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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
New Bern, latitude, 35° 0' North,
longitude, 77° 8' West.
Sun rises, 5:15 | Length of day,
"un sets, 6:58 | 13 hours, 41 minutes.
Moon rises at 4:10 a. m.

First cake of ice from the factory was turned out last night.

The schooner *Metron*, John W. Hill, Master, arrived from Philadelphia yesterday with a cargo of coal for Mrs. E. B. Ellis.

An exchange refuses to dun delinquents through its columns, but tells them they will be allowed to pay in wheat or other farm produce if they choose.

The Y. M. C. A. meets this evening at the lecture room of the Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock. Dr. J. D. Clark conducts the meeting. Subject: "Work for the Master."

Owing to the City Council not meeting at the regular time on Tuesday night last we are unable to give the treasurer's monthly report this morning. It will appear in a day or two.

A large crowd came down last night on route for Morehead City. They were from points along the North Carolina and Western N. C. R. R. as far as Asheville, and between seventy-five and one hundred we learn were billed for the Atlantic Hotel.

We regret to hear of the illness of Miss Maude Moore, who is at South Creek, Beaufort county, on a visit. Mrs. Moore, her mother, left in company with Dr. Chas. Duffy on Friday to attend her. The Doctor has returned and reports her condition much improved.

Mr. John Dawson is so far the champion watermelon-raiser of this section. He sent in two yesterday, one weighing forty pounds the other forty-one. But the one which is to beat anything ever produced in this section is still growing and will be ripe in about two weeks. It is now thirty inches long, forty inches in circumference and our reporter thinks it will weigh one hundred pounds. He says it looks as big as a flour barrel.

Reforms are Seldom.

In a sister county there lives a gentleman who, for his patriotism, high intellectual and social character, stands foremost among his neighbors. Led away by hilarity of disposition, his course of dissipation has for a long time been a source of regret to his friends. Lately a reform came—his many friends wish a true one—for his own and his people's good.

Personal.

Mr. Joseph Fulford, who has for several months past been confined to his room, left yesterday morning for Greensboro on a visit to his daughter. He is hoped that a change of climate may effect his recovery.

Misses Lidie and Mary Williams of Kenansville, are visiting Capt. K. R. Jones's family.

Er-Mayor Howard, Dr. Bagby and family.

Mr. J. J. Howard, and O. E. Fox were among the passengers for Morehead City last night.

The Murders in Jones.

The preliminary hearing of the case of the State against Lott Murrill, col., for the murder of Alex. Simmons, col., in Jones county, was to have been tried before E. R. Page, Esq., at Trenton on Friday. Clement Manly, Esq., of the firm of Simmons & Manly of this city, was in attendance as counsel for the prisoner. The witnesses for the State were not all present, and for this cause Justice Page postponed the hearing. As the Superior Court convenes on Monday the 17th, it is probable that the case will not be heard until then.

A Worthy Man Promoted.

We copy with pleasure the following item from the Charlotte Observer:
Mr. Benj. K. Bryan (a brother of Mr. Geo. W. Bryan, of the Central Hotel), who for a long time was employed in the Southern Express office at New Bern, but more recently agent of that company at Florence, S. C., has been appointed as collection clerk in the express office in this city. Mr. Bryan is a worthy, young man of good business habits, and his promotion is the natural result of close application to business. He succeeds Mr. C. E. McCarthy, who has discharged the duties of this position for some time past in an acceptable manner, and now will shortly sever his connection with the company for the purpose of joining his uncle in business in Michigan.

A Strange Death.

We are informed by Mr. J. P. Scott, of Williams town, that as he was coming here on last Monday, he saw on the roadside a snake crawling towards a young woman, and when the snake was within a few feet of the woman she fell over and died, and there was no sign of any wound on her. The question is, what killed her?

General Grant's Funeral.

The following bulletins were posted yesterday in regard to the funeral ceremonies of General U. S. Grant:

New York, August 8th, 1885.
9:50 A. M.—Grant's casket now in catafalque. The procession starts.
12:30 P. M.—Head of procession just entering Riverside drive. Distance to Park 21 miles.
1:40 P. M.—Head of the procession just arrived at the tomb in Riverside Park.
2:53 P. M.—Catafalque just entering Riverside drive. Distance to tomb 21 miles.

4:37 P. M.—Catafalque just arrived at the tomb in Riverside Park.
5:18 P. M.—Gen. Grant's casket has this minute been placed in vault.

Immediately upon the reception of the first telegram Mayor Meadows, being at the city hall, tapped the bell, and from then until the reception of the last telegram, the people of New Bern were constantly reminded by the peals from this and the court house bell, that the remains of the nation's great hero were moving to their last resting place.

In the afternoon at a stand, handsomely draped, in the Griffin school grounds, the following memorial ceremonies were held: The large assemblage, numbering some fifteen hundred people, were called to order by the Marshal, A. G. Oden, who introduced D. Shimon, Esq., as President of the occasion, who after a few remarks suitable to the occasion introduced the various features of the occasion, which were as follows: Prayer by Rev. Mr. Simpson. Hymn by the choir, "America." Addresses by Prof. E. E. Green, Hon. O. Hubbs and V. A. Crawford. "Dirge" by Star band. Address by J. M. Hattie, which for subject matter, delivery and brevity was excellent. Resolutions of respect and sympathy by Geo. H. White, Esq. Hymn by choir, "Nearer my God to Thee." Doxology.

An Affecting Incident.

It was an affecting scene yesterday at police headquarters when a one-legged man hobbled up the steps and asked that he be permitted to strike a few taps on the bell in honor of the lamented General whose funeral was then moving through the streets of New York.

"I was at Appomattox," said he. "Gen. Grant paroled me there, and I have watched his course towards the paroled Confederates with interest ever since, and I now want to do something that will testify my high esteem for so good and brave a man. I have walked ten miles this morning to be here to join in whatever way I could in any ceremony in honor of this heroic man who, next to Lee and Jackson, has been the idol of my poor afflicted life."

"If you were paroled at Appomattox, how did you lose your leg?"

"Ah, my friend, there has been the saddest part of my story. An old wound that had been healed for a year or more was irritated during the long and weary march from Petersburg to Appomattox, and broke out afresh before I could reach my desolate home and put me on my bed, for long weary weeks. Owing to want of medical attention, then unattainable under the unsettled state of affairs, the amputation of my leg became necessary, when a noble hearted doctor—neighbor—had returned to his home from the hospitals in Virginia, and that's how I lost my leg. It was during this long and painful confinement that my fevered brain was racked with the thoughts of Lee, Jackson, and Grant. By the mercy of our Heavenly Master I have survived them all, and now I want to do something in honor of the last of the three. Will you let me wring the bell?"

School Committees.

The present school law requires the county boards of education to appoint school committees for each school district and this duty will be attended to on the first Monday in September. Superintendent Finger recommends that the committees appoint a day, previous to the first Monday in September, of the year in which new committees are to be appointed, and invite the patrons of the district school to meet at the public school house for the purpose of recommending persons to be appointed committee-men, whose names shall be reported to the county board of education, and the persons thus recommended should attend on the first Monday in September in order that those who are selected may qualify and receive instructions from the county board of education and Superintendent.

Superintendent Long, in a notice which we publish in this issue suggests that this meeting of the patrons of schools in each district in Craven county be held on Saturday, the 29th day of August.

recommend suitable persons for committee-men. The success of the schools depend largely upon the interest manifested and good judgment shown by the school committees. Incompetent and don't care committee men will prove a stumbling block to the best county board of education and superintendent that can be found in the State. Having an interest in, and a desire to see the schools succeed is the best evidence of one's competency.

Church Services To-Day.

M. E. Church South—Services in this church at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Burkhead.

Presbyterian Church—Services by the pastor, Rev. L. C. Vass, at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m. A welcome to all.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Postoffice at New Bern, Craven county, N. C., August 8, 1885.

Brady, J. W.; Berry, Mary. Coleman, Simon, Coleman, W. H. Edwards, Frances. Harris, J. B.; Hill, Lueza. Jones, Horace W. Moore, Carroe. Paint, Chany, c. o. John Blount. Weal, Martin.

Persons calling for above letters, will say advertised, and give date of list.

M. MANLY, P. M.

La Grange Items.

Col. A. C. Davis returned from Nags Head Friday morning.

Several of our citizens are in Goldsboro again this week attending court.

Jesse Pope is quite sick at his father's in town. We hope him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Wesley Whitaker is here working up a circulating library, with some prospect of success.

Mrs. James H. Fields is, we are glad to hear, improving. She has been quite sick for several days.

The protracted meeting at Hickory Grove closed last Tuesday night. No accessions to the church.

Crops are looking well, but beginning to need rain. The corn crop is said not to be good in some sections.

Mrs. Benajah Sutton died of typhoid fever, at her husband's residence in Wayne county, last Saturday. Another good woman gone, and another bereaved husband.

We hear that there is to be a stricter enforcement of town ordinances in regard to drunkenness and profanity on our streets. We think this is right. A law is no law if not enforced.

Mrs. John D. Walters died very suddenly, at her home near here, last Tuesday evening. She had been in bad health for a few days, but was not confined to bed in the house. Tuesday evening she was found in the garden in a speechless condition, and died before she could be taken to the house. She was a most estimable lady, and we deeply sympathize with the bereaved husband and children.

Carteret County Items.

[From Telephone.]

Mulletts are more plentiful than they have been for several years past, and the fishermen are all rejoicing in the prospect of a good catch this fall.

The crowd of visitors at Morehead City still continues very large and many of them are from a long distance. Quite a number from Georgia and Tennessee are registered at the Atlantic.

Another cargo of stone is expected for the jetties, and the men who were to have been discharged on the 1st inst. are still at work preparing to receive and place it. Unfortunately the job will not last long.

We learn that a few days since a young farmer near town killed one hundred and fifty rats on his premises in a few hours. The presumption is that he had more feed on hand than most of Southern farmers.

The custom-house this week has been the recipient of two new flags—a National ensign and a revenue flag—which are now displayed to guide the mariner to the proper place to transact his business in relation to his vessel.

Two deaths have lately occurred in the Merrimon section which have cast a gloom over the community. One of them a little daughter of E. F. Carraway, Esq., and the other a son of Mr. Charles Edwards who had just arrived at his majority.

The miserable mail schedule which for the last two months has tried our patience severely, will be changed on the seventeenth instant, and we will then have a mail service of twelve times per week between this place and Morehead City, connecting with the trains on the A. & N. C. railroad.

Read this Public School Notice.

The people of Craven county are respectfully requested to assemble in mass meeting, at convenient places in their respective townships, on August 29th, and recommend suitable persons for their school committees for the next two years. If the majority of the people assembled cannot agree upon three names, let a larger number of names be suggested that the Board of Education may be able to make the best selection. In every case let the names recommended be endorsed by a majority. This request is made by the Board of Education of Craven county, who are required by law to appoint these committees on the 7th of next September.

JOHN S. LONG,
Sup't and Sec'y of the Board.
August 8th, 1885.

Two Letters that are Worth Reading.

[From the New York Times.]

July 24, 1885.

To the President, Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR: This community read the announcement of the appointment of — to the — Judgeship with astonishment and regret, if not pain. And none were more astonished than those who had signed his petition. And I regret to say that my name is to be found upon it. I have refused several whom I knew to be unfit, but I signed this one thinking it would never be considered, and not for one moment believing the appointment was possible. When first presented to me I put him off, and hoped to escape, but he came again with it, and, with others, I signed it thinking there was no chance for its reaching even a consideration. I think not a man whose name is on it had the remotest idea that his appointment was possible. Not one upon it would have appointed him had he the appointing power. He is not qualified morally or professionally. He is scarcely a lawyer at all, while the place will require a good lawyer. I do not wish to say more than to put upon inquiry. We are friends, and do business with one another, and it is unpleasant to have to say this. But it is due your responsibility and from every one who signed that petition. And it was signed by many prominent men who hated to refuse, and hoped and thought it would result in nothing. I do not wish you to take any action upon my representation, but if you wish to know the real opinion of the signers of the petition, cause some of them to be addressed privately, and I think they will confess the objections to the appointment greater than I have intimated. The petition is signed by two of our Supreme Judges. — Let them both be privately addressed, if it is not too late, and I think you will learn the facts.

I do not wish to sneak behind a private letter, but at the same time I would prefer that my name be not given to — for obvious reasons, and I do not suppose it will be thought necessary to do so.

— is an applicant for appointment as —. I have written to you before about him. He, too, has a petition signed by reputable men (my name is not on it), not one of whom would appoint him to any place whatever or any trust whatever. He is wholly without character, even if he had other qualifications for the office, and he has not. His would most emphatically be an appointment not fit to be made. Yours, very respectfully,

EXECUTIVE MANSION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1, 1885.

DEAR SIR: I have read your letter of the 24th ult. with amazement and indignation. There is but one mitigation to the perfidy which your letter discloses, and that is found in the fact that you confess your share in it. I don't know whether you are a Democrat or not; but if you are, the crime which you confess is the more unpardonable. The idea that this Administration, pledged to give the people better government and better officers, and engaged in a hand-to-hand fight with the bad elements of both parties, should be betrayed by those who ought to be worthy of implicit trust, is atrocious; and such treason to the people and to the party ought to be punished by imprisonment.

Your confession comes too late to be of immediate use to the public service, and I can only say that while this is not the first time I have been deceived and misled by lying and treacherous representations, you are the first one that has so frankly owned his grievous fault. If any comfort is to be extracted from this assurance you are welcome to it.

Yours truly,
GROVER CLEVELAND.

News by Mail.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—A despatch received here this afternoon says considerable excitement exists in Zanzibar, owing to a conflict being imminent between the German colonists and the natives. The Germans are determined on punishing the natives for alleged aggressions, and have enrolled themselves into military companies preparatory to giving battle to the latter. The colonists have also advised the home Government of the state of affairs, and asked for re-enforcements. Several German men-of-war are in the vicinity, and will render assistance to the colonists.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Major W. A. Jones has made his annual report on the improvement of Oregon and Washington Territory rivers. Speaking of a proposed improvement of the Columbia river he says that for thirteen miles the river is choked by an intrusion of lava. It will cost \$11,000,000 to dodge these obstacles by means of canals and locks. He says: "I propose to flank the Dalles and Celilo Falls with railway inclines over which laden boats and river craft may be hauled by means of stationary engines at the summits."

Frightful Catarrh.

PIECES OF BONE.

For four years I have been afflicted with a very troublesome catarrh of the head. So terrible has its nature been that when I blew my nose small pieces of bone would frequently come out of my mouth and nose. The discharge was copious, and at times exceedingly offensive. My blood became so impure that my general health was greatly impaired, with poor appetite and worse digestion.

Numerous medicines were used without relief, until I began the use of B. B. B. and three bottles acted almost like magic. Since their use not a symptom has returned, and I feel in every way quite restored to health. I am an old citizen of Atlanta, and refer to almost any one living on Butler street, and more particularly to Dr. L. M. Gilliam, who knows of my case.

Mrs. ELIZABETH KNOTT,
For sale wholesale and retail by R. N. Duffy. Cash to accompany the order.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Aug. 8, 6 P. M.

NEW YORK, August 7.—Futures closed steady.

August, 10.40	November, 9.63
September, 9.96	December, 9.64
October, 9.68	January, 9.70

Spots steady; Middling 10-1-2; Low Middling 9-3-4; Ordinary 9 1-2.
New Bern market quiet. No sales.
Middling 9-7-16; Low Middling 9-7-8; Ordinary 5 7-16.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

COTTON SEED—\$10.00.
SEED COTTON—\$3.50.
BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.55.
TAR—75c. a \$1.25.
CORN—60a 70c.
BEEFWAX—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.
FRANKS—60c. per bushel.
FODDER—75c. a \$1.00 per hundred.
ONIONS—\$1.00 per bushel.
FIELD PEAS—
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 6c.
PEACHES—\$1.25 per bushel.
APPLES—30a 50c. per bushel.
PEARS—75c. per bushel.
HONEY—40c. per gallon.
TALLOW—5c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a 50c.; spring 30a 30c.
MEAL—65c. per bushel.
OATS—40 cts. per bushel.
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.
WOOL—10a 10c. per pound.
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a 50c.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch, hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M.
WHOLESALE PRICES.
NEW MESS PORK—\$12.50.
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 16c.; prime, 6c.
C. R. and L. C. R.—64c.

NOTICE.

The undersigned, N. S. Richardson, has duly qualified as Administrator of the estate of Ann Rebecca Scott, dec'd, and hereby gives notice that he requires all persons having claims against the estate of the said Ann Rebecca Scott to present them to the said Administrator, duly authenticated, for payment on or before the 1st day of August, 1885, or else this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.
Persons indebted to the estate must pay without delay.
N. S. RICHARDSON, Administrator.
CHAS. C. CLARK, Attorney.
New Bern, N. C., July 21st, 1885. 6w

The New Bern Art School

WILL BEGIN

Monday, August 10th.

DRAWING—Pencil, Pen and Ink, Crayon. Water Color Painting. Oil Painting.

Pupils desiring to join the class are invited to meet at Mrs. H. MURPHY'S residence on Broad street, at FIVE P. M., SATURDAY, AUGUST 8th.

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FOR YEAR 1886.

The County Farm, situated about one mile west of Newbern, on Neuse road, will be rented for the ensuing year, 1886, to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Newbern, on MONDAY, the SEVENTH day of SEPTEMBER, 1885, at TWELVE o'clock, M.

Note with good security will be required. By order of Board of County Commissioners of Craven County,

JOS. NELSON,
Clerk.
Newbern, May 9th, 1885. au7 dtd

Assignee's Sale!

By virtue of my appointment as assignee of U. S. MACE, I will sell, to close up said trust,

The Entire Stock of

U. S. MACE,

in the Store in the Market Dock, in the City of New Bern.

AT COST FOR CASH.

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Drugs, Medicines,

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Hardware, Canvass,

Ship Chandlery, Etc.

Parties desiring a Bargain will find it to their interest to call at once and examine said Stock.

JOHN WALKER,
Assignee of U. S. Mace.

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C. W. GRANDY, Vice President.

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Capital, 400,000.

NORFOLK, VA., July 27th, 1885.

The Norfolk National Bank, which is the only National Bank in Norfolk, will open for business on August 1st, and solicits correspondence and accounts of Banks, Bankers, Merchants, and individuals, with the promise of careful attention to any business, either foreign or domestic, entrusted to its care.

It will be prepared to deal with customers as liberally as is consistent with safe and legitimate banking.
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