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LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. W. W. WATSON—Meeting of Trustees. F. C. ROBERTS—Notice. GEO. GREEN—Assignee's Sale.

Journal Miniature Almanac. Sun rises, 7:10 | Length of day, Sun sets, 4:55 | 9 hours, 45 minutes. Hoon rises at 6:06 a. m.

The schooner Ella Hill, Capt. Hill, Custom House Records. cleared for Charleston yesterday with a cargo of rice.

the same place.

The Graded School is taking Christnesday, the 2nd day of January. The regular monthly meeting of the

Board of Trustees of the New Berne Academy will be held at 4 o'clock this evening at the office of W. G. Brinson,

3rd of January, 1884.

Please send in the donations by 11 restored to the authorities here. o'clock.

Yesterday is said to be the first business day during the cotton season that no cotton was offered in the Exchange Christmas night were very interesting, and N. J. Rouse, Esq., of Kinston, spent Christmas with Mr. Noah Rouse, their three years ago-holidays and bad ing the unfavorable weather. The exer- father. weather the cause.

Schooner Arrivals.

The Hattie Lollis, Capt. Sipple, from Philadelphia, with a full cargo of hay for R. O. E. Lodge.

The Gertrude Browning, Capt. Jones,

Kainit for Roberts Bros.

The Chas. C. Lister, from Philadelphia.

Personal. Professor 'E. G. Daves, of Baltimore is on a visit to relatives here.

G. W. Cox, Esq., of Pitt county, was in town last night. He says he has turned to the Superintendent of the some cotton yet on hand, but is not pressed for money and in no hurry to sell.

Robt. Hancock, Jr, arrived from Washington City yesterday. He is yet Superintendent of the document room.

Working Society.

at the residence of T. A. Green, Esq., to-night.

We regret that we could not be present at the Christmas exercises of the which H. B. Lane, Esq., is Superintendent. We are glad to learn there was a the little folks.

Journalistic.

January, 1884, the publication of the Daily Advance at Asheville, N. C. He his new enterprise.

supplement the size of its regular issue pen, given by his class as a slight token as a Christmas present to its readers, of their appreciation of his services, and The Gazette is constantly improving the superintendent, Mr. B. M. Gates, and bids fair to become one of the best local papers in this section.

Another Assignment.

Wm. Sultan & Co., of this city, made an assignment on Wednesday of all their goods in this city and at Kinston to George Green, Esq. They carry a large stock and probably their assets are sufficient to meet their liabilities if they had been granted indulgence. Mr. Cohen, of the firm, informs us that they were forced into the assignment by H. B. Claffin & Co., of New York, who attached their goods on a claim that was not due. Probably the election of Carlisle, looking at it from a Republican standpoint, had something to do with Claffin's action.

The Pistol a Plaything.

We have another instance of the folly of using a pistol as a plaything. On Christmas morning Mr. P. A. Willis, residing on East Front street, had fired off several Christmas salutes from a sixbarrel sevolver and laid it on the mantelpiece. After Mr. Willis had gone up town Mrs. Dixon, his wife's mother, took down the pistol to amuse the baby and snapped it in the baby's face several times. She then handed it to her little son that he might continue the sport, when he leveled at Mrs. Willis' head and when the hammar came down it struck a loaded barrel and sent a ball into her head. Fortunately the elevated position of the pistol when there as a ball into her head. Fortunately the elevated position of the pistol when the fired caused the ball to range upward and the skull was not penetrated. A pistol may be a good thing in its place, but it is certainly not an appropriate plaything for children, even on Christmas. Christmas morning Mr. P. A. Willis,

Election of Officers.

At a regular meeting of Athenia Lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias, held last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

James W. Moore, C. C.

The Queen of the Jockeys will be from New Berne before the occupation raffled off again on New Year's day at of the city by the Federal forces. The books and papers were placed for safety in Kinston or Goldsboro and have never mas. Work will be resumed next Wed- been brought back to New Berne. or a big turkey to his shivering, hungry Nothing seems to be known as to their neighbor! How many might have present whereabouts or what became of them; but as it is not known that they to himself! were destroyed, possibly they may be stored away at one of the places mentioned, or may be in possession of private individuals. These records-the We acknowledge with thanks the re- letter books especially-are important patrick. ceipt of an invitation to attend the to our custom-house, and it is desirable Grand Annual Ball of Oxford Lodge to recover them if it can be done. Does No. 105, I. O. O. F., to be given on the any one know what became of them? If our contemporaries of Kinston and The annual feast for the poor is to be Goldsboro will give this notice the ben- He is a student at Trinity College. given by Christ Church congregation efit of their circulation, it may have the to-day-Holy Innocents-at 12 o'clock, effect of causing some, at least, of these at the Guild House, on George street. long missing papers to be found and

> The Baptist Sunday School Christmas Tree.

.The services at the Baptist Church on cises consisted of reading scripture lessons and responses, singing, and impromptu speeches by Rev. Dr. Burkhead and Mr. A. M. Baker. The latter gentleman made a very touching appeal for the poor. The songs were appropriate from Philadelphia, with a cargo of and well rendered by the choir. Before the closing song Mr. A. M. Baker's class advanced to the pulpit when Mr. Phil. Thomas, on the part of the class, in a few appropriate remarks presented the Rev. C. A. Jenkens with an elegant gold pen. After Mr. Jenkens had responded accepting the same, Mr. Herbert Willis School, Mr. B. M. Gates, and presented him a like memento. Mr. Gates re- Or deeper sunk in stupid ignorance." sponded feelingly, promising that he would, as Superintendent of the School, endeavor to do his whole duty. The but the way the spirits flowed, the horn blowed and the popers cracked, would congregation then joined in singing have astonished even Bro. Coleman. "All hail the power of Jesus' name," Our people are a windy people. We after which the benediction was pro-There will be a dime party given by nounced. The services were admirably liquid horns, and individual blowers the Working Society of the M. E. Church arranged, embracing changes in the and blow low, we blow fast and blow exercises so that no one become wearied. slow, we blow weak and blow strong, and were highly enjoyed by all.

But the real pleasure for the children came when they reached the third story Pollock street Mission Sunday School, of of the Weinstein building where the veritable Santa Claus, with his long was just splendid. The exercises in the good attendance and a happy time for loaded with presents. We have not the space to mention the presents received by each member of the school, every Theodore Hobgood. late of the Toisnot one was remembered, but cannot for-Sunny Home, will begin on the 1st of bear mentioning the most elegant toilet case presented to Miss Fannie Holland, case presented to Miss Fannie Holland, the principals, patrons and friends of the organist of the school, a well detune the school. The programme at night made a good local paper of the Sunny served compliment and evidence of consisted in three characters gotten up Home, but now has a field in which to services duly appreciated. Mr. A. M. try his grit. We wish him success in Baker's class remembered him with a entertaining. The handsome sum of beautiful gold headed cane, Mr. J. B. The Washington Gazette sends out a Holland was the recipeant of a gold was presented a very handsome album by the school. Mr. Gates is a very energetic superintendent and is thoroughly devoted to his work. We predict a Mr. Holbrook. prosperous school under his management.

Kinston Items.

Cotton is well nigh "played out." We hear of no sales and have seen none in market.

Some men are just blind enough not to see their duties, but they can see all their rights very clearly.

We notice the return to their home in Kinston of Miss Julia B. White and Miss Helen C. Bryan from St. Mary school in Raleigh, spending the Christ-mas holidays with their parents.

"What is the infinity of silence?" asked a philosopher of a married man. "I don't know, but I think it would be what a man had to say to his wife when she caught him trying to kiss the hired

"Ven you're a married man, Samivel, you'll understand a good many things as you don't understand now; but vether it's worth while going through so much to learn so little, as the cherity boy said ven he got to the end of the alphabet, is a matter o' taste. I rather think it isn't.''

E. H. E. F. Perry, Esq., formerly of Jones county, has, with his family, moved up to the plantation of D. E. Perry, near Kinston, recently sold by L. M. Sutton, Esq. It is a valuable and very productive tract of land and this Jones county farmer will make it blossom like a rose.

nature and nearly ran him crazy and, like the swelling orator, Phillips, hunting an equal of the great Washington, he set out to "search creation" for its father. Fortunately its mother was soon discovered and the wearied George rested from his trouble.

James W. Moore, C. C.

John Young, V. C.

H. E. Baxter, Prelate.
E. M. Pavie, M. of E.
A. W. Edwards, K. of R. and S.

Custom House Records.

During the winter of 1861-62 the records of our custom-house were removed from New Berne before the occupation of the company of the streets with the whites, was not as lively as usual, though there were many private meetings where the flay was well spent and enjoyed. With the blacks, however, it was very spirited and amusing. In mask, parading the streets with tin horns and other implements of noise, they seemed to be excessively happy, The negro is a phenomenal institution anyhow. Give him a bottle of whiskey and a musical instrument and, without a dollar in the instrument and, without a dollar in the world or the prospect of one, he soon gets into the beatitudes. How many of us have neglected the opportunity of this Christmas to send a load of wood

La Grange Items.

Miss Maggie Kirkpatrick is visiting the families of Drs. Hadley and Kirk

Junius Smith, a colored man living in the western portion of the town, died one day last week.

Jefferson Davis, son of our townsman Dr. A. C. Davis, is holidaying at home.

Christmas festivals, Christmas trees, egg-nog and other engagements silenced La Grange items for a week. Miss Charity Dawson and Miss Fannie Gardner, of Pitt county, are visiting the family of J. W. Sutton, Esq., and other relatives and friends in the place.

Miss Effie Rouse, from Peace Institute,

beautiful cigar-holder, to McTaylor for My beaver I tip to Dr. Hodges for a an invitation to an egg-nog early Christmas morning, (of course I accepted) and to a friend for a box of cigars at the Christmas tree. These kindnesses are highly appreciated, and the more so, when they come from pure friendship as in these cases. Thanks, kind friends.

Several cases of beastly drunkenness, with the usual proportionate number of 'tipsy" cases during Christmas. Some seem to think it a privilege to get drunk at any time, and a duty to get drunk at Christmas time, but-"Of all the fools by heaven cursed,

The impious drunkard is surely the worst; In vain we seek for fools more void of

Christmas passed off in our place without serious injury to life or limb, without number. Yes, we blow high we blow short and blow long, and if our Kinston friends will come up will blow

them, now we've got a bridge.

The entertainment at the Collegiate Institute Friday afternoon and evening, Messrs. Murphy and King, and Sutton and Tingle, students of the school. Subject: Was the banishment of Napoleon just? I learn that the speeches were entirely prepared by the debaters, and delivered in a manner highly creditable to the young gentlemen and pleasing to by the young people of the place, for the benefit of the school library, and was seventy-five dollars was realized, which will add considerably to the already large library. The following are the characters, etc.:

1ST, REFINEMENT.-Mr. J. W. Isler as Mr. Fred. Stanly (a young married man); Miss Mary Darden as Mrs. Kate Stanly (his wife); Miss Addie M. Kirk-patrick as Miss Carrie Butler (Mr. Stanly's sister); Mr. George Bizzell as

2ND, WAYWARD.—George W. Bizzell as Mr. Mansfield (an elderly gentle-man); J. B. Dawson as Frank Graham Mansfield (his nephew); Miss Lou Daniel as Llzzie Harding Cotten (Mr. Manfield's ward); Miss Louda Wooten as Pattie (Miss Cotten's maid.

3RD, STRATEGEM.-J. P. Joyner as Mr. Credulous (an elderly gentleman); Miss Addie M. Kirkpatrick as Fannie Lawten (Mr. Credulous' ward); Will. N. Hadley as Frank Horten (Fannie's lover); Miss Addie M. Kirkpatrick as Mattie (Fan-

nie's maid). After the fun below, came the feast above. The festival, contributed by the friends and patrons of the school, con-sisted of good things of all kinds. The young folks ate and courted and courted and ate; the older ones ate, mostly, and chatted some. Taken all in all, the entertainment was a success, and again shows the esteem placed upon this Institution by our people.

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Office Secretary & Treasurer

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Notice.

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Best London Layer Raisins in whole or quarter boxes,
Preserves and Jellies,
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COMMERCIAL.

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R. D. HANCOCK, City Clerk.

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