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## LOCAL NEWS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. M. GASKILL—Merchant tailor, Mrs. A. T. JERKINS—Private school, Mrs. J. J. JERKINS—School, Mrs. J. J. JERKINS—School.

New Bern, latitude, 35° 4' North, longitude, 77° 3' West. Sun rises, 5:33. Length of day, 14 hours, 55 minutes. Moon rises at 10:30 p. m.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

FALL SAMPLES at N. M. GASKILL'S.

A Pic consigned to Marcelus Adams by N. Boyd, Lake Landing, Hyde county, arrived on the Elm City last Friday. The owner is requested to come forward, pay charges and take property. W. P. PURVIS & Co., Agents.

Suits made to order and guaranteed to fit at N. M. GASKILL'S.

September.

The board of city council meet to-night.

Too much rain. It is hard to get the thing exactly right.

N. M. Gaskill announces his readiness to take measures for suits.

No Mayor's Court for over a week. Why can it not be always thus?

The steamer Stout arrived last Saturday night with a full cargo of general merchandise.

The steamer Experiment that was run ashore in Pamlico sound last week on account of a leak, has arrived in Baltimore.

The steamer S. Warren Hall, Capt. Walker, arrived yesterday from Rockport, Maine, with a cargo of ice for Watson & Danforth.

The steamer Kinston will leave today for Kinston and will go through to that point, the recent rains having furnished plenty of water.

The steamer Stout will sail today for Baltimore, carrying out the first new section of the season, which arrived from Kinston on Saturday last.

A large crowd at the theatre last night to see the paintings of Mr. Arthur L. Butts. The paintings to-night will represent old Testament scenes and are entirely new.

Go to the theatre to-night. The paintings exhibited by Mr. Butts are exceedingly fine and the scenes illustrated are highly interesting and instructive. No one should fail to see them. The admission fee is so small that one can not afford to miss it. Tickets at Meadows drug store.

Mr. Jacob Kater, the baker on Middle street, has broken ground for a two-story brick building. It will be 30x30 feet, one side will extend back 104 feet. It will be quite an improvement to that portion of the city, being the only brick building on that side of the street between Broad and Pollock.

The case of Jerry Joyner, colored, charged with robbing Guilford Joyner, colored, of two hundred and fifty dollars, was before Justice Brinson yesterday. Geo. H. White appeared for the prosecution, and Jerry was sent to jail in default of bail in the sum of five hundred dollars for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court.

Ray Craven County.

North Carolina produced a 77-pound watermelon and it was a "great big thing."—Wm. Star.

There was a disposition on the part of the late General Assembly to ignore Craven county as a part of North Carolina, you ought to have said Craven county produced a 77 pound watermelon.

Mrs. A. T. Jerkins opens school on the 14th inst. Her school is constantly growing in popularity with the small children and is worthy of patronage.

Dr. Geo. Slover begins the fall session of his school on the 31st inst. He knows how to manage boys, and he has the happy faculty of winning their affections as well as commanding the highest respect from each individually. He has added the military feature, and the State authorities have promised to furnish him the necessary guns and equipments.

Moving On.

C. Erdmann, manufacturer of cigars, has moved to the new brick building on Middle street next to the former site of the old hotel.

Mr. B. Waters, saloon and billiards, has moved to the next door below Erdmann's in the same building. Both these gentlemen have rooms admirably arranged for their respective trades.

Mr. R. C. Outten, the enterprising hardware merchant, is also getting back to the old station where there is now a new and improved brick store, which he will be ready to greet his customers this fall.

### Personal.

Sheriff Hahn is off on a trip North.

Mr. J. S. Wintthrop and family, of Florida were at the Gaston House yesterday.

Mrs. Capt. Dave Roberts returned from Morehead City yesterday morning.

### Letter From Raleigh.

RALEIGH, Aug. 29, 1885.

The much needed rain has come at last to this section, not, as the old-field preacher said in his prayer for rain, "a gully-washing down pour, oh Lord, but a steady all-night drizzle drozzle."

When I was last in Raleigh, the mud was something fearful, this time the dust was equally so; owing to the difficulty of getting water the streets are sprinkled, except occasionally from heaven, but the people here are progressive and not content to stand still as we in New Bern are, and I doubt not will before long have artesian wells to give free supplies of water. They are already preparing to avoid the evils of next winter's mud by paving Fayetteville street, the sidewalks are to be widened several feet and the centre of the street paved. [We already have artesian wells and hard, shelled streets; we are waiting for Raleigh to catch up.]

—ED. JOURNAL.

Almost all the State House officials are out of town and Capt. Roberts, the keeper of the building, is availing himself of their absence to have a general house cleaning. I peeped into his office and that of the Governor's Secretary where everything is in apple pie order with beautiful new carpets.

There has been no appointment, as yet, of a Librarian, and the library is closed to the great disgust of some of the boys who are anxious to get a peep, once a week, at "Cones' Key," the latest and best authority on the birds of America. Ornithology is now the popular craze, and several of the boys in town are self-taught taxidermists; one of them thanked me the other day for getting the committee last winter to buy Dr. Cones' book, saying he had learned more from it than from all the other books he had studied. Charles Hervey, a lad of sixteen, entirely self-taught, is preparing, from the directions in Esopus' Key, a tree filled with the birds of Wake county for exhibition at the approaching State Fair.

The Church of Good Shepherd is still without a Rector. Rev. Mr. Gibson, of Petersburg, Va., a nephew of Bishop Atkinson, has been called to fill Mr. Rich's place, but, as yet, the vestry have not informed the congregation whether he has accepted or declined, so the supposition is that he is debating the question. Mr. Rich resigned on account of his health; he said he needed three months' rest, if not six, he is universally beloved, not only in his own congregation, but outside of it as well, and the general feeling seems to be that it would be well to keep Rev. Mr. Sutton temporarily filling the pulpit, till Mr. Rich entirely recovers, and then recall him to a post where he has made so many friends. Great fears are expressed by other denominations interested in St. John's Hospital, that that excellent institution will suffer from the loss of Mr. Rich's services, but the life of the hospital, but though it may languish a while, this noble charity is too dear to the hearts of the Raleigh people for them to allow it to go down.

Why can't we have one in New Bern? We surely need it, and if there is anything in which every denomination, and the outside sinners could cordially co-operate it ought to be such a work as this.

The first bale of cotton was sold here on the 27th at 11¢, it graded middling. This I suppose may therefore be considered the beginning of the cotton trade.

M. B. C.

### Swansboro Items.

Fish are pretty scarce since the blow.

Quite a cool snap, and the mosquitoes had to skedaddle away.

We are expecting a steamer here to run in the waters of Bogue sound and White Oak river.

Messrs. C. B. F. and G. W. W. are going to commence teaching school again next week.

We think the postoffice here will undergo no change yet, say's shall have to look out for something else.

Our little town can boast of as many pretty girls for its size as any place. If you don't believe it, come and see.

Terrible storm of wind and rain last Tuesday evening and night. Serious damage to crops all around; fruitage almost entirely destroyed. The wind lasted here about 1 hour, and blew down our trees and fences fearfully. No damage to vessels or boats in our harbor as we hear of.

Big trial in town last week. One man was up for whistling a reel at another, and another up for causing a double jig at some one. One of the parties applied to A. J. P. for a "general satisfaction warrant." The J. P. not being able to find authority for issuing such a warrant, a general compromise was made between all concerned and peace declared.

Dave Hall, while traveling the road carrying the mail, came upon a huge logghead turtle, which he captured after awhile, but couldn't put him in his buggy; so Dave tied Mr. turtle by the tail and was dragging him along all right. Dave stopped for a moment to hear a lot of hogs. The hogs of course wanted to know all things, came around the turtle, and one of them got his long tail too near the turtle's mouth; turtle grabbed the latter end of pork close up, and next thing Dave knew, his turtle was going through the woods after a large hog like a streak of lightning, and but for the separation of hog and tail, some serious damage might have been done. Now Dave Hall claims damages for the loss of his turtle, and the owner of the hog claims damages for the loss of his hog's tail.

### Kinston Items.

We nominate Judge McKoy for next Governor.

Kinston College opens fall term Monday Sept. 7th.

Judge McKoy is very severe on perjury. He sentenced a negro, this week, to five years in penitentiary for this crime.

Watermelons continue plentiful. By the way, we saw one yesterday at E. G. Tyndal's that five men could stand around; it was a monster.

Solicitor Allen has made a fine impression during his term here. He is alert, energetic, affable, learned and every way well qualified for the arduous duties of his office.

Messrs. Lewis Einstein and David Outing went to New York last week to buy fall stock of goods. Mr. James F. Hill went to same place on Monday for some purpose.

There were five marriage licenses issued by our Register, George Hodges, during August. Three for whites, two for colored parties; one pair was from La Grange, the others from the country.

The negroes who are confined in jail, make day horrible and night hideous with their cries and yells. They call it singing. We propose that the Sheriff give each one a taste of the shower bath, and see if their ardor may not be cooled a little.

The case of the young gentlemen, Messrs. Frank Rhem, James A. McDaniel, Edward Barrett and Elisha Lewis, for violating a town ordinance on June 6th, (standing on platform of railroad car) which was appealed from the Mayor's court, was tried before Judge McKoy in Superior Court Saturday.

Sentence of jury, not guilty. So the boys can continue to tell the girls goodbye, and look at men who resemble Jim Blaine.

Wednesday night the mercury in our thermometer became frightened and ran down towards the bulb. Stopping at 50 degrees. Some of our farmers began to tremble for their sweet potatoes and hurried some fine ones into market. The little boys began to look up shoes and stockings and dream of Christmas.

But to-day (Saturday) the wind has "fetched a compass" and, being gently from the south, calls out palm leaf fans and the watermelons.

Nowitzky, the medicine man, while dreaming sweetly of his future prospects and perhaps revelling in the idea of the millions that are in his particular business, was gently robbed of sixty dollars, on Thursday night. The thief seems to have been acquainted with the uses of boat hooks, for he extemporized one of those implements, by driving a nail in the end of a pole and reaching for the pantaloons through an open window. Having deprived Mr. N. of making a bad use of his money, by taking it from the pockets, the bifurcated garment was left near the window—to guide the detective in his work.

### CLIPPINGS.

Light blue eyes are the oddity in a pure-blooded Louisville negress.

Rhode Island retains the greatest density of population of all the States.

Robert Browning again thinks of visiting this country, although he is 73.

Within a week after publishing a book on the perils of Alpine climbing, a Viennese lawyer fell down a glacier and was killed.

The Castle of Buda, a home of Hungarian monarchy for centuries, is to be completely rebuilt by the Emperor Francis Joseph at a cost of \$3,350,000.

The death of an aged Ohioan was caused by the shock of discovering that he was only 90 years old, instead of being the centenarian that he had supposed.

The head of the Roman Catholic missions in China reports that ten thousand native converts have been massacred within ten years. Five white missionaries have been lost.

Prince Leopold, only son of the late Prince Frederick Charles of Germany, has started on a long tour in the East. The possession of \$4,000,000 enables him to do as he pleases.

Officers of the Chili navy talk a great deal about the anticipated time when they may sack San Francisco, and their idea is said seriously to be that a project of that kind is quite feasible.

It is estimated that the opposing candidate for the District Attorney of Luzerne county, Pa., have promised fifteen hundred Post Offices to politicians, though there are only a hundred to be filled by anybody.

The ex-Express Eugene is making a round of European watering places as the Countess de Pierrefonds. The detective police of Carlsbad, learning that the assumed title was fictitious, reported her as an adventuress.

Six of the clergymen who made a recent bicycle tour of Canada travelled a hundred miles in a day. The same distance has been covered by professional riders in ten hours, but on a smooth track with the slightest of wheels.

The fortifications surrounding Paris became the lurking places of vagabonds and scoundrels, whom the military are now driving out, at the same time destroying the woods and shanties which sheltered them, and from which they sallied forth to rob.

Twelve mounds of incinerated human bones have been dug up in France, at a point which makes it likely that they are the remains of Gaul-Roman warriors, who, in the time of Hannibal, fell in defending the Rhone against the General's passage.

Big cases were put by a Memphis woman on the care of her house, and a ribbon bow on his tail, in order to decorate him to her satisfaction for equestrian use; but he liked the adornments so little that he ran away and threw her off, nearly killing her.

### NEWS BY MAIL.

#### PEACE ASSURED.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—It is almost certain that peace between England and Russia on the Afghan question is now completely assured. The two governments are at present busily engaged in arranging the last details of a mutual understanding and negotiations are proceeding rapidly and harmoniously.

#### TEXAS CATTLE FEVER IN ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Regarding the Texas fever in the Goodwin herd at Kankakee, Illinois, a special dispatch from that point says that [Goodwin purchased 200 head of steers at the Chicago stock yards, where they were reported to be Michigan cattle, though it is now said that Texas ticks are found on them in great numbers. Six herd have died, and ten more are sick.

A dispatch from Chester, Illinois, says the State veterinarian has discovered the presence of Texas fever in the herd at the prison, where two head have already died. The cattle were purchased at the east St. Louis stockyards.

#### THE CHOLERA.

MADRID, August 28.—There were 3,375 new cases of cholera and 1,100 deaths from the disease reported throughout Spain yesterday.

TOULON, August 29.—Eleven persons died in this city from cholera yesterday.

WASHINGTON, August 29.—Secretary Bayard today received a cablegram saying that the cholera had broken out at Nagasaki, Japan. The death rate is reported to be large. The port has been declared infected.

#### THE SULLIVAN-MCCAFFREY FIGHT.

CINCINNATI, August 29.—The Sullivan-McCaffrey fight was decided at the end of the sixth round in favor of Sullivan on account of a foul by McCaffrey, allowed by the referee.

#### THE SMALL-POX IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Aug. 29.—There were forty-five new cases of small-pox reported yesterday, only fifteen of which were authenticated.

#### HOW THE MONKEYS TRICKED THE BEES.

THE BEES.—Two monkeys sat under a tree in an Indian forest. One monkey was seen to busy himself in smearing the other with red clay earth. When he had succeeded in entirely covering his companion, he disappeared in a neighboring wood, leaving the other a mass of clay, but for two small eyes. Then the bearded monkey was seen to climb to the hollow of a tree where was a bee-hive. The bees buzzed about the intruder, but all they could do was to leave their stings in his clay coat. At length they swarmed away in despair, and the clever monkey helped himself to the honey-comb. Then the other monkey came out of his hiding place and proceeded to pick off the clay covering from his brother. This done, they set to work at the honey-comb and finished it.

#### ELECTRICITY TO REMOVE TATTOO.

TOO.—Any piece of tattooing on the body can be entirely removed by electricity, and, if properly done, no scar need be left. The process is a gradual one, because the eradication has to be done piecemeal, and care exercised to prevent the platinum needle from burning more than half through the inner cuticle. This caution will render the searing of the skin after the wound heals impossible.—N. Y. Sun.

#### SIX THOUSAND LETTERS OF PETER THE GREAT HAVE REMAINED UNDER SUPPRESSION.

The Emperor of Russia now permits the publication of a selection.

#### GLASS HOUSES.

"They who live in glass houses should mind how they cast stones."

"The wicked fleeeth when no one pursueth."

It is amusing to see how tender-footed certain blood remedy proprietors have become of late. They make much ado about "apes and imitators" when none are in sight.

The proprietors of B. B. B. would say most emphatically that their remedy stands upon its own merits. Should we attempt to imitate, it would not be those who do not understand the modus operandi of that which they offer. Our own long experience in the profession precludes such an idea. The field for blood remedies is large and broad, affording ample room for all present aspirants. We do not desire to close our door against others, neither shall it be closed against us. (B. B. B. is the quickest remedy, does not contain mineral or vegetable poison, does not irritate, and is in the field an honorable competitor for public favor, and its success is without a parallel.)

For sale wholesale and retail by B. N. Duffy. Cash to accompany the order.

#### WORMS DO EXIST IN THE HUMAN BODY TO A GREAT EXTENT, AND ARE OFTEN THE CAUSE OF DISEASE AND DEATH.

Shirmer's Indian Vermifuge will destroy and expel them from the system.

#### DIED.

At the residence of D. S. Aman, One-low county, on Tuesday evening Aug. 25th, Mrs. Rachel Morton, widow of the late West Morton, aged about 75 years.

She was a christian woman and leave several children, grandchildren and great grandchildren; and many friends and relations to mourn her death. The family services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Petrell, at Queen's creek church, a large concourse of people attending.

## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Aug. 29, 6 P. M.

### COTTON.

New York, August 29.—Futures closed quiet.

September, 9.86 December, 9.65

October, 9.97 January, 9.73

November, 9.83 February, 9.82

Spot steady: Middling 10 5-16; Low Middling 9 9-16; Ordinary 9 5-16.

New Bern market quiet.

Middling 9 1-4; Low Middling 8 11-16; Ordinary 8 1-4.

### DOMESTIC MARKETS.

COTTON SEED—\$10.00.

BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.

TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.55.

TAR—75c. a bbl.

CORN—60a70c.

BREXWAX—30c. per lb.

BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.

COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb.

LARD—10c. per lb.

EGGS—13c. per dozen.

FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.

PEANUTS—50c. per bushel.

PODDIES—75c. a bbl. per hundred.

ONIONS—\$1.00 per bushel.

FIELD PEAS—

HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.

PEACHES—\$1.25 per bushel.

APPLES—30a50c. per bushel.

PEARS—75c. per bushel.

TALLOW—5c. per lb.

CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 30a35c.

MEAL—80c. per bushel.

OATS—40c. per bushel.

TURNIPS—30c. per bushel.

WOOL—10a15c. per pound.

POTATOES—Sweet, 50a60c.

SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch, hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M.

### WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—\$11.50.

SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 6c.

prime, 6c.

C. B. and L. C.—6a6c.

Flour—\$4.00a5.50.

LARD—7a7c. by the tierce.

NAILS—Basis 10's, \$2.50.

SUGAR—Granulated, 7a7c.

SALT—90c. a bbl. per sack.

MOLASSES and SYRUPS—20a45c.

POWDER—\$5.50.

SH.—\$1.60.

KEROSENE—10c.

### Dr. Slover

WILL REOPEN HIS SCHOOL, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd, 1885.

### Private School.

MRS. A. T. JERKINS will resume the duties of her School, on

### MONDAY, SEPT. 14th.

Prompt attendance on the opening of the session is earnestly requested, in order to the proper classification and greatest improvement of the pupils.

Sept. 1st. dlm

### N. M. GASKILL, MERCHANT TAILOR.

A Full Line of Goods and Samples always on hand.

Suits cut and made on short notice, and at as low price as the same can be had anywhere in North Carolina.

Fit guaranteed. Middle street, New Bern, N. C.

### For Sale or Rent.

The Store on Pollock street next to John Dunn's, recently occupied by C. Erdmann.

Apply to H. SPERLING.

### Insure Your Gin Houses

The undersigned are prepared to WHITE RISKS ON GIN HOUSES in FIRST-CLASS COMPANIES, and at the LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.

WATSON & STREET, Insurance Agents.

### Notice.

CHARLES E. NELSON

Has removed to his old stand on Broad street, between Alex. Miller and E. M. Payne, where he would be pleased to see his friends and customers, and supply them with the best Beef, Veal and Mutton the market affords.

Meats delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

### Come To The Front!

PHENIX CIGAR STORE

Will be found at the old spot; we will say the second door from the corner of Broad Front and Middle streets, where you will find the FINEST CIGARS, TOBACCO, CANDLES and FRUITS, and many other goods you may want.

Also, Good COOL SODA WATER, GINGER ALE and DEER ROCK WATER.

Aug. 29. dlm

### White, Etheridge & Co., Commission Merchants.

110 WATER STREET, NORFOLK, VA.

Special attention given to the sale of COTTON, CORN, PEANUTS, POTATOES, and all Country Produce.

References: Williams Bros., S. E. White & Co., Marine Bank, Norfolk, Va. July 29th

### SEND DOWN YOUR BROKEN GLASS

Crockery and China, and broken Toys, Ornaments, Keypieces, etc., and have them SCUT to cement them. Also, by having fresh patched every day, for five cts. a quart. Office on South Front street, between Hancock and Middle streets, Southern, N. C.