LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac. New Berne, latitude, 850 6' North. longitude, 770 3' West. Sun rises, 5:22 | Length of day, Sun sets, 6:36 | 13 hours, 14 minutes. Moon sets at 9:22 p. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

A well selected stock of suitings as well as samples at N. M. GASKILL'S FOR SALE .- No. 8 IRON SAFE. Good K. R. JONES.

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

Stanly Hall to-night.

Japanese Fair to-night at Stanly Hall. Several oyster boats arrived yesterday evening.

Trent Council No. 411, Royal Aroanum, meets to-night.

Ten bales of cotton in market yesterday. From 7 to 91 was the price paid.

shine again.

The produce exchange of Wilmington city before departing for Brazil.

Major Dennison ginned six bales of cotton from Hyde county yesterday. He has reduced the price of ginning to thirty cents per hundred.

The steamer Elm City was at her wharf yesterday evening and will resume her trips to Hyde county to-day under the new schedule.

The sloop Nellie May, Capt. Sam. Howland, arrived from Roanoke Sound yesterday evening, bringing a lot of shad and herrings for Mr. Geo. N. Ives.

The Japanese Fair was a grand success last night, but will be more so tonight. A fresh supply of presents will Personal. be received on the Shenandoah this morning, and all tickets sold will be

Among the many handsome displays at the Fair last night, the most unique was Mrs. Mollie Lewis, dressed with the head of the "DAILY JOURNAL" forming an over-dress of various colors. The lady was, as we trust the paper is, very popular and generally admired.

Major Dennison has provided a complete fire department at his gin and oil mills. He has about five hundred feet of hose, and can throw a stream equal to our fire engines. Should fire break out anywhere near his gin-house it will prove valuable, as he keeps up steam all the time and would be ready to turn on a stream immediately.

Quarterly Conference.

We are requested to announce that the 2nd Quarterly Conference for Onslow circuit, M. E. Church South, will be forward steadily. held at Queen's Creek on the second Saturday and Sunday in May.

The First Pea.

We have received the first pea of the season from the field of Mr. Chas. Lowenbog, of Beaufort. It is not matured, but the hull is an inch and a quarter in length with seven peas forming and would have been ready for the picker in a few days.

Artistic Handiwork.

We were shown yesterday one of the prettiest pieces of artistic handiwork of the country. It is oil painting on dogs to the neglect of that other importsatin, and the work of Miss Aurora ant industry, cattle raising. Mace of New Berne. The design is a vate her talents under the instruction of some master. Should she have the benefit of a season at some good school and unsurpassable.

The report of the President of the reference to the River and Harbor Im-

provements, says: I take pleasure in stating that our River and Harbor Improvements have so far advanced toward completion, that during the summer or by September the 1st, the latest date, vessels drawing from 18 to 20 feet can safely proceed from Wilmington to sea or codiceed from Wilmington to sea on ordi-nary high tides without detention.

port as a deep water outlet. To this end they are free from disease.

The range is free; cattle can be bought cheap at this season of the year, and they are free from disease.

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He respectfully invites some man with capital to join him in the underaking and we believe if some such will be advanted to the operations of Komaroff on the Murghab, the real advance on Herat should be made through Parsion territory by the valley of the Hari Rud.—N. Y. World.

Take Sine's Syrup of Tar for coughs and colds. Only 125c. For sale hard. avenues of trade and do all in their

beautifully decorated with evergreen boom. garlands, flags, Japanese lanterns and flowers, Inside the bar a Japanese tent was erected, under which was a table with the articles for sale; while in front was a regular Japanese writing desk, the property of Mr. A. M. Baker, on which in letters of gold was printed 'Don't ask for any credit."

The gift tables were loaded with pretty things, while the refreshment counter was bountifully supplied with good things as set forth in the poetry. For once poetry was truth, for all promises made in rhyme were fulfilled

The lady attendants in costume were: Mrs. Crouder, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Duquid, Mrs. Morgan, Miss Leah Jones, Miss Mamie Ulrich, Miss Anna Pierce, Miss Emma Becton, Miss Sallie Faison, Miss Mamie Lane, Miss Annie Arendell, Miss Cottie Hanks and Miss Carrie Richard-

The young gentlemen with petticoats and queues were: P. H. Pelletier, B. B. Neal, K. Styron, D. S. Willis, J. J. Baxter and R. Burkhead. While Masters C., suffered a loss of \$1,450, at the re-Thomas Daniels, Rosco Nunn, Jack Neal The Magic Lantern was an attractive and David Bell assisted Misses Minnie feature at the Fair last night. It will Eaton, Eula Nunn, Lottie Hubbs, Katie Daniels, Fannie Jones. Bertha Cutler, Emma Henderson, Maud Green, Lillian night, and will continue to assist the has invited Minister Jarvis to visit that Greer and Stella Roberts to represent Japan as waiters.

The entertainment will be repeated to night as it would have been impossible at one sitting to eat up all the good things provided by the ladies for the occasion. That they were good, we can testify, but they were also as pleasbut we cannot omit noticing a cake ornamented with white calla lilies and green leaves made of paper but so well executed as to look like nature.

We bespeak a larger crowd to-night than last night if that be possible.

Capt. Matt Manly has returned from a visit to Washington City and Baltimore. Dr. F. B. Mace, of Beaufort, was in the city yesterday.

Orphan Asylum. He is a member of the Board and reports the Asylum in good condition. There are between one hundred and sixty and one hundred and seventy children, about one hundred and forty of whom have just recovered from the measles and mumps. Their general health is now good and everything is moving on nicely. In this connection we wish to remind the citizens of New Berne that there are several children at this institution from this section. We should not lose interest in this noble work. The Grand Lodge has honored New Berne by appointing one of her citizens a ica has been signed. It is a new triumph. Director. Let the contributions go

Stock Raising. Mr. J. T. Eaton, of Wildwood, Car-

teret county, came in to see us yesterday to find out if we were particularly fond of mutton or partial to sheep and against dog. He also wanted to know if a nice fat beef steak would not suit lish will accept the explanations of the us as well as mutton.

Our recently published interviews with farmers on the subject of sheep raising prompted Mr. Eaton to make the of the affair.

If the English were playing the Czar's If the English were playing the Czar's above inquiries. He thought we were getting rather on the extremes in advowe have ever seen produced in this part cating sheep raising and making war on

He is mistaken as to our preference holly branch, a red bird and nest of in this matter. We have given the subeggs. Miss Mace is a lady of the rarest ject of sheep raising more attention renative talent in the design and execu- cently because we have had special in- England's good faith and dispose many tion of artistic work, and should culti- quiries from a gentleman in New York of the tribes to favor the Russians. about it. We believe the climate and hold matters in negotiation until she the large bodies of pasture lands in can make arrangements to throw her Eastern North Carolina make it well ships at once into the Black Sea in the of design, she would be unsurpassed adapted to the successful breeding of fleet, bombarding Odessa and breaking both cattle and sheep, and after conthe communication with the Caucasian versing with Mr. Eaton a few minutes Railway. we found he agreed with us in this. He is rather partial to cattle raising because Produce Exchange of Wilmington in the dogs cannot interfere with that business. And he says cattle is a protection

> against dogs. Mr. Eaton speaks in glowing terms of the advantages in his section for this broilment of all Europe.
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> business. Besides the immense range, business. Besides the immense range, crais in Turkestan is unmistakably to which cattle subsist on, both summer and winter, he avers that they are subject to no disease. All that is lacking ment. Nor need it cause astonish

were to visit him at Wildwood, Cartered county he could convince them said that every Administration was The Japanese Tea Party of last night teret county he could convince them proved a grand success in every sense there is millions in cattle and sheep of the word, and great credit is due to breeding in Eastern North Carolina. most unpopular during the first three the ladies and gentlemen who got it up. We hope some one with money will go appointments caused by the distribution to see him and give this business a of patronage. Mr. Cleveland and his Thursday & Friday Even'gs.

Kinston Items.

"On account of fire, &c, reduced

Another frost and peaches not killed ret. We live in hopes.

Charles Askew suffers from inflamed eyes, caused by working in the fire. The grocers who had moved their goods into the street, have all things

snug again in store. Bruton Taylor is compelled to wear classes, on account of injury to eyes while exposed to the fire.

Sam. Dunn received a severe injury bruised by the falling of a fence.

The recent fire was caused by sparks from an out-door fire under a pot in the yard of George Phillips. The wind blew a gale and took the sparks right up under the roof. Ward meetings for Kinston: 1st Ward,

in J. A. Pridgen's vacant brick store. 2nd Ward, in court house. 3rd Ward, in graded school building. 4th Ward, at Kinston College. Mr. J. W. Grainger, one of the most enterprising merchants of Eastern N.

cent fire, by the burning of nine new cotton gins which were stored in one of the burned buildings. Dr. Burkhead, of New Berne, preached in the Methodist church last

gregations fill the church ever night.

pastor during the meeting. Very much interest is manifested, and large con-

England and Russia. LONDON, April 15 .- In the cabinent council to-day the Anglo Russian situaion it is said was represented to be as follows: England and Russia have agreed upon a basis for the delimitation ing to the eye as to the taste; we could of the Afghan frontier, subject to a not possibly enumerate all that we saw satisfactory explanation by Russia of the recent attack on the Afghans. According to this scheme it is said that Penjdeh will be ceded to Russia, provided the Ameer consents.

LONDON, April 15.-The recruiting for the British navy continues with great activity, the admiralty having invited the navy pensioners to volunteer.

London, April 15.—A cabinet council is now being held. Nothing is known as to the subject under consideration, but it is believed to be with reference to the Anglo-Russian difficulty.

PARIS, April 15 .- Le Paix says that in the event of war between England Mr. T. A. Green has returned from a and Russia, the other powers, especially meeting of the Directors of the Oxford France, must remain neutral. Following the above declaration. that these powers have already reached an agreement to remain neutral.

there is any truth in the story cabled yesterday from Hong Kong to the London Times, that there was such a serious hitch in the peace negotiations between France and China that France thought of substituting M. Baure for M. Patenotre, the present French envoy at Pekin as her agent in the negotations.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Senor de Peralta, the Costa Rican minister, received to-night the following telegram from President Zaldivar, of Salvador. who was in command of the army of that republic at the battle of Chalchuap "The treaty of peace of Central Amerdoing great honor to Salvador."

The Coming War.

The situation in Europe is unchanged, although it is hourly more difficult to believe in a peaceful solution of the differences between England and Russia. The official reports of Gen. Komaroff only make it the more plain that Russia was the aggressor at Penjdeh, and hence it is less likely that the Eng-

Russian Government as satisfactory. Yet Mr. Gladstone hesitates, and asks the British Commissioner in Afghanistan, Sir Peter Lumsden, for his version

game for him they could not apparently do more to promote his evident object Russia wants delay in order to push for ward her forces and supplies, and because she knows the uncertain, excita-ble temper of the Afghans, and believes that procrastination after a blow has been struck and a resort to negotiations instead of guns will make them distrust

But will the British ships be allowed to pass the Dardanelles? Will Turkey insist on strict neutrality and, backed by Germany, refuse England's request ness. And he says cattle is a protection to sheep, when they both go together, of the situation, upon the solution of which may depend the confinement of the war to a struggle between Russia and England in Afghanistan or the em-

> provoke war. It will not be surprising to hear of another attack at any mo-

months of its career, owing to the dis-Cabinet are now passing through this sort of experience. They are half way on the journey to Mr. Calhoun's limit, and continue to be confronted with discontent.

Selfish interests have thus far prevented a free expression of the dissatisfaction existing among the Democrats. Leaders do not wish to have a collision if it can be avoided. But the fact is not to be disguised that the discords are serious and are constantly growing.

The Democratic majority in the House

of Representatives next winter will be about one-half of what it was in the late Congress. If the policy pursued thus far in regard to patronage be continued, it is certain that the Administration will meet with a very lukewarm support at the fire, one of ankles being seriously among the Democratic members, and may encounter very decided opposition. Besides the offices, there are other questions likely to create antagonism with the President, and to disturb the harmony of the majority. Mr. Cleveland's letter in regard to silver coinage

excited a very hostile feeling at the close of the last session. If his opinions on that subject had been known before the meeting of the Chicago Convention, he could not have been nominated. This subject, though passed over in the inaugural address, will be presented

in the regular message next December. It will certainly lead to an angry discussion, and it may provoke an open rupture with the Administration, un less Mr. Reagan and others associated with him modify the strong conclusions they expressed a few weeks ago.

The tariff is still a stumbling block to Democratic unity. Mr. Morrison is pledged to renew the contest, and the defeat of his Senatorial aspirations will encourage his ambition to figure as a leader on this question. Whether he will have the power to lead will necessarily depend on the election of the Speaker. Should Mr. Carlisle be again chosen, Mr. Morrison would doubtless have the Chairmanship of the Committee on Ways and Means. If Mr. Randall should be elected, he would be assigned to another place in the natural order of a change in the organization of the House.

The outlook for the new Administration with these breakers ahead is not cheerful. It remains to be seen whether the policy of the President will attract a sufficient following from the Independent Republicans to compensate for a threatened disaffection in the Democratic ranks. It is the problem of last November in New York applied on a national scale. - N. Y. Sun.

To the Voters of the First Ward:

I have been solicited by several of my friends to become a candidate for Coundience to their wishes, I have consented to announce myself as a candidate for The government officially denies that Councilman. Should you feel disposed to select me to represent you, I will endeavor to do so to the best of my ability. My motto is for the officers of the city government to pay cash as they go, issue no voucher's promises to pay, and when presented to the treasurer, no funds on hands, and hence it is, have to be dis couned fifty to seventy-five cents on the Ř. P. WILLIAMS.

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Little tea sets for two people, Bowls for eating bread and milk, And parasols of paper As pretty as of silk. Of course you'll take some oysters

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Will take your plate or cup. But if you are too lazy To venture out at nigh Just send along your money

And we'll fix you up all right. For a bill of fare we'll send you That will gratify your wishes, But, like the spoons, remember We will not give the dishes.

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