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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Minutiae Almanac.
New Berne, latitude, 35° 6' North, longitude, 77° 3' West.
Sun rises, 6:47 | Length of day, 11 hours, 54 minutes.
Moon sets, at 6:29 p. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

The finest Country Hams for sale at K. R. JONES' 15-3t

Prof. E. A. Whitaker of Durham is in the city, and will remain during the week, tuning and repairing pianos and organs. 1t

Gents' Clothing at Bottom Prices at Asa Jones'. 1t

Blanks for overseer's reports and their appointments for sale at this office.

Another rainy day yesterday.

Plenty of gar-fish in market.

Cotton is again looking up a little.

Prof. E. A. Whitaker, the piano tuner, is in the city.

The valentines were flying around quite thick last night.

Several oyster boats were in market yesterday. The canning factory was at work.

Shad in market yesterday were retailing at \$1.00 per pair for buck, \$2.00 for roe.

Two cases of disorderly conduct before the Mayor yesterday. One was dismissed; the other fined two dollars and cost.

The young man Godwin, of New Berne, reported in the *News and Observer*, as having passed examination by the State Board of Pharmacy, is Jacob Gooding, jr., the very worthy young man who clerks for E. H. Meadows & Co.

Six marriage licenses issued by the Registrar of Deeds during the last week, two to whites and four to colored couples. Just look at the revenue that would have been lost had the Wilson *Advances* succeeded in reducing the license tax.

Church Services To-Day.

Christ Church—V. W. Shields, Rector. Quinquagesima Sunday. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday-school at 3 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 7 p. m. Young Men's Prayer at the church at 10 1/2 a. m. and 6 1/2 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Seats free, and the public cordially invited to attend all these services.

Excursion to Washington.

Several persons are thinking of taking passage on the *Elm City* to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Cleveland. The rate is low when compared with other routes, and the convenience of having your own quarters while there, besides the interesting route travelled, would seem to make this an attractive trip, and well worthy of consideration by all who think of attending from this and the adjacent counties.

Work of the Superior Court.

The jurors for the special term of the Superior Court were discharged yesterday evening, but His Honor, Judge Shipp, will remain over a day or two for the purpose of hearing motions.

There were one hundred and fifteen cases on the calendar. Of these judgments were rendered in thirty-eight and mistrial made in six, leaving eighty-one cases untried. Several of these were continued by consent, but they are to be tried at some time unless the parties become disgusted with courts and settle without a trial. The regular term of the court will doubtless be consumed with the criminal docket, so right and justice will not be administered in this county, without delay as the Constitution provides. In the face of this, the Legislature is in session; the members thereof have sworn to support the constitution; it is their solemn duty to provide for the courts to be open, that every person for an injury done him in his lands, goods, person or reputation, shall have remedy by due course of law, and right and justice administered without sale, denial or delay.

Notwithstanding the crowded dockets in many counties with cases of many years standing, one branch of the General Assembly refuses to give more than three additional judges. The people are absolutely denied their rights in many instances because the courts are not open to administer them. They quietly submit; but is it right? There are prisoners now in Craven county jail that will have to remain there until the latter part of May before they can have a trial. They are kept there at a heavy expense to the county and some of them may be innocent. Why don't members of the General Assembly take the proper view of this matter and provide courts adequate to the wants of people?

Left for Hyde County.

U. S. Mace, Esq., accompanied by his sister Miss Aurora and the Rev. Mr. Shields, left last night on the steamer *Elm City* for Hyde County.

From the general make-up of the party it would look as if there was matrimonial intentions in the air.

Stranger.
There having been in our court, during the present week, some discussion as to this word, we give the following from Worcester's Folio Dictionary, page 1424:
"The most singular formation in our language is, undoubtedly, that of the word *stranger* should come from the Latin preposition *ex*, out of, from. *Ex*, for the sake of euphony, often changes into *ez*. It is further prolonged into *extra*, familiar to every ear. Our English adjective now arises, *extraneous*. It passes into French, *estranger*, changing the *x* into *s*; and returns to us as *stranger*—one who comes from without.—R. W. HAMILTON."

List of Letters

Remaining in the Postoffice at New Berne, Craven county, N. C., February 14th, 1885.

Brown, Mary C.; Beadie, Mary; Bunn, John.
Davis, Mary J.; Dixon, John; Dane, Susy.
Elison, Zora.
Hand, Francis Augustus; Howard, Violet (care John Ward).
Irving, Mary Jane.
Jones, Nelson; Jones, Twigg; Jenkins, Lucey; Jones, Lizzie; Lamerance, George; Lynch, Macey; Lee, D. S. Matable, Sarah; Milles, F. W.; Mitchell, Ben.
Nasket, Malsey (care Henry Bryan); Newby, General T.
Outlaw, Martha.
Paulinse, Luweyzys; Phelps, Mawasia; Peace, M. E.; Pigot, Miss Bernice; Parrish, James.
Roper, Caroline (3); Rider, Rev. O. V. Rose; Robert; Rose, Carrie; Rhem, P. P.; Rem, J. H.
Stamps, Mary Ann; Slays, Patsy; Smith, Miss Pussie; Smith, Mary; Spruel, Peeter.
Tunage, Salley; Temple, William Gray.
West, Isaac W.; Webb, Jacob; Wayne, Louisa B.
Persons calling for above letters, will say advertised, and give date of list.
E. A. RICHARDSON, P. M.

La Grange Items.

Miss Florence Edwards of Pitt is visiting Major Pope's family.
Fred B. Loftin, Esq., of Goldsboro, spent a short time in town Thursday.
If any one doubts the scarcity of news let him start out on enquiry. We have tried it and know.
Before another issue of the WEEKLY JOURNAL reaches this office, bachelorship will be diminished at least one in our place.
Mrs. N. W. Herring was, when last heard from, something better. This we learned from Dr. Hadley, the attending physician.

J. F. Mewborne, C. F. Harvey and N. J. Rouse, Esqrs., spent a day or two last week at Mr. Noah Rouse's. We suppose bird shooting was the object in view.

We are having very bad weather—cold and rainy—to the disadvantage of the farmer. But why complain; there has always been enough sunshine for man's use.

The newest thing and the greatest nuisance in town is Joe Paris's dog, says one who is in a place to know. With these few remarks we leave the subject for your consideration.

C. S. Wooten, Esq., gets off a hard hit on our townspeople about Sunday dinners. A townsman who lives all the week on short rations is fully prepared to dispose of a good quantity of eatables, such as are found at the homes of many of our country friends, and we suppose Mr. W. has seen the practical proof of this and knows whereof he speaks.

Carteret County Items.

[From Telephone.]
Rev. E. M. Forbes has been sick, but we are glad to see him out again.

At least fifteen "commercial travellers" have been in town this week.
On Friday evening, 30th ulto., Mrs. Sallie V. Sabiston died, after a long and painful illness, with that insidious disease, consumption. The large funeral on Sunday evening from the Methodist church was an evidence of her great popularity, and the respect and esteem in which she was held by this entire community.

The steamer *Norwood*, Capt. C. W. Slyron, plying between this place and Elizabeth City, ran on a buoy anchor at Harbor Island bar, on her passage week before last, and sank in 40 minutes. The buoy tender service is alone to blame for the accident as the buoy had been gone for several months and had not been reported, but they neither replaced it nor marked the spot where the channel was obstructed by the anchor. The work of getting up the *Norwood* is now going on, and we hope to soon see her on the line again.

The boundary line between Carteret and Craven counties as established by the present session of the General Assembly is as follows: "Beginning at the mouth of Adams creek in Neuse river, running up said Adams creek to the mouth of Buck creek, thence up Buck creek to the Turnpike road, thence westwardly to the point where the Adams' creek road crosses Clubfoot and Harlow's canal, thence westwardly to a point on the A. & N. C. Railroad to a point three miles south of Harlow's station, thence westwardly to a point on Hunters creek, one mile south of Great Lake."

STATE NEWS

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

Wilson *Advances*: Mr. J. C. White, of Cypress township, Franklin county, has a white oak tree which, one foot above the ground, measures ten feet in diameter.

Shelby *New Era*: A negro child was born near town a day or two ago with eyes in the forehead, two inches and a half above the proper place. Its face looked very much like that of an owl, and the eyes themselves were like frog's eyes.

Greenville *Democratic Standard*: Jesse Crafton, who has escaped from the penitentiary several times, made his appearance here last Thursday and was arrested by the sheriff yesterday morning, and lodged in jail. He will return to his residence in the penitentiary immediately.

Scotland Neck *Democrat*: Mr. J. C. Randolph was having a well dug last Monday, and the digger came from it to get a drink of water when a blind mule fell into it, head first.—Mr. J. G. Shields killed ninety hogs last Wednesday. It was indeed a fine sight to see them being brought through town from his farm to his residence. If more farmers would raise their own meat they would be better off.

Asheville *Advances*: The negro McElrath, who shot and killed another last Friday near Alexander's, is in jail at this place. According to his version of the difficulty, it was not his purpose to kill the deceased, but another negro by the name of Woods, who was advancing upon him with a knife. He says that he shot one time, but before he could fire the second time, the deceased grasped his pistol by the barrel, when it accidentally discharged and killed him, the ball entering the forehead just over the left eye.

Wilmington *Star*: The State Senate refused to pass a bill granting \$3,000 to help publish Col. Sloan's "History of North Carolina in the war between the States." It would be well to pass a bill to have the Roster of troops in the late war corrected for its abound in errors.—An item for Dr. Bailey. Two students were at the University. One paid \$84 tuition; the other was a county beneficiary. The one who paid his tuition spoke in a \$20 suit of clothes at Commencement. The beneficiary bought three suits at a cost of \$135.00 and spoke also. There are other cases that could be produced.

Roanoke *News*: On Thursday night people in town saw the reflection of a fire, and next morning learned that it was Dr. C. J. Gee's barn. The building was destroyed and with it about one hundred and twenty-five barrels of corn and three to four thousand pounds of fodder.—On Saturday the passenger train number 47 which left here at 3 o'clock p. m. for Richmond, ran over and killed Henry Wilkins, colored, at Jordan's crossing, about a mile beyond Garysburg. Wilkins has been in Halifax county getting staves and was on his way home to Pleasant Hill, when it is supposed that he either was resting or drunk and fell asleep on the track.—About five hundred more bales of cotton were shipped from Weldon this season than were sent from here during the season of 1883 and 1884.

Charlotte *Democrat*: At a meeting of the trustees of Davidson College, on Wednesday, the following elections were made: President, Rev. T. D. Witherspoon, D.D. LL. D., of Louisville, Ky. Professor of Greek and German, W. S. Graves, A. M., of Liberty, Va.—Mrs. Lather Sherrill was fatally burned at her residence, in Lemley's township, last week. The house was discovered to be on fire by her little son, on his return from school, who roused the neighbors, and the party soon extinguished the fire, which was only in one room. The little babe of Mrs. Sherrill's was found uninjured in one corner of the room, where it is probable its mother had placed it after discovering her clothing was on fire. Failing to extinguish the fire, it is supposed Mrs. Sherrill attempted to go to a neighbor's house for assistance, fell in the yard a short distance from the house, where her body was found horribly burned. Mr. Sherrill was not at home and the terrible affliction that has befallen him rouses the sympathy of every one.

Goldsboro *Messenger*: The residences of two of our citizens took fire during Tuesday forenoon, but the flames were extinguished before the news could spread, hence no fire alarm was sounded. It was well

that a timely eye discovered the embryo conflagration, for with the blustering wind that prevailed here during the day, had the flames gotten any sort of headway it is hard to tell what would have befallen us.—There was a scene of great grief and wild demonstration at the depot here last Monday afternoon. A colored woman, with a small child in her arms, bought a ticket to Faison's and got aboard the South bound train, but she had hardly gotten into the car when she discovered that she had lost her ticket. Leaving her child upon a seat she rushed out to search for the missing "pass" in the ticket office. While there the train moved off and left her. The antics of that mother at this stage of the proceedings were awful to gaze upon. She wept and wailed, Rachel-like, and wildly essayed to give expression to all her grief over the fate of her papoose, but even then it was plain that she had failed in the attempt, and that there was a large portion of the article still unexpressed. P. S.—The conductor was telegraphed to put off the child at Faison, and the mother followed on the next train.

Elizabeth City *Economist*: The present rate of interest is heavily complained of by farmers, and some call for the re-enactment of the Shaw act of 1876.—The election of Cleveland is operating more powerfully in the conversion of Republicans here and hereabouts from the error of their ways than all the arguments and all the oratory of all the Democratic leaders. Some of them deny with an oath that they ever knew Blaine.—The Old Dominion Guards of Portsmouth, Va., Capt. J. M. Binford, have invited the Pasquotank Rifles of this city, to join them in Portsmouth and accompany them to the Inauguration at Washington on the 4th of March, where they will form part of the command of General Fitz Hugh Lee. This soldierly politeness of the Old Dominion Guards will be appreciated not only by the Rifles but by the citizens of our town, who will recognize in this knightly courtesy the evidence of the kindness and good will of our neighbors and the indication of closer business and social relations.

Selby Harney showed us a day or two ago a certificate of membership of the Society of the Cincinnati, of Thomas Mathews, an officer of the Revolution, we think a Brigadier General from Virginia. Gen. Mathews was father of the late Dr. Samuel Mathews of this town and grandfather of J. M. Mathews, lately deceased, and great grandfather of the wife of Mr. Harney. The certificate of membership was signed by Gen. Washington, President, and Gen. Knox, Sec'y of the Society in 1787. We think the Society of the Cincinnati has not now an active existence. It was formed of officers of the Revolutionary Army, with Gen. Washington at its head, for the purpose of keeping alive the social connection of the officers and the memories of the war. The certificate is now chiefly valued as a badge of family distinction.

Funeral of an Estimable Lady.

The remains of Mrs. John Battle, who died in St. Louis Thursday night, arrived here yesterday. There were a number of friends of the deceased and her relatives at the depot when the train arrived. The coffin was conveyed to Christ Church, from which place the funeral took place at half-past four o'clock. Although this estimable lady had not resided in Mobile in some time her memory was fondly cherished by many who were present to manifest their feeling for the departed. Rev. J. L. Tucker officiated. At the grave a number of floral tributes, beautiful in design and execution, were placed on the mound to fade and perish, while her memory will last long with those who loved her. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Messrs. Pierce Butler, Murray Wheeler, W. H. Ross, Chas. Michaloffsky, Abner Gaines, C. L. Huger, L. M. Wilson, Jos. E. Murrell.—*Mobile Register*.

A man in Lewiston, Me., recently bought a cow of a local cattle dealer. Some one jokingly asked him if he knew that the cow was so old as not to have any teeth in her upper jaw. The man went home, and, upon examining the cow, found that she had no teeth in that region and promptly returned the cow. It was with some difficulty that he was made to understand that cattle never have any teeth in their upper jaws.

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Scrofula.

I have had hereditary scrofula broken out on me for eight years. My mother and one sister died with it, and I, supposing that I would go as other members of the family had, had despaired of life. The treatment of mercury and potash seemed to aggravate instead of curing the disease. In this condition I was pressed to use Swift's Specific. After taking six bottles the fearful ulcers on my neck and arms disappeared and the scars only remain to remind me of my sufferings. Had I taken S. S. S. at first, I would have been a well man long ago.

FRANK GILCHER, Danville, Ky. Oct. 18, 1884.

Eczema.

I was affected for nearly four years with eczema. The doctors called it at first erysipelas. I was treated by physicians. I was cured by Swift's Specific. I used about thirty bottles and have had no trouble with it since. I refused to take it, even after it was recommended to me by others, for some time—such was my prejudice to the name of it; but having tried it myself, I now believe it is the best blood purifier in all my knowledge. It did another thing for me. I had suffered from piles for many years. Since taking this medicine I have been relieved, and believe it cured me. R. H. JONES. Cartersville, Ga., Aug. 25, 1884.

My daughter, seven years old, has been afflicted with eczema for two years, and after trying other remedies in vain I gave her Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), and one and a half bottles cured her sound and well. It is the best blood remedy in the country. Mrs. M. S. JUDKINS. Cedartown Mill, July 23, 1884. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. The Swift Specific Co., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga. For sale in New Berne at HANCOCK BROS.

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COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Feb. 14, 6 P. M. COTTON.

New York futures firm; spots steady. Middling 11-13; Low Middling 10 11-13; Ordinary 10 1-8.

FUTURES.

Month	Price	Month	Price
January	11.61	July	11.61
February	11.16	August	11.70
March	11.23	September	11.80
April	11.30	October	10.88
May	11.40	November	10.70
June	11.51	December	10.71

New Berne market steady. Sales for the week, 64 bales, against 290 bales same week last year. Middling 10 5-16; Low Middling 9 7-8; Ordinary 9 5-16.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

COTTON SEED—\$10.00.	
SEED COTTON—\$3.50.	
BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.	
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.15; dip, \$1.75.	
CORN—50c@60c.	
BRESWAX—30c. per lb.	
HONEY—60c. per gallon.	
BEES—On foot, 5c. to 7c.	
COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb.	
LARD—10c. per lb.	
EGGS—18c. per dozen.	
FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.	
PRANETS—60a75c. per bushel.	
FODDER—75c. a \$1.00 per hundred.	
ONIONS—\$1.50 a \$2.00 per bbl.	
FIELD PEAS—	
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.	
TALLOW—5c. per lb.	
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 20a30c.	
MEAL—60c. per bushel.	
OATS—45c. per bushel.	
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.	
WOOL—12a17c. per pound.	
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a50c.	
FURS—Coon skins, 30c.; fox, 50c. pink, 50c.; otter from \$3a6.	
WHOLESALE PRICES.	
NEW MESS PORK—\$15.00.	
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 3, 7c.; prime, 8c.	
C. R. and L. C. R.—7a8c.	
NAILS—Basis 10's, \$3.50.	
FLOUR—\$3.50 a 7.00.	
POTATOES—\$3.00.	
LARD—\$4a6c.	
SUGAR—Granulated, 7c.	
SALT—90c. a \$1.00 per sack.	
MOLASSES and SYRUPS—20a45c.	
KEROSENE—10c.	
POWDER—\$5.50.	
SHOT—\$1.60.	

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Good accommodations will be given to passengers both on the passage and at the steamer berth in Washington City. All persons wishing to go will please notify the agent in time so that he can make preparations. For further information apply to E. R. PIERCE, Agent, Office foot of Craven street, New Berne, N. C. febl d6t

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