See Berne, latitude, 85° 6' North. longitude, 77° 8' West. Sun rises, 7:06 | Length of day, dun sets, 4:49 | 9 hours, 43 minutes, Moon sets at 4:19 a. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

FALL SAMPLES at N. M. GASKILL'S.

A fine lot of fresh PRUNES, best Monte-zuma, Java and Rio Coffee, also best Butter, Hams. Buckwheat, etc. The best of Wines for Christmas cakes, at If TAYLOR & SMITH'S. Good work, Good Fit, or no Money, at HURTT'S.

TAH who have tried our 10c. hams say they are as good as any in market. HUMPHREY & HOWARD.

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

Having been tested with the polarisorder, the Diamond lens spectacles and eye-glasses have been found to admit fifteen per cent less heated rays than any other pebble. Diamond trade-mark on every pair.

For sale in New Berne only by B. A.

SAMPLES and piece goods at HURTT'S.

Christmas week.

Quite a number of new tenant houses re being erected on the outskirts of the There are about fifteen prisoners in

the county jail and court has just adjourned. Rev. L. W. Crawford, the new pastor

of the M. E. Church, preaches his first law will be openly resisted. sermon to his new charge today.

We are requested to announce that Rev. A. D. Betts will preach at Hope-Rev. A. D. Retts will preach at Hope-well, Jones county, on the 4th Sunday to an alarming extent. The State friend upon the fact that in December.

Bishop Watson will be in the city Christ Church at 11 o'clock service on . Christmas day.

L. J. Moore, Esq., is making improvements on his law office. He is rapidly regaining his health and is brushing up to take a new start.

Our truckers are making extensive Messrs. Dunn & Willet near the city in the future. ate getting the trucking business down to perfection.

"Tax payer" endorses the position of the Journal in regard to selling the county stock in the A. & N. C. R. We believe a large majority of the tax-payers will favor it, provided the county can realize as much as twenty-five or thirty thousand dollars for it.

The freight train brought in yester. The public is always invited to attend ing intellect of this State, and perhaps South during the year in the turpentine ways at the doors to provide seats. orchards. There is no place like home earnings during the year.

morning, and in response to feelings tend all the services of this church. which a vigorous and bracing atmosphere produced, desired to exercise Pastor, Rev. L. C. Vass, at 11 a. m., and and oratorical ability he had no superior their athletic powers and sailed in for a 4 p.m.. While the refitting of the main among them. Meeting upon the political action as catch can. But their audience rooms is progressing, these cal arena Johnson, Jenkins, Stephens, sport terminated in Jim's throwing services will be held in the lecture Cobb, Brown and Hill, he will stand sport terminated in Jim's throwing services will be held in the lecture out in the history of Georgia's dis-Dick and dislocating his shoulder blade. rooms of the Church. The public are It was a painful wound, and Doctors cordially invited to attend these ser Rates and Duffy had to be called in to vices. Stephens Chapel, col.—Services

Charles Sutton, col., was thrown down W. C. Griffin, Clerk.
Young Men's Christian Association at the crossing of Hancock and South ats and robbed of his money, about \$30.00 in all. He informed Mar-shal Barget and he with policeman Gaskin sent to work to ferret out the perpetrators of the deed, and the result

The News from White Oak A young man from White Oak, Jones

county came in on Saturday to post us on the current events of the day in that section. He says that it is absolutely

folks are married without disturbance, and that the lady who violated her church discipline by dancing has repented in sack cloth and ashes.

The Monstrostry Act.

Scores of tax-payers warmly endorse our comments on the "Monstrosity communication which appeared in yesterday's issue. They are in favor of making delinquents come forward and share the burdens of the government as well as enjoy its privileges. They insist that the county officers shall do their duty and not be intimidated by such warnings as were thrown out in that communication.

The JOURNAL regrets as much as any one possibly can that any of our citizens will be distressed by this law, but it recognizes the necessity of prompt action on the part of the State or the col- prepared "more interesting matter" for lection of taxes will in a few years amount to a farce and the officers of the

There is too little respect for law, and we believe the officers in many counties are setting the example of disobedience onght to enforce the collection of its he taxes every year, and not wait until the part of this week and will preach at they accumulate to such an extent as to the principle that he who tooteth not his bankrupt and ruin the owner of the own horn that same horn shall not be property to pay it. Whenever people tooted but must remain in a state of ununderstand that taxes must be paid, everybody will pay and when everybody pays, taxes will be lower and we will all be better able to pay. We hope that those of our citizens who may be distressed by this law may be able biography had never been written. He preparations for the coming crop. to save their homes and learn a lesson

hurch Services To-Day.

M. E. Church-Services at 11 a. m. by the Pastor, Rev. L. W. Crawford. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Public cordially invited.

Christ Church-V. W. Shields, Pastor. 4th Sunday in Advent. 8 a. m. Holy Seventy-five years I have no resentments. I would not pang a heart." nd 7 p. m. Sunday School at 4 p. m.

Baptist Church-Rev. J. A. Jenkens, after Death until the Resurrection of the waters." Dick and Jim Chase, two colored Body. Sabbath School at 3 p. m., B.

Presbyteroin Church-Services by the

Services at their rooms on Middle street at 5 o'clock. Leader, J. J. Wolfenden,

Self the County Stock.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—We coincide exactly of their investigation was to bring before Justics Brinson, Redding Hammond and Ollyer Arendall upon a charge of highway robbery. Geo. H. White appeared for the State and W. E. Clarke for the defendants.

After investigating the case the defendants were required to give bond in the first bundred dollars each for their superrance at the next term of the State of Court, in dofault of which they are sent to fail.

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Beisklining in the Postonice at New Serne. Oraven county, N. C., Dec 30th, 1885.

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Who the Marching Orders? OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 16 —It was learned at a late hour last night that orders have been issued from Military Headquar-ters, Department of the Platte, rescindsection. He says that it is absolutely true there will be two weddings in that neighborhood during the coming week, as he knows the license have been sent for and the old folks are willing.

He also tells of a party held in the paighborhood one night last week as exertly required excitement over the expected Mormon uprising. Orders were secretly required the expected Mormon uprising. neighborhood one night last week at which there was a considerable disturbance on account of a lady dancing who belonged to the church. "She hadn't ought to done it." Our informant Beck, by whom the orders were issued, had business else where when the distur-came direct from Washington or from bance began. We hope the next news Chicago, a point on which great secrecy from that quarter will be that the young has been observed since the first of the departmental commotion. Gen. Beck says, however, that the reason the first orders are countermanded is that the authorities are satisfied that all danger of an outbreak at Salt Lake City is past. Battery D will remain permanently at Fort Douglass, however, to prevent the possibility of any disturbance of large proportions. Gen. Beck says a great deal deal of unnecessary sensationalism has been worked out of the case.

Genuine Modesty.

"The Advance gives more interesting reading matter for the money than any paper published in this part of the tate. — Advance.
The Mirror publishes several columns

more reading matter than our sterling and excellent contemporary, the Advance, but we don't pretend to say that we publish more interesting matter than our esteemed neighbor. With all of our esteemed neighbor. "kensate," and we've got lots of it, we have never yet dared to assert that we our paper than other laborers in the journalistic field. But we rejoice to anow that our highly esteemed brother has reached that point from which he can gaze upon his own works with such supreme satisfaction, and admiration, and we congratulate our very modest

feels able make to the above statement. But per-haps after all, our friend is acting upon tootedness. If so, continue your tooting; so ready, one, two, three, toot .-Wilson Mirror.

Final Estimate.

Gen. Toombs was once asked why his replied that the history of his life remained upon the record of his country -all who cared could read it there. How fitting these words to Dr. Steiner: "I am passing away. Life's fitful fever will soon be over. I would not blot out an act. There stands my rec-

Equally worthy of him was the touch-

ing farewell:
"In looking over my broad field of

day forty or fifty hands who have been the services of this church. Ushers al- of this age. He was able, fearless, incisive, tenacious and resistless. Mr. Stephens said of him: "His was the grandest mind I ever came in contact to spend Christmas. We hope they Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. with. Its operations even in its errors brought back a good portion of their m. Morning subject: State of the Soul reminded me of a mighty waste of

How he towers above his contempoboys employed at Redmond's bottling M. Gates, Superintendent. Seats free, intellectual might, overshadowing his establishment, arose early vesterday and the public cordially invited to atthe Southern statesmen of the last generation, Gen. Toombs was the boldest and brainiest. In intellectual power the most eloquent. Gen. Toombs was a great lawyer, a brilliant statesman and Bobbery.

On Saturday morning about 2 o'clock school at 9 a. m. G. A. West, Supt.

Harles Sutton, col., was thrown down to the crossing of Haycook. left a lasting impress, being the author of the constitutional provision regulat-ing the railroads of the State. His last appearance in public life at that time was characteristic of the man. Some thing of his old time power returned and he attacked the corporations with the same fervor that he had warred upon abolition. Altogether, Gen. Toombs presents the most striking figure in the history of this Commonwealth .- Aumista Chroniele.

A Quaker's Letter to a Jeweler. The following is a letter sent by J. G. Frazier, of Bush Hill, N. C., to one of the watch makers of Greensboro, a few days since:

"DEAR SIR. I hereby send thee my pocket clock which standeth in need of

thy friendly correction.
"The last time it was at thy friendly school it was in no way benefited or

index of its mind that it is a liar and the truth is not in it.

"Purge it, therefore, I beseech thee and correct it from the error of its ways and shew it the path wherein it should go. And when thou layest thy correcting hand upon it, see that it be without passion, least thou shouldest drive it to destruction and when thou seest it comfortable to the above mentioned rules, send it home to me with a just and true bill drawn out in the spirit of moderation, and I will remit it to thee in the root of all evil."—Greensboro Workman.

SEWS BY MAIL.

A MYSTERIOUS DEATH. Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 18.—Miss Jessie Clavk, 17 years of age, and a daughter of S. M. Clark, of McKenzie, was shot and killed at that place last night. She was called upon at her residence by Edward McGhee, and the visitor was ushered into the parlor, where he engaged in conversation with Miss Clark. The report of a pistol was heard soon afterwards and members of the family rushed into the room and found Miss Clark lying dead on the floor, while near her stood McGhee. An examination of the body showed that a bullet had entered the back

of her head, causing in-stant death. McGhee was arrested on suspicion of having fired the fatal shot, but the confusion was so great that no definite particulars could be ascertained. A jury of inquest was summoned and an investigation will be had today. It is believed by McGhee's friends that the killing was accidental.

THE PRESIDENT AT MR. BAYARD'S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President Cleveland dined this evening at Secretary Bayard's. The dinner was given in honor of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes. The President has made it a rule to refuse all invitations to dine out, but his Cabinet associates are excepted.

GEN. LAWTON FOR THE AUSTRIAN MISSION WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.-Gen Alexander R. Lawton, of Georgia, is in the city. It is understood that he is to be appointed to the vacant Vienna mission as soon as the bill removing his disabil ities is signed by the President.

VIENNA, Dec. 18 .- A semi-official bulletin, issued at Nish yesterday, says: 'Peace has not yet been assured. Bulgaria demands that Servia shall evacuate the Widdin district. King considers this an unfair request. Servis seeks an armistice and peace for political reasons, but if they are not obtained she will continue the war to the last extremity. She will, however, wait until the enemy takes the offensive."

LONDON, Dec. 18 .- A report has been received here that the Servian troops have been withdrawn from the Widdin

United States Courts.

The United States Circuit and District Courts, Judge R. W. Hughes presiding were in session yesterday morning. The grand jury presented five true bills of indictment for false entry in the Exchange National Bank matter, against George M. Bain, Jr., John B. White-head, Orlandor Windsor and Charles E. Jenkins, and one true bill on the same charge against George M, Bain, Jr. Robert T. K. Bain, Orlando Windson and Chas. E. Jenkins.

The court and jury were adjourned to 10 o'clcck this morning.- Norfolk Landmark.

CLIPPINGS.

A Chicago street corner lot that was bought thirty years ago for less than \$9,000, has just been leased for ninety-Gen. Toombs had the most impressive nine years at an annual rental of \$35,000. A ten-story building, to cost a round million, will be erected upon it.

The Prairie du Pont levee, near Eas Carondelet, Ill., just reaching comple tion, will protect 10,000 acres of choice bottom lands, the flooding of which las summer caused the loss of \$800,000. This levee will cost \$12,000.

During the recent cold snap at St Louis men were watching along the levees all day and night ready to step on the ice the moment it was able to bear them, and stake out a "claim" to an area for cutting. Such claims are always respected.

Ordinary army signalling, by waving flags or torches, can trasmit only ten words or so a minute, spelled out by letters; but an adaptation of the Mors telegraphic alphabet, now generally employed, has more than doubled this rate of speed.

The late M. Bailliere, publisher of some of the most important of modern French medical works, personally con lucted hijs business for nearly seventy years, and worked until within a few days of his death—in his 89th year—al though he had become blind during the atter part of his life.

An object of public curiosity, near New Philadelphia, Ohio, is a man who never shears the wool from his sheep, or plucks his geese, or "rings" his swine. He says it is sinful to interfere with nature. His own hair and beard are never shorn, nor are his nails cut. Every utensil about the farm is home

In his recent work on anthropoid ape Dr. Hartmann of Berlin admits that 'the most fanatical advocates of the doctrine of descent are becoming more and more convinced that man cannot be the issue of any extant form of an thropoids," and says "that hypothetical being, the common ancestor of man and apes is still to be found—a task assigned to paleontology.

Good beer was classed as being the drink next best to water by Dr. Lan-ceraux, at the Antwerp convention profited thereby, for I perceive by the index of its mind that it is a liar and the ceraux, at the Antwerp convention against alcoholic drinking. His remarks applied to pure, unadultersted, well-made beer. He said that in France, where the beer of the country is scarcely ever doctored or tampered with, alcoholism is rare, so long as they confine themselves to that beverage. Wine fine themselves to that beverage. Wine of good quality is less innocuous. For children it is always bad, and in adults it predisposes to tuberculosis, nervous troubles, nightmare, and other affections. But grain and potatoes are the agents whence it obtained the most deleterious form of alcohol. These spirits provoke nervous disorders which commence in the extremities; pricking sensations, chills, insomnia or else hideous visions, tendencies to suicide by hanging or drowning, and in every instance premature old age.

COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Dec. 19. 6 P. M. COTTON.

NEW YORK, December 19.-2:14 P. M Futures closed very dull. Sales of 29,000 bales. December, January, 9.30 July, August, 10.04 September, 9.76 February, 9.41 March, 9.64 October. May, 9.75 November, Spots steady; Middling 914; Middling 9; Good Ordinary 8 1-4.

New Berne market quiet. Sales of 71 bales at 81 to 8.60. Sales for the week 761 bales, against 466 bales same week last year.
Middling 8 3-4; Low Middling 8 1-8. Good Ordinary 7 3-4.

STATE OF NOBTH CAROLINA, Superior Court

James A. Bryan and wife C. W. McLean.

Action to fore-close equity in contract for purchase of land.

C. W. McLean, Chase of land.

To C. W. McLean, Defendant:
You are hereby notified that an action, as above entitled, has been began against you in the Superior Court of Craven county, for the purpose of foreclosing your equity in certain lands in said county, which the Plaintiffs contracted to convey to you by contract bearing date May 12th, A.D. 1879, to which contract in your possession reference is had for further particulars. And you are hereby required to appear at the February Term of said Court, to be held at the Court House in the City of Newbern, on the Third Monday before the First Monday in March, A.D. 1889, and then and there answer or demur to the

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This December 19th, 1885,

E. W. CARPENTER,

Clerk Sup. Court.

NITED STATES OF AMERICA-EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA. A. J. Gatling

The Steamer Florence, ber tackle, apparel and furniture.

Whereas a libel has been filed in the said Dis-In Admiratty.

trict Court of the United States at Newbern on the 16th of December, 1885, by A. J. Gat ling, engineer, against the steamer Florence ling, engineer, against the steamer Florence, her tackle, apparel and furniture, alleging in substance that there is due him for wages, for services on said steamer as engineer. Two hundred and ninety-nine 75-100 dallars, and praying process against said steamer or vessel, and that said steamer or vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture be condemned and sold to pay such wages, with interest and costs.

condemned and sold to pay such wages, with interest and costs.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the monition to me directed and delivered, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said steamer or vessel, her tackle, apparel and furniture, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear before the said District Court, to be held at the City of Newbern, in and for the Eastern District of North Jarolina, on Wednesday the 30th day of December, A.D. 1885, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

Dated December 18th, 1885.

J. B. HILL, U. S. Marshal, By R. C. KEHOE, U. S. Deputy Marshal, GREEN & STEVENSON,

EN & STEVENSON, Proctors for Libellant,

Christmas Goods!

Plush Toilet Cases,
Plush Whisk Broom Cases,
Handkerchief Extracts,
Cologne, Etc., Etc. Just received at HANCOCK BROS. DRUG STORE, next to Post Office, New Berne, N. C. Call and see them before buying.

OWEN H. GUION. GUION & PELLETIER, SOUTH FRONT ST., OPP. GASTON HOUSE, NEW BERNE, N. C.

Practice where services are desired.

Practice in the Supreme Court, and in the rederal Court at New Berns.
One of this firm will always be at the folowing places at times specified below:
Trenton, Jones county, Saturday of each and every weeks. nd every week. Beaufort, Carteret county, Thursday of each

week. Jacksonville, Onslow county, the first Mon day in each month, d17

NOTICE.

National Bank of New Berne.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Bank for the Elecion of Directors, and the transaction of such ther business as may come before them, will is held at their RANKING HOUSE on the SECOND TUESDAY, being the 12th day of ANUARY, 1886,

The Polls will be opened at TWELVE clock and close at ONE. P.M. J. A. GUION, Cashier. December 12, 1835,

Sale of a Steamboat.

By virtue of the powers conferred by Charles T. Cherry in a certain morigage dated the lith day of February, 1884, and duly recorded. The National Bank of New Berne will offer for sale at Public Auction, on SATURBAY, the TWENTY-SIXTH day of DECEMBER, 1881, at VANCEBORO, in Craven county, at TWELVE o'clock, neon, SEVEN-EIGHTHS of the STEAMBOAT "FLORENCE," together with seyen-eighths of the masts, bowsprit, boats, anchors, cables, chains, rigging, tackle, apparel, furniture, and sil other necessaries thereunto appertaining or belonging, Terms of sale, cash. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. A. GUION, Cashier, New Berne, Dec. 4, 1885.

THE

NATIONAL BANK OF NEW BERNE

New Beane, N.C., November 20, 1885.
In conformity with the instructions of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, the following certificate is published for the information of all concerned.

Very respectfully,

JOHN HUGHES, President.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

WASHINGTON, November 18th, 1885.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of New Berne," in the County of Craven and State of North Car, tins, has complied with all the provisions of the "Act of Congress to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence and for other purposes," approved July 12th, 1822.

Now Transfronce I. Henry W. Cannon, Compired to the Courrency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of New Berne," in the City of New Berne, in the County of Craven and State of North Carolina, is anthorized to have suppersion for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely until close of business on November Z. 1906.

In restimony whereof witness my Janas and Seal of office this 18th day of November, 1855.

H. W. GANNON, Compired to the Currency.

No. 1802.

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MONEY MADE.

And the Way to Save It is to the Store of

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Cisterns, Plastering, Plain and Ornamental Patching, Whitewashing, and Remoof any kind a specialty. Plain and Decorative Kalsomining done in

the best style. Mr. G. B. Anderson, our Foreman, having thirty years' experience, flatters himsel that he can suit you all. Has permanently

ocated in New Berne. PEACOCK & HERRING.

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FAST SELLING PENNY GOODS, STICK CANDY and FRENCH MIXTURE, at Whole-sale or Retail, go to

L. J. TAYLOR'S CANDY MANUFACTORY. Send in your orders early for CHRISTMAS CANDIES; they will receive prompt atten-

Candy packed in pails or boxes at the low-est prices.

All Cocoanuts bought of me will be grated free of charge.

Orders left with H. J. Lovick will receive

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Orders left with H. J. Lovick will receive prompt attention. Candy Manufactory at the Freg Pond

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Another Lot

or Cigars

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CALL AND EXAMINE MY STOCK

JOHN DUNN

STATE OF NOBTH CAROLINA, Craven County. Jacob Bryan Sur Kitty Bryan, Kitty Bryan, the above named defendant, is bereby notified that a summons was lessed in the above named action from the office of the Buperior Court of Craven County North Carolina, on the 18th day of November, 1885, and the same is returnable on the twelfth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1885, and the said summons has been returned that the defendant is not to be found in Craven county. The said Kitty firyar will therefore take notice that she is required to appear before the Judge of our Superior Court at a Court to be held on the Twelfth Monday after the first Monday in March, 1920, and an away or demur to the comparing. Divorce/le limit