CLOSING OUT

Groceries, Tobacco.

Cigars, Stoves, Etc. Etc.

stock, we offer our ENTIRE STOCK by

At Cost for Cash Only.

A rare chance to buy good Cigars, Tobacco and Groceries at COST.

A few fine Cook Stoves at cost also.

Wm. Pell Ballance & Co.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that applica-

tion will be made to Board of City

Council for privilege to erect by Stock Company a Market House at foot Middle street. Said Market House to be turned

over to city when it shall have paid in

rentals for cost of construction, with a

fair equivalent for use of capital in-

Notice.

Certificate No. 801 for one share of the

stock of the Atlantic and North Caro-

lina Railroad, having been lost, notice s hereby given that I will make appli-

Administrator of J. A. Suydam, Sr.

HAMS.

JUST RECEIVED

4.000 POUNDS

SUGAR-DURED CANVASSED

10 Cents.

SOLD BY ACTUAL WEIGHT.

For Rent.

HOUSE and LOT, corner Craven and

Union streets, recently occupied by Mr

fe15 tf Or W. F. ROUNTREE.

NOTICE.

Store and Furniture

FOR SALE.

I will sell at Public Auction, at the

Store of F. BŒSSER, corner Middle and

Broad streets, in the City of New Berne,

ON SATURDAY,

The 11th day of April, A.D.1885

The Store House occupied as a Furniture Store by said Boesser; also the large lot of Furniture in said store, con-

THE BEST BUILDING LIME IN

THE WORLD.

sumers 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 magne-

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L. H. CUTLER

IS NOW IN THE

ODD FELLOWS BUILDING

Nearly opposite the old stand, with a

FULL LINE OF

LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER PARIS

Cooking Stoves,

Hardware and

OAKSMITH & CO., Foot Pollock street, New Berne. mh31 dw2w

D. N. KILBURN, Assignee.

veyed tome by said F. Boesser.

Sale at TEN o'clock.

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K. R. Jones. Apply to

F. ULRICH.

J. W. WALKER,

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JAMES C. HARRISON,

cation for a duplicate of the same.

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vested.

Having determined to close out our

LOCAL NEWS.

ournal Ministere Almanac. Sun rises, 5:33 | Length of Gay, Sun sets, 6:30 | 12 hours, 57 minutes. Moon rises at 2:10 a.m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

M. H. SULTAN has opened his stock of goods in the store recently occupied by Asa Jones. m27tf

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

The peas are fairly jumping.

C. W. Brown has commenced work on the warehouse on L. H. Cutler's lot. Calley and P. R. H. claim to have as many pea blossoms at their farm as abe the chairman has been forced to the B. or Gosport S.

We call attention to the notice of Tax-Collector Bell who will sell at the court louse door on the 25th of May valuable real estate for taxes.

Twenty years ago to-day we grounded have not actively engaged in war since. In fact we now think it likely that we rever shall again.

Herring & Peacock have commenced work on the burnt district. The walls of Mr. Pearce's brick store, on the corner of Middle and South Front streets, are going up rapidly,

We call attention to the advertisement of the Mutual Trust Fund Life Association of New York, which appears in our Ward Politics. columns, and especially to the letter of Mr. Burrus, in our local columns, and ment, will remain in the city a few days

W. Smallwood and F. W. Hancock,
Esq., are pushing their claims, while in
the 3rd Ward Mr. Thos. Daniels seems needing insurance.

The Goldsboro Daily Argus. The first number of this sprightly daily is before us. The Argus is neatly printed, filled with interesting matter, and launches forth in real ship-shape. Joseph E. Robinson, Editor, L. M. Nash All the members present except Counor often. Shake & ..

Disappointed. Quite a number of citizens from Pamlico county were up yesterday to attend the Japanese Fair, but found, on their arrival, that they were too early by a week, as the Fair does not come off this city. more because of the present disappoint- spare. ment.

A Wild Turkey Killed.

Mr. James Hensly brought in yesterday a wild turkey, which he killed on Hog island, weighing saventeen pounds. The plumage was the most beautiful we have ever seen.

In order that our readers may not fall into the same error that our reporter did. we will state that Hog island is up Neuse river and not the one between Pamilieo and Core sounds.

The reporter thought that it was the

latter place and for that reason insisted that it was a wild goose.

Mr. R. S. Burkhead was before the Mayor yesterday for violation of ordinance in riding his bleyele on the sidewalk. He acknowledged the corn, paid the cost and will in future confine his team to that portion of the street allotted to vehicles, other than those containing infants and invalids. We heard it remarked only the day before that Mr. Burkhead was making the only good use of a bicycle that the observer had ever seen made of one, and that was in using it to travel from his place of business to his meals, by which he saved business to his meals, by which he saved

A friend advises us that the steamer tween Washington and the Lake Land-ing section of Hyde, and proposes to navigate the Lake Landing Canal and nuskeet Lake to Fairfield, from Fairfield to Tarboro. We inquired of Major Hearne in regard to the feasibility of this undertaking

and he replied:
"The Margie for such route is entirely practicable. Sie is one of the best and strongest built light-draught steamboats esing good sea-going

The Lion and the Lamb Lay Down

The county commissioners at their neeting on Monday last adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the chairman of this board be and is hereby authorized and empowered to go to Releigh and see the Governor, and lay before the Governor the opposition of the board and a large majority of the people of Craven county to a lease of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, or any change of the management of said road.

We know not by what means the divided them. But it is certainly a remarkable conclusion since the board lived here and consequently never died ters for the benefit of the public: itself has been divided on this very question of lease and management; yes, they have been so thoroughly divided that unpleasant duty of voting for himself for county proxy, or cast his ballot for a

man not in accord with his own views. We can readily see how five men can consult upon a matter of importance and two of the number convince the arms at Appenattox Court House and three that they are right, but does this hearing the arguments?

We are not disputing the correctness of the conclusion of the board; but we county commissioners have at last harmonized railroad matters. "Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

Next Monday night the Democrats hold their meetings for the nomination to the names of the members in New of candidates for Councilmen for next Berne. There can be no higher recom- year. The wires are at work and the mendation of a life insurance company probability is a much larger vote will be than the endorsement of its own mem-bers. We have joined the association the friends of Mr. Wm. E'lis are pushand recommend it to the public. Dr. jug him for the nomination; in the 2nd C. D. Rice, manager Southern Depart- Ward the respective friends of Mr. E. went, will remain in the city a few days W. Smallwood and F. W. Hancock. to be most prominently spoken of. But there is plenty of time for "dark

City Council Proceedings.

NEW BERNE, N. C., April 7, 1887. The regular meeting of the Board was held this evening, the Mayor presiding.

metal-roof shed connecting his premises were referred to the Building Commit-

week. They have had the pleasure, Street and Pump Committee was in-however of a pleasant trip, and will no structed to continue the shelling up doubt come again and only enjoy it the Broad street if there was any shells to

The vote on the Act to bond the city debt and for city improvements was canvassed. The following is the result: lst Ward-47 votes cast; Ratification

37, Rejection 10. 2nd Ward—67 votes cast; Ratification

42, Rejection 15.
4th Ward-58 votes cast; Ratification etc.

5th Ward—180 votes cast; Ratification 26, Rejection 154.
Total yots 400. Ratification 152, Rejection 257. Majority for Rejection 105. The Mayor declared the Act lest.

The following persons were appointed as Registrars and Inspectors for the election of City Conneilmen, May 4th, 1885, and the following places for hold-

business to his meals, by which he saved both time and fatigue instead of mere sport.

Washington and Hyde Causty.

A friend advises us that the steamer Margie is about to go on the route between Washington and the Lake Landard aronases to his meals, by which he saved & Manly (referred to the Finance Committee), and B. F. Pool, which was not allowed.

On motion of Councilman Street, the Fire Department Committee was instructed to see on what terms the city could be released from the lease of the property recently used by the Atlantic Company for their jumper

on motion, the matter of leasing the property at the foot of Middle street was referred to the Committee on Wharves and Docks, with instructions to consult with the city attorneys and report at a call meeting of the Board.

The Marshal's report showed fifteen trests during March, fourteen of whom were convicted.

Death of a Noted Man.

New Beane, N. C., April 4.—Gen. A. C. Gorrington, who died here yesterday at the age of 62, was before the war one at the age of 62, was before the war one of the most prominent politicians in the State. During the war he won high rank for bravery, and was the bosom friend of Jefferson Davis. After the war he was for several years editor of the Atlanta Intelligencer. He was the father of Lieut. Gorrington, the Arctic

We clip the above from the Norfolk Virginian to set ourselves right. As no obituary of the General has appeared in board ascertained the will of the major-ity of the people of Craven county upon expect that it should have at least oc-cause the firemen haven't dragged their a question which has for several years curred in our death notices, we deem it proper to say no such individual ever

We may betray an unenviable ignorance of public men, but candor com pells us to say we never heard of Gen. Gorrington before.

DIED.

In Westchester county, New York, at her son's residence, on the 25th ult., Mrs. Phebe Probrosco Henry, in the 81st year of her age.

Mrs. Henry was the mother of Mr. T. A. Henry, of this city, with whom the change the minds of the people without deceased resided several years ago. She had been partially blind for a long time, and the past two years totally so. Her ancestors—Proboscos—were among the ancestors—Proboscos—were among the and has a good deal to say about the insert settlers of New Jersey, of which think it will be news to the people of first settlers of New Jersey, of which this county to hear that the board of she was a native, her grandfather being one of the founders of the first Dutch Reformed Church at Somerville, that

Mrs. Henry was fully aware of approaching dissolution, and gave all necessary directions relative to the disposition of her body, selecting the chap-ter of Scripture to be read—John xiv, and the hymns to be sung at the funeral services, and finally passed to our Father's house of many mansions.

EDITOR JOURNAL:-Your Swansboro correspondent mentions in Tuesday's issue of the JOURNAL, a remarkable case of temporary restoration of sight in answer to prayer, and adds that he be-

lieves it to be the only case recorded.

The following in relation to the death of my mother, which occurred on the 25th of March last, is a remarkable coincident of the one reported at Swansboro. For the past two years my mother has been totally blind, (cause: cataract) and during that time has often prayed that the Lord would restore her sight long enough to see her grandchild, born since she became blind. On the Sunday evening preceding her death she starand of Mr. James Redmond, to build a vinced that it was not the result of imagination she was requested to describe certain persons present, also articles about the room, which she did, and then became blind again.

Stonewall Items.

Mr. Whitcombe has started the saw in this place, so times seem much livelier than for some time.

Bayboro saw mill is once more on the move. Messrs. W. E. Hooker and Joseph Miller are handling it.

Mr. Claud Bernard, one of the legal fraternity of Greenville, was in our vil-lage a day or so ago looking after some one's cash.

Trade in merchandise is as dull as is to him and tell some of possible to be; the clerks lounge around the ladder over on him. 31, Rejection 36.
3rd Ward—57 votes cast; Ratification and while away their time as best they can, try bird shooting for a past time,

Mr. G. S. Showell, brother-in-law of Mr. W. H. Jacobs, accompanied by Mr. Sidney Wilson, his attorney, both from Snow Hill, Md., were with us a day or so since looking after personal interest.

The farmers are so pressed with their work they have no time to be idle. First of corn planted and Irish potatoes are peeping up. If the good weather we are having continues a few days longer vegetation will look like spring time had once more made its appear-

Rev. O. Rider, the Methodist minister on this circuit, has been confined to his room for the past two weeks suffering from a painful wound caused by a heavy pair shears dropping from the mantlepiece and falling point downward and stopping in the top of his foot. He has one consolation—a nice little how to nurse. boy to nurse.

Passing Along.

A lady recently died, in whose private diary was found these words: "I expect to pass through this world but once; any good thing, therefore, I can do, or any kinkness I can show to any fellow-creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again. Ex.

Democrats of the First Ward are re-quested to meet at city headquarters donday. 13th, at 8 p.m., for the pur-cess of nominating a candidate for Councilman and the transaction of any and the transaction of any

T. A. GREEN, Chin'n.

NEW BEENE, N. C., April 7, 1885.
DR. C. D. RICE, GEN'L AG'T,
Raleigh, N. C.:
DEAR SIM-I take pleasure in stating that I have been a member of the Matual Trust Fund Life Association of New York since September, 1883. I was thirty-five years old when I joined the seasons of the

FIRE CRANKS.

Men Who Insist Upon Assisting Vol unteer Piremen Fireman's Herald.

There are a number of characters who lways attend every fire who insist upon giving orders and getting in the way of the firemen. When the alarm sounds and you jump out of bed in the dark and get your pants on wrong side to, and tie the suspenders around your neck to keep them from falling off, and with one boot on and coat on your arm rush down the street and arrive at the fire out of wind and half dressed you find these heavy engine and truck through the mud and arrived at the fire before they did.

THE MAN WITH A VOICE LIKE A LOCO-MOTIVE.

There is, for instance, the man with a voice like a locomotive whistle, who acts as if the whole conflagration was under his personal control. He stands in a conspicuous place, generally upon a box or a barrel, which he seems to carry with him for such purposes, wildly gesticulating and howling orders to the chief engineer and other officers. He usually gets knocked down by a ladder, or some one turns the hose on him by accident. After he has gathered himself up, gets all the muddy water out of his mouth and ears, straightened out his

eral. THE MAN WITH THE AXE. An equally absurd character is the man with the axe. He is always early at a fire accompanied by a new axe. No one knows where he got the axe and no one ever saw him carry it back to where he got it for the simple reason that he never returns it; but while he is at the fire he makes things lively. He is a perfect whirlwind of destruction; he batters in doors, chops window-blinds off, smashes the fence down, and in his frantic desire to save property he de-molishes everything that an axe will make an impression on. This crank, who is too weak to do any manual labor and lets his wife chop all the fire-wood at home, will create havoc and destruction for three blocks around a fire. He has even been known, when the hitching posts and pumps were cut down all around the block, to turn in and cut the

shade trees down in the next lot to keep the fire from spreading. THE MAN WHO WANTS A LADDER.

Then there is the man who has an inordinate desire for a ladder. In tones swelling with profanity and excitement he shouts: "Have any of you got a lad-Publisher. We place it on our exchange list with pleasure and expect to see w. Smallwood, to reshingle the roof of some good things from the facile pen of their building on South Front street, and of Mr. Israel Reduced to the street of their building on South Front street, and of Mr. Israel Reduced to the street of their building on South Front street, and of Mr. Israel Reduced to the street of their building on South Front street, and of Mr. Israel Reduced to the street of get a ladder he tries to climb up the water-spout so that he may, at the risk of breaking his neck, open some of the second story windows and let the air in and give the fire a chance.

THE HELPLESS MAN.

In contrast with the above vigorous character is the helpless individual who goes about swinging his hands in a helpless manner, or carrying a pail with the bottom knocked out and getting in the firemen's way; he gets tripped up with the hose, hit on the head with a bucket and knocked about generally. He stops the foreman of the hook and ladder company and asks him how the fire originated and if he thinks there is a chance of its spreading; but the foreman only has time to address some bad words to him and tell some of his men to tip

THE MAN OF COURAGE.

And the courageous man never fails to appear. He wants to make himself useful. He doesn't care where as long as he is in a conspicuous place where the crowd can see him. He will wrestle with the hose, crawl up the ladder on to the top of the roof and have all the firemen swearing at him. About this time he gets a red-hot cinder down his back and his courage occess down into his boots along with a bucketful of icy COST. cold water some fireman turns down his back; then he goes home and tells his wife how hard he has been working trying to save property.

THE FUNNY MAN. We must not forget the man who We must not forget the man who wants everybody to see the fire and enjoy the fun. He generally wakes up about half an hour after the alarm has sounded and everybody has gone to the fire that wanted to. He goes down the street yelling fire with a voice like a fog horn, and if people don't turn out fast enough to suit him he rings the door bells, rattles the window-shutters and gets all the dogs in the vicinity barking, and then he goes away satisfied.

THE MAN WHO IS THE FIREMEN'S PRIEND. And the firemen's friend always man-ges to get to the fire. He stalks among ages to get to the fire. He stalks among the crowd in a pompous manner, rubbing his hands, and in a loud voice praising the firemen from the chief down to the torch boys. The firemen are working like heroes and if they need any help he is willing to assist them. About this time the hook and the public that said Williams is not our agent. praising the firemen from the chief down to the torch boys. The firemen are working like heroes and if they need any help he is willing to assist them. About this time the hook and ladder men wish to pull down a small building and call for help on the rope; at this period the triend can be found on the opposite side of the streetleaning against the fence with his hands in his pockets. After the fire is subdued someone asks tile firemen down to the hotel to have something warm to prevent them from taking cold. The friend mingles with them and manages to get three or four drinks to a fireman a pre-

with two or three pailfuls of water but failed to do so. And at the fire we also meet the man who finds fault with the tardiness of the fire department. He tells how he was on the ground a good half hour before the first company ar-rived; but he fails to state that he was sitting up with a sick friend across the street and was dressed for the occasion But we will not linger with him, or the

Take Sine's Syrup of Tar for coughs and colds. Only 25c. For sale by R. N. DUFFY. feb1 dw6m

man who has the defective flue theory regarding the origin of the fire, and the other chap with the incendiary theory.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, April 8. 6 P. M. COTTON.

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

FUTURES. September, 11.14 October, 10.66 11.11 May, 11.19 10.49 November, June, 11.29 $\frac{11.36}{11.44}$ December, July,

January, August New Berne market dull. No sales. Middling 10 1-8: Low Middling 13-16; Good Ordinary 9 1-8.

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. BEESWAX-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-\$1.56a2.00 per bbl.

FIELD PEAS-HIDES-Dry, 10c.; green 5c. TALLOW-5c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 40a50c.; spring

MEAL-65c. per bushel. OATS-50 cts. per bushel. TURNIPS-50c. per bushel. Wool-12a17c. per pound. POTATOES-Sweet, 25a50c.

fox, 50c. FURS—Coon skins, 30c.; mink, 50c.; otter from \$3a6. 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—\$14.00. SHOULDERS-Smoked, No. 2, 7c.;

C. R. and L. C. R .- 7a8c. NAILS-Basis 10's, \$2.50. FLOUR-\$3.50a7.00. POTATOES-\$3.00. LARD-74a9c. SUGAR—Granulated, 61c. SALT—90c.a\$1.00 per sack. MOLASSES AND SYRUPS-20a45c.

Kerosene-91c. POWDER-\$5.50. SHOT-\$1.60.

RECOVERED FROM THE FIRE!

The undersigned being satisfied that CARSON & SON'S CENTENNIAL Having recovered from the late fire, I MEDAL LIME is the best known in the hereby wish to call the attention of my world for building purposes, have ac-Patrons and the public in general that I cepted 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, conam now occupying the Store lately occupied by Asa Jones, and wishing a continuance of the liberal patronage given me heretofore, I have received by every steamer since the fire a

COMPLETE NEW STOCK OF

Spring and Summer Goods, which I will sell at REDUCED PRICES. For the NEXT SIXTY DAYS I will

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Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats, Trunks and Valises at the lowest possible prices imaginable.

In BOOTS and SHOES I will not be M. H. SULTAN.

Warning!

It having been brought to our atten-tion that one Oscar Williams, formerly of Lenoir County, N. C., is representing

WATSON & STREET, Gen. Ins. Agents, New Berne, N. C.

For Rent.

abdut JOHN A, RICHARDSON

HAIR. PAINTS, OILS AND PUTTY, Sash, Doors and Blinds AT COST!

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