

LOCAL NEWS. The Graded School.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. DR. SLOVER-School. A. W. WOOD-To cotton growers. W. H. OLIVER-For rent. C. E. Foy & Co. -For sale.

Journal Miniature Almanac. Sun rises, 5:39 | Length of day. Sun sets, 6:14 | 12 hours, 85 minutes. Moon rises at 9:54 p. m.

Regular meeting of St. John's Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M . to-night.

Mr. Samuel Parsons has moved his sail loft to the building adjoining the burnt iron building.

Geo. Allen & Co. are now burning a kiln of 160,000 brick and will be ready to deliver in a few days.

Mr. J. F. Clark is collecting brick on his burnt lot for a brick store. This is plucky for a man who had no insurance.

Capt. Hancock brought the first car load of new cotton of the season over the A. & N. C. Railroad on Tuesday. It was from Smithfield.

The Cleveland & Scales Club meet tonight in the store on Pollock street between M. Prag and Geo. Allen & Co 8 o'clock is the hour and every member is requested to be on hand.

The Republicans make slight gains in from the surrounding country and build Maine over the vote in 1880. It will be remembered that a fusion of the Democrats and Greenbackers defeated the Republicans in that year.

Among the attractions of our city is B. A. Bell's jewelry store, which has recently been thoroughly refitted and is pronounced by travelers in the trade the handsomest jewelry store in the State.

Miss Mary C. Roberts will open a Kindergarten School. Her qualifications are of a high order and no doubt will advance her pupils to the satisfaction of her patrons. See card in another column.

Quite an excitement in front of the JONRNAL office yesterday when a colered his senses somewhat he went home to daddy convinced that the street was not a safe play ground."

Bill Arp's Oats.

which we publish for the purpose of Long gives his time, free of charge, to an absolutely certain way of wasting it. which we publish for the purpose of sending "Bill Arp" a copy, whose ad-dress, we believe, is Atlanta, Ga. We No man would devote so much time to a

. The primary department of the school will occupy the old academy during the

coming year, and the primary grades will begin work on next Monday morning, Sept. 15th, at half past eight o'clock. The school bell will ring at eight o'clock. The following is a list of the books used in the primary department:

First Grade .- Lippincott's 1st reader, slate and pencil.

Adv. First Grade.-Barnes' first reader, slate and pencil, White's drawing. Second Grade.—Lippincott's second

reader, slate and pencil, White's draw-

ing. Third Grade.-Lippincott's third reader, slate and pencil, Sanford's Int. arithmetic, graded singer. No. 1, White's drawing.

Dr. Slover's School.

We are pleased to announce elsewhere that Dr. Geo. Slover will open his school this fall as a day school. For the last as a night school in which many of our his positions and arguments in this mat young men who are employed during ter. He is mistaken even if he considthe day have had an opportunity to pursue their studies. New Berne really needs a permanent high school and Doctor Slover is the man to give it to us. By properly advertising the advantages of New Berne, as a healthy city and cheap boarding place, he will draw

up one of the finest institutions in Eastern Carolina. He proposes to add a military department after awhile.

The Public Schools.

We publish elsewhere a reply of John S. Long, county superintendent of public instruction, to the inquiry of Mr. Jas. F. Heath. We like to see our country people taking an interest in the question, though they may be wrong in their notions about when the schools should be taught. The time set apart by the county board of education for the opening of the schools is, in our judgment, the best that can be done. Mr.

Long is endeavoring to carry out the law so as to make the small pittance of ored man driving a buggy past ran over money appropriated for that purpose ac. a little negro boy, who alarmed the complish as much good as possible. The neighborhood by squalling "take me law requires teachers to appear home to daddy." As soon as he recov. before the examiner on certain days to be examined, and if they are required to pay the examiner

for his time. But few teachers appear We have received the following letter on the days required by law, yet Mr. the crop and the picking out of cotton is hope "Mr. 'Arp" will give the desired cause if he did not earnestly desire to that the superintendent should be ready

Public Schools. EDITOR JOURNAL :-- Although I have not the time nor disposition to write newspaper articles on "American Liberty," or any other similar subject, this meeting furnish and append to and keeps the Gums healthy and puriyet it is my pleasure as well as my duty to furnish information and assistance to the people of Craven, whenever I can, in reference to the public schools. When elected superintendent, the public schools of this county were at a low ebb. We had only three or four school ebb. We had only three or four school houses, and they were in a wretched condition; we had scarcely a dozen competent teachers, white and colored; the schools were operated without sys-tem or purpose, and wide-spread disor-ganization and discontent existed. ganization and discontent existed. Now we have over thirty comfortable new school houses belonging to the county, more good teachers than we can employ, and our public schools are hon-ored throughout the country. What is the explanation of all this? Simply

that we have tried carefully to super vise the schools, have run them accord ing to law, and have introduced system in their management everywhere. Mr. James F. Heath is an intelligent, well one or two sessions he has conducted it meaning citizen, but he is mistaken in ered only his own neighborhood, but if he considers the interest of the whole county he is wrong all the way. The school law says that the schools shall begin on the same day as far as practicable. What does the word practicable mean? Has it any reference to the convenience or preference of any particular neighborhood ? If it does, the law makers have employed the wrong word. In considering the practicability of a by his friends to the office of Clerk of thing, we are simply determining the County Court which position he whether it is possible. Is it possible to held until after the war. He was also run all the schools of Craven together? elected one of the commissioners of our Why not? In one month from the first Monday in December, namely the first Monday in January, the school money is all in and apportioned, the teachers have all passed their examination, the superintendent's report on the last year has gone forward to Raleigh, and we are all fully at work. Mr. Heath speaks of the bad weather of the winter months. Does he not know that the universal schools of civilization are run and many who have been cast into in those months, in cities, towns, vil- prisons during the reconstruction times lages and country places, while the and were released by his aid-in fact it summer months are everywhere, on may be said of him he was a friend to account of the heat, considered unfit for every one, every one was his friend. study and are set apart for recreation ? Mr. Heath speaks of American liberty being overthrown and the public school money being wasted by teaching school in the winter. If that is the case, there is not much American liberty, whatever that may be, left in this country now for the whole nation will be filled with winter schools. And as for the money. from the first of December to the last of they appear at any other time March are the only four successive school months, we can find when the money will not be wasted. To run short schools between the laying by of

is improving. J. E. & J. E. Sutton have opened a stock of groceries at the gin house in Bucklesberry. The first bale of new cotton of the wight th chools at any tin from the is another mistake into which he has last Friday by Robt. Williams to Sim. fallen. The superintendent of Craven Wooten for 10 cents. examined last year about 80 teachers. Rev. I. J. Taylor preached at the Coland this year he is likely to have to legiate Institute building last Saturday examine 100. Besides he has other im-portant duties which require his atten-tion. Now if each school neighborhood and Sunday. We learn that the Primi-tive Baptists will hold their monthly meetings at that place till their house of in Craven will consider itself only a worship is completed. fractional part of the whole county, and Rev. J. D. Carpenter is conducting a will consider that other neighborhoods protracted meeting at Piney Grove in have claims as well as itself, everything Wayne county, with encouraging pros-pects. Rev. J. N. Andrews is expected to assist. Mr. Carpenter will, D. V., will be well. Above all, if any school district, as several are already doing, bad thing. Some people ought to paste will run private schools, where the this in their hats for remembrance. children can be induced to attend, for preach at Hickory Grove on the third Sunday in this month, September, at 3:30 o'clock p. m. The community is the two or three months before the public schools begin, we shall have in-creased educational prosperity throughinvited. Report of the National Cotton Exout the country. change September 1st, 1884, has this to say of the cotton crop: "The month of To sum up in a few words. If Mr. Heath is allowed to start his school whenever he pleases, every neighbor-hood will do the same thing, and we August has proven unfavorable for the cotton crop and the condition has deteshall soon have only confusion in the riorated, being now 80, against 87 for July, 85 for June and 84 for May." county. If Mr. Heath can stop his school at the end of two months, and this section we have had no rain for then after the lapse of six months start near five weeks; the crop is suffering it and run it two months more, every-body else can do the same thing, and the very badly and cannot make near an Capt. Quick addressed the Cleveland body else can do the same thing, and the and Scales Club last Saturday night. money will be useless for education, as average one. Rice is, or will be near a failure, and we hear that the drought is The Captain pushed the virtues of the no child can learn by such a process. laboring man and advised the Democ- There must be system, and some one to now seriously injuring the crop of pea-There must be system, and some one to enforce system, whether the board of education or the superintendent, and the public schools of Craven will be nuts. The Cleveland and Scales Club of this place did not meet last Friday, as anneunced, for want of a quorum. A meeting is now called for next Satur-day evening at 8 o'clock, and we earn-

Pearsall addressed the meeting in feel-Holmes' Sure Cure Mouth Wash and ing and appropriate speeches. On metion of E. R. Page, it was unan-imously resolved that the Secretary of Dentifrice is an infallible cure for Ulcerated Sore Throat, Bleeding Gums, Sore Mouth and Ulcers. Cleans the Teeth

these proceedings a brief biography of the life of the decensed. decensed. Drs. J. P. & W. R. HOLMES, Dentists, DIS. J. P. & W. R. HOLMES, Dentists, proceedings of this meeting be sent to the New Berne JOURNAL for publication, and that the Goldsboro Messenger and Transcript be requested to conv

Transcript be requested to copy. Smon E. KOONCE, Chm'n.

JAS. B. STANLY, Sec'ty. The secretary desires to state that he out the malarial poison which induces has been intimately acquainted with the deceased for nearly half a century and has often heard him speak of his liver complaints and bilious disorders. Warranted to cure, or money refunded. early life. Col. Askew was born in Trenton in the same house in which he died, April 18th, 1812, His father's name was Zadock Askew and was a hatter by trade, who died when Col. Askew was quite a small boy, leaving a wife and two or three children with dull; Spots quiet. Uplands 10 7-8; very limited means to procure a living and consequently he had but very little advantage of obtaining an education. At his 20th birthday his mother ap-prenticed him to learn the chair or gig November, making trade, as it was called in that day. He served faithfully his allotted time and at night would prepare his

lightwood and study his books. When he was 22 years old he started a workshop of his own in Trenton and carried it on for several years in a very successful manner.

During the year 1848 he was appointed Postmaster at Trenton which position he held until 1858 when he resigned the office of Postmaster, having been chosen county and served one term as chairman. In fact Col. Askew has been serving the county of Jones with his pen and counsel for the last 44 years. I had forgotten to state in its proper place that he represented the 9th Senatorial district in the Legislature of 1876-'77. Col. Askew was a kind husband and indulgent father, a good friend as many who have been in distress can certify

La Grange Items.

Mrs. Burress died on E. M. Herring's lace last Sunday.

Gen. John Whitehead, of Raleigh. was in town Monday.

Rev. Mr. Isler preached here last Sunday, his regular appointment.

Mrs. Eason died on G. W. Best's place in Wayne county last Saturday.

be a member of the Club and ready for

Gov. Jarvis gave the citizens of this

Important Notice.

We are glad to learn that Freddie, the little son of our townsman McD. Taylor,

Notice.

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

sep61w Chairman.

WARRANTED.

Hancock's Chill Pills, Ayer's Ague Cure acts directly on the liver and biliary apparatus, and drives 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, seadly Middle St., New Berne, N. 6.

Wanted,

KEROSENE OIL BBLS, 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.

sep3 dtf A. R. DENNISON.

NOTICE! BARGAINS!

In order to change my business. I will offer for sale privately, for the Next Thirty Days, my Entire Stock of

LIQUORS, BAR FIXTURES. POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES, Etc. POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES. Etc. Remember the Fall Trade is approaching, and this is a rare chance, as I will sell at a great sacrifice. Will rent or lease. Will sell for cash or endorsed paper. Call on or address the Proprietor, Call on or address the Proprietor, M. M. CLEMENTS, Central Bar, Middle st., New Berne, N. C., or better known as Zinkand's Old Stand. sepi dim

Insure

YOUR GIN HOUSES with

WATSON & STREET,

au28dw1m Gen. Ins. Agents.

Notice to Democrats !

A Convention of the Democrats of Craven County, for the purpose of nominating County Officers, is hereby called to meet in the City of Newbern, on

Friday, September 19, 1884.

At the Rooms of the Cleveland and Scales Club.

MATT. MANLY, Sec'y.

A Primary Meeting of each Township will be held at the usual places,

NEWBERN, N. C.

19. Prompt attention given to consign-

nents, and the HIGHEST MARKET PRICES

COLD SPRINGS FARM

FOR SALE.

I offer for sale the above valuable property

consisting of One Thousand Two Hundred

any Sixty Five Acres, Four Hundred under

cultivation, balance in timber, lying in

Craven county, four miles below Newbern by

railroad. It is admirably situated between

J. J. WOLFENDEN

Newbern, N. C.

Address

Fatronage solicited.

Saturday, September 13, 1884.

ALPHEUS W. WOOD,

Chairman.

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POTATOES-Sweet, 25a60c. TURNIPS-

Eggs-15c. per dozen. FRESH PORK-7a8c. per pound. PEANUTS-\$1.00a1.50 per bushel. FODDER-80c. to \$1 per hundred. ONIONS-\$1.56a2.00 per bbl.

FIELD PEAS-HIDES-Dry, 10c.; green 5c. 20a30c.

TALLOW-6c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 40a50c.; spring MEAL-85c. per bushel. GRAPES-Scuppernongs, \$1.00a1.25.

OATS-35 cts. per bushel. APPLES-50ca\$1.00 per bush. PEACHES-50a60c. per bush.

WOOL-12a17c. per pound.

SHINGLES-West India, dull and nom. inal; not wanted. Building 5 inch, hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M. WHOLESALE PRICES. NEW MESS PORK-\$19.00. L. C., F. BACKS, AND BELLIES-10a10 c.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Sept. 9, 6 P. M.

COTTON-New York futures closed

FUTURES.

10.67

10.48

10.39

10.42

DOMESTIC MARKET.

TURPENTINE-Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.

LARD-18+c. per lb.

November,

December;

TAR-75c. to \$1.00.

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-134c. per lb.

CORN-75a85c.

SHOULDERS-Smoked, No. 2, Sc.; FLOUR-\$3.25a7.00. SALT-90c.a\$1.90 per sack.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS-20a45c.

For Rent, THE DWELLING ON GEORGE STREET,

known as the Enisconal Rectory. Apply to WILLIAM IL OLIVER. sep10 31

rime, 8¹/₂c. Smoked Joles-5c. LARD-9a94c.

SUGAR-5a8c.

information about the oats; it would accomplish good for his fellow men and probably pay him to send on a bushel for the children of the land. or so at once:

ENGELDARD, HYDE Co., N. C., } Sept. 3rd, 1884.) EDITOB JOURNAL:-Dear Sir-I see in

your valuable paper a letter from Mr. Bill Arp concerning some oats called the "Burt Oat." I would be glad if you would assist me in getting a bushel of them from Mr. Arp, and also sending me his address. Very respectfully, B. B. FULFORD.

Personal.

Miss Hatchie Harrison will return from Asheville on the 25th inst., rested and ready to begin the fall work of giving music lessons.

the trip.

Mr. A. M. Baker has gone North for his fall stock of goods.

Mr. W. D. Rice, of Richmond, Insurance adjuster, is in the city.

J. C. Parker, of Jones, was in to see us last night. He is the Democratic overtake them." candidate for sheriff and will make a good run.

Merchants Returning.

fr. S. G. Roberts, of Roberts Bros. eturned from the North yesterday and is receiving the big stock of dry goods

F. Ulrich has returned and is opening ds in the store next door to H, W.

T. A. Green has returned and is re-

c. A. Green has returned and as re-ooiving his stock by every bont.
C. E. Foy has been in lang enough to get in a large lot of cotton bagging, which will soon be in demand.
J. F. Taylor returned on the Shenaa-doah yesterday, and is getting ready for the goods that are coming along.

Endergarten,

Miss Mary C. Ronners has opened a indergraten School for Small Children Metcalf street. sepi0 diw

Kinston Items.

The accomplished Miss Jennie Delph. of Abbeville, S. C., is visiting her relative, Dr. Pelletier, at Kinston.

N. J. Rouse, Esq., will address the Cleveland and Scales Club of Vance township on Thursday, the 11th. Minding one's own business isn't a

A few bales of new cotton were

brought here last week. It sold for 92. Seed cotton brings three cents a pound. Gov. Jarvis, Gen. Roberts and Capt. Darden addressed a large crowd of citizens of Lenoir at Kinston last Saturday.

for the North for the purpose of filling the Free Press, when hearing the ten the new space he has just added to his commandments read the other day, exstore. His family accompanied him on claimed: "Humph! one of the party platforms, ch? But what do these things amount to? No body lives up to them." racy to "move on and keep moving on and never permit the Republicans to

The special term of the Superior Court of Lenoir began here last Monday, good run. Maj. Gordon, of Egypt farm, is in the city. He says the cotton crop in his section, though much better than last year, will not be an average one. Corn is reported excellent in every direction. Merchants Returning. df Lenoir begin here last monday, Judge Avery presiding. This court tries only civil issues and there being no money among the litigants, the at-torneys are not disposed to advance the cases on docket. Besides the Kinston bar, we see Judge Strong, of the Bal-eigh bar and John W. Bryan and F. B. Loftin, of Goldsboro.

A quarter of a century ago, the peanut was to a great extent a luxury over the greater part of the Union. Now, like oysters inland, this fruit takes its and groceries purchased while on the trip. James M. Howard retarned on the Shenandood yesterday from the North-ern citics, with a big stock of clothing following in his wake. He says boys' and other suits are going to bo dirt cheap. F. Ulrich has returned and is opening was sent into Northern Virginia. March-ing along one day, as hungry as usual, these men came upon a field of clover-something none of them had ever seen before--and mistaking it for peanuts, hroke ranks, leaped the fence and be-gan tearing up the roots of the plant. Their disappointment was bitter and ever afterward the regiment went by the name of "goober grubbers." This year a crop of two and a quarter mil-lions of bushels is expected. Of this, it is suid Tennessee will produce 600,000 bushels. Virginia about 750,000 bushels.

useless without it. Respectfully, JOHN S. LONG.

Col. Benjamin Askew.

work. There is work to be done. If we would succeed, work, we must A public meeting of the citizens of Trenton and vicinity was held at the court house on Thursday, the 4th of September, for the purpose of paying a tribute of respect to the memory of Col. Benjamin Askew.

On motion of Capt. E. R. Page, Simon

On motion of Capt. E. R. Page, Simon E. Koonce was appointed Chairman and Jas. B. Stanly Secretary. The Chairman, in a very appropriate manner, explained that we had met to express our grief over the loss that the town and county had sustained by the death of our distinguished fellow citi-ren Col Askew. zen, Col. Askew.

Gov. Jarvis gave the citizens of this place a short speech as he passed through Saturday evening. The Governor pre-sented facts in his usual plain and forci-ble way. His advice to the people "to vote for the good of the country without regard to party," was excellent. The interest taken by the Democrats in the welfare of the colored citizens of our State, and the work done for their good in the past eight years, was plainly On motion, a committee of four were appointed to draft resolutions, where-upon the chair appointed E. R. Page, J. A. Smith, P. M. Pearsall and C. C.

tions, which were unanimously adopted: Whereas, God, in His wisdom, hath by death removed from our midst Col. Benjamin Askew, one of our oldest, tell.

year a crop of two and a quarter mil-lions of bushels is expected. Of this, it is said Tennessee will produce 600,000 bushels. Virginia about 750,000 bushels, while the Carolinas give about 150,000 bushels. Administer Shriner's Indian Vermi-fuge according to the directions. In the morning is the best time to take it. R. A. Whitaker, Cspt. Page and P. M.



Apply to C. E. FOY & CO. Brick Block, Middle street, sep10 dtf



By request, will reopen his School, at his

office on Union street, on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 39th. sep10 dtd

For Rent, A GOOD TWO-STORY DWELLING

on Broad street, between Craven and East Front.

Apply to H. R. BRYAN. sep9 d1w



Notice is hereby given to all those that suf-fered by the last fire on Middle street and the Market Dock, that I fully sympathize with them and wish them bester luck next time. In the time they will be reconstructthe A. & N. C. Railroad (half mile from it) estly urge as many as can, to be present. and a deep navigable creek. Every Democrat in the township should

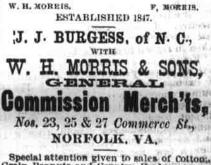
ing. They can find good Cigars. Tobacce for Chewing or Smoking, Cigarettes, Etc. Also, good cool Soda Water, Ginger Ale, or Deep Rock, a very fine Mineral Water, always in good condition to drink. Although the loe House was badly damaged by fire the bea didn't come up. the lee flours one up. ice didn't come up. All know where to find me. W. L. PALMER.



MRS. A. T. JERKINS will resume the duties of her School at her residence on Johnston street, on MONDAY, SEP-TEMBER 15th, and respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage. s71w

CITY ORDINANCE.

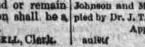
in the past eight years, was plainly stated, and we believe that many of these voters would support the party that has done so much for their im-Be it ordained, That the portion of the city lying east of Hancock street and south of Broad street, shall be known as the fire district of the city of New provement were it not for the misrepre-sentations of the demagogues, office-holders and office-seekers of the Repub-Berne, N. C., and any person or persons who shall erect or cause to be erected, or attempt to erect any building or shall lican party. How long these people will continue to be deluded, we can't 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 reso



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COMMISSION MERCHANT. Newbern, N. C. Opposite COTTON, EXCHANGE,

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