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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal Miniature Almanac.**  
Sun rises, 5:37 | Length of day,  
Sun sets, 6:19 | 12 hours, 42 minutes.  
Moon rises at 7:33 p. m.

Secretary Folger is dead.  
The Washington mail was behind time last night. Sick horse the cause.  
The general delivery at the postoffice will be open this morning from 9 to 10 o'clock.

Philemon Holland, jr., was at the Carteret convention and made an able address.

We are having some very fine weather now and expect to see new cotton rolling in soon. It will be gladly welcomed.

Mrs. A. T. Jenkins will open a private school at her residence. She has a fine reputation as an instructor. See card in another column.

U. S. Mace desires to return thanks to the fire department, citizens and officers and crew of the revenue cutter for valuable aid at the late fire.

Mr. Geo. Allen is getting his marl samples up in such pretty shape as to make one think he is in a drug store when looking at the different jars.

**Justice Hill's Court.**  
Justice E. G. Hill heard his first case under the new appointment yesterday. State vs. Benj. Brinson and Philip Wiggins; affray. Both guilty and each fined one dollar and cost.

**Gone Through to Morehead.**  
Judge Avery, Solicitor Galloway and W. W. Carraway, Esq., went through to Morehead last night. The Judge and Solicitor will return to Kinston and hold court on Monday. Capt. Carraway will stop over here on his return.

**Justice Watson's Court Room.**  
Justice Watson has fitted up a court room over the Rountree Bank and justice will be administered there hereafter. We heard a bass solo sounding there yesterday which was possibly a test of the acoustic qualities of the hall. Two civil cases have been turned out.

**Assigned.**  
We regret to learn that losses by the late fire has compelled Jas. W. Moore and Hugh J. Lovick to make assignments for the benefit of their creditors. The former to E. B. Hackburn and the latter to A. Lee.

Where the cause of assignment is so plain as it is in this instance, there will be doubtless nothing but the most liberal disposition evinced by their creditors.

**Personal.**  
Mr. Charles S. Bryan has returned to Princeton to resume his studies.  
J. L. Rhem, Esq., has just returned from a visit to Florida.

Mr. H. S. Gracie was in town yesterday; says he will begin to pick out cotton soon.

T. A. Green and lady, F. Ulrich and lady, returned from the North last night, hurried home by the late fire.

Dr. H. D. Harper arrived in the city last night, and will preach to-day at Stony Branch.

**Church Services To-day.**  
M. E. Church South—Services at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 3 o'clock p. m. Seats free. All cordially invited to attend.

Christ Church—V. W. Shields, Rector. Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity. Services at 11 a. m.—Holy Communion—and at 6 p. m. Sunday School at 5 p. m. The public are always invited to attend the services of this church.

Baptist Church—Rev. C. A. Jenkins, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 4 p. m. Seats free and the public cordially invited to attend.

**A Proper Move.**  
There is a move on foot by some of our citizens to raise a sum by subscription to buy the "Amoskeag engine," which is to be exchanged with the Button company, by the owners, for a new one. We think this a good move, for besides the necessity—or to put it a little milder, the propriety—of having three steamers for use in case of such conflagrations as that of our late fire, and such a one as it would have been with a southerly wind in its favor, there would seem to be a fitness of things in holding on to this faithful old servant that has done so much in the past for the protection of the city. We would not appeal to sentiment only in the matter; but in the light of the facts that another engine will be needed in the future, and that this one can be obtained upon favorable terms, we think should stimulate a generous action on the part of our citizens, and we have no doubt the company which has purchased it will meet the move on the part of our people with a generous liberality, and thus make it a matter of sound business principles as well.

## Grand Rally at Kinston.

The Democrats of Lenoir assembled en masse at Kinston yesterday and raised a Cleveland and Scales flag pole and had speeches from W. A. Darden, Esq., of Greene; Governor Jarvis and General W. P. Roberts. There was a large crowd and excellent order prevailed.

Capt. Darden led off with a speech of about half an hour on National politics, closing with an eloquent appeal to the Democrats to do their duty in this contest.

Governor Jarvis followed with a powerful and telling speech. Indeed, it was pronounced by many to be the best speech they had ever heard from the Governor or any other speaker on State politics. For one hour and a half the vast assemblage gave him their undivided attention, many of them standing in the hot sun, while he piled up the facts and figures in a forcible and convincing manner. There were many Republicans present and they gave him good attention.

Gen. Roberts followed in a brief speech and made a fine impression.

There were about one thousand present and we never saw a more orderly crowd.

The Governor, Gen. Roberts, and a few friends, left after the speaking on a special for Goldboro, stopping at La Grange, where the Governor put in another hour, from the platform of the car, of his solid facts and overwhelming arguments for the Democratic party.

**The Color Line.**  
We publish to-day the letter of E. Merrick, upon the subject of Esquire Hill's appointment. It is strongly colored in its tone, and even hints at the belief that his appointment by the Democratic Legislature of 1878 carries a taint with it even unto now, although he was appointed as a Republican. The complaint however is squarely made that he is white and for that reason should not have received the appointment.

**Meeting of Local Underwriters.**  
At a meeting of the Local Board of Underwriters, held on the 6th inst., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The late fire has fully demonstrated the necessity for having brick buildings in the business portions of our city, and

Whereas, Fires, such as that of the 5th inst., are seriously injurious to New Berne from an insurance standpoint, therefore be it

Resolved, By the agents doing business for the various fire insurance companies represented here, and representing, as we do, the insurance interest of New Berne, that we will not place any insurance upon any frame or corrugated iron building or upon the stocks that may be contained in such frame or corrugated iron building that may be hereafter erected in what is known as the "burnt district" on each side of Middle street, below South Front street.

Resolved, That the secretary be requested to furnish the foregoing to the JOURNAL for publication, and to the Board of City Council.

ROBERTS & HENDERSON,  
WATSON & STREET,  
W. G. BRINSON,  
J. S. LONG,  
GEO. ALLEN & CO.  
W. M. WATSON, Sec'y.

**Injustice to the Colored Voters of Craven County.**  
EDITOR JOURNAL:—The Probate Judge of Craven county, elected entirely by the colored voters of the county, has appointed E. G. Hill, Esq., Justice of the Peace in place of James Campbell to fill the vacancy, when he should have appointed some colored voter of this county who has given him the office for four or six years and not E. G. Hill who was appointed by the Democratic Legislature of 1878.

We, the colored voters of Craven county, ask the Judge who does he expect his election from in 1885, Mr. E. G. Hill, or the colored voters who have six or seven hundred majority in this county? The Judge must remember we all are not for sale at this juncture and he may expect to meet us in 1885, for we shall not stand this; we cannot be elected, and cannot be appointed by men we put in office.

We ask the Judge where is Dudley, Simons, James, Abbott, Crawford, Hussey, Harrell, Robbins, Oden, Mumford, Kennedy, York, Willis, Stron, and a host of others whom I might mention.

We ask the Judge why don't he appoint a Republican who is identified with the Republican party?

We will say more when necessary.  
E. MERRICK,  
5th warder.

P. S.—Mr. E. G. Hill will not support York for Governor. Mr. Hill is not a Republican by no means. We ask the Judge to appoint a Republican.

E. M.

**A Card.**  
We hereby return our thanks to the firemen and citizens of New Berne for timely assistance during the late fire near our store, on Middle street.  
HUMPHREY & HOWARD.

**The Blaine Scandal.**  
INDIANAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 5.—Blaine's attorneys have filed an answer, denying the truth of the defendants' allegations. The next step will probably be a demurrer to the interrogatories of the defense.

## NEWS FROM THE OLD WORLD.

**SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3.**—Advices by the steamer City of Tokio, which arrived to-day from Hong Kong, are to the effect that the German Government is calling in its subjects who are in the Chinese service. Lieut. Haginlever, instructor in the torpedo school at Wei-Hae-Wei, on the northwestern coast of the province of Chang-Tong, has been ordered to resign. The English employees of the Chinese fleet have resigned.

**DUBLIN, Sept. 3.**—The London correspondent of the Public Express asserts that Gen. Lord Wolseley was so impressed by an interview with Mr. Henry M. Stanley that he immediately offered the famous explorer an appointment in connection with his staff. Mr. Stanley asked if such an appointment implied employment in the Queen's service, and Gen. Wolseley assured him that it did. Mr. Stanley thereupon obtained permission from the King of Belgium, President of the African International Association, to accept the new honor, and will start immediately for Egypt.

**LONDON, Sept. 3.**—An English official who has been connected for many years with the consular service in China, and has just returned to Europe, says that the rank and file of the Chinese army are not soldiers in any sense of the term. They are simply coolies dressed in uniform. They are not capable of understanding the first rudiments of drill or of military evolutions. Their only ideas of discipline are comprised in a slavish subjection to their officers, who are, in many cases, almost as ignorant and degraded as the men. The army exists almost entirely on paper, and when orders were received from the Pekin Government for the massing of troops on the southern frontier and coast, the provincial authorities had no troops to send. In this dilemma they simply drafted a horde of coolies, disguised them as soldiers, and then reported that the required number of troops had been put in the field. This accounts, to a large extent, for the shameful inefficiency in which the artillery of the Woo-Sung forts was handled during the attacks by Admiral Courbet. When the governor of the forts gave orders for the soldiers to prepare for action, the men replied that their duty was to clean the guns, and not to fight. On one of the Chinese war ships the soldiers were so awkward in handling the ammunition as to cause a shell to explode on deck, tearing away the bows of the vessel and killing several men. After that occurrence the sailors could not be prevailed upon to sight a cannon, or, indeed, to approach one after it was loaded. The government at Pekin is also constantly sending absurd and contradictory orders, which, added to the incompetence of the officers and men, cause fearful blunders and terrible scenes of confusion.

**ROME, Sept. 3.**—Between sunset on Monday and sunrise this morning there have been 120 cases of cholera in Naples. From midnight Sunday to noon Tuesday there were 94 fresh cases and 50 deaths, and on Tuesday 72 fresh cases and 32 deaths. The epidemic is spreading to the adjacent districts. At La Spezia there were 39 fresh cases and 13 deaths yesterday. The lower quarters of Naples are filthy from defective drainage.

**Notes from Kinston.**  
EDITOR JOURNAL:—Once more the streets of our little city present a lively appearance. The schools have opened, and bright faces and fluttering muslin attract the attention of the passer-by. Old bachelors and widowers are washing their bugies and greasing the wheels for afternoon drives. Merchants are arranging store windows to catch the eyes of the school children.

Cotton pickers are at work and housekeepers are hawking for books.

Scuppernongs are coming in and quinine is in demand.

Kinston College has ninety-seven pupils for first week.

The graded school has a most excellent superintendent in the person of Prof. Goodwin. His corps of teachers is strong and able.

Prof. Thomas R. Rouse, of La Grange, is the new teacher of mathematics at the College. Wonder if so many bright eyes and pretty faces in his classes will affect his mind. Watch out, Professor, girls are very cunning.

The next meeting of the Lenoir county Teachers' Association will be held in the chapel of Kinston College Saturday, September 13th, 10:30 a. m. Public invited.

A friend of Major Carraway's here, says he would like to see the Major again. He has several "lies to swap with him."

Yours,  
THE BATHER.

**Wanted.**  
A second hand copying press. Apply immediately at this office.

## Honors for the Savants.

**MONTREAL, Sept. 3.**—The first meeting of the British Association in the New World has come to an end. This was Thanksgiving day of the savants. After a few papers had been read in two or three of the sections which did not complete their work yesterday, the members of the association and a great throng of citizens assembled in Queen's Hall to wind up the meeting. Many of the visitors sat upon the stage, and others, who could not find room there, retreated to the two small galleries above it. Among those who sat in one of the galleries was the handsome young Prof. Sylvanus G. Thompson. He smiled even more charmingly than when he was elucidating the mysteries of electricity; but, although his face was toward the audience, it would be unscientific to affirm, in the absence of positive evidence, that he was smiling at the young ladies. It may be safely asserted, however, that some of them were smiling at him.

Among the famous men upon the stage were Sir Richard Temple, a little man, with a remarkably large nose and a wonderful grizzled moustache and imperial of Louis Napoleon style; Admiral Ommamey, a little old man, wearing yellow leather shoes; Sir Frederick Bramwell, a very large man, whose face resembles that of Dr. John Hall, and whose silky hair falls naturally into the shape of a powdered wig, giving him the appearance of a gentleman of the real old school; and the Earl of Rosse, with his untrimmed whiskers and his beak-shaped nose, which seems to be always on the point of taking a step upward and taking his upper lip with it.

Principal Dawson of McGill announced that that institution had decided, in honor of the meeting of the British Association, to bestow the degree of LL. D. upon Lord Rayleigh, the Marquis of Lansdowne, Sir John Macdonald, Sir Lyon Playfair, Prof. Frankland, Capt. Douglas Dalton, Vernon Harcourt, Esq., Sir Henry Roscoe, Sir Thos. Bonney, Sir William Thompson, W. T. Blanford, Esq., Prof. Moseley, Gen. Lefroy, Sir Richard Temple, Sir Frederick Bramwell, E. V. Tyler, Esq., Prof. Aaa Gray, Prof. James Hall, and Prof. Daniel Wilson. The Marquis of Lansdowne and Sir John A. Macdonald were not present. Most of the others walked forward as their names were called and received their diplomas and the applause of the audience. Lord Rayleigh then announced that the association had decided to raise money for a medal to be won by students of applied science in McGill College.

Resolutions were successively presented, applauded, and adopted, returning the thanks of the association to the government of Canada, to McGill College, to the city and citizens of Montreal, to the local committees, to the various institutions which showed favors to the savants, to the railroad, steamboat and telegraph companies who reduced rates and sometimes abolished charges altogether for the benefit of the savants, and, finally, to the newspapers. There was also a resolution of thanks to the President, Lord Rayleigh, which was received with long-continued applause.

Lord Rayleigh, who is a handsome man when he sits down, although the tip of his nose has been growing red since he has been in Montreal, does not present a graceful appearance when he stands before an audience. He crams one hand into his pocket, crosses his legs, and accomplishes the feat of standing on one foot and one toe, and takes many other undignified and ungraceful postures. He has the British drawl to perfection, and speaks in the most slovenly manner. To-day, when he arose to return thanks for the honor done him, these peculiarities appeared in a most striking light. Nevertheless, he is a famous savant, and he was greeted with round after round of applause.

The most talking speech made to-day was that of Prof. R. S. Bell, the jolly looking Astronomer Royal of Ireland. He is rotund and rosy, and looks like a well-fed and well-contented Irish-American Alderman. He was the only one of the savants to make public acknowledgments of the fact that he had been admiring the pretty girls of Montreal, and that his imagination had been fired by descriptions of the delights of tobogganing and showboating. He said when the British Association came to Canada again he hoped it would be in the winter time, when those sports were at their height, and that the citizens of Montreal would build a magnificent palace for its meetings.

Several references were made in the addresses to the drawing together in closer bonds of union of Canada and Great Britain, and Sir Lyon Playfair was loudly applauded when he declared that he believed in the political federation of Great Britain on the other side of the Atlantic and Great Britain on this side.

A resolution was passed expressing the sympathy of the association with a plan for founding a free public library in Montreal and the savants, on the suggestion of Prof. Boyd Dawkins, promised to give the new library a start by presenting it with copies of their writings.

To-morrow the savants will scatter in all directions, some going to Toronto, the Rocky Mountains, and the Yellowstone valley, and others, whose appetite for pure science is yet unsatisfied, taking a special train for Philadelphia to attend the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. All agree that the meeting here has been a success, and all are glad that they came. Montreal will not soon forget the wise men from Britain.

Holmes' Sure Cure Mouth Wash and Dentifrice is an infallible cure for Ulcerated Throat, Bleeding Gums, Sore Mouth and Ulcers. Cleans the Teeth and keeps the Gums healthy and purifies the breath. Prepared solely by Drs. J. P. & W. R. HOLMES, Dentists, 102 Mulberry street, Macon Georgia. For sale by R. N. Duffy, New Berne, N. C., and all Druggists and Dentists.

## Kinston Items.

W. D. Pollock and Frank M. Harper, of Kinston, are students at Chapel Hill. James A. McDaniel, of this place, has entered Wake Forest College as a student.

Willie F. Lewis, a graduate of Kinston College, is bookkeeping at Danville, Virginia.

This town is full of little boys, smoking cigars and cigarettes, on their "primrose way to the everlasting bonfire."

The opening of Kinston College and the Graded School has filled the town with girls and young ladies—some dressed in "Mother Hubbards," others in the perfection of Parisian art. The scene is "gay and lively still."

Henry Archbell, who has for some while supplied a "want long felt" by keeping a first-class baking and candy manufacturing house, has just added a dining saloon to his establishment, where one can get a good "square meal" at any hour, with a nice young lady to "say grace," if he should be too great a sinner to attempt it himself. A rising young member of the Kinston bar, who knows a good thing when he finds it and knows too where to find it, takes his meals there.

The Free Press denies our statement that John F. Wooten was tendered the nomination for the Legislature and declined before Mr. Grainger was nominated. It is a little strange that Mr. Wooten should, as he did, arise in the convention and decline a nomination, if it had not been offered to him. Justice should be done to Mr. Wooten as well as to others; but we confess our ignorance of the workings of the Democratic managers of Lenoir.

## La Grange Items.

Sim. Wooten left for Baltimore Tuesday.

Hy. E. Dillon returned from his northern trip Wednesday.

Four weeks since any rain to do any good. It will seriously hurt the crops.

W. S. Uzell, who has been quite sick, is, we are glad to say, improving.

Prof. Starke and Walker, instructors in Davis High School, arrived this week.

Allen, oldest son of J. S. Wooten, is very sick, and at last hearing was not improving.

Sutton & Walters are giving their first bale of new cotton to-day (Friday). Capt. McIntyre ginned one also to-day.

James Measley's mules, running down Caswell street and back again, yesterday, made it lively for awhile. The wagon was broken up.

The protracted meeting at Lenoir Institute has resulted in nine accessions and about twelve professions up to Thursday night. The meetings continue.

Our Collegiate Institute opened Monday with near fifty pupils, and others expected next week. Capt. Davis opened Thursday, with what number I have not learned.

Our merchants are receiving their fall stock of goods. The present outlook for the fall trade is not favorable about here, but the price of cotton may come to the relief of farmers.

W. P. Williamson and Donald Gilliam, the Republican and Democratic electors for this district, will address the people here on Thursday, the 25th instant. Give them a rousing attendance.

Dr. Hadley has a fine field of twenty acres of rice. It appears to be doing very well considering the dry weather. A stalk five and a half feet with a head ten or twelve inches was cut from the field to-day. Many of the grains in the head were nearly grown.

**Democratic Convention in Carteret.**  
Carteret county Democratic convention met in the court house at Beaufort on Friday morning, September 5th, at 12 o'clock.

The convention was called to order by David Pearce, Esq.

Dr. M. F. Arendal was made temporary chairman and L. A. Potter, secretary.

A committee of one from each township were appointed on credentials. Also one from each township on permanent organization.

While the committees were out preparing their reports the convention and all present were well entertained by able speeches by Dr. Arendal, Thos. L. Hall, P. Holland, jr., of New Berne, W. B. Colburn and L. A. Potter.

Committee on credentials made their report that all the townships, with one or two exceptions, were represented. Report adopted.

Committee on permanent organization reported Dr. M. F. Arendal chairman and L. A. Potter and Ralph Howland secretaries.

The chair then announced nominations in order.

On motion, the vote be taken by townships and a majority elects. The following ticket was nominated:

Coroner, T. C. Davis.  
Surveyor, V. B. Salter.  
For Register of Deeds, John Rumly was nominated by acclamation.  
For Superior Court Clerk, J. D. Davis was nominated by acclamation.  
For Sheriff, Jno. Russell.  
For Treasurer, Thos. Thomas.  
For House of Representatives, A. H. Chadwick, Esq., was nominated

## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Sept. 6 P. M.  
COTTON—New York futures closed dull; Spots steady. Uplands 10 7-8; Orleans 11 1-8.

**FUTURES.**  
September, 10.90  
October, 10.45  
November, 10.35  
December, 10.41

**DOMESTIC MARKET.**  
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.  
TAR—75c to \$1.00.  
COIN—75c5c.  
SEED COTTON—\$2.50a3.50.  
COTTON SEED—\$13.50 per ton.  
BEESWAX—25c. per lb.  
HONEY—60c. per gallon.  
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.  
COUNTRY HAMS—13c. per lb.  
LARD—13c. per lb.  
EGGS—15c. per dozen.  
FRESH POULTRY—7a8c. per pound.  
PEANUTS—\$1.00a1.50 per bushel.  
POUNDER—80c. to \$1 per hundred.  
ONIONS—\$1.50a3.00 per bbl.  
FIELD PEAS—  
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green, 5c.  
TALLOW—6c. per lb.  
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 30a30c.

MEAL—85c. per bushel.  
GRAPES—Scuppernongs, \$1.00a1.25.  
OATS—55 cts. per bushel.  
APPLES—50c5a1.00 per bush.  
PEACHES—50a60c. per bush.  
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a60c.  
TURNIPS—  
WOOL—12a17c. per pound.  
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building 5 inch hearts, \$3.00; saws, \$1.50 per M.

**WHOLESALE PRICES.**  
NEW MESS PORK—\$19.00.  
L. C. F. BACKS, AND BELLIES—10a10 1/2c.  
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 8c.; prime, 8 1/2c.  
SMOKED JOLLS—5c.  
LARD—2a9 1/2c.  
SUGAR—5a8c.  
FLOUR—\$3.25a7.00.  
SALT—90c. a \$1.90 per sack.  
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.

**Private School.**  
MRS. A. T. JERKINS will resume the duties of her school at her residence on Johnston street, on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, and respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage. 871w

**CITY ORDINANCE.**  
Be it ordained, That the portion of the city lying east of Hancock street and south of Broad street, shall be known as the fire district of the city of New Berne, N. C., and any person or persons who shall erect or cause to be erected, or attempt to erect any building or shall erect or attempt to erect or cause to be erected, any ell or addition to any building now erected within said district described as aforesaid without the consent of the City Council, by resolution of said body granting said permit, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be fined fifty (\$50) dollars or imprisoned thirty days and each day said building, ell or addition shall so stand or remain in the course of erection shall be a violation of this ordinance.  
JOHN H. BELL, Clerk.

**Notice.**  
There will be a Special Meeting of the Commissioners of Craven county, at the Court House in New Berne, on SATURDAY, September 13th, at 11 o'clock.  
JAS. A. BRYAN,  
Chairman.

**WARRANTED.**  
Hancock's Chill Pills,  
TO CURE  
Any Kind of Chills or Fever.  
For sale by all Druggists at 50 cents per box. TRY THEM.

**CENTRAL HOTEL BAR**  
AND  
**BILLIARD ROOM.**  
EVERYTHING FIRST CLASS.  
Capt. SAM B. WATERS, Prop'r.  
Rear Entrance from the Hotel,  
Middle St., New Berne, N. C.

**Wanted,**  
KEROSENE OIL BILLS, at Eighty-five cents.  
COTTON SEED and SEED COTTON at the highest market price.  
I will contract to gin cotton at Thirty Cents per Hundred.  
A. R. DENNISON.

**New Precinct.**  
MEETING BOARD COMMISSIONERS, CRAVEN COUNTY, Sept. 2d, 1884.  
Ordered, That a new voting precinct be established at Dover Station on the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, No. 3 Township. Order passed Sept. 2d, 1884.  
JOSEPH NELSON,  
sepdwlm Clerk Board Commissioners.