenes next Monday. C. C. Taylor will be on hand for the JOURNAL.

The draw gate in the railroad bridge took fire yesterday but was discovered in time to prevent any damage.

The Board of Commissioners were in session on Monday and Tuesday but nothing of importance was done.

Capt. Hancock's freight train of twenty-four cars came in on the A. & N. C. R. R. yesterday bringing over 500 bales of cotton.

Mail train on the A. & N. C. Railroad stops at Kinston twenty minutes, thus giving a hungry traveler time to get a first-class breakfast or supper at Nunn's hotel.

A little kick and break down at the corner of Pollock and Craven street caused Esq. Brinson and Mr. Cohen to tumble out of the buggy rather unceremoniously.

The first oysters of the season arrived yesterday morning. They have a first rate flavor but are not fat yet. The city ordinances prohibited their being brought earlier.

### Cotton.

Twenty-eight bales were sold at the Exchange at figures from 7 1/2 to 9 1/2 cents. Receipts are improving and the stock on hand for to-day is the largest of any day this season.

### Steamer Movements.

The Kinston leaves this morning for White Hall with a cargo of goods.

The Neuse will sail for Kinston this morning with a cargo of goods.

The Trent arrived from Trenton yesterday with 41 bales of cotton.

The Pamlico made the regular trip from Elizabeth City with a full cargo of general merchandise and cleared on return trip at the usual hour with cotton and other freights.

### Personal.

W. S. O'B. Robinson, Esq., was in the city on Monday night. He was just from Pamlico. It is rumored that there is trouble ahead for some one down there in regard to the manner of holding the last general election.

W. G. Brinson, Esq., returned from a trip to Wake Forest on Monday night. His son, James Brinson, has entered Wake Forest College for the purpose of completing his education.

J. P. Brogden, Esq., of Trenton, is in the city. He hasn't much faith in the building of a tramway on the Quaker Bridge road; says the people would vote against it if they had an opportunity of so doing.

### Cotton on Fire.

Yesterday while the steamer Florence was lying in the Clyde dock nine bales of cotton, on the Old Dominion wharf, caught on fire from sparks from her smoke stack. The cotton was quickly hurled into the dock and saved from serious damage. A city ordinance was in force in 1881 prohibiting any vessel moved by steam, and using wood for the purpose, coming near the wharfs and docks, than two hundred feet. Whether or not this ordinance is still in force we do not know, but we do know it would be advisable to require every steamboat burning wood to be provided with a spark arrester or be made to keep a good distance from the wharf.

### The Tram Road Question.

The people of Jones and Onslow, especially the commissioners of these counties, were enlightened upon the question of tram roads on Monday last. Two corporations were represented at the meeting of the commissioners and the fight waxed warm, and third coming in, in the mean time, in behalf of the dear people. In Onslow permission was given to the Trent and New River Transit Company, while in Jones two of the commissioners were for the Trent River Transit, two for the Big C and New river while the chairman took a stand for the people and refused to give the casting vote. This fight is beginning to have the appearance of a fight between the Neuse River Navigation Co. and the Trent River Transportation Co., and the Trent River Co. seems to be acting on the defensive. We have no hand in the fight but we would like to see it result in good to somebody; so we suggest to the Trent River Co. to put their boats in order and assume the offensive. Go into the counties waters. The people will be benefited thereby.

## School Committee.

The board of county commissioners have appointed the following school committee for the next two years: Township No. 1.—Thos. Buck, Chas. B. Sutton, J. P. Ipeck. No. 2.—Alfred Gaskins, Stephen E. Whitford and N. B. Gaskins. No. 3.—J. W. Lane, C. L. Wetherington and Geo. A. Richardson. No. 4.—W. P. Stanton, A. J. Whitehead and Chas. Nelson. No. 5.—V. A. Tolson, M. N. Fisher and A. J. Chestnut. No. 6.—Geo. D. Connor, Wm. Foy and Jesse Brooks. No. 7.—E. H. Meadows, Elijah Ellis and E. R. Dudley. No. 8.—W. B. Lane, Hezekiah Davis and W. W. Prescott.

The Register of Deeds informs us that only two townships have returned the census of the children as the law requires. Turn 'em out and appoint others.

## Cull and Pack.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—A newsy paper is the JOURNAL. If writers would cull and pack their thoughts, what an immense gain it would be to readers! How much water we do have to drink sometimes to get a little coffee! Of course somebody will take the hint, and thank (?) me for giving it.

Said a gentleman once to his servant: "John, take the saddle off the bay horse, and then take the saddle off the white horse. Then put the saddle that was on the bay horse on the white horse, and put the saddle that was on the white horse on the bay horse."

"Yes sah!" replied John, "if you'd a jess sed, 'John, change saddles!' I'd a done it afore now!" GOSHEN.

## La Grange Items.

A few chills, a little biliousness, is all the sickness we can boast of just now.

Cotton hands are in demand. The bad weather has put most of the farmers badly behind in picking.

N. J. Rouse, Esq., left here Saturday for Raleigh. Mr. Rouse will be examined by the Supreme Court for license to practice law.

J. H. Aldridge and John Creech will open a stock of goods at Pully's old stand not many days hence, so says that aged lady, Mrs. Rumor.

The head of the firm of Doltite, Sitmore & Co. is clerking for Messrs. Taylor, Britt & Co., who are opening a stock of new goods at the Sim Wooten old stand.

Taylor, Britt & Co. have purchased the lot bought by Lassiter of Edwards & Murchison last week, and will commence building a brick store thereon at an early day.

Sorry to hear that Prof. Williams is again confined to his bed with fever. Mr. Williams is making a fine impression as a teacher among pupils and patrons. Hope he will be up soon.

S. D. Pope and McD. Taylor will shortly open a first class oyster saloon and confectionery store in the John Bizzell store. The postoffice will be moved to the same place. Thanks to you gentlemen, shall be pleased to call.

"The North Carolina Fess Hotel," Reuben Atmore proprietor, has changed location and name. It is now situated about half way between Main street and the town hall, and is known as either "Quazlon's Gulch" or "Biglow's Lanch."

In dealings with our fellow man we too often forget that they have rights to protect and feelings to respect as well as ourselves. If these were properly considered and respected much strife and bad feeling would be avoided. The golden rule will meet every case.

C. P. Barrow has rented his store on North Railroad street to Mrs. J. D. Carpenter for a millinery store. Mr. Barrow will do business in his store on West Caswell street for a short time and then in Wooten's new brick store. Mrs. Carpenter will open her stock of ladies' goods at once.

## Stonewall Items.

Some of our farmers have commenced to cut rice, but it is reported as poor.

Mrs. S. H. Fowler, of Bayboro, is dangerously ill; very little hope of her recovery.

Mr. Lev Hickman, of this place, is and has been very sick with malarial fever, but is now improving.

Mr. Brinson Campen is having a house built at his place preparatory to embarking in the mercantile business.

The county commissioners were in session on Monday. The usual routine of business was all that was transacted.

Cotton picking is booming with us now, but the crop is as poor as the price. Some has been sold on our market at 2 1/2 cents per pound.

The schooner Annie E. Hall, Queen master, is at Hadder's wharf for a load of lumber. Mrs. Queens and their little daughter accompanies the Captain.

## Kinston Items.

BY THE EDITOR.

Kinston College has one hundred and thirteen pupils enrolled.

Frank P. Gates left on Tuesday morning for Bellevue Medical College, N. Y., to complete his course in medicine.

Oettinger Bros. give notice that their store will be closed on Thursday, Oct. 11th. Being the annual holiday, no business will be transacted.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt and J. A. Pridgen have returned from Boston. They speak in high terms of the North Carolina exhibit only the Doctor thinks Eastern Carolina is not shown up as it ought to be.

Kinston continues to boom. W. C. Moore has just completed three new brick stores; L. Harvey is tearing out old wooden hulls and putting in brick and mortar; A. Mitchell, J. W. Collins, Dr. Tull, Wm. Hunter and Dr. R. H. Lewis are all erecting neat and beautiful dwellings.

Dr. A. R. Miller sent a servant last Saturday morning to destroy the vermin in his barn on the banks of the Neuse, the lower story of which had been used for a hen house, which she very effectually accomplished by applying a torch. She took an idea that a blaze of fire held around to the walls would kill the vermin better than hot water; a lot of dry hay was stored in the loft of the building, which took fire and soon burned the building to the ground.

## THE GRADED SCHOOL.

is one of the recent improvements in the educational advantages of the town. Here are two hundred and fifty children enrolled who have the advantages of free education. This school is presided over by Prof. Claxton, a young man of energy and ability; he has an excellent corps of teachers. We had the pleasure of visiting the school on Monday last and found it well organized and in good working order. The first grade is divided into two classes, one under the care of Miss Whitehurst, the other taught by Miss Tull. These ladies are loved and respected by their pupils and with the power of enforcing obedience by gentle means they blend that other quality so essential to every successful instructor, "apt to teach."

Miss Hardee has charge of the second grade. We remained in this room a few minutes only, but the good order kept during our stay was sufficient evidence that the class was in the hands of a good teacher. The third and fourth grades are in one room under the charge of Miss Dixon, the fifth and sixth are in one room and are taught by Prof. Ray.

The order in both these rooms is excellent, and all the rooms are well supplied with black-boards and wall maps. The only fault we find at present is, there are not teachers enough. Prof. Claxton, in addition to superintending the whole school is compelled to hear four or five recitations a day. This ought not to be.

## KINSTON COLLEGE.

From the Graded School we go to Kinston College. It is "blue Monday," but notwithstanding this, we find Dr. Lewis presiding with ease, and everything in almost perfect order. During the half hour we spent in the Doctor's room we heard the best recitation in reading we ever listened to. It was the advanced class, and the subject was George Herbert, from Hudson's Classical English Reader. One of the class reads a verse and questions are asked by the President. "Who was George Herbert? What was his character? What about that word 'retiredness'? What is a canonical coat?" These and similar questions were answered by the class, the question being put directly to some individual and occasionally to the whole class. Thus a half hour is pleasantly spent, and much valuable information connected with the lesson obtained. The President is collecting a geological museum; in it we find many curiosities from the seashore, one of which is the sword of a fish donated by S. E. Loftin on his 73d birthday. He also has collections from the Quaker Bridge road showing something of the nature of the soil and former growth on the peccan land.

The most of our time at the College was spent in the primary department which is taught by Mrs. Lewis. She is par excellence a good teacher. The order is almost perfect, and her manner of instructing impresses the student and awakens a desire to excel. We were so interested in the exercises in this room that the "last bell" tapped before we realized that we had to forego the pleasure of visiting the rooms where other classes were taught by Miss Katie Lewis and Mrs. Harding.

Mrs. Davis has charge of the musical department of the school which fact is a sufficient guarantee of its efficiency.

The College is furnished with the Lewis & Harding desk which were manufactured at the Kinston Machine Works. They are more substantial than the Northern-made desks and better in other particulars, and what is better than all, they were made at home.

We doubt if Kinston has ever made a better investment than the building up of her schools. The town not only provides facilities for educating her own children, but children from the surrounding counties are drawn there by the excellence of the schools, and the cost of educating these, which is considerable, has been enjoyed by the town.

Nervousness, Nervous Debility, Neuralgia, Nervous Shock, St. Vitus Dance, Prostration, and all diseases of Nervous Generative Organs, are all permanently and radically cured by Allen's Brain Food, the great botanical remedy. \$1 pkg., 6 for \$5. At druggists, or by mail from J. H. Allen, 315 First Ave. New York City.

Allen's Brain Food, New York, N. C., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters have a soothing effect on my nerves and are an excellent appetizer."

## Seven Springs Items.

The Neuse is up.

Beautiful sunny weather.

The chinquapin crop in this section is immense.

Dandy Jim is single yet and likely to continue so.

School will open at our Academy on the 15th inst., under the supervision of a gentleman who comes well recommended and is well qualified to teach; in fact a man of culture, and well known throughout the eastern portion of the State as a gentleman of influence and character.

Joe Allen has had his life insured for the benefit of his numerous wife and children. Joe is not married yet, but says his girl has found out that the other fellow is a crank, and he thinks by judicial circumspection and gymnastic affability that he may yet secure her malevolent affections.

We visited the excellent school at Moss Hill a few days since, kept by Mrs. L. C. Davis. We arrived just in time for the calisthenic exercises. The smacking of hands reminds one of a wood pasture on fire. Mrs. Davis is an excellent teacher and deserves a good salary.

Mr. W. C. Hines in attempting to steer a raft of timber past the new bridge at Carter's Landing had his raft badly broken up on account of the bridge being constructed in such a manner as to make it unsafe for any kind of raft to pass in high water. Mr. Hines says he lost about \$125 by the accident.

The latter part of our item last week in regard to the solution of the renal (not renal) calculus makes us use more negatives than we intended. We intended to say that we do contend that water having this peculiar property will prevent the formation of these troublesome calculi in the kidneys.

The soft melodious cawing of the accordeon together with the spicy melody of the aelian harp mingled with the tinging-ling-ling of the musical clock give us a variety of music unheard of in any other town. A. W. Sutton is the champion accordeon player, while Bob Moody manipulates the harp and Joe Allen is master of the musical clock.

A lodge of 18 members of the order of "Home Guardians" has been formed at this place by Gen. Whitehead, state canvasser. The members elected are, President Capt. G. C. Buchan, Vice President P. B. Loftin, Secretary Capt. W. S. Byrd, Medical examiner, Dr. Seawell, Executive Committee W. F. Nunn, L. H. Price, E. Roberts, A. S. Davis and William Price.

## Hookerton Items.

The grape season is near a close.

Miss Cora Ward is visiting relatives here.

The bridge at this place is most complete.

We are having some fine weather this week.

Water in the river keeps high enough to carry the boats.

Miss Florence Rountree of Kinston is visiting friends here.

Mrs. B. Patrick and family are spending a few days in Goldsboro.

Farmers are looking sad. They say crops will be cut off one third.

Rev. F. M. Green of Ohio preached in this place the 27th to a large audience.

There was a book agent in town last week selling "The Royal Path of Life" which is a very good work.

We saw a very amusing couple going down the street the other day. Mr. Eddie Wilcox aged five years carrying an umbrella over Miss Mattie Edwards aged four; look out grown folks.

## THE LATEST NEWS.

MADRID, Oct. 11.—The citizens here are highly incensed over the insults offered to King Alfonso in Paris. Bands of people paraded the streets yesterday evening, insulted Frenchmen and openly threatened the French embassy. The police, however, prevented any violence from being perpetrated. Senor Morel, at a meeting of the Democratic club, declared that the insults offered to the King affected the whole Spanish nation, which he declared, would stand by the King. His utterances were received with loud cheering. Marshal Serrano has telegraphed to Senor Canovas de Castillo that the cause of the monarchy demanded his presence in Madrid. The officers of the garrison have also held a meeting, at which strong speeches against France were delivered.

GALVESTON, Sept. 30.—Special telegrams to the Houston Post, received tonight, from 110 points in this State, indicate that the top crop of cotton, with a few exceptions, will be a total failure. Where the recent rains have benefited the second crop, worms are appearing in large numbers, and in the northern portions of the State early frosts are apprehended. The yield this season, although the prospects are more encouraging than one month ago, will fall considerably short of that of last year. Thirty days of fair weather will leave but little cotton in the fields, as labor is abundant and picking is far advanced.

WASHINGTON, October 1.—Surgeon Main of the marine hospital service, reports from Brownsville, Texas, that in Tapachula, State of Chiapas, a panic reigns on account of the great mortality caused by the black small-pox. The town has a population of 10,000, and 1,200 have died of the disease, decom-

## position setting in in many cases before death.

The second assistant postmaster general has begun the preparation of advertisements for proposals for the star route service in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio and Indiana, to begin on July 1st, next.

For DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, Depression of Spirits and General Debility, in their various forms; also as a preventive against Fever and Ague, and other Intermittent Fevers, the "FERRO-PHOSPHATED ELIXIR OF CALSAYA," made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York, and sold by all druggists, is the best tonic; and for patients recovering from fever or other sickness, it has no equal. twt

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## COMMERCIAL.

### NEW BERNE MARKET.

COTTON—Middling, 9 1/2; strict low middling 9 1/4; low middling 9. CORN—In bulk 60a70c. TURPENTINE—Dip, \$2.25; hard \$1.25. TAR—Firm at \$1.25 and \$1.50. BEESWAX—22c. per lb. HONEY—70c. per gallon. BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 6c. MUTTON—\$1.50a2.50 per head. HAMS—Country, 13c. per pound. LARD—Country, 12c. per lb. FRESH PORK—7a9c. per pound. EGGS—17c. per dozen. PEANUTS—\$1a1.25 per bushel. FODDER—\$3c. to \$1 per hundred. OXTONGUES—\$3c. to \$5.00 per bbl. APPLE—\$5c. a \$1.00 per bushel. PEAS—\$5c. per bushel. OATS—\$0a60c. per bushel. HIDES—Dry, 9c. to 11c.; green 5c. TALLOW—6c. per lb. CHICKENS—Grown, 45a50c. per pair; spring 25a40c. MEAL—70c. per bushel. POTATOES—Bahamas, 40a50c. per bush. WOOL—12a20c. per pound. SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building 5 inch, hearts, \$4.00; saps, \$3.00 per M. WHOLESALE PRICES. NEW MEAT PORK—\$13.00; long clars 7c.; shoulders, dry salt, 6c. MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—22a45c. SALT—95c. per sack. FLOUR—\$4.00a7.75 per barrel.

### CITY ITEMS.

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### Tax Notice.

Notice is given that the Real, Personal and Poll Tax List for the year 1883 is now in my hands for collection. All persons therein assessed are hereby notified to call at my office and settle the same without delay. R. B. HANCOCK, City Tax Collector, New Berne, N. C., Sept. 30, 1883.

### DR. G. L. SHACKELFORD,

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