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LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
New Bern, latitude, 35° 6' West.
" longitude, 77° 3' West.
Sun rises, 6:23 | Length of day,
Sun sets, 5:10 hours, 43 minutes.
Moon rises at 11:46 p. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

FOUND—A small bright key that seems to have been repaired at one end. Call at this office.

Mince Meat, Buckwheat, White Beans, Morehead Oat Flakes, Grits and Samp.
At C. E. SLOVER'S.

FALL SAMPLES AT N. M. GASKILL'S.

A solid black walnut bedroom set, sideboard and wardrobe, marble top; for sale CHEAP at BLANKS.

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

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of SUGAR CURED HAMS, which we are offering at 10 cents per lb. Call and try them before they are all sold, as they are going off very rapidly.
28ft HUMPHREY & HOWARD.

November.

No oyster boats in the dock yesterday.

The lowest tide in many months was last Friday.

October has passed. It was notably a pleasant month.

There is very little fire wood in the city at this time.

Some large drum fish were on the market yesterday.

Sweet potatoes are coming in plentifully and are cheap.

That delicious bivalve, the oyster, is better now than ever.

Eggs are not quite so high as they were the first of the week.

The annual meeting of the State Orange will be held at Rocky Mount on December 8th.

County fairs in the different parts of the State are spoken of in very flattering terms by the press.

We see from the Elizabeth City Economist that the first white ehad of the season has been caught at that place.

Elections in a good many States take place on next Tuesday. Those in New York and Virginia create most interest.

A three-hundred-pound specimen of haddock upon our streets for the last few days attracted the eye of the small boy.

Mr. T. C. Watson is having the machinery of his steamer *E. Henderson* thoroughly repaired. Dan Kelly bosses the job.

It can be found in another column that Mr. Morgan, taxidermists, advertises for two hundred dozen yellow hamsters in good plumage.

Mr. J. H. Beaton has a game rooster for which he has several times recently been offered five dollars. He claims to have the best stock in Eastern Carolina.

We are pleased to hear that the Raleigh school committee have adopted "Allen's Forty Lessons in Book-keeping" as a text-book for use in their schools.

The R. & D. train was delayed yesterday on account of an accident to the freight train a mile West of Goldsboro in consequence of which we got no Raleigh mail last night.

The editor spent yesterday in Kinston and reported Taylor was at La Grange, but the *Journal* comes out just the same. The localizer desires to know whether you like it better today or whether you like it *Nurn* the best.

One of the curiosities of the past week was a rat of two colors on public exhibition on the streets. The head and shoulders were the natural color but all the rest was snow white.

The steamer *Stout* was a passenger on the steamer *Stout* from Baltimore.

There is a man in this city who, though he is a cardinal, yet he goes robed in pontifical garments, and still he is a veritable Pope. And he is no prophet; yet he is as true a Samuel as ever the witch of Endor called up from the specter of departed prophet. Who is he? and where is he?

Miss comes rather slowly, which tends to substantiate the report of a short crop. We think however, that the shortness is not so much in deficiency in the turnout as in the acreage planted. The tendency with farmers is less rice and more corn and cotton. The quality of the grain, so far, averages on par with former crops.

A petty party reverberations of the style Dutch *lee* as heard in the marketplace of New Bern, W. P. Burke & Co. yesterday revived in memory the recently latent sparks of country life, which in our youthful days burned only in the factor of the business and contentment enjoyed by the sturdy, steady farmers of old mother earth. Only the same of plenty among the prosperous farmers, wherever they may be, for good Old North State.

Boat Capized.
The little schooner *Estelle*, owned by Mrs. J. F. Clark, was capized near Riverdale on Thursday night. No lives lost. Cause of accident—disposition in the captain to carry sail too long.

United States District Court.
Court convened yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Assistant District Attorney Bogley prayed judgment in the following cases:

U. S. vs. John S. Manix, embezzlement. Two years in prison at Albany.

U. S. vs. Jones H. Young, embezzlement. Two years in prison at Albany. Court adjourned to November 10th.

Returned.

Mr. Brady, of the firm of Moore & Brady, returned on the steamer *Goldsboro* yesterday from Baltimore with force in full as a preparatory step toward reopening their oyster canning business for the fall and winter. Our citizens, especially the merchants and laboring class, will receive them with a hearty welcome. Let us have more of such men. We have both room and opportunities for the investment of their capital.

The Price of Cotton.

By the kindness of Mr. Frank Meyer, cotton buyer, we have obtained the following comparative table of prices for cotton in this market for the last seven years during the last week in October of each.

In 1878 the average was.....	8.30
" 1879	10.10
" 1880	10.10
" 1881	10.75
" 1882	9.80
" 1883	10.00
" 1884	9.50
" 1885	is about 8.85

By this statement it will be seen that the present year furnishes the lowest figures since 1878. But if we could get at those of 1877, we should find them still lower than either. Sales were made here as low as 7.75 in that year.

Personal.

Mrs. J. R. Bell, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. J. H. Beaton and other relatives and friends in the city, returned to her home in Carteret yesterday, accompanied by her husband and daughter.

Capt. R. L. Buckner, of the Chesapeake and Albemarle Canal Co., was in the city yesterday on his way to the New Bern and Beaufort Canal, for the purpose of building a bridge across the said canal at each crossing of the public road.

Mrs. E. B. Baxter, of Stonewall, is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. Eva Baxter, of Stonewall, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Cicero Duncan.

The Misses Daves, daughters of Prof. E. G. Daves, of Baltimore, arrived last night.

Church Services To-Day.

Christ Church—V. W. Shields, Rector. All Saints Day. Services at 11 a. m. Holy Communion, and at 7 p. m. Sunday-school at 4 p. m. The public is always invited to attend the services of this church.

Baptist Church—Rev. C. A. Jenkins, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath-school at 9 a. m. Mr. Wm. Hollister, Supt. A welcome to all these services.

M. E. Church, South—Services at 11 a. m., conducted by the Pastor, Rev. Dr. Burkhead. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the close of morning sermon. Sunday-school at 8 p. m. Public always invited to attend. Seats free. Polite ushers.

St. Stephen's Chapel (col.) Queen Street—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. A. J. Marshall. Sabbath-school at 9 a. m. G. A. West, superintendent; W. C. Griffin, clerk. Young Men's Christian Association—Prayer-meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church. Subject: "Enemies of the Cross of Christ." Phil. 3:18. Leader, Rev. Edward Bull.

The *flag* used by the Neuse and Trent River Transportation as a lighter to freight goods up the river when the water is low, is undergoing some improvements, one which is the addition of a neat and commodious cabin.

The entertainment given by the Orphan Class Friday night was very successful, having netted \$117.35, a collection was afterwards taken up swelling the sum to \$135.70. This speaks well for our citizens. They always respond liberally for charitable purposes. Mr. T. A. Green, a Director of the Asylum, will forward the amount immediately to Oxford. The class left for Beaufort last night.

Cap. Powell was well pleased, in fact delighted, with the Wood from Goldsboro to La Grange last night. Its beauty, however, was not the cause of the train's delay.

Beaufort—A Place for Sport.

EDITOR JOURNAL—It has seemed a little strange and still does, that Beaufort is so little known as a most desirable place for sportsmen. I mean those who are fond of fishing in almost every conceivable way, for mackerel, bluefish, spox, blackfish, trout, with hook and line. There is in addition to fishing for all these, we have what now is the most exciting sport I ever had troling at night for drum. But in all this sport it requires just a little exertion, just a little work. I may say and without some energy. Lazy people can't find much fun any way, especially in fishing down here. By some means two gentlemen in Washington City heard that Beaufort was a good place to fish, and have a little recreation. So Dr. Taylor left the cares incident to the life of a good physician and Geo. M. Barker, his business and came to this place in search of sport.

They spent just one week and it was my pleasure to join them day and night simply fishing. This is the result. Bluefish, blackfish, and haul about 500. Some of these fish weighed two pounds, and all of them caught with hook and line. Dr. Taylor using his favorite rod and reel. We caught 16 large drum, two of them weighing 37 pounds each, and the total weight 428 pounds. In addition to this we caught about ten sharks, one of them 9 feet long, and weighing over 250 pounds. I never met two more genial and clever gentlemen than Dr. Taylor and Mr. Barker. They were delighted with the trip and with the unequalled sport, and everything connected with their visit, and especially with the Davis House, for both of them declared they had gained 10 pounds. Dr. Taylor caught one of the most singular fish I ever saw. It was a straight down octopus. Its arms, eight in number, were about 12 feet long. The Doctor put it in alcohol and took it to the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. Dr. Taylor was a surgeon in the Confederate army.

Gum Branch Items.

We are sorry to have to say that Mrs. Jenny Franks is no better—very low, indeed.

Mr. Otway Freshwater died a short while back on Bear creek, aged about 30 years; cause: conjunctive chill. He leaves a wife and two children. He was a son of J. A. Freshwater, Esq.

Quite a cold snap this week with plenty of Jack Frost and hard water called ice; but has turned warm again, and with it rain, which bothers the farmers somewhat. Some of them are about done picking cotton; most all done gathering corn and digging potatoes.

Messrs. Hunter and Brinson are our crack dancers here. When it comes to straight down old-fashioned reels, but Hardy Franks was the climax in a clog dance. You just ought to have seen them the other night at Harry Cox's corn shucking. "Geo. Whillinks."

Henry Marsh had a Japanese persimmon tree with fruit as large as a goose egg; has also a kind of tea in his garden growing, that equals the best green tea imported. Henry makes wine and sweetens with honey, and if you don't believe it is good, do like I did, go and taste it. Grape juice sweetened with good strained honey makes the best of wine.

Our school is progressing finely, as are all our schools around. Miss Callie Woodward has a good school at Mr. C. Stephens'. She is an excellent teacher, and not to be surprised at either, for her father, the late L. G. Woodward, was one of the best school teachers Onslow county ever had. Miss Mollie Evans is teaching at the lake (Catharine lake) and has a No. 1 school; also a good teacher. She is from Cumberland county.

We met at Jacksonville some time ago, where we school teachers have to go to get our "passes." We were rather scared ourself, as our excellent superintendent, Frank Thompson, jr., had the name of being pretty particular in his examinations; but we made out to worry through all right, though the *Ex* was pretty hard on Snider, sure; Miss Mollie beat us, but we couldn't help it; guess she was the best prepared.

Walter Merrill beat the county around here in a stalk of cotton. He has stalk on exhibition five feet seven inches high, 7 feet, two inches broad with 108 green bolls, 100 of them open full, all to be seen as it hangs on the stalk. He speaks of sending it to Geo. Allen & Co. as a sample of his make, as he has a small field of the same kind—improved Jones variety. Silas Venters has the largest Spanish potatoes, and Ned. Murrill the largest "hamas." Silas has a second crop of pears on one of his Bartlett pear trees. The first crop came off in August, and was the largest I ever saw; the second crop is not so large.

Mr. E. M. Koonce has just closed his school at Haw Branch, and gone down on New river to G. W. Winberry's, the king oyster man, for a nine month school. Mr. Koonce is one of the best male teachers in Onslow county. I will mention some of his scholars, who acquired themselves with great credit, at his closing examination. The Misses Annie Howard, Dora and Cora Jarman, and Blanch Thompson, Mr. A. K. Thompson and others. Speeches, declarations, dialogues, composition, etc. We like to forget to mention Misses Sallie Edward, and Lula Thompson, who were not the last or least in the list of those deserving notice.

Slaughtered from the Grave.
Mrs. Helen Parviz, No. 331 Dayton St., Ill., is now in her sixty-eighth year and states that she has suffered with Consumption for about ten years, was treated by many physicians, all of them pronouncing her case hopeless. She had given up all hopes of ever recovering. Several bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption completely cured her. Doubting ones, please drop her a postal and satisfy yourselves. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

STATE NEWS.

Gleaned from our Exchanges.

Raleigh Visitor: The prospect for a Union depot in this city meets the approval of all our people. We hope the railroad companies will soon meet the wishes of the public in this respect.

Greensboro North State: We learn that L. W. Anderson, Esq., the model farmer of Stokes county, has 6,000 apple trees bearing fruit, and has raised 30 hogs in one orchard, using no other food than what fell from the trees. Mr. Anderson lives about 6 miles from Madison.

Washington Gazette: The rice crop in this section is reported to be a disastrous failure. Other crops are also short with us, and the situation is not very favorable among the farmers. We are gratified to learn, however, that there is an unprecedented yield of grain crops in the country at large, such as has not been seen since the war.

Weldon News: We have been informed by Mr. W. T. Whitehead, of Roseneath township, this county, that he has four acres in cotton this year that will yield him not less than ten thousand pounds of seed cotton—two bales to the acre. This is some of the same land that made the wonderful yield of peanuts two years ago.

Asheville Advance: A gentleman stepped into the coffee house a day or so ago to send a telegram, having evidently interpreted the letters over the sign, which mean Womans' Christian Temperance Union, to be a sign for the Western Union Telegraph Company. He was so delighted with the lunch he got for ten cents that he was glad he made the funny mistake.

Raleigh News and Observer: His honor, Judge Clark, commiserating the hard fate of the jury in the long Gooch and Smith case last term, in having to occupy uncomfortable benches, issued an order to the sheriff of Wake to supply the jury box with twelve comfortable revolving arm chairs, with cane seats. They came yesterday and were put in place. The Judge remarked when ordering the chairs that it was to the public interest to get the very best men for jurors and that it was the duty of the public to make them comfortable. The chairs are a decided improvement to the court room.

Elizabeth City Economist: The revival in the Methodist church, under the direction of Rev. Mr. Willis, still continues with great success. Twenty-five new members were admitted to the church on Sunday. The schooner *Thomas Sinickson*, of Philadelphia, 248 tons, from Wilmington, N. C., bound to Philadelphia with a cargo of shingles, lumber, tar, R. R. iron, and juniper bolts, was driven on shore on the 12th, on the south side of Hatteras inlet; crew of seven men; all saved. The vessel was a total loss.

Carteret County Items.
Mr. Potter being unwell this week no Telephone will be issued.

Capt. Wm. Fulford, who was raised in Beaufort, but for many years lived in New York, is spending a few days with his relatives and friends on his way to Florida with a steamer to run on the St. John's river. He is a brother-in-law of our worthy physician, Dr. J. L. Manney.

Court closed Thursday evening. Judge McKay was suffering greatly with a sore on his neck, and I thought all the while too unwell to hold court; but he was cheerful, prompt and fearless in the discharge of his duty. But few cases of interest were tried. Mr. O. H. Allen made a fine impression. He is an honorable and worthy officer. Messrs. H. R. Bryan, Simmons & Manly, M. DeW. Stevenson, Pelletier, and Judge Thomas of the New Bern bar, Galway, Nixon, Isler, of Goldsboro, Pear-sall, of Jones, and C. E. Thomas, of this place, were present.

List of Letters
Remaining in the Postoffice at New Bern, Craven county, N. C., Oct. 31st, 1885.
Brown, Samuel.
Claben, Miss Macy.
Dabwell, Messrs. & Co.; Dennis, Alfred.
Jassey, B. F.; Johnson, Zekel.
Little, Eliza.
Roberson, Lewis; Roberts, Laura.
Sanders, William W., Jr.; Spencer, Haywood; Scott, Kate.
Persons calling for above letters, will say addressed, and give date of list.
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The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. d.w.lm

Bulgarian Forces Blockading the Servian Frontier.

NISSA, Oct. 30.—It is officially announced today that the Bulgarian forces have blockaded the frontier, and that the officers have issued orders to the men to shoot any one they find crossing from Servia into Bulgaria. The Servian troops have been ordered to reply in force in such an event without awaiting special orders from the Commanding General, or, in other words, they have received carte blanche in the premises. It is stated that bands of Bulgarians have commenced harassing Servian frontier towns.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by all druggists.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Oct. 31, 6 P. M.

COTTON.
New Bern market quiet. Sales of 122 bales at 8 1/2 to 8 9/10.

Sales for the week, 885 bales, against 749 bales same week last year. Total sales since Sept. 1st, 4,413 bales, against 4,587 bales same time last year—deficit this year, 174 bales.

DOMESTIC MARKET.

SEED COTTON—\$3.00.
COTTON SEED—\$10.00.
BARRELS—Kerosene, 49 gals., 85c.
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.
TAR—75c. a \$1.25.
CORN—55a70c.
RICE—80a90c.
BEEFWAX—20c. per lb.
BEEF—On foot, 6c. to 7c.
COUNTRY HAMS—12c. per lb.
LARD—10c. per lb.

EGGS—17c. per dozen.
FRESH PORK—6c. per pound.
PEANUTS—50c. per bushel.
PODDER—75c. a \$1.00 per hundred.
ONIONS—\$3.50 per barrel.
FIELD PEAS—60a75c.
HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c.
APPLES—30a50c. per bushel.
PEARS—75c. per bushel.
TALLOW—5c. per lb.
CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.; spring 35a40c.

MEAL—80c. per bushel.
OATS—40 cts. per bushel.
TURPINS—50c. per bushel.
WOOL—10a16c. per pound.
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a40c.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M.

NEW MESS PORK—\$10.25.
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 5c.; prime, 6c.
C. R. and L. C.—61c.
FLOUR—\$4.00a5.50.
LARD—71c. by the tierce.
NAILS—Basis 10's, \$3.00.
SUGAR—Granulated, 71c.
SALT—90c. a \$1.00 per sack.
MOLASSES and SYRUPS—20a45c.
POWDER—\$5.00.
SHOT—\$1.00.
KEROSENE—10c.

Wanted Immediately.

TWO HUNDRED DOZEN YELLOW HAMMERS in good plumage, by CLARKE & MORGAN, at their shop, corner of East Front and Change streets. orld d.w.lm

Ho For Trenton!

WM. McDANIEL WILL HAVE A HACK AT COLE'S CREEK STATION ON MONDAY MORNING for the purpose of taking lawyers and others to Trenton Court. 31st

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