## LUCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. JOURNAL OFFICE—Lost. WATSON & STREET—Spl'd investment

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yesterday. The original Hawkins, from up Neuse river, was in the city yesterday with hare, with his insigna on the back of cotton.

Jones and Onslow counties were well prepresented at the Cotton Exchange ponies followed, and at the end of ten yesterday.

Matamuskeet apples are arriving in good quantities and selling for 90 to \$1.00 per pushel.

The young men of Pamlico county are preparing for a grand tournament at Stonewall on the 20th of December.

Mr. I. C. Yeomans is erecting a numa commodation of his country customer

Mr. J. H. Becton, of the Pamlico Enterprice, is in the city. He is sole proprietor and editor of the Enterprise now, and is . waking a good local paper. The steamer wharves and cotton plat-

form were crowd.ad with cotton yesterday. Four hundred and sixteen bales morning judgment was entered in the were sold and the Shenandoah carried following cases: out a full cargo.

The injunction case of tax payers against Sheriff Jones, of Carteret, which was set for a hearing Thursday before Judge Shepherd, was continued, and will be taken before Judge Phillips, at Wilmington on December 10th.

There are two letters in the postoffice here, addressed to "Santa Clause, Cape Farwell, Greenland," but being insufficiently stamped, cannot be forwarded. The postage to Greenland is five cents and these letters have but two cents

The schooner Curtis Goodwin with cargo of coal for Revenue cutter Stevens, at this place, left Georgetown, D. C., on the 5th ultimo and has not yet arrived. Twenty-five days passage from the Capital of the Nation to New Berne is a long time. One could make two round trips to Europe in that period.

As a matter of interest and benefit to he pupils of the Graded School, we would suggest to our Board of Trustees the propriety of inviting the resident physicians of New Berne, to deliver a free course of lectures during the winiter, on anatomy and physiology. The knowledge to be derived from the presentation of the elementary branches of the above systems, by familiar talks, w.'U prove of great value, and may be an incentive to parents and pupils to give more attention to the application of the laws of health which will secure to them sound and healthy bodies.

Fishing.

Mr. C. Duncan walked down to the market dock last night in search of a bunch of fish. Not finding them readily he walked into the dock on a fishing expedition, but concluded the water was too cold and gave it up as a bad

Fine Stock. We noticed on the market wharf yesterday a box with three pigs, a pair of citizens of our State in the cause in Chesters and a Berkshire, marked to which he is engaged. (Signed), M. B. Fisher, Hyde county. They were from Chester county, Pennsylvania, and indicates that Mr. Fisher is in for fine stock.

To Steamboat Mon.

Messrs. Dunbar and Oast, Government inspectors of boilers and hulls. give notice that they will be in New Berne on the 7th of December next. All who wish to be examined in order to obtain pilot's or engineer's license, may apply on that date, at the custom

had his hand caught in the saws and so mark. badly lacerated that amputation was

in aid of the Pender Monument Fund reading and recitations were concerned; the selections were excellent and the rendering of them was in a most grati-

fying manner. For his age there is certainly no better reader in this country, and those of our tizens who failed to hear him lost un enity to listen to one of our own antive North Carolinians who will, if o continues us he has sinrted out, sh histro or the home of his childhood.

Black Diamonds.

The McElreth Co. gave this play to a good audience at the Theatre last night. The performance was a good one and highly satisfactory to the audience. They play again to night.

The Hare and Hounds.

On Thursday morning about one Moon sets at 6:35 p. m.

It is now important to settle as street in front of Dr. Hughes' residence to witness the start of the Hare and Hound chase which was to take place as we published sometime last spring, and the sport of the day. At 1:80 r. m. Capt. Matt Manly, who represented the his coat, set out at the full speed of his horse and six minutes later those riding minutes about twenty-five horsemen followed in hot pursuit.

The chase was an exciting one and extended some distance into the country, coming in but a short run ahead of Mr. T. M. Constable and Mr. Ed. Bryan who were close on his heels, the latter genber of stables on Broad street for the tleman being borne by the swift footed pony of the JOURNAL office. We are promised a fuller account by a partici-

Superior Court.

The criminal docket is yet claiming the attention of our Superior Court and the grand jury is still in session. Upon the assemblying of the court yesterday

State vs. Moses E. Whitehurst; A. and B. Fine \$50, pay cost of the term and enter into bond of \$200 for his appearance at next term of court.

State vs. C. Duffy, jr., and R. Berry Affray. Motion for new trial as to Berry overruled. Duffy fined \$10. Berry \$25.00, each pay half cost.

State vs. George Williams; Larceny. Wm. Whitford appeared for defendant, Verdict: Guilty. Four years in the penitentiary. Motion for new trial overruled. Defendant appealed to the Supreme court.

State vs. Alfred Small, A. and B. Not

State vs. Frank Wood; Assault with intent to commit rape. Guilty. State vs. W. T. Hurtt; A. and B.

Guilty. State vs. J. P. Thorpe; killing live stock. Submits, Judgement suspended on payment of cost.

State vs. W. Godett, Stephen Prestly and Henry Prestly; failing to work road. W. E. Clarke for defendants. Diamissed.

State vs. Thos. Franks; Perjury. W E. Clarke for defendant, Holland & Guion for the State. Jury empanelled, two witnesses examined and court adjourned to 91 o'clock this morning.

Professor Beasly.

We, the undersigned Pender Monument Committee of New Berne, N. C. desire to express our hearty congratulations and thanks to Prof. Walter L. Beasley for his Readings and Recitations. He is an accomplished reader. and for a young man of his age, has obtained remarkable success in his pro-

His character representations are all drawn from nature and by the rules of his art he presents them to his audience in such a natural form that they become truly realistic. We therefore recommend him to the earnest support of the

JOHN HUGHES, ALEX MILLER. R. D. HANCOCK, E. B. ROBERTS, MATT MANLY, K. R. JONES, D. T. CARRAWAY.

A Minister Robbed.

Last night about 10 o'clock, as Rev. S. Hoyle, of the North Carolina Confernce, was walking down Broad street he was stopped at its intersection with Meeting street, by a white man who told him that a man was dying in an adjacent back lot. He went with the informer into the lot in the rear of Wallace Bros. store and saw a negro lying on the ground. He bent over him and as he did so the negro clenched him and two confederates, both white, near Becton Oldfield on Neuse river, robbed him of \$300.—Statesville Hand-

perform the operation, but before he could complete it Mr. Jones died.

Professor Beasley's Entertainments.

The entertainments of Prof. Beasley in aid of the Pender Monument Fund were a decided success so far as the reading and recitations were concerned;

The Great Staple.

Yesterday a sample of cotton of the Qzier silk variety, the same as that which took premiums at the Weldon, Tarboro and Rocky Mount fairs, was on exhibition at the Cotton Exchange, and was much admired. The sample was srees Ronntree & Co., and was raised by Mr. Carter Pope, of Battleboro, N. C.—Norfolk Landmark. The Great Staple.

The Celebration on Monday last in New York, of the Evacuation of that city by the British, will give a faint idea of the rush of people to Sam. K. Eaton's Jewelry Store, on Middle street, where the grands i display of the season will be found, consisting of the latest and most unique dasigns in Silver Ware, Bridal Presents, Holiday Gifts, etc. A portion of this stock was received by express last Monday to meet the demands of the trade.

L. Bryan, who retires from the business. Settlements must be made to one of the firm, or at the office in Goldsboro.

A Fair Office.

The Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich., offer to send Dr. Dye's Voltaic Belt and Appliances on trial, for thirty days, to men, young or old, afflicted with ner yous deblity, logt vitality, and kindred troubles. Sge advertisement in this paper.

THE OLD COURT HOUSE.

A Detter from Texas. W publish below a letter from Mr. J. H. Hutchins to our townsman, W. H. Oliver, in which he takes issue with our historian concerning the time of building the old court house. The time of its burning having been definitely setthousand people assembled on Broad tled, it is now important to settle as seems to take a lively interest in the old town yet:

AUSTIN, Nov. 22, 1883.

WILLIAM H. OLIVER, ESQ.:

Dear Sir—To-day I had the pleasure to receive the New Berne Daily Jour-NAL of the 15th inst., containing an account of the ceremonies that attended the laying of the corner stone of the new court house, now being erected in the dear old town we mutually claim as our birth place. I assure you I was much gratified to learn that "while waiting terminating about 3 o'clock, the hare for the Grand Lodge to open and form having successfully evaded capture and the procession." you could take a hand with the boys in a game of ball—and "could knock the ball as far and as many times as the youngest boy in the

My special object in writing to you just now is to call your attention to what I conceive to be an error in the paper prepared by Col. Jno. D. Whit-ford and read by James A. Bryan, Esq., to the assembly met to witness the laying of the corner stone of the new court house. This error I should regard as one of the printer, were it not that it is only a repetition of what Mr. Whitford says in his "Bits of the history of New Berne," published in the DAILY JOUR-NAL, January 7th, 1883, on the same subject matter. Both in "Bits of the history of New Berne," and in the paper read by Mr. Bryan on the occasion just mentioned, after quoting what some one wrote about New Berne in nouse that stood on arches says "this old court house gave place to the brick one built on the same site about forty years afterwards, which was destroyed just before the late war by fire." This statement makes the building of the court house that perished by flames some little time before 1861, to have occurred in or near the year 1886. Now, there must be many people in New Berne who know that this was not the case, and there must be some, who remember the structure that went up in smoke, as standing at the crossing of Broad and Middle streets more than sixty years ago. I have a distinct recollection of it for some 62 or 63 years, and I have a dim shadowy remembrance of its predecessor, the older court house that stood on arches. I have no recollection of the pulling down of the older structure and the rearing in its stead of the one that was destroyed by fire, but I am satisfied that the latter was not constructed later than the year 1820 and that the probabilities are that it was d one or two years before that

I should not have deemed the error to which I have called your attention matter of sufficient moment to justify troubling you with this letter, only that it has been twice asserted; and as I conceive the truth of history even with regard to an old court house ought to be vindicated.

Yours respectfully, J. H. HUTCHINS,

Kinston Items.

The receipts of cotton last Wednesday

were very heavy. The best brought 9f.

Miss Leona Grady, aged about ten
years, the youngest child of the late
Elisha Grady, died in this place last
Monday of heart disease. Last Wednesday morning gave prom-

ise of a Thanksgiving snow, but old Sol appeared later in the day and dispelled all such expectations.

Woman among sayages is a beast of burden; in Asia she is a piece of fur-niture; in Europe she is a spoiled child; in America she becomes a man and a

"I'm glad Bobbie's going to that school," replied Mrs. Robinson, "'cause it's teached by a good pedigree—or syn-agogue, some folks call him, I believe,

and furthermo', they don't nave no cur rycomb, like these new-fangled col-

This was a very concise verdict of a coroner's jury in Idaho; "We find that the deceased came to his death by calling Tom Watkins a liar." If things don't change here, Coroner Grady and WILLIAM H, OLIVER. a jury will soon be called upon to ren der a similar verdict.

Miss Willie West, daughter of W. H. Miss Willie West, daughter of W. H. West, of this county, and sister of Mrs. Emma Burt, who departed this life a few weeks ago, died at the residence of C. W. Burt, in Kinston, last Tuesday of malarial fever. She faithfully attended her sister in her sickness, and now dies of the same disease under almost similar circumstances.

Dr. J. L. Myers, Fairfield, Ia., says Brown's Iron Bitters is the best iron reparation I have ever known in my thirty years of practice." cially invited to call and examine stock.

Try POTTER'S COUGH DROPS.

Business Notice.

The office of W. F. Kornegay & Co., at this place, for the sale of machinery, is closed until some suitable person can be employed to take the place of Mr. J.
L. Bryan, who retires from the business. Settlements must be made to one
of the firm, or at the office in Goldsboro.

W. F. KORNEGAY.

Polloksville Items.

The wire for our telegraph line is beng put up.

Prof. Wynn gave his students holiday on Thursday. Miss Nellie Pearce comes home to en-

joy her holidays. Cotton is getting to be a thing of the past in our town.

Sociable Wednesday night at Mr. Perry's. All seemed to enjoy the occa-

Col. Whitehead will organize a lodge here to-day (Nov. 30th) of the Home Guardians, with 14 charter members.

Mrs. Samuel Hudson was called to the pedside of her brother, Mr. Ed. Holland of Onslow, yesterday, who is very sick. No Thanksgiving here on Thursday. Every store in the place was open and all of the gins were running except Mr. H. A. White's.

The Trent could not carry all of the freight here for her on Tuesday, so the the Cutler came up on Wednesday, returning on Thursday with a good load. Mr. Geo. White made the best shot on

Thursday that I have yet heard of; he shot a bird half across the river and when the bird fell it was at his feet. He never moved after he shot the bird till the bird fell at his feet. This reminds me of the fisherman's turtle, he was dead but not sensible of it.

Mr. Howell Pritchards. Littleton, N. C., says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia and loss of appetite and have regained health."

The official books show that Blackwell & Co. pay nearly two-thirds of all the revenue collected on tobacco in their district. Their facilities for packing and storing, that the tobacco may not be hurried but may have time to cure and sweeten in a natural way, are the largest and finest in the world. These facts are mentioned to show that when you 1796, Col. W., speaking of the old court use Blackwell's Durham Long Cut in your pipe or cigarette you necessarily smoke a pure tobacco.

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Lost.

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## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Nov. 30, 6 P. M. COTTON-New York futures easy; S. FRONT Street, pots firm. New Berne market active. Sales 416 bales at 9 to 93-4.

Middling, 91: Strict Low Middling 98; 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. December, 10.63 10.62

10.63 10.69 January, 10.72 10.69 February, 10.84 10.87 10.86 10.99 RICE-Market firm. About 5,000 oushels in, the best selling at \$1.10, including sacks. CORN-None in market. Sales of

small lots on Thursday at 70 cents.

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. HAMS-Country, 13tc. per pound. LARD-Country, 12tc. per lb. FRESH PORK-7a8c. per pound. EGGS-25c. per dozen. PEANUTS-\$1.00a1.50 per bushel. FODDER-80c. to \$1 per hundred. COTTON SEED—3‡c.
ONIONS—\$3 per bbl.
APPLES—75c.a\$1.00 per bushel. PEAS-85c. per bushel.

Hides-Dry, 9allo.; green 5a0c. TALLOW-6c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 45a50c. per pair: pring 25a40c. MEAL—80c. per bushel. POTATOES—Bahamas 30c.; yams 40c. TURNIPS-50a75c. per bush.

WOOL—12a20c. per pound. SHINGLES—West India,dull and nom. inal; not wanted. Building 5 inch, hearts, \$4.00; saps, \$3.00 per M. WHOLESALE PRICES. NEW MESS PORK-\$13.00; long clears

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Hominy, Samp, Grits. English Breakfast, Gunpewder and Oolong Teas. FINEST RAISINS, Candies, Oranges, C. Nuts, Pecans, Filberts, English Walnuts, Cranberries, Apples, Malaga

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