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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal Miniature Almanac.**  
Sun rises, 6:24; Length of day,  
Sun sets, 5:03; 10 hours, 39 minutes.  
Moon sets at 7:00 p. m.

Jack Frost has appeared.  
The rice market boometh.  
Another beautiful sunset yesterday evening.

Important meeting at the Board of Trade rooms to-night.

The fall Irish potato crop in this community is panning out very well.

J. E. W. Sugg, of Suggville, Greene county, is in the city. He reports pretty fair crops in his section.

The report that three hundred children had recently died in the vicinity of Greensboro with diphtheria has been pronounced a lie.

About 1,300 bales of cotton have accumulated at the railroad wharf. The steamers *Goldsboro* and *Defiance* are expected to take it off to-day.

Contentment Neck was well represented among the passengers on the *Kinston* yesterday evening, and so was Sand Hill, all from Lenoir county.

Mr. A. W. Wood was the champion rice and cotton seed buyer yesterday, having purchased nearly all of the 3,000 bushels that were on the market.

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs. F. W. Hancock, which sad event took place in Goldsboro at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of the community at large.

C. E. Palmer walked into E. R. Dudley's office yesterday morning, showed his authority from Col. I. J. Young, "so long" and took formal possession. Dudley retired gracefully and in one hour had laid aside his internal revenue clothes, donned his farm suit and was hauling cotton to the cotton yard.

Mr. Fred Pohlman, who farms near town, brought in on Tuesday a variety of vegetables and farm products. His farm is known as Okalona, and he soon established in front of the *Gazette* office what he termed the Okalona Agricultural Exhibition. Said he, "I make exposition all my own." "No need Boston to go." It really included a fine variety. The exhibit also included two fine hens, which Mr. Pohlman declared laid each four eggs per day and a piece of ham to try them with. Col. Montgomery couldn't resist this description and purchased both immediately. He now wishes to inform the public that he is the possessor of this wonderful variety of chickens.—*Washington Gazette.*

**Bear Killed.**  
On Monday morning last the fox hounds in the neighborhood of Mr. Brice Ipoek's in this county treed a bear. Messrs. Wm. Glover and Stephen Arnold responded to the call of the hounds and went out and despatched bruin without any accident save a wound received by Mr. Daniel Davis while dressing the bear. Mr. Davis says he was fat and nice, and was distributed among the neighbors, so that many had bear meat to eat for the first time in their lives.

**Steamer Arrivals.**  
The *Trent*, from Jolly Old Field, with 50 bales of cotton, 1,000 sacks of cotton seed and 2,500 bushels of rice.  
The *Kinston*, from Kinston, with 210 bales of cotton—173 through and 37 local—and twenty-five passengers.

The *News*, from Jolly Old Field, with 90 bales of cotton, a lot of rice and ten passengers.

The *Blanche*, from Trenton, with 54 bales of cotton, 300 bushels of rice, cotton seed and peanuts.

The *Elm City*, from Bayboro, with cotton, 1,000 bushels of rice and a number of passengers.

The *Goldsboro* and *Defiance*, from Baltimore with general merchandise.

**Cattle Raising.**

The cotton business is rather overdone in this section. We mean that our farmers cannot afford to make it at the present prices unless they make at least 300 pounds of lint to the acre, and it is well known that the average acre does not make more than half that much. Some other occupation must be sought, and in looking around for such it is well to adopt one that will yield money at any season of the year. We believe this section is well adapted to cattle raising. Cheap crops, such as corn, field peas, turkeys, ruts, hogs and crab grass can be easily raised on a farm with plenty of stock. These with cotton seed oil cake and corn meal will do to winter with and still feed such as is intended for market. Through the summer season they can keep fat on the range. With the facilities that we now have for shipping there will be no trouble to find a market for all the good beef that can be raised. A good price can be obtained in this market alone for at least ten or fifteen still fed hogs per week. We would like to see some one branch out into this business.

**Married.**  
At the residence of the bride's parents, at Portsmouth, N. C., on the 30th ult., by Thomas Robinson, Justice of the Peace, Mr. Thomas Salter to Miss Sophrona Salter.

**Funeral Notice.**  
The remains of Mrs. F. W. Hancock will arrive to-day on the freight train from Goldsboro, and the funeral services will take place from the Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

**Does Fire Insurance Pay in the South.**

The following figures taken from the *Atlanta Vindicator* very clearly and conclusively show that the business of fire insurance does not pay companies doing business in that city, but on the contrary, that a very decided loss is the result of their operations there, notwithstanding the exorbitant (?) rates so much complained of by our people.

Atlanta pays same rates we do, says the *Vindicator*.  
Our companies have received in premiums within the past two years.....\$245,000.00  
They have paid for losses over.....540,000.00  
They have paid for expenses of management.....73,500.00  
Total expenditures.....613,000.00  
From which deduct premiums received.....245,000.00  
And their remains a loss on the business done of.....\$368,000.00

To the Members of the Board of Trade and the Cotton and Grain Exchange.

It is reported in the public journals that a large party from New England and other parts of the North will visit North Carolina during the month of November with a view of engaging in planting, mining and other pursuits.

The members of the Board of Trade and Cotton and Grain Exchange are hereby notified of a meeting to be held this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock at the Exchange Rooms to consider the propriety of inviting these Northern men to extend their journey to this section of the State.

All citizens of New Berne, and of the neighboring counties interested in agriculture who may be in the city, are requested to attend.

Geo. B. Guion,  
Pres't Board of Trade.  
Matthias Manly,  
Pres't Cotton and Grain Exchange.  
Jas. Redmond, Sec'y.

**Literary Gossip.**

"Those Pretty St. George Girls." This book has had a remarkable run, so much so that at one time it was impossible for several days to buy a copy of it in New York. It is published by T. B. Peterson & Bros., Philadelphia, who have given the "Pretty Girls" a very handsome dress, bringing them before the public in a square duodecimo volume in good print and excellent paper; paper cover 75 cents, cloth \$1.00. The name of the author is not known, though some one says "it is a woman's story and a woman's book," which may mean either that it is written for women, or by some one particular woman.

It is a society novel, dealing only with the "bon ton," there are no poor people in it, only some not so rich as others or as they desire to be; among these last are "Those Pretty St. George Girls," two sisters, a blonde and a brunette, whose father married beneath him and dying early left them to the care of their mother, a not very refined person who occasionally "dropped her h's or added them unnecessarily. Marriage is the sole object of the widow, for both her daughters and herself. Of course she eventually succeeds and the book winds up with three weddings; how brought about one must read to find out, as the flirtations are numerous, and we are often in doubt whether the hero will be a good boy and marry his cousin Judith, as his family desire, or whether he will yield to the fascinations of the blue eyed blonde St. George girl. If the story is not very deep or very thrilling it is certainly most harmless; the whip-syllabus of literature, nicely frothed up, without even a spice of wickedness, and not wine enough to render it objectionable to the most violent anti-novel reader.

In short, we may say it is the very opposite to the Zola novels, published in the same form by this house, which is also giving to the public a cheap edition of Sir Walter Scott's Waverley Novels, at the unprecedented low price of 15 cents a volume completed, in twenty-six volumes, with a handsome steel portrait of the author. Every household ought to have the Waverley Novels, as they are entertaining to both old and young persons and so constantly referred to that some of the characters are almost historic, though originating in the author's brain.

Mrs. Susan Stanley is the agent for Peterson's publications, and "Those Pretty St. George Girls" may be seen in their paper dress in her window.

## Kinston Items.

The average girl with a big hat loaded with feathers "seems all head till you talk to her."

Times this week are quite lively and crowded at the Cotton Exchange, W. C. Moore's corner. The best cotton brought 9 60 last Wednesday.

C. A. Dudley, J. P., happily tied the "Gordian Knot" for James Tindal and Easter C. Wallace last Sunday at the residence of John Wallace, in Lenoir county.

The Free Will Baptist church at Woodington, under the ministrations of Rev. Henry Cunningham, is doing good work in that section. There was an immense gathering of sinners there last Sunday; fourteen persons were baptized by immersion and four joined the church.

A spirited young lady, returning home from Woodington Church last Sunday in an open buggy with her masher, kicked him so hard that the rebound emptied her into the road out of the buggy, the wheel passing over her but doing no injury. The young man thinks he will be baptized before he carries a girl to another church in an open buggy.

There was a stirring railroad meeting in our court house last Tuesday night in the interest of Col. Martin's road, which the colored people are building below Wilmington. The golden mouth orator, Senator Loftin, as usual, was present and made an encouraging talk, but owned up that he did not know much about building railroads. Such matters he referred his friends to the Villards, the Goulds, the Vanderbilts, Major John Gatlin and other railroad millionaires.

Our old political campaigner, Lewis Grady, of Kinston, recently opened a "big-long-short" bar room here and was doing a crowding business, when his church excommunicated him by a "pope's bull to the corner." It was church or whiskey with the old campaigner and like most men of his persuasion, he stuck to whiskey. The church, he says, could stand a campaign jug, but not a "big-long short bar." And now Uncle Kilby Jones rises to say "stick to de whiskey, boss, and may de Lord hab mercy on your soul."

The Supreme court has affirmed Judge Phillips' judgment in the King Will case. Thus it is settled that the adoption of the child did not revoke the Will. The matter will now be heard on the "pint" whether a child adopted after the making of a Will cannot share equally with the legatees in the Will. So it will be sometime yet before the delicious plums are distributed where they will do the most good. We are sorry for this procrastination, for procrastination, you know, is the thief of time and may be of plums and money too.

Some one has sent us a copy of the *Daily Evening Visitor*, published at Raleigh, N. C., in which we find a marked article under the caption, "Raleigh and Kinston, a mysterious woman and baby," giving the facts concerning a "Mrs. Annie Jones" and the birth of her baby and enquiring what the people of Kinston have to say about the sensation. The people of Kinston say they know not "Mrs. Annie Jones," and they further object to Raleigh imposing its stray waifs on other places. However, if Raleigh has any more foundlings, let them be sent to "Old Bart," near Kinston, and they will find a father and a friend.

**A Big Failure.**

NEW YORK, October 30.—The *Commercial Advertiser* publishes the following: The cotton firm of Morris Ranger & Co., of Liverpool, which suspended to-day, is one of the largest in England, and is composed of Morris Ranger alone. The firm was established in 1868, at the house of Fatman & Co., on Broad street, who Ranger was supposed to represent abroad. It was stated to-day that no news beyond the announcement of the failure had been received by the firm and it was not believed that any American houses will be in the least affected by Ranger's suspension. Fatman & Co. deny having any business relations with the suspended firm, and can throw no light upon the extent of the failure, or as to the parties involved in this country. The firm is reported to have bought in or made settlements for a heavy amount of September and October short cotton, but they have anticipated this by suspending to-day. Their short contracts outstanding are estimated at from 100,000 to 150,000 bales.

LIVERPOOL, October 30.—Hollishead, Tetley & Co., cotton brokers, have suspended payment. Later reports relative to the failure of Morris Ranger state that his liabilities amount to \$550,000. It is also stated that he had 400,000 bales of cotton open.

Mr. J. B. Pifer, Morehead City, N. C., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters is the best remedy for indigestion I ever used."

## STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

**Greensboro Patriot:** Mr. R. C. Palmer, of Randolph, has just returned from a three years apprenticeship in the Lowell, Mass., cotton mills, and is on his way home. He is only eighteen years old, but holds a certificate showing his acquirements in the knowledge of cotton machinery and milling.

**Raleigh Farmer and Mechanic:** Judge Tourgee fell down on the icy streets of Philadelphia, the other day, and had to take his bed in a hotel. The next week he took his Magazine and walked it over to New York. He made a great blow over the new journal, but it bids fair to add a final chapter to "The Fools Errand."

**Wilmington Review:** There are now twenty-four inmates in the county poor house, a large majority of whom are colored people.—The series of night meetings which were in progress during last week at the Fifth street M. E. Church, came to a close last night. They were very interesting.—Rev. Dr. Pritchard preached his last sermon at Louisville, Ky., yesterday, and is expected to reach this city on Friday next in order to fulfill his first appointment at the First Baptist Church next Sunday.

**Asheboro Courier:** Sheriff Moffitt received a few days ago an alligator sent him by a friend in Columbus county. It was sent by express and arrived here safe and sound.—There was a mad dog killed in New Hope township a few days ago and also two other dogs bitten by the mad dog aforesaid. The dog must go.—Quite a number of farmers in the county who have not touched their new crop of wheat and have plenty of old wheat still on hand. Owing to the large quantity of wheat, the price of new corn will probably not start so high as first anticipated.

**Smithfield Herald:** Our Register of Deeds last Monday issued a marriage license to a colored woman aged 87. Wonders never cease.—There is some talk of building a large academy in town for school purposes. Smithfield stands badly in need of such a building. It is a noted fact that wherever you find first-class school accommodations you will find a flourishing community.—On the evening of the 24th at the gin of Capt. D. S. Avera, situated on the western border of Smithfield township, Mr. Ashley Beasley had the misfortune to have his right hand badly lacerated while running the gin; though painful, the wounds are not necessarily serious, and the physician called in says that amputation will be unnecessary.

"I had 'em all," said a rubicund happy-faced gentleman. "All what?" asked his friend. "Why all the symptoms of malaria, viz., lame back, aching joints, sleeplessness, indigestion, dizzy fits, cold extremities, rush of blood to the head, constant fatigue, no appetite, pains in the breast after eating, night sweats, alternate chills and fevers, etc., etc., but Brown's Iron Bitters cured me and I recommend it as being the only perfect tonic made."

**PURE COD-LIVER OIL** made from selected livers, on the sea-shore, by CASWELL, HAZARD & Co., New York. It is absolutely pure and sweet. Patients who have once taken it prefer it to all others. Physicians have decided it superior to any of the other oils in market.

Prevent sickness by taking occasionally one of EMORY'S LITTLE CATHARTIC PILLS, a wonderful appetizer, an absolute cure of biliousness. 15 cents. 4

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## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Nov. 1, 6 P. M.  
COTTON—New York futures steady; spots firm. New Berne market active; sales of 176 bales at 9 to 9.65.

Middling, 9; Strict Low Middling 9; Low Middling, 9; Ordinary, —  
NEW YORK SPOTS.  
Middling, 10 9-16; Strict Low Middling 10 3-8; Low Middling 10 3-16.

**FUTURES.**  
MORNING. NOON. EVENING.  
October, 10.49 10.55 10.50  
November, 10.61 10.67 10.62  
December, 10.74 10.81 10.76  
January, 10.89 10.96 10.91

RICE—Market active, sales of 3,000 bushels at 80 to \$1.10.  
CORN—New; market weak, sales of 600 bushels of new at 40 to 43.

**DOMESTIC MARKET.**

TURPENTINE—Dip, \$2.25; hard \$1.25.  
TAR—Firm at \$1.25 and \$1.50.  
BEESWAX—25c. per lb.  
HONEY—75c. per gallon.  
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 6c.  
LARD—Country, 13c. per pound.  
LARD—Country, 12c. per lb.  
FRESH PORK—7a8c. per pound.  
EGGS—21c. per dozen.  
PEANUTS—\$1.50a1.75 per bushel.  
FOODER—80c. to \$1 per hundred.  
ONIONS—\$3@3.50 per bbl.  
APPLES—75c.a\$1.25 per bushel.  
PEAS—85c. per bushel.  
HIDES—Dry, 9a11c.; green 5a6c.  
TALLOW—6c. per lb.  
CHICKENS—Grown, 45a50c. per pair; spring 25a40c.

MEAL—70c. per bushel.  
POTATOES—Bahamas 35c.; yams 50c.  
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 MESS PORK—\$13.00; long clears 7c.; shoulders, dry salt, 6c.  
MOLASSES and SYRUPS—22a45c.  
SALT—95c. per sack.  
FLOUR—\$4.00a7.75 per barrel.

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WEINSTEIN BUILDING,

EVERY EVENING

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Ladies admitted to the Rink, and furnished skates on all evenings FREE OF CHARGE. tf.

## Dissolution of Copartnership.

The law firm of CLARK & CLARK has been dissolved by mutual consent, the junior, W. W. Clark, having removed to Raleigh.

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Plum Pudding,

Buckwheat,

Currants,

Citron,

Maokel,

Smoked Herrings,

Fulton Market Beef,

Beef Tongues,

Breakfast Strips,

Small Hams,

Sugar Cured Shoulders,

Cheese,

Pickles,

White Beans,

Italian Macaroni,

Fresh Canned Lobsters,

Raisins,

A lot of CHOICE TEAS,

Just received,

**C. E. SLOVER.**

jan11-d1w

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A NICE HOUSE, with eight rooms and all necessary outhouses and a large lot on German street, in the City of New Berne. For terms apply to  
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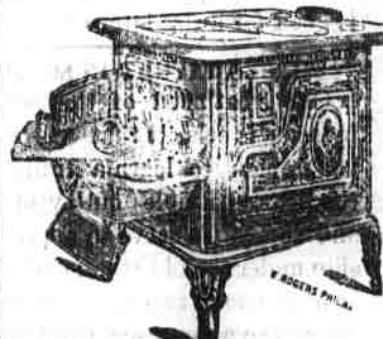
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