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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.

Sun rises, 4:44 | Length of day,
Sun sets, 7:18 | 14 hours, 34 minutes.
Moon rises at 2:28 p. m.

The M. E. Church Working Society will meet to-night at the residence of Mr. J. A. Meadows.

Wurm's orchestra, of Atlanta, has arrived at the Atlanta Hotel at Morehead City, and they make elegant music.

The young men of New Berne are organizing a fire company. It is to be called the "Excelsior," and they now have forty members.

A fine sample of Irish potatoes at E. H. Meadows' drug store yesterday. They were from Mr. J. L. Rhem's farm, and one of them weighed twenty-seven ounces.

Mr. J. C. Kennedy gives notice that the committee on proxies of the stockholders of the A. & N. C. Railroad will meet at Morehead City on Wednesday, June 25th.

We call attention to the story, "Kate's Adventure." It seems to be a literary adventure and the writer exhibits the ability to become quite as proficient with the pen as Kate did with the oar.

We have received a package of the "Gaut Southern Prize Turnip" seed, grown for and for sale by J. H. Ennis, editor of N. C. Farmer, Raleigh, N. C. The variety originated in Wake county and is said to be the best turnip for the Southern States. Price per pound, post paid, \$1.50; on dozen papers or quarter of pound, 50 cents.

Reduced Rates.

Teachers attending Normal School will get reduced rates over N. & S. Railroad and steamers under their control by getting round trip tickets. Prof. Rayhill, teacher of elocution, will be present first half of session. Prof. Hinton teacher of penmanship.

Homeward Bound.

The firemen returned Thursday morning from Morehead about 2 o'clock and made things lively with their band serenading favorites until daylight. At nine o'clock the visiting companies took the homeward route and our citizens in large numbers, including many ladies, assembled at the depot to say good-bye.

The New York State Convention.

This body met at Saratoga on Wednesday and a permanent organization was effected at the night session. A series of resolutions were introduced and will probably be adopted as presented. They seem to avoid an expression of preference for either Cleveland or Flower; both names were received with applause wherever mentioned.

The prospect of a harmonious convention seems favorable and the delegation instructed to enter the Chicago Convention under the unit rule, act and vote as a unit in accordance with the will of a majority of said delegation.

The New Berne Silver Cornet Band.

This band, composed of our citizens, did excellent service during the festivities of the firemen's visit, and laying of the corner stone of the public school building.

The band not only did a full share in furnishing music, but also a liberal quota in the matter of hospitality. The members had a spread out of refreshments in their room for the visiting bands and took them as guests to the festival on Tuesday night and in every manner possible contributed to the comfort and enjoyment of their brethren from the sister cities of Wilmington and Goldsboro.

Railroad Matters.

Late yesterday afternoon Mr. J. H. Currie, one of the committee appointed at the late meeting at the Produce Exchange to raise a sufficient amount to pay for the proposed surveys, stated to us that the full amount of \$1,000 for the survey between this city and New River and this city and Fayetteville had been subscribed and that the work would be commenced at once.

It seems to be generally understood that this survey between Wilmington and New River is not to determine the feasibility of the proposed enterprise. That seems to be a settled fact, which no one doubts. The object is rather understood to be to ascertain the most desirable and economical route for the road.—W. Star.

Craven asks for two places on the State ticket—Lieut. Governor and Superintendent of Public Instruction. In the county convention the Democrats recommended Maj. John Hughes for the former and John S. Long for the latter place.—W. Star.

Craven merely recommends these gentlemen to the consideration of the State Convention. If one is nominated the county would not ask that the other be nominated. We think it prudent for

The Nominations at Weldon.

The delegates from this county, Maj. John Hughes, M. DeW. Stevenson and F. M. Simmons, and P. H. Pelletier, of Jones, returned yesterday evening from a trip to Weldon, where they went to attend a Democratic Convention of the 2nd Congressional district. The Convention was held and the work done before these delegates reached Weldon, though they left on the first train for that point on the day of the Convention. They justly feel aggrieved at the Convention having been called at the extreme end of the district, near the Virginia line, and the business rushed through before they could arrive, and if the Democratic party wants harmony, a thing that they will need in the coming campaign, they will call another Convention in the Second District immediately, at a more central point, and give the delegates time to get there before the Convention is opened.

The following nominations were made:

For Presidential elector; Don Gilliam, of Tarboro.

For Congress; F. A. Woodard, of Wilson.

Delegates to Chicago; Henry G. Williams, of Wilson, and Thos. L. Emery, of Halifax; Alternate, Mr. Barnes, of Wilson.

Of course Wilson will not press any one of her citizens for a position on the State ticket. Having pretty well filled the slate on the National ticket, she will give some of the other counties in the district a chance.

Now why should delegates be compelled to travel clear across the State, a distance of over one hundred and thirty miles, to reach the place of holding a Congressional Convention? When, where, and in what manner and for what purpose was this Convention called? The Democrats of Craven, of Jones and Greene held their primary meetings and duly appointed delegates to attend this Convention and they made an effort to get there in time, but owing to its having been selected at a point on the extreme edge of the district, just as far from them as it was possible to get, on a railroad, could not get there, and for this reason the Democrats of three counties were deprived of a voice in selecting candidates for whom they will be called upon to vote. Why was not the Convention held at a more central point? Wilson, Toisnot or Rocky Mount, for instance. Where was this thing fixed up anyhow?

Trickery in politics will not do. One party may try to trick another, but we warn the Democrats that their margin in North Carolina is too small to begin that business in their own ranks.

Mayor Hall.

"I have met the Mayor before," was the almost universal announcement from any and every one who was introduced to him while here. Well, this might be; the Mayor was with us at the railroad celebration in 1858 as captain of the crack company on that occasion, the Wilmington Light Infantry. Again in 1861 he was among us as major of Hall's Battalion, and assigned to duty in Hyde county in supreme command of that important section. Counting the militia actually in service his "battalion" was much larger than a division at a later period of the war. Then he was here as major of the immortal Seventh, and stood guard at the old Claremont bridge to see the boys all safely over after a hard contest with Gen. Burnside below. From that time, as colonel of the Forty-sixth Regiment, he was in Virginia, where occasionally he was seen by our boys.

In 1868, when the Republican party made the first effort to seize the State government by means of the ballot through manipulation too tedious and too odious to mention in this connection, Col. Hall was placed on the Conservative ticket for the position of Lieut. Governor, with the gallant Ashe for Governor. The Mayor was again with us, his tall, manly form erect, his stern but eloquent voice proclaiming from the rostrum, as the master of an imperilled ship from the quarter-deck; he called in the most encouraging tones for every man to stand by the post of duty and manfully maintain the dignity with which God had endowed him until the storm clouds of reconstruction be past and the hurricane of fanaticism should exhaust itself, and all would be well. Few men, if any, did more in that dark period of the State's history, to counsel with wisdom and encourage with truth, than Col. Edward D. Hall, of Wilmington. For these reasons, added to the fact that he is a most genial and courteous gentleman, it need not surprise our Wilmington neighbors to learn that we almost claim him as one of us, and that our citizens vie with them in the estimation of his sterling worth.

because we have some "old vets" on the case, and they were thinking of the bloody past.

The Mayor left yesterday for home, taking with him the good wishes of all our citizens and the earnest wish that he may come again and bring his jewels—the firemen—with him.

Personal.

Henry R. Bryan, Esq., has returned from Raleigh.

Miss Annie Leggett, who has been visiting friends in the city, leaves for her home in Wilmington this morning.

Pollockville Academy.

The closing exercises of Pollockville Male and Female Academy will be held on Wednesday, July 2d. The address will be delivered by Capt. W. T. R. Bell, A.M., of King's Mountain, who is well known in this section for his brilliant oratory. The managers are, T. S. Bender and W. M. Koonce; Marshals, A. Haskins and A. H. White. On Thursday an excursion party will be taken, by the steamer Trent, from the Academy to Rivardale, a few miles below this city. Thanks for an invitation.

Won the Prize.

By dispatches received in this city today, we learn that in the trial of steam fire engines at New Berne, this forenoon, the Little Giants, of this city, won the prize. The time occupied from the sounding of the gong until the horses were harnessed, steam gotten up and a scream thrown through 50 feet of hose, was 4 minutes and 28 seconds. We did not learn what were the competing companies, but they were probably the Atlantic, of New Berne, and the Eclipse, of Goldsboro.—W. Review.

Not exactly rightly stated. There was no harnessing of horses. Simply a trial of the quick steaming capacity of the "Little Giant" and "Elijah Ellis." The New Berne Fire companies will challenge the South on quick harnessing, and, "we'd bet on 'em."

There will be a meeting of the Excelsior Fire Company at the office of A. W. Wood to-night at 8 o'clock.

Davidson College.

This is commencement week at this old institution and it brings together a large number of the trustees of the College, and of the parents of the students. A fine address was made this morning by Dr. Carlisle, of South Carolina, containing much good advice to the young men who are soon to go out into the world and who are destined (as educated men) to exert a large influence on their fellow men. Over one thousand dollars have been expended by the College Improvement Society, in repairing and painting the buildings, and the appearance of the property is greatly improved. The College property is worth probably one hundred thousand dollars and the endowment now amounts to nearly as much more. The trustees are working hard to increase the endowment and efficiency of the College with a view of maintaining and increasing its former and present high standing.

La Grange Items.

The sound of the thresher and engine are heard in the land.

MoD. Taylor and family visited New Berne this week and returned Thursday.

Lovit Hines' new separator is said to be the fastest about here. Eighty bushels of wheat was threshed in one hour.

A small child of Austin Williams died at residence, in this township, a day or two ago. Also one of Robert Dawson's, in Institute township, died the first of the week.

Miss Lula Whitfield returned from Stanton, Va., and Miss Lillie Kirkpatrick from Salem, N. C., last week. Also Jeff Davis, from Trinity and Kirby Uzzell from the State University.

There is a singular coincidence between the three largest tax-listers in this township. Their taxable property has increased about three thousand dollars each in the last twelve months.

Politics are as quiet as every other thing is dull. No fights, not even a warm argument. What can the matter be? If after the State Convention things don't begin to stir up a little, we'll think the whole thing is Democratic or Radical.

Ice Cream and Banana Sherbet at Mrs. Dillingham's to-day.

Ice Cream and Soddy Cakes.

M. Shepard will be at your door this evening with his delicious Ice Cream and Soddy Cakes. Try them and you will be pleased. ma38 d1m

Call at Sarah Oxley's Ice Cream parlors, on Broad street, for a pure article of Ice Cream. ma39t4.

The need of merit for promoting personal aesthetics is due to J. C. Ayer & Co., whose incomparable Hair Vigor is a universal beautifier of the hair. Harmless, effective, agreeable, it has taken rank among the indispensable articles of the toilet. To scanty locks it gives luxuriance; and withered hair it clothes with the hue of youth.

If you, who delight in a soothing pipe, ask why Blackwell's Durham Long Cut is the most exquisite smoking tobacco in the world? The reply must be—there is art in preserving what nature bestows. The large capital of Blackwell & Co. privileges them to gather the cream of the leaf grown on the Golden Belt, and their immense storage facilities enable them to carry their choice selections of the best, which are

STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

Durham Recorder: Mr. Huff, formerly of Durham, but now of Atlanta, Ga., was arrested here last Friday on a charge of embezzlement. The authorities of Georgia sent for him Monday. We did not learn the facts in the case.

Lumberton Robesonian: Mr. Thad. Ivey, of Ashpole Institute, furnishes us the first cotton bloom of the season, plucked on the morning of the 16th inst. And in a characteristic note he says he has some of the finest and some of the poorest cotton in the county.

Asheville Daily Advance: Watermelons, peaches, apples, squash and cucumbers are plentiful in this market at present.—The prospects for big crops throughout Western North Carolina was never brighter at this season of the year. Wheat and rye are coming in heavy, and corn and all kinds of fruit and vegetables are looking well.

Durham Reporter: The Congressional canvass waxeth warm. The friends of each aspirant are doing their best.—Our new postoffice arrangement is a thing of beauty and a world of convenience.—Durham county will go nearly solid for Gen. Seales for Governor. At least seven-eighths will be for him.

—Once more upon the round of time that delightful fruit, watermelon, has appeared upon our market.

Wilmington Star: We learn that Mr. John Harris, who farms near this city, had cantaloupes in market on Monday, and that he expects to have melons in market by the first of next week.—Mr. O. H. Canady, corner of Sixth and Queen streets, killed a rattlesnake in his yard yesterday morning that measured two feet in length and had a rattle and a button. He was not very large, but dangerous.

Washington Watch-Tower: Edwardsville negroes are advocating the present county government. Very interesting.—Parties living along the river shore report an unusual scarcity of soft crabs this season.—We have heard of the death of a very estimable young lady, Miss Mary Tyre, of Bath, which took place rather suddenly a few days ago.—Mr. Jno. Smallwood sold the greater part of his Irish potatoes in the field at \$3 per barrel. He sold some for \$5.50 per barrel in New York. We understand the crop is better here this season than it is at New Berne. We are glad to see this departure from the old system of farming.

Asheboro Courier: Mr. J. C. Fuller, one of our most thrifty and progressive farmers, had a few days ago 200 bushels of corn three years old and 500 bushels two years old.

—The Chatham ladies have organized and are doing good Exposition work. Their example is a good one.—Mrs. B. B. Burns has placed upon our table a potato weighing 1 pound and 7 ounces. We challenge anybody to beat it.

—We are sorry to learn that Mr. Frank Steed, of New Market township, met with the misfortune of having his house and all that he had consumed by fire last Monday. The house was occupied at the time by a tenant who also lost his property. The fire occurred about 12 o'clock in the day when no one was at the house.

Raleigh Farmer and Mechanic: Capt. J. D. Newsome, who was a good soldier in the first company from the State to enter the war, showed us the other day a splendid sample of raw silk of his own raising. He had some 700 cocoons this year, and has 30,000 eggs ready for next year. The silk is a glossy yellow, and unwinds from the cocoon like yarn from a ball. Mr. Newsome constructed a small reel to wind the thread in hanks. It then sells for \$1.50 per pound.

—Col. F. A. Olds has the largest private collection of postage stamps probably to be found in the South. They include all the American stamps, and a great variety of foreign. There are \$200 worth of the American series alone, and some of them are a curiosity to Southern eyes. There were, for instance, certain stamps issued during the war that are two inches long and nearly as broad, in colors as various as the size. Few persons know that the President uses his own special stamp. The Departments each have a different style.

For constitutional or scrofulous catarrh, and for consumption induced by the scrofulous taint, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the true remedy. It has cured numerous cases. It will stop the numerous catarrhal discharges, and remove the scrofulous taint of the blood, which

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, June 19, 6 P. M.

COTTON—New York futures weak; Spots easy. New Berne market dull. No sales.

Middling, 10 7-16; Low Middling, 9 15-16; Good Ordinary, 9 7-16; NEW YORK SPOTS: Middling, 11 7-16; Low Middling, 10 15-16; Good Ordinary, 10 7-16.

FUTURES.

June, 11.28

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CORN—80 to 95c.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.

TAR—75c. to \$1.00.

SEED COTTON—\$3.50a3.50.

COTTON SEED—\$13.50 per ton.

ROSEWAX—35c. per lb.

HONEY—75c. per gallon.

BEER—On foot, 3c. to 7c.

COUNTRY HAMS—13 1-2c. per lb.

" LARD—13 1-2c. per lb.

EGGS—11c. per dozen.

FRESH PORK—7a8c. per pound.

PEANUTS—\$1.00a1.50 per bushel.

FODDER—80c. to \$1 per hundred.

ONIONS—\$3 per bbl.

FIELD PEAS—\$1.25a\$1.50 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.

TURKISH—50a75c. per bush.

WOOL—12a17c. 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, 8a8 1-2c.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.

SALT—95c. per sack.

FLOUR—\$4.00a7.50 per barrel.

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J. C. KENNEDY, Chairman Com.

WANTED—Ladies and young men to take nice pleasant work at their own home; \$3 to \$5 per day easily made; work sent by mail; no canvassing. Address F. RIDD & Co., Dubuque, Iowa. je191w

MARSHAL'S SALE.

By virtue of certain attachments duly issued from the United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, and by the order of the Judge, in certain suits wherein J. C. Gatling and others are libellants, and Wm. Carter and others are libellants, and in both of which the tugboat E. Henderson is defendant, and by virtue of the condemnation and order of the Court, I will, on

Monday, the 23d day of June, 1884, at TWELVE o'clock, M., at the place in the city of New Berne, County of Craven and State of North Carolina, where said vessel now lies, expose to sale for cash to the highest bidder the tugboat E. Henderson, her tackle, apparel and furniture.

J. B. HILL, U. S. Marshal, By TIMOTHY KEELER, U. S. Dept. Marshal.

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Pollock St., next door to Bank.

Cow Lost.

A RED COW with white face; swallow fork in each ear; holds her head very high.

A liberal reward will be paid to the person returning said cow to

June 1st J. W. MOORE.

B. Schedule B.

NOTICE.

All parties doing business as merchants or otherwise, upon all goods bought in or out of the State, or any others liable under Schedule "B," are required by law to list the same during the first TEN days in July. Persons failing to list within the time will be placed on the delinquent list and will be charged with double tax. I will be at my office to receive the same. Blanks furnished.

JOSEPH NELSON, Register of Deeds. jun10 d1m

Brick, Brick.

For sale in any quantity at prices to suit the times.

Brick have been examined by good Masons and pronounced first-class.

Samples can be seen at my store. Orders solicited.

June 2d w1f. K. R. JONES.

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