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TRIP TO HYDE.

New Berne Merchants and the Farmers of the Egypt of North Carolina in Council.

Prospects for Communication by Steam.

The long talked of steam communication between this city and Hyde county is at last assuming tangible shape. On Tuesday night the steamer *Elm City* left for Douglas bay with the following gentlemen on board: Messrs. Geo. Allen, T. A. Green, L. H. Cutler, Thos. Daniels, U. S. Mace, C. H. Blank, Geo. Credle, B. G. Credle, H. W. Wahab, K. R. Jones, Asa Jones, G. F. M. Dail, Capt. S. H. Gray and, as passengers, Mr. W. F. Kornegay, of Goldsboro, H. H. Moses, of Boston, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. W. P. Ballance, Mrs. Geo. Credle, Rev. Mr. Lowe and family.

Many of these had never set foot on Hyde county soil, hence, on arriving at Douglas bay after three or four hours of sea sickness felt that they had been driven to this desolate, boggy, bull-frog looking place to finish the job which they thought begun on the rolling waves of Pamlico sound.

LIGHTWOOD CREEK CANAL.
Leading into Douglas bay is a large canal which has been in course of formation for several years, for the purpose of draining lands, which is now being improved for navigation. A few farmers began this work several years ago with spades, and cut it several miles at a cost of about \$4,000. They have now formed a stock company, have purchased a dredge and propose to deepen the canal so as to make it navigable for about two and a half miles. This done, it can be extended for drainage to the South lake section and a large quantity of valuable land reclaimed. The steamer cast anchor about two hundred yards from the mouth of the canal, the boats were lowered, and the company landed, except the ladies, who were carried up the canal in the boats while the gentlemen walked the banks, the mud thrown out having become hard making a good foot path. Following the canal for about two miles, we reach the settlements in what Dr. Selby calls

THE QUADRILATERAL.
that being the shape of the lands lying on the South side of Mattamuskeet Lake, a section of country containing between three and four thousand inhabitants, with four churches, two Methodist, one Episcopal and one Disciples, and four private schools, one of which is taught by Miss Jennie Patrick of Kinston. On reaching Cedar Grove and getting a view of the many nice and substantial dwellings, the magnificent farms, and enjoying the generous hospitality of the people one forgets his sea sickness, and at once exclaims, "the finest country I have ever seen." Thousands upon thousands of rich, level, stumps acres. What a fine chance for using improved machinery! But Dr. Selby tells us there is not a successful "book farmer" in the Quadrilateral.

THE MEETING.
But these gentlemen went on business as well as the pleasure of seeing this famous grain section. They wanted to help these people to quicker communication with the outside world. So according to notice previously sent them they were met at the Messrs. Watson's store about 11 o'clock on Wednesday by quite a number of the citizens, among them Doctors Milton, Selby and S. A. Long, Capt. W. F. Midyette, Messrs. S. M. Mann, D. G. Sadder, A. B. Tunnell, Fred Roper, Joe McCloud, James Gibbs, Harrison Douglass, Geo. I. Watson, D. M. Watson, Sheriff McCloud and others. The meeting was called to order by Mr. T. A. Green, and Mr. Geo. I. Watson elected chairman, H. S. Nunn, secretary.

The chair asked Mr. Green to explain the objects of the meeting. Mr. Green explained that it was for the purpose of discussing the prospects and advisability of connecting the city of New Berne with Hyde county by steam.

Mr. D. M. Watson was called upon for his views. He responded in a short speech, saying that he was very anxious for a steamer, but thought the prospects for making one pay on the line at this time were very discouraging, because there is not much to ship. He promised, however, that if the company saw fit to put on the steamer he would do all in his power to help them make it pay. The cost of cutting the canal, he said was very heavy to a few in the community, and they expected from the beginning to get outside help. He was sure that money put into it by any one could be plucked up again at almost any time.

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Kinston Items.

Last Wednesday was fair, cool, windy and dusty.

Take care to be an economist in prosperity; there is no fear of your being one in adversity.

A widower of Kinston, who keeps a "bottle in the closet" from which he draws his inspiration, wrote the following to the "girl he loves the best":

The Jones county prophet has been consulted again as to the La Grange dark horse in the race for sheriff, but responds like Shakespeare who "never repeats."

There is going to be a boom in matrimony. They are making bicycles now with two seats. A man who can't elope with his girl in a swift vehicle that makes no noise, deserves to be a wretch of a bachelor all of his life. There is a bicyclist at Kinston, however, who can noiselessly elope with his carpet-bag, his umbrella, his overcoat, his girl and himself, all on a bicycle with one seat.

We write this to urge our readers who have standing yellow pine to preserve it as something valuable. Such timber can be turned into money within a few years, and the value of a tract of land will soon be determined by the quantity and quality of its timber. In a short time we will wish we had more forests instead of less; for the ax of the woodsman will follow close behind the keen-eyed speculator, who are already looking this way for the future timber supply of the country.

I stood upon the ocean's surf-beat shore, And with a reed I wrote upon the sand, "Agnes, I love thee!" but alas, the tide arose, and ruthless, washed away The fair impression.

Fragile reed and treacherous sand And cruel wave, I'll trust ye nevermore! But with the loftiest pine from tallest Alps Dipped in Vesuvius' red and burning fount, I'll write "Agnes, I love thee!" and I'd like to see Any dog-goned wave wash that out!

Wintery Weather.
WASHINGTON, April 9.—Six inches of snow fell last night at Fort Wayne, Indiana, and Dayton, Ohio, and seven inches in Anthracite City, Pa.

It began snowing in Washington about 6 a. m., and continued until 11 a. m. In Baltimore snow fell until 3 p. m., but it had all disappeared in Baltimore and Washington in two hours after the fall had ceased.

Direct telegraphic communication between Washington and New York was entirely suspended for several hours during the business portion of the day, because of the prostration of every wire between Baltimore and Philadelphia by the high wind. Late in the afternoon communication was re-established, but has since been subject to annoying interruption, and belated business is being disposed of.

Republican Meeting.
The County Executive Committee having met and called a nominating convention to meet in the city of New Berne, N. C., on Thursday, the 24th day of April, 1884, the Republican voters of the 5th Ward, south side Queen street, will meet at the corner of West and Queen street, on Monday, April 21st, 1884, at 8 o'clock p. m. promptly, for the purpose of electing three delegates and three alternates to represent this precinct in said convention, and also three members of the executive committee to represent this precinct for the ensuing two years, who will assemble in New Berne on the 24th day of April, 1884, for the purpose of electing a county executive committee.

A. G. ODEN, Chm'n Precinct Committee.

Malaria positively cured with EMORY'S STANDARD CURE PILLS, a never failing remedy; purely vegetable, contain no quinine, sugar-coated. 25 cents. 6

John Stuart Mill had a pipe sticking around in nearly every tree and nook of his spacious lawn. In his walks he regaled himself frequently with a smoke. He changed his pipe often, but when he struck a superior tobacco like Blackwell's Durham Long Cut he stuck to it like a philosopher, evolving political economy from the smoke thereof. d

For Rent.
The large and commodious dwelling now occupied by J. C. Whitty on Union street, containing eleven rooms. Possession to be given May 1st, 1884. Apply to H. B. DUFFY. ma26 dim

By lack of open air exercise, and the want of sufficient care in the matter of diet, the whole physical mechanism often becomes impaired during the winter. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy to take in the spring of the year to purify the blood, invigorate the system, excite the liver to action, and restore the healthy tone and vigor.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, April 7, 6 P. M. COTTON—New York futures steady; Spots quiet. New Berne market firm.

No sales. Middling, 10 3/4; Low Middling, 10 1/2; Good Ordinary, 9 3/4. NEW YORK SPOTS. Middling, 11 5/8; Low Middling, 11 5/16; Good Ordinary, 10 5/8.

FUTURES.
April, 11.74
May, 11.79
June, 11.90
July, 13.01
CORN—Steady at 64a75c.

DOMESTIC MARKET.
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.25; dip, \$3.00. TAR—\$1.00 to \$1.25. SEED COTTON—\$3.50a3.50. BEEWAX—25c per lb. HONEY—75c per gallon. BEEF—On foot, 5c to 7c. COUNTRY HAMS—13c per lb. LARD—13c per lb. FRESH PORK—7a8c per pound. EGGS—12c per dozen. PEANUTS—\$1.00a1.50 per bushel. FODDER—80c to \$1 per hundred. ONSIONS—\$3 per bbl. FIELD PEAS—85c a \$1.00 per bushel. HIDES—Dry, 9a11c; green 5a6c. TALLOW—6c per lb. CHICKENS—Grown, 45a50c. per pair. MEAL—80c per bushel. POTATOES—Bahamas 40c; yams 60c. TURNIPS—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—\$18.25a18.50; long clears 10a10c; shoulders, dry salt, 8a8c. MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c. SALT—95c per sack. FLOUR—\$4.00a7.50 per barrel.

Wanted,
A GOOD MILK COW—one now giving milk—that will give two to two and a half gallons per day. Apply to T. A. GREEN, New Berne, N. C. ap11 d&w lw

THE SPOT.

U. S. MACE'S is the place for goods in the Druggist line; He also keeps Hardware in heaps, With Canvas, Rope and Twine.

All this is true, and much more too, If you will find the "Spot,"— (His goods are cheap as any keep) The place is Market Dock.

DEATH TO WHITEWASH.

MAXWELL'S PREPARED GYPSUM.

All Well Regulated Families Use It. For particulars call on or address J. C. WHITTY, NEW BERNE, N. C. ap11 d

Valuable Building Lot FOR SALE.

We offer for sale the valuable Building Lot on Craven street, formerly occupied by the Tobacco Factory of Mills & Walker. WATSON & STREET, Real Estate Agents. ap10 d2t

TO THE VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY:

I respectfully inform you that I am a CANDIDATE for SENATOR in the next General Assembly. WM. J. CLARKE. New Berne, N. C., April 8th, 1884. 9dwtf

G. E. SLOVER

Has just received a FRESH SUPPLY OF CHOICE GROCERIES, AND OFFERS FOR SALE: Standard Granulated Sugar, A. and C. Sugar, Fulton Market Corned Beef, Brunswick Ham, Breakfast Strips, Sugar Cured Shoulders, Cooked Corned Beef, Potted Ham, Steam Cooked Oat Meal, Roasted Coffee, Condensed Milk, Lobster, Sardines, Fine Teas, Coddish, Pickles, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples, Prunes.

ap9 RED OIL. dim

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CRAVEN COUNTY. COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, NEW BERNE, April 8th, 1884.

Upon the petition of citizens of School District Nos. 1 and 2, it was Ordered, That that portion of School District No. 2, to wit: Beginning at the mouth of James Swamp at the point where it empties into Little Swift Creek, and running thence up and with said Creek to the Pocomin thence with the Pocomin to the head of James Swamp, thence with said Swamp to the beginning—be and hereby is restored to and made a part of School District No. 1 of Craven county.

Attest: JOSEPH NELSON, Sec'y Co. Bd. Education. ap11 dwtf

CHAPPED HANDS, FACE, PIMPLES, and rough Skin, cured by using JUNIPER TAR SOAP, made by CASWELL, HAZARD & CO., New York. th-3

PROF. ANTONIO BELLEZZA

Will open his DANCING SCHOOL on MONDAY, APRIL 14, at 3:30 o'clock, P. M., at LOWTHROP'S HALL, for the instruction of Ladies, Misses and Masters, and at 8 o'clock P. M., for Gentlemen.

For full particulars see small bills. ap8tf

Wm. J. CLARKE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, NEW BERNE, N. C.

Practices in the Courts of Carteret, Craven, Hyde, Jones, Lenoir, Pamlico and Wayne counties; also in the United States Court at New Berne.

Collection of seamen's wages and all claims against vessels a specialty. Office four doors above Gaston House. mar21-d&wtf

Dissolution Law Firm.

The firm of Wm. J. and Wm. E. Clarke is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Wm. E. Clarke, the junior member, retires. Wm. J. Clarke remains at the old office, and continues practice. This 4th day of April, A. D. 1884. WM. J. CLARKE, WM. E. CLARKE. ap5

L. J. MOORE, WM. E. CLARKE, MOORE & CLARKE, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, New Berne, N. C.

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1,000,000 Brick For Sale.

Mason Work executed at short notice. C. W. BROWN & CO., New Berne, N. C. mar23 dim

ROBERTS & BRO., Wholesale & Retail

DEALERS IN Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes,

All of which we are offering VERY LOW.

Orders solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. dw NEW BERNE, N. C.

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AND REAL ESTATE AGENTS. Shares of Bank, Railroad, and Steamboat Stocks a Specialty.

Yielding to the popular demand for an Agency for the purchase and sale of Local Stocks and Real Estate, we have concluded to add this new feature to our business of GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE, and would respectfully tender our services to the public in that capacity.

The increasing demand for our farming and timber lands among capitalists abroad who are being attracted hither by the splendid investments offered, creates, we think, a necessity for an Agency of this kind which has not been felt hitherto.

The great success which has attended the efforts of our Steamboat Companies and other enterprising corporations in our midst, has caused a demand for these Stocks which has made them an article of every-day purchase and sale.

We respectfully refer to the National Bank of New Berne, and to business men of New Berne generally. WATSON & STREET, New Berne, N. C. mar27 dim

Grass Seeds.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS—A valuable variety for lawns when mixed with other grass; is said to retain its verdure during the hottest weather; thrives best in dry soils. WHITE CLOVER, RED CLOVER, LAWN GRASS.

Grain Seeds.

WHITE OATS, BLACK OATS, RUST PROOF OATS, RUSSIAN OR WELCOME OATS, UPLAND RICE, RYE, PEASE, WHEAT.

N. B.—The season for seed being about passed, we offer our stock of clean and well selected OATS at reduced figures, hoping to meet the demand for feed oats, which is now being supplied with low grade Western oats.

S. W. & E. W. SMALLWOOD

Corner Craven and South Front Sts. NEW HAVEN PALLADIUM. (DAILY AND WEEKLY.)

ESTABLISHED.....1829 The best advertising medium at the North for every man in North Carolina who has a farm, mine, tract of timber land or water power to sell. The letters of our staff correspondents have given the PALLADIUM a great reputation throughout New England, as the only real representative of the "Tar heel" State, and all New Englanders who think of locating in North Carolina send to the PALLADIUM to get "Espacee's" letters.

For terms and other particulars address SETH G. JOHNSON, Business Manager THE PALLADIUM, mar19a-w3m New Haven, Conn.

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