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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal's Centennial Almanac.**  
New Berne, latitude, 35° 6' North,  
longitude, 77° 3' West.  
Sun rises, 5:47 | Length of day,  
Sun sets, 6:21 | 19 hours, 34 minutes.  
Moon sets at 6:09 a. m.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

**ROOMS FOR RENT.** Apply at the corner of Pollock and German sts. 31-2t  
Lewis Washington, the house mover, is in the city and will be here for two or three weeks prepared to move any house when called on.

A large lot of Business Cards just received at this office.

M. H. SULTAN has opened his stock of goods in the store recently occupied by Asa Jones. m37t

1,000 odd papers for sale at the JOURNAL Office.

Last day of March.

Eggs are down to ten cents, the old homespun price.

Lewis Washington is moving a house for Judge Seymour on Metcalf street.

Mr. F. Boesser, dealer in furniture, made an assignment yesterday to D. N. Kilburn.

Several oyster boats were in yesterday and about three hundred hands were engaged at the cannery.

The Democratic Executive Committee assembled to-night at the City Clerk's office, and then ward politics will begin to boil.

Mr. Henry J. Lovick's card, county surveyor, appears in this issue. He is an old hand at the business and knows what to do with a compass.

Messrs. J. W. Smallwood and A. M. Baker have replaced the panel torn out of the fence around the Episcopal church yard on the night of the fire.

Jones Superior Court convenes next Monday, Judge Gudger presiding. Our man Taylor will be on hand, and we hope our delinquents will be ready to meet him.

The schooner *Packett*, Bloodgood master, arrived from Swansboro on Sunday with a cargo of turpentine for Maj. Dennison, and sails to-day on return trip with a cargo of general merchandise.

"Issue these bonds and your children will never live to see them paid," says one. This is exactly what we want to do. A portion of the debt was incurred by providing facilities for getting water, a thing absolutely necessary in time of fire, and we think it nothing but right that future generations, who will be benefited by this work, should help to pay for it. Why not bond it and pay it when we are better able.

There is a feeling against bonding the present city debt upon the ground that it is not lawful and just. If it is unlawful is anybody responsible for it? If it is unlawful ought it to be paid or bonded? These questions are of much importance to those who hold the indebtedness. We favor bonding the debt because we recognize it as just and lawful, and because we don't want to be taxed to pay it until we are relieved of the present high county taxes.

**Personal.**  
Mr. Geo. F. M. Dall left for Snow Hill yesterday morning.

Mr. B. A. Bell and son, Mr. Fred Bryan, and Miss Maria Manly left for New Orleans yesterday morning.

Mr. H. B. Duffy has returned from the North and reports a big stock of goods following.

Maj. W. A. Blount, of Chocowinity, arrived yesterday evening and was greeted by many friends. He ordered corn planting to begin to-day if ice had to be broken to do it.

Messrs. D. B. Taylor and J. B. Pollock, of Kinston, called to see us yesterday.

### A Question for the Lawyers.

A Legislature does nothing unless it creates something for the lawyers to do. This is all right, for we have a high regard for the legal fraternity and like to see them well employed, and we like to see them well paid. Among the knotty questions tied up by the last General Assembly for them to untie is the one in reference to the spring term of Carteret Superior Court. Early in the session the General Assembly passed an act changing the time of holding the Superior Courts of Carteret and Pender, which throws the holding of the spring term of Carteret on the 15th Monday after the 1st Monday in March, which is the 15th day of June. Subsequently an act was passed to go into effect on the same day, the 15th of June, placing Carteret in another district. Now the question is, will Judge Gudger, who is holding courts in the present 3rd district, complete work in his district and hold court in what will then be the sixth district, or does the new act, increasing the number of districts to twelve repeal the former act which provides for Carteret court to hold on the 15th of June? Will some of the legal fraternity answer?

### Carson's Centennial LIME.

We desire to call special attention to the advertisement of Oaksmith & Co. in another column, of this very superior lime. We understand that they have accepted the general agency for this section and have effected contracts which enable them to supply our local demand at very low prices. New Berne needs cheap brick and cheap lime, and this firm propose to supply the latter. The preference is given to this lime for the Government buildings at Washington, and we have seen testimonials which bear out the assertions of Oaksmith & Co. that the "Centennial" is the best and cheapest lime ever offered in this market.

### A. & N. C. Railroad.

**EDITOR JOURNAL.**—In reply to an article in Sunday's issue of the JOURNAL, signed "Interested Observers," I have only to say that if I hold his or their proxies I shall be happy to explain my views on the railroad question to him or them, but if not I hardly think it worth the time or space to weary the public with them.

Yours truly,  
WASHINGTON BRYAN.

### Jarvis Minister to Brazil.

**News and Observer.**  
WASHINGTON, March 28.—The report that ex-Governor Jarvis would receive the appointment of minister to Brazil is confirmed to-day and his nomination will probably be sent to the Senate Monday, to succeed Thos. A. Osborn, the present minister. He will be stationed at Rio de Janeiro, and is allowed a secretary of legation. The mission is regarded as a very desirable one.

The solicitor generalship question remains in statu quo. Mr. Phillips' resignation, tendered three weeks ago, has not yet been accepted. LLEWEXAM.

### Kinston Items.

A search warrant should be issued in order to find out where the head has gone.

The mocking birds are making one more effort to bring forward the tardy spring.

Miss Sebie Dunn of Kinston is visiting Miss Gertrude Hooker in Greene county.

Bob Strong has added one hundred and twenty robins to his number since last report.

The taffy man has come back again—and amuses the street Arabs by throwing bits of candy into the street for them to scramble after.

Five marriages in the county during the month just ending. Of these four were from the country and one from town. Two couples were white and three colored.

Number of arrests during last week was five, for following offences: disorderly conduct, violating town ordinance, larceny. The colored boy for larceny is now in jail.

Mr. F. C. Loops, of this place, will open a hardware store here in August, in Mr. Jas. A. Bridgen's brick building—in the store formerly occupied by Mr. Abner Slaughter.

A party is being organized here for a movement on New Orleans, week after next, Monday, 6th April. Our chairman of county commissioners, Jas. A. Bridgen, will take command.

Chicken thieves are watchful and successful in Kinston. On Friday night they unlocked the door of Dr. Walsh's hen-house and helped themselves to nearly one half of the whole lot.

Those desiring to have a hand in the election for aldermen, in May, would do well to call upon Mr. J. P. Haskitt, at the store of Haskitt & Davis, and register. This is required by the new charter.

The sudden accession of warm weather has put all the town gardeners to work. Would it not be well for those who raise chickens in town to see to it that these feathered bipeds do not trespass upon neighbors' gardens. When seeds come up the day after being planted, they do not generally grow very well.

### La Grange Items.

A few days of improved weather. Ex-Sheriff Davis, of Kinston, was in town Wednesday.

Jim Davis was arrested one day last week charged with stealing a hog, the property of Isaac Fields. We learn that Jim says others were concerned in the stealing.

We counted 23 full grown men on our streets last Friday morning all, apparently, without employ. The firm of Doolittle, Setmore & Co. expect to commence active operations in business as soon as the weather will permit, and will expect and welcome all who are not otherwise occupied.

The store, dwelling rooms and stock of goods of Waitstill Hill, on railroad near Falling Creek, were entirely destroyed by fire last Thursday night. The house-furniture and provisions were saved. The loss is supposed to be near fifteen hundred dollars. The burning is supposed to be accidental.

Miss Florence Rountree, of Kinston, is visiting Miss Effie Rouse and friends in our village. Miss Carraway, of —, spent a few days last week visiting McD. Taylor's family in our place. Mr. James Temple, wife and daughter, from Wake county, are visiting Mrs. M. A. Crown and other relatives and friends in our town.

The members of the City Democratic Executive Committee are requested to meet at the City Clerk's office, Tuesday, March 31st, 8 p. m.

J. H. HACKBURN, Ch. A.

Take Sine's Syrup of Tar for coughs and colds. Only 15c. For sale by N. Durey. feb1 dsm

### CAPTIONS

Of The Acts of The General Assembly of the Session of 1885.

[CONTINUED.]

CHAP. 195. An act to amend section 2034 of the Code.

Lawful to kill doves and larks at any time in Pamlico and Hyde.

CHAP. 196. An act to authorize the commissioners of Lenoir county to levy a special tax.

Tax three-tenths of one per cent to pay indebtedness for iron bridge; also tax one-fifth of one per cent to repair jail. May issue bonds.

CHAP. 197. An act to amend section 1848 of the Code of North Carolina, relating to mills.

Tolls may be taken by weight or measure, at option of customer and miller.

CHAP. 198. An act to amend section 2834 of the Code.

Bird law not to apply to Johnston, Tyrrell, Dare, Onslow, Carteret, Jones or Columbus.

CHAP. 201. An act for the better protection of the farmers of Pamlico county. May shoot larks, doves and partridges when injuring their crops.

CHAP. 211. An act to incorporate the Roanoke and Tar River Railroad Company.

Railroad from Virginia line, Hertford or Northampton, to point on Roanoke river in Bertie, and thence to Kinston or Goldsboro; usual powers, subscriptions, &c.

CHAP. 214. An act to amend section 1976 of the Code.

In action brought against a railroad company for a penalty before a justice, service may be made on "any agent." In any action against a railroad company before a justice, the justice may issue subpoena to any county for the president, or any officer of the company, to attend with books, &c. Persons failing to attend guilty of contempt.

CHAP. 218. An act to authorize the commissioners of Hyde county to audit and pay certain claims of H. G. McCLOUD.

McCloud, a county treasurer, overpaid teachers \$138.58. Amount to be repaid him.

CHAP. 224. An act to raise revenue. Tax levy 15 cents on \$100. Slight changes in income and peddler's tax. Copies will soon be distributed.

CHAP. 225. An act to provide for the levying and collecting of taxes. Machinery act. Copies will soon be distributed.

CHAP. 226. An act supplemental to an act passed at the present session of the General Assembly, entitled an act to raise revenue.

Any manufacturer paying a drummer's tax shall be allowed a rebate of that amount upon his general taxes.

CHAP. 227. An act to amend the Code, vol. II, chap. 29, Title Insurance. Code, §3061—provision that no action shall be brought in courts of the State against an insurance company not licensed by State, stricken out, deposit law repealed; declaration that no clause shall be construed to prevent payment of full amount of loss to extent of insurance actually paid for thereon—not to affect three-fourths value clause.

CHAP. 228. An act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors in certain localities. Omnibus act mentioning many localities. Copies in hand of Secretary of State.

CHAP. 230. An act to prohibit the taking of oysters from Middle creek and other creeks in Hyde county in the night time.

Unlawful to take oysters between sunrise and sunset in Middle, Bach, Burie and Cedar creeks in Hyde county.

CHAP. 232. An act to incorporate the Wilmington, Onslow and East Carolina Railroad Company.

Railroad from Wilmington to Jacksonville in Onslow county, or anywhere east of Wilmington and Weldon Railroad. Usual powers. Convicts at \$8 per month, in county or city bonds. When Western North Carolina built to Murphy, this railroad to have fifty convicts.

CHAP. 235. An act to establish a normal school at Washington in the county of Beaufort.

State to pay \$500 out of appropriation heretofore devoted to University Normal, for normal schools at Washington, Asheville and Winston.

CHAP. 239. An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act to prevent live stock from running at large in Goldsboro township in Wayne county. Amendatory act not to go into effect until December 1, 1885.

CHAP. 241. An act to amend sections 3648 and 73 of the Code. County commissioners can increase bond of registers of deeds, after 20 days notice, to \$15,000—not to apply to Burke, Madison and Wilkes.

CHAP. 242. An act to make the seduction of women, under promise of marriage, criminal. Offense punishable by fine or imprisonment in penitentiary not over 5 years. Unsupported testimony of woman not enough to convict. Marriage a bar to prosecution.

CHAP. 251. An act to amend section 3288 of the Code.

Governor may order camp of militia and pay \$3,000, to be repaid by United States out of commutation for ordnance stores.

CHAP. 253. An act to amend section 3132 of the Code.

Section forbidding any one to recover fee for practicing without license; not to apply to any physician with diploma from regular college prior to January 1, 1880.

CHAP. 259. An act for the relief of sheriffs and other officers. Actual expenses of arrest allowed to sheriff or other officer; to be paid by county commissioners.

CHAP. 268. An act to amend chapter 281, section 5, laws of 1881. The five-mile limit of prohibition in

act of 1881, to include wine and cider.

CHAP. 270. An act to make an appropriation for the Oxford Orphan Asylum. \$10,000 appropriated. Board of directors required to make annual report.

CHAP. 271. An act relating to the Board of Health.

Medical Society of North Carolina to elect six members, and Governor to appoint three, to constitute North Carolina Board of Health; organization of county boards, &c. Vital statistics. \$2,000 appropriated, and \$2,000 more if cholera breaks out.

CHAP. 277. An act to amend chapter 70 of the laws of 1883, entitled an act to prevent live stock from running at large in the counties of Greene and Lenoir.

Amended by striking out provision exempting stock from impounding which cross Contentnea creek. Other slight amendments.

CHAP. 285. An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled an act to prevent live stock from running at large in Goldsboro township, Wayne county, ratified the 23rd day of February, 1885.

Additional territory included. [TO BE CONTINUED.]

### Swansboro Items.

The cold snap this week and last benumbed the trouts here. Mr. K. Willis & Co. caught about 300 in two days and we are eating trout again.

The weather continues bad and yet farmers have not planted their corn yet; most of them have commenced to plant and will finish this week if the weather permits.

Just received a letter from Captain McIver, of the convict force on the Angola road, Pender county. He reports the road about the same as the Quaker Bridge road was. That's bad enough, sure.

Mat. Heady has a coon dog about 8 years old, named Zeb, that has treed and caught over 60 coons since last November. Zeb is a regular "Democrat dog." He won't bark at anything except a "Rad."

Mr. H. wanted to buy some candles. Dave B. sold him one. H. went home, lighted his candle at supper, when the thing commenced popping away like a pistol. H. "toted for parts unknown; has not been heard of yet. It was a Roman candle.

Mr. Johnson Oliver and Miss Julia Smith were united in holy matrimony last Wednesday at Tabernacle church, on White Oak, by Charles Gerock, Esq. The groom is a son of Wm. Oliver. The bride the accomplished daughter of Samuel B. Smith.

Schooner *Packett*, Joe Bloodgood, cleared Thursday for New Berne with naval stores to A. R. Dennison. Schr. *Gold Leaf*, Hill, is now loading on Bear Creek, near here, with naval stores for Maj. Dennison, New Berne. Schooner *Ella*, Martin Bloodgood, arrived here from Wilmington this week. She carried a load of corn from Elizabeth City, and is now taking a load of rosin from G. W. Smith's still, bound to Elizabeth City, where she will take another load of corn for Wilmington.

Mrs. Rachel Morton, mother of W. E. Morton, our neighbor, and widow of the late West Morton, is very low with pneumonia. Sometime since she fell and sprained her ankle severely. Mrs. Morton is one of the oldest citizens in our county, being about 80 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Smith, an old couple, are "also very sick." L. H. Cox, Esq., continues to grow worse, and is not expected to live but a few days longer—disease of the heart. While I write news comes that Mr. Cox is dying.

LONDON, March 26.—Advices from Tamatave say that a hurricane visited the east coast of Madagascar, on Feb. 25. The American bark Sarah Hobart and the French steamers Oise and Argo were wrecked. Seventeen persons lost their lives, and much damage was done.

DUBLIN, March 26.—Elaborate preparations are being made at Kingstown for the reception of the Prince and Princess of Wales. It is said that Earl Spencer, the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, will not appear at the reception, lest demonstrations of hostility toward him be construed as referring to the Prince.

### Skin Diseases.

I have a little daughter seven years old, who for the last four years has been afflicted with a peculiar skin eruption on the face and one hand. I have tried seven or eight physicians, among them the best in California and in this province, but to no purpose. The child kept growing worse. Fortunately, I saw a statement in a St. Paul, Minn., paper of a cure of a disease similar to that of my child. It was affected by Swift's Specific. I secured six bottles and commenced giving it to my little girl. In less than one week this terrible disease, which had baffled all the known remedies within reach, began to disappear. She has been taking it three months—is perfectly well, and her skin is as clear as wax.

G. A. SMITH, Trenton, Ontario Province, Canada, March 23, 1884.

### What a Minister Says.

Extreme weakness and general debility, produced by exposure and overwork attendant upon my duties, were gradually developing into an utter prostration of my system. Adopting the suggestions of intimate friends, who had experienced relief in similar cases by taking Swift's Specific, I now find myself restored to a perfect condition of health and strength. Accept my fervent wishes for your continued prosperity in your well chosen and successful method for relieving those who suffer.

Rev. B. STOCKTON, D. D., Stillwater Place, Stamford, Conn. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. The Swift Specific Co., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga. For sale in New Berne at HANCOCK BROS.

## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, March 30. 8 P. M.

COTTON. New York futures dull; spots steady. Middling 11 3-16; Low Middling 10 7-8; Good Ordinary 10 3-16.

FUTURES. January, 10.54 July, 11.39 February, — August, 11.89 March, 11.07 September, 11.06 April, 11.01 October, 10.61 May, 11.13 November, 10.65 June, 11.25 December, 10.44

New Berne market dull. No sales. Sales for the week 88 bales, against 41 bales same week last years.

MIDDLING 10 3-16; Low Middling 9 7-8; Good Ordinary 9 3-16.

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. HENS—20c. per lb.

HONEY—60c. per gallon. BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.

COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb. LARD—10c. per lb.

EGGS—10c. per dozen. FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.

PEANUTS—60a75c. per bushel. FODDER—75c.a\$1.00 per hundred.

ONIONS—\$1.50a2.00 per bbl. FIELD PEAS—

HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c. TALLOW—5c. per lb.

CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 20a30c.

MEAL—65c. per bushel. OATS—50 cts. per bushel.

TURNOIPS—50c. per bushel. WOOL—12a17c. per pound.

POTATOES—Sweet, 25a50c. PUNS—Coon skins, 30c.; fox, 50c.

minik, 50c.; other from \$3a8. SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch,

hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M. WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—\$14.00. SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 7c.;

prime, 8c. C. R. and L. C. R.—7a8c.

NAILS—Basis 10's, \$2.50. FLOUR—\$3.50a7.00.

POTATOES—\$3.00. LARD—\$1a9c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 61c. SALT—90c.a\$1.00 per sack.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c. KEROSENE—10c.

POWDER—\$5.50. SHOT—\$1.60.

THE BEST BUILDING LIME IN THE WORLD.

The undersigned being satisfied that CARSON & SON'S CENTENNIAL MEDAL LIME is the best known in the world for building purposes, have accepted the sole Agency for New Berne, the Line of the "A. & N. C. R. R." and the territory tributary thereto; and are prepared to furnish it to builders, consumers and the trade at prices far below what it has ever sold at before in this market, either by the car load at points east of Best's on the "A. & N. C. R. R." or in lots to suit at New Berne. Gen. Meigs and Professor Baird place this Lime above all others; and from its purity (being absolutely free of magnesia) and the extra large size of its barrels, it is warranted to out one-third further than any other, thus making it the best and cheapest Lime ever sold in this market. Special freight contracts enable us now to offer this Lime very low.

OAKSMITH & CO., Foot Pollock street, New Berne. mh31 dw3w

### HENRY J. LOVICK, COUNTY SURVEYOR,

Is ready to survey, procession and plot lands. Orders left at Hugh Lovick's store, foot of Middle street, New Berne, N. C., will receive prompt attention. fe2d1w wtf

### OUT OF THE FIRE!

L. H. CUTLER

IS NOW IN THE

ODD FELLOWS BUILDING

Nearly opposite the old stand, with a FULL LINE OF

Hardware and

Cooking Stoves,

LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER PARIS,

HAIR, PAINTS, OILS AND PUTTY,

Sash, Doors and Blinds

AT COST!

A NICE LOT OF CROCKERY

Will be pleased to see his former customers. dw

MRS. SUSAN STANLY

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AT HER BOOK STORE,

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