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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal Minutes Almanac.**  
Sun rises, 6:46 | Length of day,  
Sun sets, 4:48 | 10 hours, 9 minutes.  
Moon rises at 2:05 a. m.

What has become of the Athletic building?

Eggs are commanding 27 cents per dozen from the carts and boats.

R. H. Hilton, Esq., and lady arrived from Baltimore yesterday morning per steamer *Shenandoah*.

The freights on the A. & N. C. Railroad have increased considerably since the Inland Coasting Company began operations.

Mr. J. J. Wolfenden has planted out one hundred thousand cabbages. He has been supplying the market with very fine fall cabbage recently.

Bishop J. J. Moore, D.D., will preach at St. Andrews Chapel, in this city, on Sunday evening, the 25th, at 7 o'clock. The public are invited to attend.

Mr. H. B. Duffy, of the firm of Duffy & Ives, informs us that he has quite a number of the old North Carolina currency similar to the one Sheriff Koonce sent us.

The schooner *Melvin*, which cleared from this port for the West Indies on the 20th of October, arrived hence, at St. Kitts, on Nov. 11th, having a smooth passage.

The steamer *Kinston* arrived yesterday with a good cargo of cotton in time to be transferred to the *Shenandoah*, which carried out a full cargo of cotton, rice and clams.

Rev. A. S. Phillips, of Clinton, N. C., son of Rev. Chas. Phillips, of Chapel Hill, will preach in the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on Sunday, Nov. 25th.

Capt. Southgate, of the *Shenandoah*, tells us that the news at Elizabeth City on Thursday was that Skinner's majority would reach 1800. The "still hunt" plan didn't pan out very well for the Republicans.

Isaac Green complains that Dick Tucker, jr., met him and, unexpectedly to him, Green, knocked him down and cut him pretty badly. Exactly; a man is not apt to receive due and timely notice now-a-days of the time he is to be knocked down. We will join with Green in a petition to the Legislature to pass an act that no man shall knock another down without first giving him five minutes notice.

**Strayed or Stolen.**  
Mr. Jno. F. Ballard advertises a horse and buggy which were recently stolen or estrayed from the road side at Chauncey Gray's near Kinston. Any one knowing anything of said horse and buggy will confer a great favor by leaving such information at this office or forwarding to Mr. Ballard, at Kinston.

**Holiday Goods.**  
Mr. B. A. Bell took leave for New York yesterday per steamer *Shenandoah*. He goes to make his holiday purchases and will also lay in a good supply of bridal presents. Mr. Bell selects such goods with admirable taste, and any of our young friends who contemplate joining hands and hearts can well await his return, which will be in a few days.

**Superior Court.**  
Judge Shepard, who opens court here on Monday, the 26th inst., is very prompt and is on hand at the drop of the hat, and expects witnesses, jurors and suitors to be at their post when called, or take the consequences. We learn that he is a very pleasant and agreeable gentleman and regarded as among the ablest judges in the State.

Solicitor Collins is in the city and is preparing to push his docket without any foolishness.

**Oysters.**  
The quality of oysters offered in this market this season have so far been very poor generally. Occasionally, however, a boat load of planted or garden oysters arrives which are quite fine. Mr. A. E. Kimball keeps a good supply of this latter class, and understands well how to serve them. His plan of serving families at their houses with a stew or a fry or in any style desired is a good one and quite an accommodation to many.

**The Visitors.**  
The Pennsylvania visitors who have been in our section for several days returned from Morehead City yesterday morning and three of them, Messrs. James Foster, D. O. Hollon and H. M. Squire, left on the *Shenandoah* in the evening for Elizabeth City. They are much pleased with their visit to North Carolina and appear to admire this section. They spent some time in examination of farms below here and we hope their visit will result in the attracting of other visitors and a return of themselves.

**Large Cotton Buyer.**  
Mr. W. H. Oliver was making things lively at the Exchange yesterday, his purchases getting up to about 250 bales. They say down there that he is a "buyer from buyersville."

**George Washington Gully.**  
The report was current on the streets last night that the jury in the case of State vs. George Washington, being tried at Pamlico court, had brought in a verdict of guilty of murder. We have no positive information, but such is rumor.

**Burning of the Old Court House.**  
As we thought he could, Col. Whitford has given us a correct and succinct account of the burning of the old court house, which will be found in this morning's JOURNAL. But few writers can give more zest to historical reminiscences than the Colonel, by interweaving incidents that might escape the notice of others, and in this case he has surpassed himself.

**The Boston Visitors.**  
It is expected that on the 27th inst. the party of about fifty gentlemen from Boston will arrive here. Last evening the citizens committee on entertainment held a meeting and decided to entertain the party in handsome style. Arrangements will be made to ascertain the exact number of the party, etc.—*News-Observer*.

When you get through with the entertainment send them down this way and we'll see if we can't strike business.

**Down in the First District.**  
Mr. F. H. Busbee, who did excellent work in the campaign in the First district, returns with a good story on himself. Riding in a buggy with a friend to Pelletier's Mills, Carteret county, where a speaking was announced, they met a man coming from the place. To him Mr. Busbee's companion said: "Isn't there a speaking to-day at Pelletier's Mills?" "Yes." "Isn't Busbee to speak there?" "Yes." "How many people are there?" "None." This was a little too rough, but proved to be a fact. However the folk were gathered and there was a speaking. At other points in the county of Carteret the attendance was quite good and much interest exhibited.—*News and Observer*.

**The Entertainments Next Week.**  
We wish to impress upon our citizens the importance of getting up a good crowd for the entertainment Wednesday and Thursday nights in aid of the Pender monument. As we stated in a previous issue, New Berne has been designated as the starting point in this matter and for that reason we must exert ourselves to set a good example to the other towns in the State. The entertainment has been purposely arranged of a character that all may attend, no matter what scruples they may have as to visiting places of amusement generally, and will be such as General Pender himself would not hesitate to be present, were he living, although a devout and conscientious christian.

The committee of arrangements are gentlemen who will see that everything is done in a manner suitable to the occasion.

**Interest.**  
The old note which Sheriff Koonce owns would be worth to-day at 6 per cent, simple interest, counting the time at 104 years, 6 months and 13 days, \$145.46. At compound interest, at the same rate, for the same time, \$8,587.94. While calculating the interest of this note, a few facts in regard to compound interest recurred to our memory and for the benefit of those of your readers who are in the habit of working with borrowed capital, we will give them, as an illustration of the old saying, "While man sleeps, interest creeps."

For instance, if a young man 25 years old starts in business with a capital of \$100,000.00, and makes his business pay every year beyond his expenses 7 per cent, the legal interest of New York, and leaves the accumulations in the business at the age of 85 he can retire from his business with a capital of \$6,400,000.00.

In Hildreth's History of the United States it is stated that Manhattan island, afterwards called New Amsterdam, now the city of New York, was bought by the Dutch from the Indians, for sixty guilders or twenty-four dollars in our currency, and that only 250 years ago, and yet, if the purchasers could have securely placed that 24 dollars where it would have added to the principal annually interest at the rate of 7 per cent, the accumulation would exceed the present market value of all the real estate of the city and county of New York.

The cost of the outfit of Columbus for his first voyage of discovery was about \$5,000.00 in our currency and proved to be the best investment ever made in the world, yet if that money could have been securely placed at 6 per cent, the compound interest would, by this time, have amounted to more than the whole money value of this continent together with the accumulations of the industry of all those who have lived upon it. It would have amounted to \$17,395,700,000.00. Estimating the population of the entire continent of America to be 85 millions or 17 millions of families averaging 5 members each, it would leave as the possession of every

one of these families over a million dollars.

These two facts are taken from a lecture delivered in the year 1875, by Wallace P. Groom, the talented editor of the *New York Mercantile Journal*. A.

**Notice to Mariners.**  
RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF LIGHT AT CAPE HATTERAS BEACON.  
Notice is hereby given that, on and after December 15, 1883, a fixed white light of the 6th order will be exhibited from the old Cape Hatteras Beacon, North Carolina.

The focal plane is 25 feet above mean low water, and the light should be seen in clear weather, from the deck of a vessel 15 feet above the sea, 9 nautical miles.

The structure is a wooden frame surmounted by a lantern, the whole painted red.

The approximate position, as taken from the Charts of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, is as follows:  
Latitude, 35° 14' (15') North.  
Longitude, 75° 31' (18') West.

Magnetic bearings and distances of prominent objects are as follows:  
Cape Hatteras Lighthouse, due North, 1 nautical mile.  
By order of the Lighthouse Board.  
STEPHEN C. ROWAN,  
Vice-Admiral U. S. Navy, Chm'n.

**Catharine Lake Items.**  
Mr. H. D. Murrill is clerking for J. F. Boggs at Catharine Lake.

Many fish carts and wagons are passing every day. Fish are becoming plentiful.

Mr. Jos. E. Rhodes and Mrs. Rhodes have just returned from a short visit to New Berne.

Mr. Pearsall, of Trenton, was one of the happiest of guests at the wedding at Mr. D. E. Sandlin's.

Potatoes are the best crop this year. Several reports as good as last year; some, better than last.

Miss Agnes Grady is making a short visit to Kinston. Mr. W. H. Cox is the gallant young man.

Cotton seems short in every way this year. Most persons report only about half a crop. The ginnings will not promise to give one to three.

Miss Eula Cox is spending a few days at Jacksonville with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Taylor, who has lately returned home with improved health.

Mr. D. E. Sandlin and Mr. Lafayette Francis have given another undoubted evidence of their generous hospitality during the recent wedding and infir.

Mr. Robert McGowan has been in this part of the county soliciting freight. He says the New River Company will certainly build the tramroad, if they can be sure of the freight.

Col. Taylor has brought Mrs. Taylor and Miss Annie home from Kinston where they have been for several weeks. Miss Annie is no worse from the long ride, but continues to improve slowly.

Married, at the residence of D. E. Sandlin, November 14th, at 7 o'clock p. m., Mr. Jas. R. Franck and Miss Sallie Sandlin, Rev. H. C. Bowen officiating. The attendants were E. L. Franck and Miss Jennie Sandlin, W. H. Cox (of Jones) and Miss Katie Newkirk, Dr. D. S. Rhodes and Miss Minnie Newkirk, Capt. J. H. McIver and Miss Lorena Murrill. There was everything on the occasion to cause the aged to think of the weddings of "ye olden time" and to fully satisfy the spirit of Young America. The bride and bridesmaids were tastefully and beautifully dressed, which is about all a gentleman can tell you about it. Many friends and neighbors were invited, representing several counties. A grand supper and amusements of various kinds made the time joyous to all. A GUEST.  
*Goldboro Messenger and Raleigh News and Observer* please copy.

**Black Walnut.**  
Black walnut can be grown from the nut, producing a butt fourteen inches in diameter in as many years from the seed, as far north as Massachusetts. No tree valuable for its timber in cabinet uses, unless the black birch be so considered, can attain to that useful growth in that period of time in our northern climate. Maples require twenty years before they become good timber trees; beeches and birches, fifteen years to attain to a diameter large enough to yield nine-inch boards; hickory should have a growth of thirty years; and cherry at least as much.

The cultivation of the black walnut might be made a source of profit, if only as an auxiliary to the ordinary farm products. It requires no particular care, makes an elegant tree even in its youth, and later offers an agreeable shade. The *Saving Machine Journal* says:  
"One hundred acres of land, seeded to walnut trees, if they even reach maturity in fifteen years, would be more remunerative than many of the crops produced by fifteen of incessant toil. Besides, these trees might be planted and would thrive on spots which are really valueless for agricultural purposes, and while in the course of growth would serve as valuable aids to agriculture as wind breaks and in other respects."

Try POTTER'S COUGH DROPS.

## Pollokville Items.

Fresh pork 6 to 8 cents per pound. Seed cotton from 2 to 2-3 per pound. We noticed on our streets on Thursday Mr. E. Hackburn of your city.

The Neuse cast off for New Berne on Thursday with 14 bales of cotton and 18 sacks of cotton seed.

Mr. Smith, agent for the James Town, Guilford county, nursery, is in town delivering fruit trees.

Old Sol sends down his rays with all of the summer's force. A good rain and cold weather to follow would be a luxury for Thanksgiving.

Mr. H. A. White's gin is not running on account of his engine being out of order. He sent the injured part to New Berne for repairs and will be at work on Friday.

The Rev. Mr. Cashwell held divine services here on Tuesday and Wednesday nights of this week and administered the ordinance of baptism to Mrs. Mercer on Wednesday evening.

The Trent was so late making this place on Tuesday night that she was compelled to wait over till Wednesday, when she cast off for New Berne with 61 bales of cotton and 415 sacks of seed.

Mr. W. G. Rouse while enjoying an oyster supper on Saturday night had his horse and buggy stolen from the street by some unknown party who wished to take a drive during the night. The horse and buggy were found on the streets Sunday morning without any driver. The horse showed that she had been driven very hard. Hope the guilty party may be soon brought to justice.

Again has the grim monster death visited and marred the happiness of our vicinity. Mrs. Nannie, wife of Louis Whitty, died at the residence of her husband on the night of the 20th inst. about 5 o'clock. She was a loving mother and an obedient and faithful wife. She was but in the prime of life and only had a few days of lingering pain. She leaves a husband and nine children, the youngest one being only eight months old, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss. We extend our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved family.

**Satisfactory Evidence.**  
J. W. Graham, wholesale druggist, of Austin, Texas, writes: "I have been handling Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs for the past year, and have found it one of the most salubrious medicines I have ever had in my house for Coughs, Colds, and even Consumption, always giving entire satisfaction. Please send me another gross."

**A Fair Offer.**  
The VOLTAIC BELL CO., of Marshall, Mich., offer to send Dr. Dye's Celebrated Voltaic Belt and Electric Appliances on trial, for thirty days, to men, old and young, afflicted with nervous debility, loss of vitality, and many other diseases. See advertisement in this paper. d&wlv

**Strayed or Stolen.**  
One DARK ROAN MARE, eight years old, one white hind, one heavy mare and tall pony build, and ONE TOP BRIGGY, saddle and buggy were stolen while hitched on the side of the road at Chauncey Gray's place, one mile below Kinston. Any information concerning said horse and buggy will be thankfully received if forwarded to me or left at the JOURNAL office.  
JNO. F. BALLARD,  
Kinston, N. C.  
Nov. 23, 1883. 2dlw-wit

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**Oysters.**  
A. E. KIMBALL has opened a FIRST CLASS OYSTER SALOON at south end of People's Market—Moore's Old Stand—and is prepared to furnish oysters in any style.  
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## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Nov. 23, 6 P. M.  
COTTON—New York futures quiet; spots firm. New Berne market firm and active. Sales 304 bales at 9 to 9 7-8. Middling, 91; Strict Low Middling 95; Low Middling, 91; Ordinary, — NEW YORK SPOTS.  
Middling, 10 1-2; Strict Low Middling 10 5-16; Low Middling 10 1-8.

**FUTURES.**  
MORNING. NOON. EVENING.  
November, 10.50 10.64 10.63  
December, 10.62 10.65 10.64  
January, 10.73 10.75 10.73  
February, 10.87 10.89 10.88

RICE—Sales 1,540 bushels at \$1.00 to \$1.10 in bulk.  
CORN—Receipts 350 bushels. Sales at 65 to 70c.  
OATS—No receipts. Price steady at 50 cts.

**DOMESTIC MARKET.**  
TURPENTINE—Dip, \$2.25; hard \$1.25.  
TAR—Firm at \$1.25 and \$1.50.  
BRESWAX—25c. per lb.  
HONEY—75c. per gallon.  
BERP—On foot, 5c. to 6c.  
HAMS—Country, 13c. per pound.  
LARD—Country, 12c. per lb.  
FRESH PORK—75c. per pound.  
EGGS—25c. per dozen.  
PEANUTS—\$1.00 a 1.50 per bushel.  
FOODSTUFFS—\$1 per hundred.  
COTTON SEED—3c.  
ONIONS—\$3 per bbl.  
APPLES—75c. a 1.00 per bushel.  
PRAS—85c. per bushel.  
HIDES—Dry, 9 1/2c.; green 5 1/2c.  
TALLOW—6c. per lb.  
CHICKENS—Ground, 45a50c. per pair; spring 25a40c.  
MEAL—80c. per bushel.  
POTATOES—Bahamas 30c.; yams 40c.  
TUNNIES—50a75c. 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 MESS PORK—\$13.00; long clears 7c.; shoulders, dry salt, 6c.  
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—22a45c.  
SALT—50c. per sack.  
FLOUR—\$4.00a7.75 per barrel.

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**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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