

## LOCAL NEWS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**BANK STATEMENT.**  
DETRICK'S—Announcement.  
**Journal Miniature Almanac.**  
Sun rises, 5:38 1/2 Length of day,  
Sun sets, 5:39 1/2 Hours, 41 minutes.  
Moon sets at 5:35 a. m.

Full moon at this evening at 4.46.  
John Detrick makes an extraordinary announcement.

Mr. C. E. Sliver has laid a new walk in front of his store.

Another recruit sent to Craven street hotel yesterday by Justice Watson upon charge of larceny.

Mr. J. K. Willis has made quite an improvement on the sidewalk near his marble yard. He deserves the thanks of the public.

Rev. J. E. Mann, P. E., preaches to-day and to-morrow at 11 a. m. at the theatre, it being the Fourth Quarterly meeting for this year.

Cotton rolled in yesterday in lively style; over two hundred bales were sold and yet one of the river boats did not get in with her contribution.

Mr. S. H. Abbott, of Kinston, advertises brick for sale. We have a sample of his make. They are pressed brick and will make a beautiful front.

Our Agent, C. C. Taylor, arrived from Snow Hill yesterday evening, and notwithstanding the complaint of hard times, brought us better returns than ever before from that point.

Gen. R. D. Hancock reports that the Expedition at Raleigh is grand success. He says no man can hardly conceive of what North Carolina is without seeing this exhibit. Again we urge our farmers to go and carry the boys.

Capt. Southgate, of the *Shenandoah*, is the most hopeful Democrat we have seen yet. He is confident that the revolt against Blaine will become so general among the honest Republicans that Cleveland will carry every State in the Union. Hopeful, vary.

Maj. John Hughes made a capital speech before the Club last night. He told the members of some things that they will do well to consider. No matter what the outlook is for a large Democratic majority in North Carolina it is important that this section, and especially this county, should poll a full vote.

Mr. J. L. Hain was seen making his way to Maple Cypress yesterday to address the people on the political issues of the day. Behind him and close on his heels was John T. Dawson who was going up to reply. The result of the discussion has not been heard from, but we are satisfied that Dawson carried the day as he had two gallons of the "sinews of war."

We begin in this issue a series of articles on the public school question written by our County Superintendent, John S. Long. We know of no subject of more interest to the people at large than that of public schools, and as the members of the Legislature are to be elected this fall we know of no better time to discuss it. Mr. Long is fully competent for the task and if he will divide the subject so as not to make the articles too long in each issue, we believe they will accomplish some good.

**Another Snake.**  
We have a snake brought in by S. S. Fisher who lives on the Griffin place just beyond the Cemetery. This one had reversed the order of things and instead of having a number of snakes and catfish in him, was himself on the inside of a hog. It is 18 inches long but very large and was alive and well when it was brought in. Mr. Fisher says the snake perished in alcohol what was done with the hog death not.

**Carolina Fair.**  
The 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st are reserved for holding the Fair at Goldsboro. The managers are sparing neither expense to make it one of the most interesting and most attractive ever held in the State. The race track is one of the best in the State, several noted jockeys have already been entered, and the fine racing is expected.

There will also be a competitive drill of several companies of the State Guards with handsome silk flag, to cost \$100, and a contest of \$100 is offered for a base ball contest, open to the State.

Mr. Vass arrived on the *Shenandoah* yesterday morning and, we are pleased to say, is looking none the worse for having a rough voyage from Liverpool.

Mrs. Fannie Hayes, of Wilmington, is in the city visiting Mrs. C. C. Taylor.

Mr. E. B. Willet arrived on the *Shenandoah* on a visit to her parents, and Mrs. J. S. Long.

Mr. Manly East, returned from his night.

**Jones County Day.**  
J. J. Simmons, J. P. Brogden, E. M. Foscoe, Sheriff Koonce, Joseph Banks, Kenneth Hay, J. C. Sanderson, J. P. Gray, John Perry of Jones county, were in the city on business "concerning" cotton yesterday.

**Latest From Onslow.**  
We have received the following by grape vine over the Quaker Bridge road from Onslow:

The people are very much worried about the unfinished condition of the new road.

Cotton crops are not an average. Corn is excellent.

At the sale of the late Hon. John W. Sackelford's property a few days ago the bidding was quite spirited at times. John Francks fairly hankored for old plow hames and other wooden trumpery, while Nace Brock was anxious to keep time and bought all the old clocks. It is suggested now that they form a co-partnership for the sale of lumber and clocks. Another prominent farmer fell in love with a large lot of old iron bolts and when he had secured them learned that they were nearly as cheap as he could have bought them at the store. Nothing like getting up an excitement in order to make things bring their value.

It is reported that a young gentleman a few days ago, near Richlands, upon being informed of his first born, harnessed his horse and put for New Berne to have the joyful news announced in the *JOURNAL*. [He has not arrived yet.—ED. *JOURNAL*.]

**Don't Get Up too Early.**  
It is not necessary in this age of the world for the farmer to rise in the middle of the night and begin his work. This getting up so early in the morning is a relic of barbarism. It has made hundreds of thousands of young men curse the business. There is no need of getting up at three or four o'clock in the winter morning. The farmer who persists in dragging his wife and children from their beds ought to be visited by a missionary. It is time enough to rise after the sun has set the example. For what purpose do you get up? To feed the cattle? Why not feed them more the night before? It is a waste of life. In the old times they used to get up about three o'clock in the morning, and go to work long before the sun had risen with "healing upon his wings," and as a just punishment they all had the ague, and they ought to have it now. The man who cannot get a living without rising before daylight ought to starve. Eight hours a day is enough for any farmer to work except in harvest time. When you rise at four and work till dark, what is life worth? Of what use is all the improved machinery unless it tends to give the farmer a little more leisure? What is harvesting now, compared with what it was in the old time? Think of the days of reaping, of crudding, of raking and binding and mowing. Think of threshing with the flail and winnowing with the wind. And now think of the reapers and mowers, the binders and threshing machines, the plows and cultivators, upon which the farmer rides protected from the sun. If, with all these advantages, you cannot get a living without rising in the middle of the night, go into some other business. You should not rob your family of sleep. Sleep is the best medicine in the world. There is no such thing as health without sleep. Sleep until you are thoroughly rested and restored. When you work, work; and when you get through take a good, long and refreshing sleep.—*College and Farm.*

In connection with the above we might add that as a general thing our merchants and clerks work fifteen to sixteen hours per day, many of them rising at daylight and working close on to midnight, for what? To wear out their lives and to do work that might be accomplished in half of the time.

If a rule could be established among our merchants to open at 8 a. m. and close at 8 p. m. this would be twelve hours on duty, and all the business would be done in that time and our merchants and clerks would be the better men for it.

Billiards 10 cents—Pool for chips, at SAM. B. WATERS.

Holmes' Sure Cure Mouth Wash and Dentifrice is an infallible cure for Ulcerated Sore 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 E. N. Duffy, New Berne, N. C., and all Druggists and Dentists. au20dw8mo

Speaking of Raleigh's first expedition to Carolina, Bancroft says: "The keenest observer was Harriot, the historian. He observed the culture of tobacco; accustomed himself to its use, and was a firm believer in its healing virtues." This was in 1585. The famous tobacco of the Indian council, is now that of the Golden Tobacco Belt of North Carolina. It is no longer crude leaf as the Indians smoked it, but still a natural and pure leaf, prepared for the pipe or cigarette in the shape of Blackwell's Durham Long Cut.

"My daughter has taken the medicine faithfully, according to directions, and her health and spirits are now perfect. The humor is all gone from her face. I wish every anxious mother might know what a blessing Ayer's Sarsaparilla is in such cases."

## School Letters.

EDITOR *JOURNAL*—In compliance with your request, that I furnish the *JOURNAL* with a series of educational articles, I desire to state, that I am perfectly willing to do so if you will take them irregular as to date, and as opportunity to write may present itself. I believe that short, earnest communications, plainly written, may be instructive to the people, and may help them to a right judgment on the most important questions of this day and generation. It is my business to serve the wonderful outcome of educational enterprise, and whether by word, deed or influence I stand ready to do so. You must excuse me from taking any further notice of your correspondent from the First township. I know but little of him, but had supposed him like thousands of the honest tillers of the soil to be a gentleman of good feeling and amiable temper. I knew nothing of the measure of his intelligence, and am no better informed now. But the last article signed by his name, whoever wrote it, is so full of reckless statements entirely void of truth, and abounds in such malignant spite, coarseness and rancor, that I must leave the author to find antagonists suited to his capacity and disposition. I am not troubled about my efficiency as Superintendent. Placed without my solicitation in the royal line of school workers eight years ago by a Republican Board of County Commissioners, notwithstanding I was known to be a strong Democrat, elected three times successively as Superintendent, receiving the vote of every magistrate without regard to party, and rewarded from first to last by assurance after assurance of my fidelity and success both from home and abroad, I can well afford to overlook the petty spite of such scribblers as your correspondent. Now not another word in this direction.

**Billiards 10 cents—Pool for chips, at SAM. B. WATERS.**

**Beulaville Items.**  
Beulaville Sunday-school is still progressing rapidly; still improving and in thriving condition.

Mrs. I. Brown and family, who have been visiting relatives in this vicinity, have returned home to Warsaw.

Dog-tongue or vanilla was all the go a few days since. Hope the buyers have been thoroughly convinced in that line.

We hope Messrs. Middleton & Bro. and Scott & Co. have got enough dog-tongue, but they keep cutting at each other in that line.

We are sorry to say Dr. W. P. Kennedy has left us for a season and gone North to finish his medical course. Hope him success and to return among us at the time appointed. He is a very clever young gentleman.

Messrs. O. W. Quinn and J. W. Grisham have fine crops in their low grounds. Mr. Grisham has erected a huge barn to house his crop, not having room enough in the old one. Glad to see such going ahead.

Hog cholera is prevailing in our neighborhood, Mr. O. W. Quinn having lost about twenty-five head. Most every man's hogs about here have that dreaded disease. Wish some one would prescribe through the *JOURNAL* some never-failing remedy for cholera.

Billiards 10 cents—Pool for chips, at SAM. B. WATERS.

Table Board, with or without apartments. H. RISHTON, South Front street.

**A Very Promising Invention.**  
Elisha E. Everett, a cabinet maker and inventor, of Philadelphia who has taken out twenty or thirty different patents for mechanical appliances, is now at work on an invention that, if successful, may completely revolutionize ocean and railway travel. This is nothing else than the reduplication of steam power. He has designed a steamboat which, by means of a succession of paddles beneath the water, may attain a speed of thirty knots an hour and accomplish a trip to Europe in three or four days.

**Sweet Gum and Mullein.**  
The sweet gum, as gathered from a tree of the same name, growing along the small streams in the Southern States, contains a stimulating expectorant principle that loosens the phlegm producing the early morning cough, and stimulates the child to throw off the false membrane in croup and whooping cough. When combined with the healing mucilaginous principle in the mullein plant of the old fields, presents in TAYLOR'S CHEROKEE REMEDY OF SWEET GUM AND MULLEIN, the finest known remedy for Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough and Consumption; and so palatable, any child is pleased to take it. Ask your druggist for it. Send two-cent stamp for Taylor's Riddle Book, which is not only for the amusement of the little ones who will gather around your knee to hear the puzzling questions, but containing information for the health and welfare of every home.

WALTER A. TAYLOR, dw (feb)5 Atlanta, Ga.

**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 HUMPHREY & 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 HUMPHREY & HOWARD'S, and buys a supply of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, etc. Sold at the lowest living prices. dw

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Sufferers from the effects of quinine, used as a remedy for chills and fever, will appreciate Ayer's Ague Cure, a powerful tonic bitter, composed wholly of vegetable substances, without a particle of any noxious drug. Its action is peculiar, prompt and powerful, breaking up the chill, curing the fever, and expelling the poison from the system, yet leaving no harmful or unpleasant effect upon the patient.

**Announcement**  
**Extraordinary!**

With a view to conforming with the times, the PATRONS OF DETRICK'S SALOON are respectfully notified that until further notice they will be permitted to use POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES connected therewith

**GRATIS;**  
Charge only being made for refreshments. Also on hand at any time—Imported Schweitzer and Limburger Cheese; Imported and American Bologna Sausage; Sauerkraut when in season.

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**"DETRICK'S."**  
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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION**  
OF THE  
**National Bank of New Berne,**  
At New Berne, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, September 30, 1884.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts - \$186,743.11  
Overdrafts - 1,015.98  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation - 100,000.00  
U. S. Bonds on hand - 15,150.00  
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages - 8,397.47  
Due from approved reserve agents - 334.40  
Due from other National Banks - 3,551.56  
Real estate, furniture, and fixtures - 25,401.59  
Current expenses and taxes paid - 2,066.96  
Premiums paid - 3,579.95  
Checks and other cash items - 375.00  
Bills of other Banks - 5,474.00  
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and pennies - 400.31  
Specie - 44,550.00  
Legal tender notes - 40,000.00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) - 4,500.00  
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund - 1,100.00  
Total - \$442,540.32

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital stock paid in - \$100,000.00  
Surplus fund - 40,000.00  
Undivided profits - 31,455.44  
National Bank notes outstanding - 90,000.00  
Dividends unpaid - 125.00  
Individual deposits subject to check - 103,362.76  
Demand certificates of deposit - 24,090.56  
Due to other National Banks - 39,506.56  
Bills payable - 14,000.00  
Total - \$442,540.32

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,**  
COUNTY OF CRAVEN, } ss.  
I, J. A. Guion, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. GUION, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of October, 1884.  
E. W. CARPENTER,  
Clerk Superior Court.

Correct—Attest:  
JOHN HUGHES,  
GEO. ALLEN,  
G. B. GUION, } Directors.

**SMITH & CREDELE**  
Have now in stock and are receiving by steamer a Full Line of  
**Hardware, Stoves,**  
**Guns, Tin, Glass,**  
**Sash, Doors, Blinds,**  
**Plows, Willow-ware.**  
A full line of Farmer Girl Cook Stove Castings for sale at EIGHT CENTS per pound.  
Heating and Cook Stoves. The  
**Golden Harvest and Champion,** the best in the market.  
Boggy Harness, Saddles and Brides, and a full line of  
**Beautiful Lamp Goods.**  
We sell none but reliable goods, and sell them LOW for CASH.

**Middle St., New Berne, N. C.**  
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**J. L. KINSEY,**  
Cotton Broker and Commission Merchant.  
Consignments of Cotton and Grain solicited.  
The Highest Prices Guaranteed.  
**NEW BERNE, N. C.**  
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**COMMERCIAL.**  
JOURNAL OFFICE, Oct. 3, 6 P. M.  
COTTON.  
New York futures steady; spots quiet.  
Middling 10 1/8; Low Middling 9 3/4; Good Ordinary 9 1/8.

**FUTURES.**  
MORNING. NOON. EVENING.  
October, 9 06 9 05 9 07  
November, 10 03 10 03 10 04  
December, 10 06 10 04 10 06  
January, 10 14 10 13 10 16

New Berne market steady. Sales of 300 bales at 9 to 9.40.  
Middling 9 5/16; Low Middling 9 1/16; Good Ordinary 8 1/2.

**DOMESTIC MARKET.**  
COTTON SEED—\$8.00 for Sept.  
SEED COTTON—\$2.50a3.00.  
BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.  
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.  
TAR—75c to \$1.00.  
CORN—75a85c.  
BEESWAX—20c. per lb.  
HONEY—60c. per gallon.  
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.  
COUNTRY HAMS—13c. per lb.  
LARD—13c. per lb.  
EGGS—12c. per dozen.  
FRESH PORK—7a8c. per pound.  
PEANUTS—\$1.00a1.50 per bushel.  
FODDER—60a75c. per hundred.  
ONIONS—\$1.50a2.00 per bbl.  
FIELD PEAS—  
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.  
TALLOW—6c. per lb.  
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 30a30c.

MEAL—95c. per bushel.  
GRAPES—Scuppernon, \$1.00a1.25.  
OATS—35 cts. per bushel.  
APPLES—Matamoras, 75c. per bushel.  
PEACHES—50a60c. per bushel.  
POTATOES—Sweet, 40c.  
TURNIPS—  
WOOL—12a17c. per pound.  
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; 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 1/2c.  
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 8c.; prime, 8c.  
SMOKED JOLES—5c.  
LARD—9a9 1/2c.  
SUGAR—5a8c.  
FLOUR—\$3.25a7.00.  
SALT—90c. a \$1.90 per sack.  
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.

**EXCHANGE LYRIC, No. 1.**

**WOOD AND THE FARMER.**  
"A FABLE."  
Agricola had come to town. And duly posted, he quickly found Alphus W. Wood. Said he, pointing to his wains, "Friend W., I have taken pains To find you for my good; That lot of cotton, corn and rice, First in grade, and packed up nice, I beg you'll take and sell it; Let the critics all inspect; No defect will they detect Though they sort, and chaw, and smell it."

Alphus to him smiling said: "This cotton will make the finest bread, This cotton bear inspection, The rice, to you I will declare, With any lot will well compare I've seen in all this section."

The eager merchants then began, The cotton, corn and rice to scan, And offered various prices. Wood cocked his eye, and smiling said, "My Exchange friends, I've got you dead, I've got the last advices."

Finding chaffer no avail, Alphus finally made sale, The farmer overjoyed; He went to bank and got the gold For which his produce had been sold, The man who Wood employed. Then rushing quickly in the crowd, He laughed so long, and laughed so loud, They thought of whiskey potion; The Marshal hearing, quickly ran To see what ailed the countryman. What raised such great commotion: To him the farmer quick replied, "It is no country notion— Wood sold my cotton, corn and rice, At such astonishing good price— A premium on the cotton— He ends in joy my yearly labors, I'll tell it 'round to all my neighbors, Nor let it be forgotten."

**For Sale,**  
SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND BRICK AT EIGHT DOLLARS per thousand. The above brick are made by Clifford Simpson. A sample can be seen at my store. Apply to C. E. FOY & CO Brick Block, Middle street, Newbern, N. C. sep10 dtf

**For Rent,**  
A GOOD TWO-STORY DWELLING on Broad street, between Craven and East Front. Apply to sep20 3w H. R. BRYAN.

**Damaged Goods at MACE'S**  
AT  
**50 PER CENT. BELOW COST,**  
Such as Hardware, ship Chandlery, Drugs, Etc., two doors below old stand, Market Wharf. Also—we are opening a Large Stock of NEW GOODS in the above line, which will be sold at the Lowest Prices. sep10 dtf

**Wm. Pell Ballance & Co.**  
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN  
**Groceries, Cigars, Snuff,**  
Tobacco,  
Fine Confectioneries, &c., &c.  
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