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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
Sun rises, 4:34 | Length of day.
Sun sets, 6:38 | 14 hours, 4 minutes.
Moon rises at 11:32 p. m.

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

	May 14, 1884—6 P.M.
Max.	89
Min.	67
Rain	01

New Berne... J. W. WEBB, Observer.

All quiet in police circles yesterday.
May holiday at the Graded School today.

The thermometer stood 90 in the shade yesterday at one o'clock.

A light shower yesterday evening laid the dust and cooled the air.

The steamer *Defiance*, of the Clyde line, arrived yesterday morning with a cargo of general merchandise.

The carpenters are framing the roof of the new court house, and the brick work will be resumed shortly.

The steamers *Kinston* and *Blanche* took a full cargo of general merchandise up Neuse river on their last trip.

The steamer *Snow Hill* will leave this morning with a full cargo of freight for Bell's Ferry, Hookerton, Snow Hill and other points.

The three-masted schooner *S. A. Rudolph*, Capt. D. A. Mullin, arrived from Philadelphia yesterday morning with a cargo of hay for R. O. E. Lodge.

The enterprising merchants on Middle street have started a street sprinkler. It works admirably and does a great deal of good this dry, dusty weather.

A very handsome, new and improved postal note has been issued by the Post-office Department and has been received at this office and will shortly be placed on sale.

Rev. Albert Hicks, col., a regularly ordained minister of Christ's Church, is endeavoring to organize a congregation of colored members of the church in this city.

The Sunday School of the M. E. Church will picnic up Trent river today. The steamer *Trent* will leave the foot of Metcalf street for the first trip at 7:30 o'clock, for the second trip, at 9.

The school committee visited the colored Graded School yesterday and express themselves as well pleased with the manner in which Prof. Savage and his assistants are conducting the school.

Personal.
Mayor Bryan has returned from Halifax court.

Dr. Tillery, of Rocky Mount, and Mr. C. H. Harris, editor of the *Reporter*, called to see us yesterday. Dr. Tillery is the father of our telegraph operator at this place.

Mr. B. F. Aycock, of Fremont, was in the city yesterday.

C. H. Foy, Esq., of Trenton, is in the city.

Mr. A. C. Gooding, of Cypress creek, Jones county, is in the city. He says the stand of corn and cotton is pretty bad in his neighborhood, caused mostly by cool nights.

Financial.
The financial outlook in New York, and consequently throughout the country, is very bad. The extensive speculators' losses and failure of Mr. James Keene, the recent immense failure of Ward, Grant & Co., the latter resulting in the failure of the Marine National Bank, one of the heaviest in the country, is now supplemented by the suspension on yesterday of the Metropolitan National Bank of New York.

These failures are necessarily bound to effect all portions of the country, the National Bank system being so interwoven that when one of the financial Grants succumbs to business pressure it involves hundreds of the pigmies. We fear that we have but just entered upon a serious financial crisis and that these recent failures are but the beginning of an almost unparalleled disturbance in the money market.

The paid up capital stock of the Metropolitan Bank was \$3,000,000, and when such an institution succumbs there must surely be something rotten.

The speculative mania of the country is carrying it to its ruin; the desire to acquire riches rapidly and by all sorts of questionable means known to speculation, creates fictitious values that are sustained only by desperate ventures, and the result is that when the bottom drops out there is bound to be a crash.

In providing an extensive financial disturbance we are not alone in our views but have the assurance of one of our most careful and reliable financiers in Liberty that we are right.

It is of course, to be hoped that in this instance we are a "false prophet," but it seems a matter of justice to our readers without any wish to alarm them, to give existing facts and the probabilities.

Fire Extinguishers.

The Old Dominion Steamship Co., ever mindful of the interest of its patrons, has provided Capt. E. B. Roberts, the agent at this place, with a number of hand grenades to be used in extinguishing fire. They are simply blue bottles filled with a fluid that when broken over the blaze of a fire will generate a gas which immediately checks the fire. They are quite valuable if they will do what is claimed for them.

How Is It?

The report published a few days ago by Capt. S. H. Gray, chairman of the Finance Committee stated that the debt of the city had been increased during the past year \$1,141.34, but now comes a report signed by two of the Finance Committee and a number of the old Board of Councilmen stating that the expenditures of the Board last year did not exceed the receipts. If this be true we are at a loss to know how the debt was increased, and if the debt was increased \$1,141.34 we would like to know how it is that the receipts were more than the expenditures. "What is it?"

Resigned.

Councilman Rountree has tendered his resignation as Councilman of the 2nd Ward. He does this upon the advice of counsel, that holding the position of Director of the Eastern Insane Asylum, he is not eligible to that of Councilman. The opinion, we suppose, is based upon section 7, article XIV, of the Constitution of the State, which says:

"No person, who shall hold any office or place of trust or profit under the United States, or any department thereof, or under this State or under any other State, or government, shall hold or exercise any other office or place of trust or profit under the authority of this State, or be eligible to a seat in either House of the General Assembly: Provided, That nothing herein contained shall extend to officers in the militia, justices of the peace, commissioners of public charities, or commissioners for special purposes."

City Finances.

MR. EDITOR:—As the report published by the Chairman of Finance Committee is calculated to mislead the public and do injustice to the last Board, we beg leave to submit the following statement. The last Board issued vouchers for the following amounts which were contracted by, and should properly have been classed as the expenditure of, a former Board:

A. W. Wood, hauling shells.....	490.00
D. Stinson, lumber.....	108.57
P. Trenwith.....	41.16
Registrars and Inspectors.....	45.00
B. Silley, repair of wharf.....	40.00
J. W. Moore, safe.....	42.40
Freight.....	25.87
Silsby Manufacturing Co. sup.....	49.92
Alex Miller, lawn mower.....	18.50
Moore & Brady.....	600.96

Pipe for wells.....	\$1,457.38
.....	37.50
.....	\$1,494.88
500 feet hose and coupling.....	550.00
.....	\$2,044.88

The attention of the Chairman of the Finance Committee was called to this matter and he was requested to make a simple explanation of the facts but he failed to do so. The last Board issued vouchers amounting to \$13,368.98 (all bills were called in and vouchers issued up to May 6th, 1884) including the above \$2,044.88 contracted by a former Board while the Treasurer paid out in cash \$13,424.63, showing plainly that the last Board did not exceed their receipts as the report alluded to might lead the public to believe.

W. F. ROUNTREE,
J. H. HACKBURN,
ALEX. MILLER,
JAS. W. MOORE,
A. G. ODEN.

A Cool Proceeding.

Mr. Needham Brown, watchman at the dry dock, who resides on Howard, between Fourth and Fifth streets, had his premises raided upon Friday night and robbed of six fowls. The thief or thieves left a piece of paper fastened to the gate post, upon which was scrawled these words:

"I never thought that we would come so low as to steal a poor man's chickens. But it has been 4 weeks since we made any thing, so something to eat we made have so my friend Dont Greaves after your chickens. Nay is gone to Roost. Soon as we get a rise we will call again and we will double the lost. C. B. J. W. POWELLS, S. B. SHARPER, P. C. WILLIAMS, Newbern, N. C."

"N. B. Excuse bad Riten. The moon is all the light we have."—*W. Star*.

W. H. DEWEY will give you a Sea Foam or Dry Shampoo for 15 cents. It

Excursion to Morehead.

A train will leave New Berne on Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock and return at night. Fare for the round trip \$1.00. A pleasant trip for a little money.

A Pair Offer.

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 nervous debility, loss of vitality and kindred troubles. See advertisement in this issue.

Proceedings of the Southern Baptist Convention.

From the Daily Baltimore Baptist.

BALTIMORE, May 9, '84, 9 a. m.
The Convention was called to order by the President, and joined in singing. The eighth Psalm was read, and prayer offered by Rev. A. E. Owen of Virginia. The calling of the role was omitted by general consent. The journal was read and approved. The present Treasurer was re-elected by acclamation.

On motion of Dr. Tichenor a committee of one from each State was appointed to consider what changes should be made in the Constitution and By-Laws, Carried.

Resolved, That 3rd Article of the Constitution be changed. Referred to the above committee.

On motion of Dr. A. E. Dickinson Dr. A. B. Anderson of Rochester University, was invited to address the Convention.

Dr. Anderson was introduced by Dr. Mell.

Next order of business being reception of correspondents from American Missionary Union, Home Mission Society, and the American Baptist Publication Society the letter from J. N. Murdoch, Secretary of American Missionary Union, presenting names of its delegates was read.

The Home Mission Society having been already received, the delegates from the others were greeted, as follows:

American Missionary Union—J. L. Howard, J. B. Thomas, A. G. Lawson, S. S. Lumson, Dr. Moorhouse, E. T. Hiscox.

American Baptist Publication Society—B. Griffith, H. K. Elyson, J. B. Thomas, Geo. Callahan, J. L. Howard.

Dr. J. B. Thomas then addressed the convention, and was followed by Dr. Bright.

On motion, Bro. Fuller, of Boston, was invited to address the convention.

He is a Baptist layman and began by saying that I sell iron—and steel for a living.

On motion, J. L. Howard, president of the Home Mission Society, was invited to address the convention.

I am a little proud of our conventions in the North, but I have seen no nobler assemblage than this. We are not competitors but soldiers under one captain, engaged in the same work, working side by side. Let us all labor to bring this continent to the feet of the Saviour.

Dr. Burrows, of Norfolk, introduced the following:

Resolved, That the great destitution existing among the white people in the States of Florida, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas, including foreign immigration, and in various parts of other States, demands of us an enlarged liberality and increased activity, that it may be speedily supplied.

Resolved, That for this purpose the Home Mission Board should receive from our churches during the coming year not less than one hundred thousand dollars for its mission work.

Dr. Burrows endorsed all that had been said in regard to the negro. The Southern white people are not responsible for the distinctness of the color line in the South. The colored people withdrew from the churches with them. We have built them churches and have done all in our power to help them. We rejoice in the efforts of the brethren of the North in this direction.

But gentlemen, I believe before God that the white man is as good as the negro—if he behaves himself. And is he not to be cared for? He too is without the Gospel as well as the colored man. I admit the great capabilities in the colored people, but there are as great capabilities in the white people which ought to be developed. Many of the whites are just as low down in the scale as the negro. There are millions of these white people who need to be educated and lifted up and Christianized.

Bro. Black, of Ga.: I hope that I have that spirit of the Gospel that is large enough to embrace the whole world. I thank God that when Christ came on earth, he did not sit down in purple robes at Jerusalem, but went out and preached the Gospel to the poor.

Brother Ray of the Baptist Flag, wished to heartily endorse that part of the resolution recommending the expenditure of \$100,000 for the propagation of the work in the South and yet he thought the resolution ought not to be passed because it was a discrimination and a reflection upon the white people of the South, especially on those of Missions and Academies.

Brother James Lovings—There

is a power in our midst as yet undeveloped. That power is our own women. Our ladies from what I can hear are ready and will come forward nobly to the work, I therefore offer the following additional resolution as an amendment to those read by Dr. Burrows.

Resolved, That the Home Mission Board be and are hereby authorized and requested to appoint as early a day as possible under such rules as it may see fit to adopt, a competent woman, as the superintendent of woman's work for Home Missions; whose duty it shall be to visit the various cities in the bounds of the convention, organize societies where they do not exist, collect and disseminate information and in every way possible, stimulate and strengthen the work of women for Home Missions.

After a most urgent, stirring and forcible statement of this question by Bro. Levering the convention adjourned to reassemble at 2.30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Seventh church 2.30 p. m. Opened with singing hymn No. 623. Brother Stratton of Georgia, leading in prayer.

President Mell stated that the question before the convention was on resolution and amendment offered in relation to white people of the South.

Brother J. W. Jones of Virginia being entitled to the floor addressed the convention.

Brother Campbell, of Ga., offered an amendment to the amendment as follows, and spoke to it:

Resolved, That the Home Mission Board be further requested to appoint some suitable sister to collect and disseminate information in regard to the colored people of the South.

Question was called for and it was referred by vote to the Home Mission Board.

Dr. L. Burrows introduced statistical reports which are believed to be the most reliable obtained in late years. The advisability of printing these in minutes of the convention was referred to a committee consisting of J. B. Gambrill, H. M. Wharton, A. E. Owen, J. B. Richardson, L. Broadus, A. C. Briscoe, J. E. Chambliss, Redden Andrews, J. T. Slade, J. T. Christian, J. D. Jameson, J. T. Williams.

The report of Committee on Order of Business was adopted.

Dr. J. Lausing Burrows introduced the following resolution in reference to African Missions, and discussed the same:

Resolved, That the outpouring of God's Spirit upon our mission at Lagos bids us go forward in hope in our work in Africa, and the touching appeal for reinforcements should constrain us to send help promptly and as ample as possible.

Brother Howard, of Tennessee, took up the discussion and stated that the greatest enemy to Christianity in Africa is Mohammedanism. There are 180 millions of which number 100 millions are in Africa. All the principles and doctrines of this false religion are being zealously taught by the many students prepared for this work, for they know that if they lose Africa they lose all. Now is the time to give them the Gospel.

NIGHT SESSION.

The evening service was opened by singing of hymn "When I can read my titles clear." Prayer was offered by Rev. C. C. Bittling, D. D., who immediately introduced this resolution:

Resolved, That the good news from Bahija of many conversions cheers our hearts, and that this convention bids our brethren in Bahija, God-speed in the blessed work of giving to the land of the "Southern Cross" the glorious Gospel of the ever-blessed God.

At this point in the proceedings a resolution of sympathy with Dr. Geo. E. Taylor, of Italy, in the death of Mrs. Taylor, was adopted.

Dr. Eaton and Carry made touching allusions to the lamented Mrs. Taylor.

Dr. Curry said "Tears of sorrow will flow for one who ever endeared herself to the hearts of the people with whom she came in contact. Italy will be doubly dear to us because in its bosoms lies one who is dear to us and whom memory will ever hold dear."

Of the very choicest tobacco leaf-choicest because the firm can command it—is made Blackwell's Durham Long Cut. Gentlemen may regale themselves with a pipe or roll it into fragrant cigarettes. Either way it is the most luxurious of all tobaccos. Trade-mark of the Durham Bull.

CHAPPED HANDS, FACE, PIMPLES and rough skin, cured by using JOHNSON'S TAR SOAP, made by Cassell, Giddens & Co., New York.

Notwithstanding much has been said about the importance of a blood-purifying medicine, it may be possible that the matter has never seriously claimed your attention. Think of it now. If, by the use of a few bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla you avoid the evils of scrofula, and transmit a healthy constitution to your offspring, thank us for the suggestion.

"DON'T DIE IN THE HOUSE.
"Rough on Rats" clears out rats, mice, roaches, bed-bugs, flies, ants, moles, chipmunks, gophers. 15c.

Veni, Vidi, Vici—I came, I saw, I conquered—is adaptable to Allen's Biliary Physic. It quickly relieves constipation, piles, sick headache, etc. 25 cents. At all druggists.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, May 14, 6 P. M.

COTTON—New York futures steady; Spots steady. New Berne market quiet.

Sales of 8 bales at 10¢.

Middling, 10 5-8; Low Middling, 10 3-8; Good Ordinary, 9 5-8.

NEW YORK SPOTS.

Middling, 11 5-8; Low Middling, 11 5-10; Good Ordinary, 10 5-8.

FUTURES.

May, 11.63

June, 11.69

July, 11.79

August, 11.82

GORN—Quiet at 63a70c.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.

TAR—75c to \$1.00.

SEED COTTON—\$2.50a3.50.

COTTON SEED—\$13.50 per ton.

BEEHIVE—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—10c. per dozen.

PEANUTS—\$1.60a1.50 per bushel.

PODDER—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—50a75c. per bush.

WOOL—12a30c. 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—\$18.00; long clears 9a10c.; shoulders, dry salt, 8a9c.

MOLASSES and SYRUPS—20a45c.

SALT—5c. per sack.

FLOUR—\$4.00a7.50 per barrel.

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FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.

This land is especially valuable, containing a virgin forest of Oak, Ash, Pine, Maple, Poplar and Gum, while the soil is very fertile and peculiarly adapted to the successful cultivation of Cotton, Corn and Rice.

The tract contains 500 acres, more or less, and is situated at the head of Adams Creek, in Craven county, and distant from the Town of Newberne, in Craven county, about fourteen miles, and is easily accessible from Adams Creek or from the county road.

Terms easy, and a great bargain.

Apply to WATSON & STREET,

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1,500 YARDS BURLAPS, for covering Potato Barrels,

400 BUSHELS FINE OATS, for feed.

RICE, Etc.

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NEW BERNE, N. C.

Election of Teachers.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Trustees of New Berne Academy, notice is hereby given that an election of Principal and Teachers for the session of 188-3, of New Berne Graded School, will be held at the next regular meeting of the board, which takes place Friday, the 20th instant.

Applicants will correspond with the undersigned.

W. M. WATSON,
Sec. & Treas.

Notice Extraordinary.

WIZARD OIL, \$1.00.

St. Paul's Oil, 50 cts.

Wood's Pain Relief, 25 cts.

Salicylic Acid, \$1.00.

For sale at W. L. PALMER'S Drug Store, next door to the corner of South Front and Middle streets, New Berne, N. C., U. S. A.

ALSO, you can find cool and delicious Soda Water, Ginger Ale, and Deep Rock Water, to drink. Finest Cigars to smoke, and finest Tobacco to chew. BALLEE MICHAEL PIPES.

Yours for suffering humanity.

W. L. PALMER.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Eastern District of North Carolina, in the case of

John A. Henderson, her husband, vs. the Estate of John A. Henderson, deceased.

You are hereby notified to be and appear before the Hon. Augustus S. Seymour, Judge of the U. S. Dist. Court, sitting in Admiralty at his office in the City of New Berne, County of Craven and State of North Carolina, on Monday, the 19th day of May, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause,