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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Minute Almanac.
Sun rises, 5:24 | Length of day,
Sun sets, 6:50 | 13 hours, 16 minutes.
Moon sets at 7:37 p. m.

The sprinkler was out yesterday.
Fresh fish! is the morning call now.
Regular meeting of New Berne Lodge No. 443, Knights of Honor, to-night.
"You kill my dog, I'll kill your cat," is about the political attitude just now.
The attacks on the character of Presidential candidates should stop: it will intimidate aspirants.
Political parties are hard up for issues when they have to resort to private scandals to sway the public mind.
Rev. A. McCullen, of the M. E. Church, is conducting a very interesting revival at Asbury in this county.
Robert Bonner, of the Ledger, has bought Maud S., of Mr. Vanderbilt, for \$40,000. She has made her mile in 2 9/10, the fastest time on record.
The worms are playing havoc with the grass and millet near the city. They have completely destroyed a fine patch of millet for Mr. J. L. Rhem.
About four Presidents will march to the White House in March; that is, according to the predictions of "gentlemen well informed in such matters."
Blaine has one thing to console him: if he is defeated for the Presidency and wins his libel suit he gets one year's salary, but if he should win both! good gracious!
Governor Cleveland don't wish to be his own successor, as President, but it is hardly fair to himself to decline now; four years of Washington City life may change his mind.
We hear that Col. Canady's mission to our city on Wednesday last was to harmonize the Hahn and Stimson factions of the Republican party, but made but little headway.
The steamer Kinston arrived yesterday with freight and passengers. Among the Passengers were Miss Lizzie Gaskins, of Pitt, Misses Mamie Wood and Fannie Carraway, of Monroe.
Prof. Daniels visited our new graded school building yesterday evening. He is of the opinion that we are getting a magnificent building for the price. To be sure it is not such a building as a wide awake western city would build; for instance in his own little town of Boise of 3500 inhabitants, they have erected a building which cost, including furniture and everything complete, \$105,000. Ours will cost less than ten thousand and with the old building will accommodate about seven hundred pupils.
Personal.
J. D. Sutton, the next Sheriff of Lenoir, is in the city.
Closing Exercises.
We are requested by Prof. Savage to announce that the closing exercises of the colored Normal and High school will be held at the Theatre to-night. Admission free.
Died.
David S. Ryan, jr., the son of the chief night operator of the Western Union, and himself a skillful telegrapher, died on Tuesday of typhoid fever. The funeral took place from the family residence, No. 2,415 O'Fallon street, a large number of the friends of the deceased being present. The beautiful floral tributes sent by the operators testified to the high regard in which Ryan was held. —St. Louis Republican.
That False Report of Drowning.
We learn from parties who were on the excursion party to Washington that the story in regard to the drowning of a portion of the party while out sailing was a heartless attempt by some one to excite and alarm the friends of the excursionists at home. There was an upsetting or something of the sort occurred, by which one or more boys were thrown into the river, but they were quickly in the boat again, and as it was near the town it was known to have been no such accident as was wired to Raleigh.
If the telegram was such as is reported to us, and directed as stated, it would appear to bear but one interpretation, and that would be, an attempt to alarm and distress a large number of persons, and a class very susceptible of excitement, by means and a manner highly censurable.
We hope the sender of the telegram may be able to explain the matter in some way that may relieve him of the imputation of malicious mischief, and the community of the suspicion of having treated these visitors in a manner quite different from the well-deserved reputation which the gallant little town has for generous hospitality.
It would be a callous community that could hear of the drowning of eight of its citizens unmoved, and it must be a bad man who would telegraph such news as a "sell."

The Jewelry Thief Caught.

Policeman Bowden returned from Goldsboro on the freight train yesterday with Tom Brimage, col., who is charged with stealing Mr. Cosby's jewelry on last Monday morning. He sold one of the watches to a gentleman near Tuscarora which has been recovered. He sold the set of jewelry to a lady near Tuscarora and the other gold watch in Kinston. Hearing that Brimage had gone to Goldsboro and that he had sold this watch at Tuscarora, Mr. Bowden boarded the train on Wednesday morning for Goldsboro. Arriving there he found, by diligent inquiry, that his man had gone to Wilmington on an excursion train. He returned to Kinston on the down mail and gained further information about his conduct while there, returning to Goldsboro on the up freight. About midnight the excursion train returned from Wilmington, and a while afterwards Mr. Bowden learned that Brimage had also returned. Early yesterday morning he began searching Goldsboro for his man and soon espied him walking down railroad street. Taking a train of cars on him he quickened his pace and got near enough to beckon a policeman who headed him off and he fell an easy prey to policeman Bowden. When asked by Mr. Bowden when he left New Berne, he replied: "last Saturday."
"What have you done with Mr. Cosby's jewelry?" asked Mr. Bowden.
"I have been in Goldsboro for three weeks, and can prove it," replied Brimage.
Since arriving at Craven street Hotel we understand he confesses having had the jewelry but says he bought it from some one else.

Just to Think.

Yesterday morning on "the corner" a debate arose about the day of the month. One said it was the 23d, another said it was the 21st. Argument ran into bets. \$5,000 was up that it was the 21st, no taker putting in an additional \$5,000, making \$10,000 was put up—but so high you could see it—and still the 23d man would neither give up nor put up. And finally a resort to the JOURNAL to prove the correct date was decided upon and the paper brought out. And just to think that in the whole history of the paper a mistake in the day of the month has never occurred before, and yet sure as taxes there it was August the 23d.

Now but few of our readers probably noticed it, and but few would have been inconvenienced by it, but just suppose that \$10,000 bet had been made, and suppose that mistake had caused a hitch in that bet?
Well, we think now we would as soon be Shoemaker's Indiana Sentinel with the libel suit and all the Blaines in Maine after us, as to have encountered these "betters."

Kinston Items.

The Kinston Iron Bridge Company have ratified the contract of their agent with our county commissioners, to build an iron bridge over Neuse river below Kinston. The bridge is to be completed by the first of next January.
The friends of J. C. Carter of La Grange claim that he received the nomination for the House of Representatives last Saturday, getting fifteen out of the thirty delegates. This claim is set up probably on the ground that "half a loaf" is enough for a legislator.
Jacob F. Parrott, Esq., our enterprising townsman, is having a bridge built over Neuse river at the foot of Caswell street in Kinston. Bridge builder Jefferys is in charge of its construction. When the bridge is completed Parrott's land will be at least two miles nearer the town.
It was anticipated that during the excitement in the convention last Saturday Capt. Pope would precipitate our mayor from the large window of the court house. The mayor, however, says if it had come to that he would have known how to make an easy fall, the Yankees having several years ago taught him to bounce and catch like a cat.
The Teachers' Institute, under the efficient management of Captain Bird, our county superintendent of public instruction, opened here last Monday with very flattering prospects. About fifty names, all experienced teachers in the common schools, were enrolled by Tuesday night. Teachers and visitors seemed to be highly pleased with the proceedings and anticipate much good to come to the cause of public education from these meetings. Miss Chadwick, of the New Berne graded school, gave some useful and interesting lessons in map-drawing to the Institute. John F. Wooten, Esq., of Kinston, delivered an interesting address before the school Tuesday night, showing the interest North Carolina has manifested in the cause of popular education since the days of Gov. Caswell, as well as the great progress made in this direction of late years. The push and interest Capt. Bird has brought to his work as county superintendent is now bringing out a class of superior teachers for our common schools, which must place them on a solid and useful basis.
Don't fill the system with quinine in the effort to prevent or cure Fever and Ague. Ayer's Ague Cure is a far more potent preventive and remedy, with the advantage of leaving in the body no poisons to produce dizziness, deafness, headache, and other disorders. The proprietors warrant it.

The Blaine Libel Suit.

The suit ordered by James G. Blaine against the Sentinel is an entertaining one. It is the first of the kind ever brought by a candidate for the Presidency. Its precipitation is extraordinary. The grounds on which it is brought are flimsy. The manner of its bringing makes it an attempted injunction—a threat by implication—against any printing by the press of the current scandal concerning his private life. A reading of the editorial sued upon shows that the charge of malice is ridiculous. The reports it referred to are not only common talk throughout the country, but have heretofore also been printed. The article really constituted but an inquiry. Does Mr. Blaine shrink from newspaper investigation in his private record? Was he sure when ordering the legal action that it would be determined before election day? Could he not have found a speedier way for proving the reports against him unfounded—if unfounded they be? The truth is, Mr. Blaine, under the mask of invoking the tardy processes of civil law by an action intended to deter the press from discussing his private life. He calls electricity to his aid to hurry the suit for frightening other papers from exposing him. It is a proceeding worthy of the man who stole the Mulligan letters.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Supposed to be Cholera.

CHICAGO, August 20.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Des Moines, Iowa, says: Cartell, a village of 250 inhabitants, in VanBuren county, is being scourged by a very fatal disease which is believed to be a violent type of grey or bloody flux, though some of the physicians pronounce it cholera. The disease comes on with cramps, succeeded by bloody discharges and spasms. Deaths are one in every four attacked. Thirty-two persons were sick Monday. Ten deaths had occurred. Three died Monday night, two children and one old lady. The disease has been increasing for the past two weeks. At Wilton, five miles west, one death had occurred which physicians ascribe to cholera. The neighborhood is not in the usual line of travel.

The Conspiracy in Mexico.

ST. LOUIS, August 20.—Late special advices from the City of Mexico to the Globe-Democrat say that the authorities deny that any conspirators have been shot. General Chavarra is to be sent to Yucatan. Extreme secrecy is maintained by the authorities regarding the trial and disposition of the prisoners. The Diario officially publishes the full revolutionary proclamation seized at Jordan's house. There are many strong points in it against the existing administration. The conspiracy had not sufficient backing to warrant an insurrection and could not have succeeded in any event for lack of men and money. The business situation is duller than ever before known here.

Dr. York Badly Taken Down.

In the discussion at King's creek on Tuesday, Dr. York had the wind completely taken out of his sails by a little Wilkes countryman. The "muleback" candidate was abusing Hendricks with all his power, pouring out vials of wrath and vituperation on the Indiana statesman, when a little Wilkes county Democrat back in the crowd asked him if he didn't vote for Hendricks in '76. York was completely non-plussed. At first he attempted to deny voting for him but after squirming and twisting said he "reckoned if Hendricks was on the ticket with Tilden he maybe voted for him." —Lenoir Chronicle.

GENERAL NEWS.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Aug. 20.—A Courier-Journal dispatch from Franklin says: The town marshal, Jesse Offut, was fatally shot yesterday by Henry Taylor. Taylor had been arrested for drunkenness by Offut. After the trial two men went to a store for cigars. While Offut's back was turned, Taylor shot him three times in the back. Taylor was arrested.
DETROIT, MICH., August 20.—In the Greenback State convention this morning, after a heated discussion, a resolution in favor of fusion was adopted. The platform adopted reaffirms the National platform. It commends Gen. Butler's letter as worthy of hearty endorsement at the polls; deprecates the condition of the manufacturing, mercantile, producing and laboring classes, which is attributed to the contraction of the volume of money and to excessive taxation.
BISMARCK, DAK., Aug. 20.—It has rained steadily and hard for twenty-four hours. The reports from the west show much damage. At Belfield, one hundred miles west, the crops were entirely destroyed by hail, and at Little Missouri, it is reported that eleven miles of railroad track were washed out. No hail fell at Bismarck, but a steady fall of rain. Harvesting is about finished and will be damaged but little.
PARIS, Aug. 20.—There were four deaths from cholera at Marseilles last night and one death at Toulon. The public health of the latter city has improved.
The report that cholera had appeared at Dunkerque, in the department of Du Nord, is denied.
BERLIN, Aug. 20.—The North German Gazette holds that the British government is responsible for the attempts which have been made to hamper and seal up the German colony at Anquy Pequina, and says it is displaying a spirit of mean unfriendliness towards a nation.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—A dispatch from Peking to the Times says that France has reduced the indemnity demanded of China to 200,000,000 francs. The French minister has been ordered to withdraw if payment is refused.
LONDON, Aug. 18.—The Mudir of Dongola has received a letter from Gen. Gordon dated Khartoum, July 20. He says he is safe and everything is tranquil, and asks for news of the expedition for his relief. He also says he intends to remain at Khartoum, harassing the rebels by steamers until the expedition arrives. Gordon gives warning that the Nile cataracts are very rapid and dangerous at present. He adds that the troops are well. Major Chermiside telegraphs that 3,000 rebels have deserted Osman Digma.
ADEN, Aug. 18.—The merchants have left Massowah, fearing that the Abyssinians will devastate Bogos, the district near the city.
GHENT, Aug. 18.—At a large meeting of Liberals, held here today, the government was severely denounced. The meeting was orderly throughout. The Mayor of the city prohibited the holding of a Catholic counter meeting, because it would tend to provoke strife.
BRUSSELS, Aug. 18.—At a meeting of the Liberal Federation, held here today, it was resolved to present a protest to the Chambers against the Education bill. If the bill is passed, the Federation will summon delegates from all parts of the country to assemble in Brussels and petition the King to veto the bill.
PARIS, Aug. 18.—La Liberte says that M. Patenotre, French Minister to China, is still negotiating with the Chinese Ministry, and that France will probably accept a smaller indemnity in exchange for further Chinese concessions. A treaty of commerce is a subject under consideration.
TOULON, Aug. 18.—All the naval officers on a furlough have been summoned in anticipation of war with China.
ALGIERS, Aug. 18.—The French steamer Rio Negro sailed hence today for Tonquin with 1,300 troops and a quantity of war material on board.
PARIS, Aug. 18.—A despatch has been received from Gen. Millot, which says: "I have published a proclamation to the people, coupled with an ultimatum regarding the Regent's pretensions. The French flag has been hoisted over the citadel at Hue, the capital of Annam."
DUBLIN, Aug. 18.—The medical commission appointed to investigate the question whether or not James French, one of the persons implicated in the Dublin scandals, was insane, unanimously report that he is a malinger, is shamming madness, and is quite capable of pleading for himself.
COBLENTZ, Aug. 18.—The two men who were recently arrested here while sketching the fortifications, and who are believed to be French officers, had in their possession numerous maps, sketches, and notes, together with cipher messages from the French Ministry of War relating to their mission.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 18.—Three more tribes have joined the Yemen rebellion. All available troops are being hurried forward to that point. The Sheikh Sharfudin, a descendant of the former Imamms of Senan (chief city of Yemen), is at the head of the revolt.
TROUVILLE, Aug. 18.—The Duc de Morny and several of his friends attempted to replace the statue of the Duke's father on its pedestal on Saturday night. The statue was removed at the fall of the empire. Gendarmes interfered, and the Duke's party retired.
MADRID, Aug. 18.—A terrible plague of locusts has visited central Spain. The damage to crops about Ciudad Real is placed at \$10,000,000.
PESTH, Aug. 18.—The military have been called to quell anti-Jewish riots at Parkany, a small town of Hungary.

NEWS FROM THE OLD WORLD.

WAR! WAR! WAR!
The greatest political war perhaps for the last century is now about to open, and that every Cleveland or Blaine man may take an active part in this great political fight, it is of great importance that he should commence at once to lay in his supplies of Groceries and Dry Goods at the Great Cheap Cash Store of HUMPNEY & HOWARD'S, that he may give the necessary time to achieve the greatest victory ever gained in these United States. The war has actually begun from the Presidential Chair down to the lowest county offices. Some may cry peace, peace, but there will be no peace until every man shoulders his pocket-book and goes down to the Great Cheap Cash Store of HUMPNEY & HOWARD'S, and buys a supply of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, etc. Sold at the lowest living prices. dw

Notice.
On account of running an excursion to Little Washington, the steamer Elm City will not make her trip to Hyde county until Thursday morning, Aug. 21, at 9 a. m.; returning, leaving Hyde county for New Berne Friday morning, Aug. 22 at 9 a. m.
RALPH GRAY, Agt.

Job Work.
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HANOVER, O., Feb. 13, 1884.
After having lung fever and pneumonia I had a dreadful cough and could not sleep at night. The doctors told me I had consumption and would die. I have taken six bottles of Piso's Cure and my cough is entirely gone, and I am well as ever.
EMELINE FORD.
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DIED.
In this city, Aug. 20th, 1884, Solomon H. Satterthwaite, aged 27 years.

WAR! WAR! WAR!

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