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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
New Berne, latitude, 35° 8' North,
longitude, 77° 3' West.
Sun rises, 6:13 | Length of day,
Sun sets, 6:07 | 11 hours, 54 minutes.
Moon rises at 4:17 a. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. C. Herring can be found at the Gaston House. He is ready to contract for putting up brick buildings.

W. HOLLISTER has moved his goods to the store of Mr. George B. Guion, corner of Craven and Pollock streets, where he will be glad to see his customers. 2t

Great Bargains, for a few days only, in Shoes, Hats, Clothing and Notions at ASA JONES' old stand. 10ct

Prof. George offers his services as tuner and repairer of pianos and organs. Many years' experience. Will please you or no charge. Am located at New Berne, new Shoe Store or Central Hotel. 120ft.

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

Cotton is on the decline.

J. T. Hall and Bro. are pushing work on their building.

The firemen's parade has been indefinitely postponed on account of the late fro.

The steamer Trent brought in forty-three bales of cotton from up Trent river yesterday.

George D. Pate and not Thomas Pate, as we had it in yesterday's issue, is the Daniel in the lion's den.

The funeral services of Mr. Harvey will take place at Middle street Baptist Church this evening at 8 o'clock.

The old buildings on the court house square are being torn down and removed. They were purchased by Maj. Dennison.

During the fire on Tuesday morning some one broke down a panel of the fence around the Episcopal church yard. The parties are probably excusable for the act, but would it not be the right thing for them to come forward and replace it, instead of waiting for the church to do it? We have been requested to call attention to the matter.

Personal.

S. R. Street, jr., has returned from Danville.

J. C. Herring, of Smithfield, is in the city stopping at the Gaston House.

Dr. J. P. Bryan of Kinston is in the city.

P. M. Pearsall, Esq., Representative from Jones, returned from Raleigh last night.

Messrs. E. M. Foscoe and Furniford Wilcox, of Jones, called to see us last night.

Mrs. Mary Bayard Clarke returned from Raleigh last night.

Fire Directory.

Thos. Gates & Co. have bought out the stock of Reel Bros. & Co. and will move into the Richardson brick store adjoining Green, Foy & Co.

Mr. William Hollister has moved to the McLean building in the store occupied by Geo. B. Guion where he will be pleased to see his customers.

John Brown, barber, has taken rooms on Middle street, next to Detrick's.

W. S. Phillips, harness maker, has located at Trenwith's shop.

W. E. Patterson has opened a hotel in the brick building known as the Patterson building, opposite the Baptist church.

Dr. Jas. F. Long takes an office in the Cooper building, next to the Brinson building and opposite Mr. H. R. Bryan's office, on South Front street.

Explanatory.

We regret very much that some members of the New Berne Fire Company feel aggrieved at the explanation we gave in yesterday's issue concerning the management of the fire on Tuesday morning last. During the progress of the fire the management was severely censured by both citizens and strangers who were in the city. Learning on the day following the fire that the well at which the Button engine was stationed did not exhaust but the suction hose would not reach the water, we sought to relieve the department, and when we say the department we include the New Berne Company, of a part of the odium of bad management by calling attention to a circumstance that we thought they could not at that time control. But some members of the company refuse to accept it in the spirit which we intended it. We regret this, for we desire to do full justice to our noble firemen who voluntarily expose themselves to save the property of their fellow men; we have no preference as to the companies; we endeavor to report the work done by each in time of fire, impartially.

Since some of the members are dissatisfied with our statement, we tender them our columns to make any explanation they may wish.

The Button and the Wells Tested.

Yesterday morning the Button engine was taken to the Trenwith well on Middle street for the purpose of testing the capacity of the well, and to ascertain whether or not the suction hose of the engine was of sufficient length to reach the inexhaustible supply of water, if it was there. Both these points were decided affirmatively. The engine was then taken to the well on Craven street near the Atlantic engine house, and the result was the same.

We refrain from any further comment on the management of the fire, as we might do some one injustice. If the officers of the department desire to make any statement we will take pleasure in publishing it. But after all the explanations the main causes of the fire proving so disastrous are the facts that it had a row of old frame buildings to prey upon and a strong wind to drive it. Our firemen worked as heroically as ever, but they never before had such a wind to contend with. The row of wooden buildings just across the street from the JOURNAL office, which were under a tremendous shower of burning coals and flying sparks, was saved by the timely arrival of the Button engine on Craven street. Had the fire gotten headway on these buildings the city would most likely have become panic stricken and no one knows what would have been the end.

The Thirteenth.

Twenty-three years ago to-day New Berne was captured by the Federal forces under the command of General A. E. Burnside. We have a vivid recollection of our tramp on the occasion, but as the years have rolled by we find our mind more inclined to dwell upon the ludicrous than the more disagreeable events of the day.

Kinston Items.

Miss Carrie Harding is visiting Miss Johnnie Kornegay.

Mr. D. R. Jackson returned from Washington on Monday.

The commercial traveller still thinks there is money in Kinston.

Mr. C. C. Daniels, editor of the Free Press, returned from Norfolk, Va., on Monday.

Mr. Robert S. Hay, merchant of Trenton, was visiting relatives in town on Tuesday.

Big fire in Tarboro Sunday night; one in New Berne on Monday night. Kinston's time next.

Much sympathy is expressed by our citizens for the sufferers by the Monday night fire in New Berne.

Miss Johnnie Kornegay, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Parrott, went home on Monday.

Let the weather alone. Don't watch it so close. Say nothing about it. Maybe, perhaps we shall have spring yet.

Messrs. Mitchell and Fields have bought the livery stable property recently owned by Mr. Jos. Lassiter.

Mrs. Walter Harding, of New Berne, was visiting friends and relatives in Kinston on Saturday. She carries sunshine wherever she goes.

Thermometer on Tuesday at 2 p. m. reached 65°, whereupon an old fisherman, who lives near the court house, on King street, went off and dug his bait. My friend, "one swallow does not make a summer."

Several ladies and gentlemen from Kinston went to Goldsboro on Saturday, to attend the play of "My Life" by Januscheck. The Madame was glittering with gold and gems, gifts of noble personages in Europe.

We saw one solitary shad to-day, the first in a fortnight. It was carried along the street by a gentleman who was accompanied by a friend with a double-barrelled shot gun—perhaps as a guard, as this excellent fish is quite scarce now.

A Kinston lady teacher, who recently visited the Goldsboro Graded School, speaks in the highest terms of the courtesy and kindness of Prof. Moses. She says that Prof. M. is a live teacher in every respect, and worthily fills his high position.

A Card.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Please allow me through your paper to acknowledge my indebtedness and express my thanks to the citizens and boarders at my hotel on the night of the fire for their untiring efforts in saving my property from the devouring elements which threatened to destroy me entirely, being more exposed to the hottest fire of any house on the opposite side of the street. And especially do I offer thanks to Messrs. W. F. Hill, A. F. Duval, Charley Garrock, W. C. Willis and others, the names of whom I did not learn.

Respectfully, A. B. CARROLL.

Thanks.

I hereby tender thanks to the citizens of New Berne who aided in saving my property on the night of the fire.

JOHN BROWN.

Capt. Waters returns thanks to the citizens and his friends who helped him out of a tight place the night of the fire.

Our thanks to the citizens who lent us their kind assistance at the fire.

SCHWERIN & ASH.

W. E. Patterson wishes to return thanks for assistance rendered him during the late fire.

Take Sine's Syrup of Tar for coughs and colds. Only 25c. For sale by R. N. DUFFY. feb12w6m

The Closing Scenes of the General Assembly.

COT. OF DAILY JOURNAL.
RALEIGH, March 10th, 1885.

The closing hours of the General Assembly are always fraught with more or less of excitement, but in all my experience extending over many years and many sessions, I do not remember to have seen anything to excel the scenes in our State capitol yesterday and to-day.

THE MCADEN AND PEARSON AFFAIR.

In the House last night we had the report of the special committee on the Pearson-McAden difficulty and a precious time was had over it. The facts are briefly these: Richmond Pearson, one of the Representatives from Buncombe, and a son of the late Chief Justice Pearson, has somewhat distinguished himself as an opponent of certain railroad measures which some of the other Western members supported. Pearson's opposition seemed to arise from the heavy draws which the schemes referred to made directly or indirectly upon the State treasury. Pearson's father was a well known Republican and young Richmond after leaving Chapel Hill was appointed to a foreign consulship under Grant. He never took any part in State politics until the "counting in" of Hayes when he resigned his consulship, returned to this State and has ever since affiliated with the Democratic party. Some time ago an article appeared in a Charlotte paper generally attributed to R. Y. McAden, severely criticizing Richmond Pearson's political antecedents. Not long after, in a discussion in the House, James L. Robinson, from Macon, ex-Lieutenant-Governor, indulged in some remarks in reply to something that Pearson had said in which he, Robinson, inquired "why if he was so sensitive as to what had been said on that floor he, Pearson, had not replied to that publication in the Charlotte paper. At this juncture Mr. Pearson arose and said: "Will the gentleman from Macon allow me to state my reason now?" To which Robinson replied, "certainly," and gave way for Pearson's rejoinder, who said: Because I did not think that worthy of my notice; while I did think that anything and everything that the gentleman from Macon might say on this floor was eminently worthy of my attention." That was all that Pearson said, and his tone and manner were courteous and void of any semblance of offence. Col. Tom Fuller, a friend of McAden's, was on the floor, and he soon after went down Fayetteville street, found McAden and stated (it is presumed) what took place, but what he did say to McAden does not appear in the evidence. Smarting under this information, whatever it was, McAden started up towards the capitol in company with Fuller. They met Richmond Pearson coming down from the House, and McAden stopped him and demanded if "his remark was meant to apply to him or to the newspaper." To which Pearson replied in a quiet, gentlemanly manner that "he could apply it to whichever he chose." McAden then struck him a violent blow on the face, which seems to have stunned him, and is said to have bridged his nose. At all events Pearson has been laid up ever since. This affair has created a great deal of feeling, as there have been many conflicting statements; but the foregoing are the exact facts. In the discussions on the streets, and in the lobbies the character of both parties has been the subject of frequent remark. Mr. McAden is said to be president of a bank in Charlotte. His best friends all give him the reputation of being a "fire eater," of always going heavily armed and ready to shoot on the slightest provocation. Richmond Pearson, on the other hand is said by his many warm friends to be a young man of a very amiable and courteous disposition—one who has a natural shrinking from brawls and fistuffs, with a high sense of honor, and a kind heart. He is the very opposite of McAden in disposition and nature, and his speeches on the floor have won him many friends. The House, when the news reached it of this assault upon one of its members, was in a tumult of excitement, and was almost immediately divided upon the question. A committee was appointed to consider the matter and report to the House. Men who had been in old rings or were interested in the different railroad schemes on the same footing as McAden, naturally took his side; while men who had no personal or sectional axes to grind, and had a pride in the State welfare took the other. In addition to which those who had personal friendship towards either party naturally fell into their respective lines. A committee was appointed in the premises to ascertain whether there had been a breach of the privileges of the House, and if so to report what course should be taken. The committee was divided, and as a consequence, its report a mistake. They found that R. Y. McAden had committed a breach of parliamentary privileges, but insisted of so reporting and recommending the House to "summon him before its bar to answer and then to abide its hearing and decision." They advised that as the session was so near its close, the House ought to pass resolutions condemnatory of his act and take no further steps. This was virtually trying a man in violation of his constitutional rights to be present and confront his accusers. McAden's friends were quick to ask this and although largely in the minority, they turned their tables on the majority and brought their man out without any action on the part of the House. Not only did they do this, but they gave McAden an opportunity to have read a communication over his own signature addressed to the committee couched in language which was characterized on the floor as "an insult to the House." During its reading the House was like a volcano—two or three times the reading was interrupted, and it needed only the kindling touch to have caused an explosion which would have made it rough for McAden. The general impression that

he always went armed and sat there upon that floor during the proceedings virtually defying them all did not sit comfortably upon the stomachs of a majority of members.

Items from Ocala, Florida.

Arrivals in Ocala during the week number about eight hundred.

The average temperature in Ocala at 12, m., during the past week was 72°.

There have been in Jacksonville, Florida, during the winter fifteen thousand tourists.

The Leconte pear culture is increasing rapidly, and the vegetable growers are shipping goodly numbers of vegetables to Northern markets.

The real estate transfers in Marion county for the past week were pretty large. Property in Ocala alone changed hands to the amount of \$10,000.

Cleveland is President, I am a Democrat and have not any appointment to office yet, but some of the Rads have lost positions; this will do for me.

Mr. Ebenezer Harris, father of James A. Harris, the orange king, died last week and was buried in Ocala; a vast concourse of citizens accompanied his remains to their resting-place.

It has been discovered that rats will not trouble leather that has been greased with alligator grease; preparing this oil for market will some day be a considerable industry. Look out, ye 'gators!

The "Land of Flowers" is also the land of sand, wire-grass, pines, oranges, bananas, lemons, limes, Leconte pears, fine early vegetables, mosquitoes, poor cattle, shabby shoats, and I will tell you more about the heat next June.

Some of the productions of Florida spoil in transportation to the far North; but you may take the Florida alligator, turn him on his back, prop him up with pitchforks and ship him across four continents and he is the same old bully still.

It is said there are more bachelors in Florida in proportion to population than in any State in the Union; and there is said to be a scarcity of young ladies. If these things be true your correspondent has unintentionally turned up in the wrong place.

The climate of Florida is claimed to be the great attraction to those who live in the far North, and I reckon there is some truth in that assertion; but it is the opinion of many that the orange, the banana, lemon, lime, and fine vegetables are the charms that bring the thousands to Florida; take these away and these sands would be tenacious.

Those who have land to sell can very easily convince one that the orange market can never be stocked, but those who own large orange groves that are not for sale, claim that the market can very easily be glutted, so you see we have "bears" and "bulls" in Florida too. Your correspondent does not know much about the orange bull, but the average Florida bull of the bovine genus is quite a shabby animal.

During this week a laborer at work on the new courthouse at Gainesville fell nine feet and broke his skull. Some years ago a negro fell from the third story of the Pulaski House in Savannah head foremost on the pavement, and jumped up, crying out, "Who, who dat laughing at me?" See the difference between a white man and a negro. It is said that Florida negroes, alligators, gophers and mosquitoes are wonderfully tenacious of life.

A lady in Hernando was sewing on her machine; her little son was sitting with his back toward the machine reading a pleasant story and picture book. Suddenly the needle broke, and flying through the air pierced the child's medulla oblongata, causing instant death. Thus, with all the bright dreams of childhood which he had been reading and imagining, this little boy passed away from a land of earthly flowers and beauty to heavenly peace and glory. With a happy smile on his face the angel closed the portals of his mortal life and took his spirit home.

UNCLE NATHAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Advices from Yokohama say that the negotiations between Japan and China in reference to the Korean trouble will shortly be begun at Peking. Japan will insist upon a disclaimer of the attack by the Chinese troops, and will propose a joint withdrawal of soldiers from Korea. A Korean embassy had arrived at Tokio with a letter of apology from the King of Korea to the Emperor of Japan.

It is said that the French regard the prospect of a disagreement between Japan and China as an opportunity for an alliance with the former against the latter. Japan, however, is disposed to settle its difficulty with China separately. It has been definitely determined that the treaty revision conference will occupy not more than three weeks.

Gen. Foote, the United States Minister to Korea, had an audience with the Emperor on Feb. 17 by the special desire of his Majesty, who cordially thanked the General for his humane and courageous conduct in protesting a number of Japanese during the Korean riots. The Empress presented Mrs. Foote with a handsome tea set.

CINCINNATI, March 9.—While Joseph Bohlman was attending to some repairs on the roof of the Gibson House this evening he caught hold of an electric light wire, and was instantly killed by the shock.

Carry down your broken glass and crockery and have them cemented together by Dr. Scott. Also send and get fresh paroled peanuts for 6 cts. per quart at Scott's, on South Front street between Hancock and Middle streets, Newbern, N. C. Look for cement and peanut sign at the door. Try a bottle of Scott's Liniment and Blood Tonic for Rheumatism, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed. mar12d1m

Willacochee

Is the name of a flourishing village in Coffee county, Georgia, on the line of the Brunswick and Albany railroad.

Mr. D. E. Gaskin, a well known citizen of that village, writes under date of December 23d:

Soon after my marriage, about four years ago, my wife was stricken with some trouble peculiar to her sex, which broke down her general health. In this condition she was soon after attacked with Inflammatory Rheumatism of such a severe type that it made her a cripple. She was reduced in flesh to sixty-five pounds, and came very near losing her life. She was attended by three good physicians who treated her with some benefit, but the swelling in her joints never left her. Last summer the rheumatism returned in a still more severe and painful form which seemed to defy the skill of the doctors. She would almost go frantic with pain, and would lie and scream all day. A friend of mine, who is an engineer on the Brunswick & Albany Railroad, suggested that I should use Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) which I did. After she had taken one small bottle she was up and able to walk over the house, and after taking the six small bottles she is now able to do any kind of house work; the swelling has gone, all the pain has left her, and she is in better health than she ever was. The treatment before using the Swift's Specific cost me between \$850 to \$400, and the six bottles of S. S. S. cost me six dollars.

It is certainly the most wonderful medicine and the best blood purifier in the world. The proprietors should let the world know about it.

NOTE—The S. S. S. Company wish to caution purchasers in regard to the numerous imitations of their goods. Some carry the lie on the face, purporting to be vegetable remedies, when, in fact, they are really strong solutions of poisonous minerals—as Mercury, Potash, etc. Be careful to get the genuine.

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COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, March 12, 6 P. M.

COTTON.
New York futures barely steady; spots quiet.
Middling 11 5-16; Low Middling 11; Good Ordinary 10 5-16.

FUTURES.
January, 10.54 July, 11.44
February, August, 11.50
March, 11.17 September, 11.12
April, 11.13 October, 10.63
May, 11.25 November, 10.48
June, 11.36 December, 10.48

New Berne market steady. Sales of 15 bales at 7 to 10¢.

Middling 10 1-4; Low Middling 9 15-16; Good Ordinary 9 1-4.

RICE.
New Berne upland \$1.00a\$1.09.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

COTTON SEED—\$10.00.
SEED COTTON—\$3.50.
BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.15; dip, \$1.75.
TAR—75c. a \$1.25.
CORN—50a60c.
BRESWAX—20c. per lb.
HONEY—60c. per gallon.
BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.
COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb.
LARD—10c. per lb.
EGGS—18c. per dozen.
FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.
PEANUTS—60a75c. per bushel.
FODDER—75c. a \$1.00 per hundred.
ONIONS—\$1.56a2.00 per bbl.
FIELD PEAS—
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.
TALLOW—5c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 20a30c.
MEAL—60c. per bushel.
OATS—45 cts. per bushel.
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.
WOOL—12a17c. per pound.
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a50c.
FURS—Coon skins, 30c.; fox, 50c. mink, 50c.; otter from \$3a6.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch, hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—\$14.75.
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 7c.; prime, 8c.
C. R. and L. C. R.—7¢.
NAILS—Basis 10's, \$2.50.
FLOUR—\$3.50a7.00.
POTATOES—\$5.00.
LARD—81a9c.
SUGAR—Granulated, 7c.
SALT—90c. a \$1.00 per sack.
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.
KEROSENE—10c.
POWDER—\$5.50.
SHOT—\$1.60.

Notice.

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Administrator's Sale.

By virtue of the judgment of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven county, in the case of A. Hahn, Administrator of Thos. C. Harris, deceased, vs. Gilbert Trutson, Elizabeth Trutson, E. C. Tucker, Lucy Ann Tucker and Harriet Ann Harris, upon a petition duly filed to sell real estate for assets for the payment of debts, I will sell at the Court House door in the city of New Berne, on Monday the 6th day of April, 1885, at 12 o'clock, M., the following Real Estate, being part of the lands lately owned by Thos. C. Harris, dec'd, viz.: 1 tract of land on the north side of Trent road, about 2 miles from New Berne, containing 25 acres; also 1 tract of land on the opposite side of the road from the above, containing 18 acres, where Harmon Moore lived; also one undivided half of a tract of land near Bachelor's creek, containing 560 acres, known as the T. C. Harris and W. C. Lawrence land.

Terms of sale, cash.

This 2nd day of March, 1885.

A. HAHN, Adm'r
m5dtd of Thos. C. Harris, dec'd.

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