LOCAL NEWS

Janual Ministure Almanac. Sun rises, 5:15 | Length of day, Sun sets, 6:41 | 13 hours, 26 minutes Moon rises at 4:85 a. m.

War Department, Signal Service, U S. Army. Report of observations taken at New

April 22, 1884-6 P.M.

Max. Min. Rain Temp. Temp. New Berne ... 59 J. W. WEBB, Observer.

High tide yesterday.

Capt. S. H. Gray feasted on Irish potatoes last Sunday.

The steamer Defiance arrived from Baltimore yesterday with a cargo of general merchandise.

The steamer Stout sailed yesterday naval stores, and 2400 cases of oysters.

About 500 boxes of peas were shipped per steamer Shenandoah yesterday on the wharf.

Before attending the 4th Ward Convention on Monday night Moses Bryan had his hair shingled pretty close. mourn." After this precaution he was ready to "fout for his man from Genesee to Reservation."

Conundrum

In what respect does New Berne now resemble its condition in March, 1862?

False Alarm.

A furious ringing of the fire bell at about midnight on Monday night brought out the fire department in hot haste to find the fire at Stimson's all out and the danger over. Moses Bryan says that when he first heard the bell he thought sure it was some mischievous fellow trying to break up the glorious meeting in the 4th Ward.

Personal.

Orange Presbytery.

W. E. Clarke, Esq., is attending Lenoir Superior Court.

J. C. Herring, of the firm of Peacock & Herring, of Smithfield, was in the when approaching them. city yesterday and closed a contract to furnish 200,000 brick for the court

Mr. D. F. Jarvis, the clever clerk at Ass Jone's store, leaves to-day for a short visit to Swan Quarter.

Nominating A Constable.

The Republican township convention November.

The contest between Moses Mason, the Grainger studies to please. present incumbent, and about seventeen other aspirants had been pretty warm Monday. Court opened promptly at 10 for the last two weeks; two sets of deli-gates were reported from the 5th Ward, presiding and Solicitor Galloway proseand it was evident at the outset that there was fun in store. Tucker, the given in an abla and a solicitor Galloway proseduling. The grand jury was drawn at the one, to whom the criminal law was the control of the co

of organization. showing that it was Esq. There is quite a large attendance Oden's duty to call to order.

chair as though everything was perfect- of civil matters.

ly calm and peaceful. Moses Mason, at this juncture, came forward and spoke for peace and har-

Geo. H. White, Esq., announced the delegates reported, and before the chairman could name the committee on tion. These animals were unlike most credentials, Tucker again mounted the table and moved that Nathan Styron act rian wagons; they were capable by their as chairman. A perfect pandemonium times during the meeting. A fight was reported over in one corner, but the Zen'l manager; W. T. Hart, ass't steerchairman continued selecting bis committee. Attempts were made to tote Styron to the chair, but they failed.

Oden stated that he was temporary hairman of the meeting and expected to remain so until a permanent chairman was selected. A motion was put
about this time and the house roared
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Hookerton, N. C. with "I" and "No." Tucker, standing a the table, shook his umbrella at the things like the following to communi-

coding gave their advice. Most of the prakers made carnest appeals for peace at harmony, and would wind up by a lag tha way to get that peace was to minus humself for constable.

After three hours of wrangling Judge Stanly was declared the nomines,

More Paint.

"Mace is the only man in town that has paint, is he?" inquired one of a Journal reporter yesterday. "Oh no," to be over an average one. replied the reporter, "if you will go up on Metcalf street you will see several houses that look as bright as if they were bran new, but they were only newly painted with paint and brush from Cutler's and he has plenty of it left. If you want to enjoy a good hearty laugh just go round and ask Cutler if he has any more paint like that which is being used on Geo. Henderson's house."

Died.

Will Graham, infant son of Alice and W. F. Crocket, at their residence, near this city, on the 21st of April.

At his home, in Onslow county, on the 8th inst.. Elder John C. Hewitt, in his 63rd year.

For 22 years Mr. Hewitt had been a for Baltimore with a cargo of lumber, faithful minister of the Primitive Bapsustained a great loss in his death. He was a kind husband and father, always They sold from \$3.00 to \$4.00 per box in the front rank of neighborhood enterwithal a Christian gentleman.

"When a good man dies the people

Kinston Items.

Turpentine-Hard, 75. Dip, \$1.75 Peas, field, \$1.50 per bushel.

Corn, 75c. per bush. Meal, 80c. per bush.
Potatoes, sweet, 50a60c. per bush.
Hams, country, 12a13c. per lb.
Lard, country, 12a18c. per lb. Pork, fresh, 7 to 8 cts. Hides, dry, 8a10c. per lb.

green, 4c. per lb. Chickens, 50a60c. per pair. Eggs, 10c. per doz. Cotton, 10%c.

As usual, our Superior Court brough with it the inevitable rainy Monday. D. H. Wade, of Kinston, had new Irish potatoes-the first of the season-

last Saturday. W. R. Bond, our butcher, killed last Mr. Geo. Allen leaves this morning Monday a fine stall-fed beef, which for Durham to attend the meeting of weighed, on the scales, alive, 1,159

pounds. Your La Grange itemizer, Judge Sutton, was in town last Monday, attending court. We noticed he gave all the county commissioners a wide birth

The Raleigh News and Observer is extensively advertising the forests of North Carolina. It is giving undue importance to all the little sand hill black jacks in the State. If the thing lasts much longer, there will be no use for the State Exposition, so far as its timber is concerned.

H. L. Coward, the best looking of J. for the 8th township assembled at the court house yesterday at 12 o'clock for Grainger's travelling salesmen, was here last Monday. It is no wonder that Grainger is stocking the country with the purpose of nominating a candidate agricultural implements, steam engines for constable, to be voted for next and buggies, when he has, in his employment, such good looking salesmen as Frank Sugg and Heber L. Coward.

Lenoir Superior Court began here last there was fun in store. Tucker, the editor of the Banner, learning that A.

G. Oden would call the meeting to order, mounted a chair and in a roaring speech foreshadowed what was coming.

Oden called the meeting to order, and Geo. H. White, Esq., explained the plan of organization, showing that it was coming and Rouse and Ashley T. Hill.

den's duty to call to order.

Of people at court, before whom the beautiful Edwards posed as Snow and dered again. He was willing for a third man to come in as a compromise.

Oden smiled and continued in the consume all the week to the exclusion

Letter from Hookerton.

HOOKERTON, N. C., April 20. 1884. MR EDITOR:—The steamer Snow Hill carried off from among us a load of omniverous biped animals, which is the subject mainly of this communicaown service of passing without materially increasing the funds of the comman; Benj. Sutton, wootsawer; Z. T. Murphey, ass't steward; last and by all means least, W. H. Forest, corkscrew carrier, whose duties, by the way, were so onerous, that he deserted the crew near Coward bridge, and sought relief among the picnic crowd collected there.

If amokers were more choice, and ook care to leave behind them only the exquisite perfumes of such tobacco as linekwell's Durham Long Cut, there

La Grange Items.

The wheat crop promises at this time.

Capt. Carraway, of the News and Observer, spent Friday night in our place visiting his son, a student in Capt. Davis' school.

Rev. Mr. Hievs, the recently chosen Pastor of the Baptist Church in this place, will preach here next Thursday night and Friday night, also Sunday, morning and evening.

D. M. Stanton, now generally conceded to be Haskins' "next sheriff from La Grange," I learn, has expressed a willingness to accept the nomination if tendered. Mr. S. is a citizen of our town and fully qualified to fill any office in the county. Who will be the many this deponds on the county. Who will be the man this deponent sayeth not.

A gentleman who has traveled extensively through the State and has had an opportunity to know the sentiments of the people, says that Judge Gilmer ranks first for the nomination for Governor. If the Judge is nominated there is no doubt of his election, and it is tist Church, and the church feels it has equally certain that he would make a most excellent Governor.

The Republicans held their township in the front rank of neighborhood enter-prise, advocating good schools, and was who, on motion of John Fields, jr., was made permanent chairman, and D. M. Staunton was elected secretary. The object of the meeting was to elect a township executive committee, and to elect delegates to the county convention. David Best and Richmund Wooten, colored, and R. W. Moore were elected executive committee. The delegates to the county convention are John W. Sutton, Homer Borden and W. J. Solomon; alternates, John Fields, jr., Robt. Jones and West Wooten. There was some feeling of opposition shown by West Wooten, in regard to Solomon's being a delegate. The burden of opposition seemed to be that he was not sufficiently known to be trusted in so important a matter. Solomon's call for a "division" on the election of a part of the executive committee came too late and was not recognized or the matter explained. John Fields, jr., was called on for a speech before the meeting adjourned, but did not respond. Mr. Fields is leaving no stone unturned to secure the nomination of the Republicans for the office of sheriff of this county. But judging of the appearance of things and the expressions of some of the "leaders" his stock is far below par about here. That he has a following there can be no doubt, and there is ample time for a good worker to accomplish much before the nomination of county candidates.

Jones County Items.

We are having fine weather and the farmers are making good use of it hauling and getting out their compost. Every one seems to be busy. Some of the farmers will commence planting cotton this week.

Our friend C. H. Foy had garden peas raised in his garden in Trenton. Charlie has gone into the bee culture. On Saturday last he despatched a wagon load of improved bee house to his farm on

The following are the names of the jury which I promised to send in my last: Jesse L. Ballard, Ivry Andrews, Levi J. Rhodes, Sydney Baker, col., John W. Eubanks, J. W. Robinson, Sylvanus Barker, B. F. Banks, Thos. C.

ready for the removal of the convict force from the Trenton and Core creek road to the Onslow and Quaker Bridge road on Saturday, the 26th of this month. What a pity he can't stay a few weeks longer, so he could have finished our road through the pocosin; then we could use it during the summer by using the old roads through the highlands on the Core creek side, but the authorities have decided against us and we must submit.

Why is it that the county of Jones has no committee of Finance? Is it not the duty of the Magistrates to appoint such a committee? I do not wish it understood that I am casting any reflections on our county officers by requesting the Magistrates, when they meet in June, to take into consideration the propriety of having such a committee. I am confident that our county officers would approve of such a course and heartily endorse it, as it would be a protection to them, and I know that the people all desire it for I have heard a great many of them so express themselves.

There is a sentiment growing among our people towards the re-establishment of the treasurer's office in our county. I have had several conversations with our leading citizens; all of them say they like the good old way of the sheriff collecting and paying over to the treasurer. I hope our magistrates, when they assemble in June, will take it in consideration. One of the arguments which the people advance is that we do not know who will be the next sheriff, and that it is very easy for a sheriff and that it is very easy for a sheriff, when he holds both offices, to tell the holders that he has no money and can't pay them, that he has collected but at this time and the house roared a "I" and "No." Tucker, standing the table, shook his umbrella at the airman and voted: No! No!!! Some of your correspondent things like the following to communicate: Mr. So and So is happy—it is a girl, or a boy. But as things of like acrifice, while on the other unacted and the speech making begun in once a year, we are compelled to seek redress in items of not such youthful origin sometimes, hence our excuse for the has no money, you can find it out by the sheriff, whether he has settled with him or not.

For Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Depression of Spirits and General Debility, in their various forms; also as a preventive against Fever and Ague, and other Intermittent Fevers, the "Ferro-Phosphated Elixin of Calisaya," made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York, and sold by all druggists, is the best tonic; and for patients recovering from fever

Hookerton Items.

We have a flourishing school here, Prof. E. W. Wilcox, Principal.

Mr. W. T. Dixon says he has 105 col-lards and 5 are headed up like cabbage. Some of our farmers are planting cot-ton, but don't think there will be as much planted.

Hookerton is booming; Mrs. J. J. Edwards & Co. have the most beautifully painted store in the county.

We received last week the sad intelligence of the death of Mrs. Susan Patrick. She died at the residence of at her advanced age of 82 years. Her

Duck Ureek Items.

Our farms are looking pretty well, considering the long cold, dry spell of windy weather just over.

E. R. Provow has the largest corn I have seen, nearly knee high, and Mrs. Huldah Gillett and Mrs. Wm. Coville have the finest gardens I have seen.

Mr. E. B. Fonville killed three alligators last Saturday; one very large one. The cold weather has kept the snakes sorter hid, and not many have showed themselves among us yet.

George Winberry and Owen Hill had the best oysters at court that could be found in New river. George and Owen sold over 100 gallons themselves, beside a great many sold by John Erixon and others.

Mrs. Caroline Hughes, wife of Theodore Hughes of Philadelphia, is visiting her relatives and brother, Col. E. W. Fonville, at this time. Mrs. H., we believe, was formerly a native of Duplin county, N. C.

Miss Rena Winberry, daughter of George Winberry, the oyster king, can beat any one man or woman in the county, and we expect, in the State, opening oysters. She has opened at the rate of ten gallons per day for the last five months and can open fifteen gallons in a day from sun to sun and rest two hours. Has opened during this season not less than, we reckon, seven hundred gallons.

Another heavy wind storm visited us last Tuesday, blowing down houses, chimneys and fences, besides thoussands of trees. It seemed to be about one-fourth of a mile wide and went from southwest to northeast, and the rain fell in torrents, breaking mills, floating up bridges and making roads impassable for a time. But all is clear now and things look tolerably well, considering the squall.

Judge Shepherd made things lively at our court, in getting over business. Called court, paneled the jury, charged the same, got ready and disposed of about a dozen cases the first day, some were bad ones too. The case of Jim Bell, colored, charged two years ago for burning C. C. Corbin's house: verdict not guilty. Attorneys for plaintiff, for dinner on the 9th of April that was Nixon, Simmons & Manly; for defendent, T. E. Gilman, Holland & Guion, and Frank Thompson, jr.

The steamer Margie left here for Morehead City Friday with a load of turpentine etc. from John Gilman and others. This is the first freight she has carried out of New river. She will go up White Oak river next week to Barker's bridge and further if need be. Talk about a steamer not paying anything in New river! Why, she could make \$25.00 a day here during the months of May, June, July and August. carrying passengers to the Banks, if nothing else. She made four excursions last week with over 100 each time: some times 150 and 175 persons.

Some of our friends and neighbors are getting on very well in farming, for instance: Mr. Cullen Robinson, who a few years back had nothing, now has a fine little farm, a good oyster garden, and to cap the climax, has just bought himself a fine little thoroughbed pony and is fast improving everything around him. Good for Cullen. Mrs. Coville is a chicken raiser, too. She sat a hen on 24 eggs and said hen hatched every one and they are now looking well. Mrs. Wm. Owens comes out a little ahead. She sat r hen on 12 eggs and hatched out 15 chickens. Beat that, ye chicken raisers. They are all living, or was

Gold in our Old Fields. When we consider health to be better than wealth then must we consider the old field mullein better than gold-at least the medical world so recognize it; and attest its ment over Cod Liver Oil for lung troubles. Made into a tea and combined with Sweet Gum it presents in Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet in Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein, a pleasant and effective cure for Croup, Whooping Cough, Colds and Consumption. Price 25cts. and \$1.00. This with Dr. Biggers' Southern Remedy, an equally efficacious remedy for Cramp-Colic, Diarrhea, Dysentery, and children suffering from the effects of teething, presents a little Medicine Chest no household should be without, for the speedy relief of sudden and dangerous attacks of the lungs and howels. Ask your druggists for them. Manufactured by WALTER A. TAYLOR, Atlanta, Ga., Proprietor Taylor's Pre-Atlanta, Ga., Proprietor Taylor's Pre-mium Cologne. d&wapr14m

"BOUGH ON RATS." Clears out rats, mice. roaches, flies, ants, bed-bugs, skunks, chipmunks, gophers. 15c. Druggists.

EMORY'S LITTLE CATHARTIC is the best and only reliable Liver Pill known; never fails with the most obstinate cases; purely vegetable.-15 cents.

For Rent.

now occupied by J. C. Whitty on Union street, containing eleven rooms. Possession to be given May 1st, 1884.

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COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, April 22, 6 P. M. COTTON-New York futures firm Spots quiet. New Berne market steady. Sales of 2 bales at 11 to 11t.

Middling, 11; Low Middling, 10 8-4; On Tuesday, April 22d.

Good Ordinay, 10. NEW YORK SPOTS. Middling, 11 7-8; Low Middlin 11 9-16; Good Ordinary, 10 7-8.

FUTURES. April. 11.79 11.80 May, 11.91 June, 12.06 July,

Honey-75c. per gallon.

BEEF-On foot, 5c. to 7c.

Country Hams-13tc. per lb.

CORN-Steady at 64a72c.

DOMESTIC MARKET. TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.25; dip, \$2.00. TAR—\$1.00 to \$1.25. SEED COTTON-\$2.50a3.50. COTTON SEED-\$13.50 per ton. BEESWAX-25c. per lb.

LARD-13to, per lb. FRESH PORK-7a8c. per pound. Eggs-12c. per dozen. PEANUTS-\$1.00a1.50 per bushel. FODDER-80c. to \$1 per hundred. ONIONS-\$3 per bbl. FIELD PEAS-85c.a\$1.00 per bushel. HIDES-Dry, 9a11c.; green 5a6c. TALLOW-6c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 75c. per pair.

MEAL—80c. per bushel. POTATOES—Bahamas 40c.; yams 60c. TURNIPS-50,75c. per bush. Wool-12a2Cc. per pound. WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK-\$17.75a18.00; long clears 10a10tc.; shoulders, dry salt, 34a84c. MOLASSES AND SYRUPS-20a45c.

Salt-95c. per sack. Flour-\$4.00a7.50 per barrel.

Notice.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW BERNE, N. C., April 28, 1884. All persons having claims against the City, for which vouchers have not been issued, will hand them in at my office on or before Friday, May 2d, 1884. By order of Finance Committee.

R. D. HANCOCK, City Clerk.

10 Shares Stock

Neuse and Trent River Transportation Company,

For sale by WATSON & STREET, Stock Brokers.

Notice.

REV. T. L. TROY has been employed by the "AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY" to canvass Craven County and distribute Bibles-supply the destitute with the Word of God. Bibles are deposited at the stere of Geo. Allen & Co., and may be obtained from Mr. Allen in Let all avail themselves of this opportunity for obtaining Bibles cheaper than elsewhere, ap22 d3t wit

Spring Opening MILLINERY GOODS!!

TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1884.

WE WILL DISPLAY OUR

Stock of Millinery Goods TUESDAY, APRIL 22d, '84.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine them.

Very respectfully, MRS. S. H. LANE & CO., Pollok St., New Berne.

MRS. M. D. DEWEY

IS RECEIVING HER SPRING STOCK

Millinery,

and has added many novelties, which she offers to her customers

At Extremely Low Prices. Her OPENING will be on

Thursday, April 24. Her friends and customers are assured that her stock will be complete and her prices as LOW as the LOWEST.

apr22 d1m Spring and Summer

84. MILLINERY. '84.

Miss Harriette Lane will be pleased to show her friends, and

the public generally, all THE NEW DESIGNS

FINE MILLINERY GOODS

Tuesday, April 22, '84 which will be sold at LOWEST CASH

New Berne, April 20, 1884.

Miss KATE L. CARRAWAY

Invites her friends and the public generally to call and examine her

BEAUTIFUL NEW STOCK

Millinery and Notions.

She will endeavor to give satisfaction to one and all.

ICE! ICE! ICE!

The undersigned having completed arrangements for an ICE HOUSE at Union Point, wishes to inform the public that he has now on the way a large cargo of ICE, which will be sold in large or small quanti-

Arrangements have been made for retailing in a convenient part of the town. Special attention is called to the

Delivery System,

which he proposes to re-establish.

With the facilities for handling Ice at Union Point with but little expense, he is confident in soliciting the public to hold their orders for him, that they will obtain the lowest pos-Out of town orders solicited, and promptly

R. O. E. LODGE,

A. G. HUBBARD'S ESTATE.

Craven St., below Express Office.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. All persons having claims against above estate will be paid, on presenting them, properly sworn, to me, at Hon. C. C. Clark's office, on Tuesday next, the 22nd, between 10 and 1 o'clock J. A. RICHARDSON, apr18td Administrator.

A Fine Line of Samples

GENTS, YOUTHS AND BOY'S SUITS TO BE MADE TO ORDER BY WANAMAKER & BROWN.

PHILADELPHIA, Can be seen at A. M. Baker's,

POLLOCK STREET. A Sure Fit Guaranteed. C. L. IVES, Agent. ap12 d2w

TO THE

VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY: I respectfully inform you that I am CANDIDATE for SENATOR in the

next General Assembly. WM. J. CLARKE. New Berne, N. C., April 8th, 1881. 9dwtf

C. 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 Hams, Breakfast Strips, Sugar Cured Shoulders.

Cooked Corned Beef, Potted Ham, Steam Cooked Oat Meal, Roasted Coffee, Condensed Milk.

Lobster, Sardines, Fine Tens. Codfish, Pickles. Dried Peaches,

Dried Apples, Prunes.

RED C OIL. Proposals.

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Proposals for the erection of a new Sc Building will be received until FRIDAY, the PWENTY-FIFTHday of APRIL, as per plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of W. H. Oliver.

Proposals can be made for the Brick or for the Brick laid in the wall, for the woodwork, or for the building complete. Right to re-Newbern, N. C , April 17, 1884.