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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal Miniature Almanac.**  
New Berne, latitude, 35° 4' North, longitude, 77° 3' West.  
Sun rises, 6:48; Length of day, Sun sets, 5:42; 10 hours, 54 minutes. Moon sets at 5:40 a.m.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

**NOTICE, TARRHELS.**—You are notified to meet at your engine house this (Wednesday) evening at 8:30 o'clock. By order of Foreman.

**NUMA NUNN, Sec'y.**

**FOR SALE.**—The ground and store occupied by A. M. Hanff. Apply to 1196.

Those who buy our Jones and Onslow county Hams need have no fear of eating diseased meats. We buy from those we are well acquainted with, and can guarantee them free from cholera or any other disease. Are receiving large lots daily, weighing from six to twenty pounds, well shaped and smoked with the greatest care.

Very respectfully,  
**HUMPHREY & HOWARD.**

**FOR RENT.**—Two comfortable rooms on Pollock street between Middle and Hancock streets. Address P. O. box 463.

**TRY DAIL'S** fine Bouquet Butter and Pig Hams.

Another cold wave is approaching.

The Stimson faction won yesterday. What sort of an omen is this?

"Conquered by Kindness" at the Presbyterian lecture room tonight.

The music will be a special feature in the entertainment at the Presbyterian lecture room tonight.

The M. E. Church Working Society will meet at the residence of Mr. Thos. Daniels tonight at 8 o'clock.

The schooner *John Young*, Capt. Borden, from New York, arrived yesterday with a load of kaint for N. & T. S. Co.

Another fleet of oyster boats arrived at Moore & Brady's wharf on Monday night, and a large crowd of shuckers were engaged yesterday.

A most elegant entertainment at the Presbyterian lecture room tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. Tickets can be procured at C. E. Slover's store or at the door.

The steamer *Kinston* brought down quite a number of passengers from Lenoir and lower Pitt on Monday night who were at the Exchange yesterday with cotton.

The ladies are arranging for a festival on next Friday evening, at the Academy building, for the benefit of the Graded School library. Besides an elegant supper there will be an exhibition of "Phantom Shadows," and other amusements.

The gray eagle captured sometime since at Bachelors creek and mounted by Clarke & Morgan has been placed in Patterson's shoe store, and with the chattering of canaries and singing of mocking birds one can make his shoe purchase and leave happy.

A couple appeared at Esq. Hancock's drug store on Monday night and asked to be made man and wife. The Esq. complied with their request, they having produced the necessary papers authorizing him to act, and they departed. The groom on this occasion did not wear knee breeches or silver buckles, but we dare say he is as happy as the man who did recently appear thusly attired on a similar occasion.

### Steamer Movements.

The *Shenandoah* made regular trip yesterday carrying out a good cargo of cotton, claims and other freights.

The *Kinston* left for Kinston with a good cargo of general merchandise.

The *Trent* will leave for Trenton this morning with a cargo of merchandise and mail.

The *Elm City* left for Norfolk yesterday.

The *Carolina* leaves this morning for Snow Hill, loaded with fertilizers and general merchandise.

The Superior Court, Court convened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. The calendar for Monday was gone through with and some headway made on Tuesday's. The following cases were disposed of:

Boyle vs. Stimson; verdict for defendant.

F. M. Rountree vs. J. F. McCoy; judgment for plaintiff.

Peter Godett vs. Chas. W. Bray; judgment for defendant.

Plenty Adams vs. Mimie Adams; divorce; judgment for defendant.

Lavinia Willie vs. A. & M. Hahn; judgment by consent against plaintiff for cost.

Lake Russell vs. G. S. Cashwell; judgment for plaintiff.

A. J. Yeomans vs. M. Hahn. A hotly contested case. Simmons & Manly and L. J. Moore for the plaintiff, Clark & Clark and Green & Stevenson for defendant. Pending the examination of witnesses court took a recess to 9 o'clock this morning.

### Personal.

W. T. Caho, Esq., and Mr. Chas. H. Fowler, of Stonewall, were in the city yesterday attending court.

Lewis Bynum, Esq., the Duke of Maysville, Jones county, was in the city yesterday. He says corn is selling low in his vicinity, but hasn't got down to twenty-five cents per barrel yet.

E. B. Hargett, Esq., of Silver Dale, Onslow county, was in the city yesterday and reports but little work done on the farms yet.

Rev. Mr. Cashwell, of the Atlantic Baptist Association was in the city yesterday.

Geo. W. Koonce, Esq., of Cypress creek, Jones county, called to see us yesterday. He says the farmers are driving ahead since the weather has cleared up.

We were pleased to see Mr. A. M. Baker out driving yesterday evening.

Rev. E. M. Forbes, of Beaufort is in the city.

Mr. R. H. Garner, of the Beaufort *Weekly Record* was in the city yesterday on business connected with the *Record*.

B. F. Mayhew, Esq., of Bayboro is attending court.

Jas. A. Bryan, Esq., and Capt. John A. Richardson left for Washington, D. C., yesterday.

Mr. J. V. Williams left with the steamer *Elm City* yesterday for Norfolk. Capt. Dave Roberts has charge of her and she will make two trips per week from this city, connecting with the Norfolk, Philadelphia and New York Railroad.

John W. Bryan and W. C. Kunroe, Esqs., and Mr. W. F. Konegay of Goldsboro arrived last night.

J. W. Granger, Esq., of Kinston and Dr. S. B. Woods, of Bella Ferry, arrived last night.

Mrs. Fred A. Olds and son Fred arrived last night on a visit to Mrs. Mary Bayard Clarke.

Mrs. Chapman, of Portland, Maine, and Mrs. Charles Coffin, of Harrington, Maine, are in the city visiting friends.

### Fertilizers.

This winter has been rather unfavorable for farm operations and many farmers will be under the necessity of purchasing more or less fertilizers. The Pocomoke Super-Phosphate is recommended by some of the best farmers near New Berne who have tried it for several years. Dissolved bone when properly used is as reliable as stable manure; and kaint, when the pure stuff is found, is not only cheap but reliable. E. H. Meadows & Co., of this city carry the above brands of fertilizers, and have sold them for years, and they always give general satisfaction. Of course all farmers should raise all the manure they can at home, but good farmers will not plant cotton on poor land without manure. If they have to purchase, a good, reliable brand should be selected.

### Blows Against Popular Education.

**EDITOR JOURNAL.**—Your reference to the remarks of Senator Morgan, of Alabama, in opposition to the Blair educational bill, and quoted approbatory comments of the *Wilmington Star*, were just and pointed.

Senator Morgan belongs to, and the *Wilmington Star* represents, that old ruling class at the South always opposed to popular education, free speech and popular rights—the Robber-Barons of Slavery—a class happily passing away. They are of too ancient a school of political economy to have learned that the creators of a nation's wealth—its laborers—are its supporters, its tax-payers; and they never can adapt themselves to a situation, an order of things, under which the sons of "drunken loafers" of today may become the leading, ruling men of tomorrow—a changed order of things that has been wrought in spite of them. They never will catch up with the procession of events. They love to linger amid the shadows of the past—a dead past whose dead they are—and in the solitude and gloom of their seclusion they delight to conjure the ghost of dead empire.

### FLOODS IN THE WEST.

ALTON, Ill., Feb. 13.—A disastrous flood is imminent along the Mississippi. The river now almost at flood height, but is still frozen solid with the ice gorged in many places clear to the bottom. The Missouri and many smaller streams emptying into it are reported breaking up and the same report comes from the northern part of this State—in respect to the streams tributary to the Mississippi and the Illinois. Unless these Northern floods are checked by cold weather until the present high water in the Mississippi runs out, a great flood seems imminent. The river here rose nine inches last night and is still rising.

### 80 Day seed Corn.

Dear Editor—I have a limited amount of a very superior quality of extremely large field corn which has recently been originated and which will mature in from 80 to 90 days. Ears are from 10 to 14 inches long, and has a slender cob and very fine large grains; is a marvel of beauty; 124 bushels of shelled corn has been raised per acre. I am very anxious to know what this corn will do in other climates, before advertising it for sale and will send a large sample package free to any farmer who will take good care and report his success with it and will enclose 25 cents in silver to pay postage, packing, etc., on same. Address, W. E. Rust, Springfield, Ohio. 16143mwit.

### BRIEFS.

The Mississippi river is on a big rise.

Uxbridge, Mass., boasts of a pair of sisters that have a trotting record of 3:3.

Milan King of Serbia, has at last consented to sign a treaty of peace with Bulgaria.

The shortage in the accounts of S. R. Sterling, absconded county treasurer at Harrisonburg, Va., is thought to be as much as \$100,000.

The number of deaths in the city of Baltimore last week was 128, which is 37 less than the corresponding week in 1885, 38 less than in 1884, and 76 less than in 1883.

A dispatch from Chattanooga, Ala., says that the Alabama Southern Express was thrown from the track near Coaling, injuring thirteen persons, though up one was killed.

Tramps are becoming such a nuisance in Florida that the county commissioners have decided to anchor great lighters in the St. Johns river and corral them there for ninety days.

The Court of Appeals of Virginia will hear argument for a new trial on the motion of the counsel of Thomas C. Cluverius, the convicted murderer of Fannie Lillian Madison.

Elder Thomas Parker Dudley, of Lexington, Ky., is said to be the oldest Baptist minister in America. He is 94 years old, and though blind, was enjoying good health a short while back.

### Congressional Work.

SENATE—Feb. 11.—Not in session.

HOUSE—The Speaker laid before the House the reply of the Postmaster General, in response to the resolution calling for information as to whether the eight-hour law is applicable to letter-carriers. Referred.

The Postmaster General states that there is no Department regulation prescribing the number of hours during which letter carriers are required to work, and that the eight-hour law has not been deemed applicable to letter carriers, because they are not regarded as "laborers, workmen, or mechanics." The opinion that the law is not applicable to letter carriers was the Postmaster General is informed, promulgated from the Department before his incumbency of the office, and no change has been directed since.

Mr. Geddes, from the Committee on War Claims, reported back Mr. Blanchard's resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to moneys and funds seized or collected by Genls. Banks or Butler while in command of the Department of the Gulf. Adopted.

The resolution reported from the Committee of Accounts, authorizing the employment of two men in the Document Room of the House, gave rise to some little discussion.

On motion of Mr. Cox, of N. C., the resolution was recommitted, with instructions to the Committee on Accounts to ascertain the number and compensation of officers and employes of the House, and report what reduction in number and compensation may be made without diminishing the efficiency of the force.

Adverse reports were submitted from the Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads to enable the people to name their postmasters; to regulate the naming of postoffices; to facilitate the delivery of mail matter, and to regulate the subletting of mail contracts. Laid upon the table.

The pending business in the morning hour was a motion to table the motion to reconsider the vote by which the House on Thursday passed a bill authorizing National Banks to increase their capital stock and to change their location and names. The motion to reconsider was tabled—yeas 115, nays 94.

Mr. Crisp, of Ga., on behalf of the Committee on Commerce, called up and the House passed the bill authorizing the East and West Railroad Company of Alabama to maintain a bridge across the Coosa river.

Mr. Gler, of La., in behalf of the same committee, called up the bill authorizing the several executive departments to loan the New Orleans Exposition certain articles for exhibit. Pending action the morning hour expired and the House went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Springer in the chair), on the Fitz John Porter bill.

Mr. Swinburne, of N. Y., and Mr. Woodford, of Ky., spoke in favor of the bill, and Mr. Houk, of Tenn., opposed it. Pending the conclusion of Mr. Woodford's speech, the committee rose.

On motion of Mr. Tucker, of Va., the House bill authorizing the Treasurer of the United States, in his discretion, and with the consent of the Secretary of the Treasury, to appoint one of his clerks to discharge the duties of treasurer or assistant treasurer, in the event of the illness or absence of either of those officers, was taken up and passed.

The House then, at 5:30, adjourned.

### MORE GERMAN COLONIZATION.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The *Elberfelder Zeitung* has received news that the Lukus expedition hoisted the flag of the German East Africa Association at the Cape, south of Mombasa, and that the Sultan of Hamabur sent troops to haul the flag down.

### Going to His Grave.

There he goes again direct to a saloon and pours down another heavy draught of strong drink, not so much because his appetite demands it, but for the artificial buoyancy it produces—the after effects of which leave him more miserable than before; it is this dreadful practice that is daily sending thousands to their graves. A remedy for all this is found in the true friend of temperance—the best and purest of all medicines—Electric Bitters. Sold by all druggists at 50 cents.

### Kinston Items.

Our market has been favored with some very fine fresh trout and mullets. Mr. Jno. Rhem has received a fine valentine, and is one of the happy widowers.

We regret to lose Mr. Will. Hay, who has gone to Company Shops to take charge of business assigned to his care.

Mr. Geo. Dees, of Pamlico county, was in town last week, arranging to enter his daughter, Miss Viola, a pupil at Kinston College.

We have missed the face of Dr. W. A. J. Pollock of No. 7 fame for some time, and learn that he is abroad enlightening the people of the merits of that excellent medicine.

The smoke house thieves tried to break into Mr. H. S. Tindal's smoke house in Pink Hill township one night last week. Mr. Tindal heard the noise and got up and drove the rascals off.

F. B. Loftin, Esq., has returned to Kinston and will continue the practice of law. We give him a most hearty welcome, and anticipate much pleasure from his social, clever qualities; and besides, when the weather gets warm and politics are abroad in the land, we expect to hear his voice crying in the wilderness.

Many thanks to the *Hemizer* for calling our attention to the queer mistake of reading "Einstein" on the Kinston Business Chart and writing it "Oettinger Bros." in our item. The truth of the matter is that the names of the two houses are equally synonymous for energy and business thrift. We will try to write what we read, now, henceforth and always.

Mr. John Collins is adding to the interest of home manufacturing by putting in a good supply of material for tin work and repairs at his store near the postoffice. It would be an addition to our town to have all our vacant stores occupied as factories of different kinds which could make at home many things bought north. We have the raw material in lumber, cotton, etc.; why not use it?

### ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. jan24tduthtawly

### From Richlands.

RICHLANDS, N. C., Feb. 15, 1886. **EDITOR JOURNAL.**—Geo. W. Ervin has two ewes that have given birth to thirteen lambs in three years.

I see a great deal on killing cotton seed, the loss of ammonia, etc. My experience is that the best results will be obtained by putting the cotton seed, green, in the drill long enough to sprout, and then by opening the furrow and allowing it to stand open for several days.

The *Southern Cultivator* ought to be read by every farmer. "Thoughts for the Month," by W. L. Jones, alone, is worth the subscription, and joined with the *JOURNAL*, it can be had for half price.

A. M. Baker, of your city, is a wide-awake merchant. If there is anything people like to see in an advertisement, it is the price of the articles.

Mr. Bryan, returning from New Berne the other night, on the O. B. road was attacked by a robber near Mr. Ed. Murrill's. Happening to have his pistol, he drew it and fired at him, but the would-be robber made his escape.

The number of acres in cotton will be less than last year. A good many will try rice. The tobacco fever is about worn off. They tell us that we will have to handle worms, and it makes our flesh crawl to think of that. Besides, they say there is a chance to lose something if we do not make the best. There is too much money in cotton to risk anything else.

S. W. Venters says he saw quite a circus the other day. A negro had just bought a mule that was little the worse for wear, and had a longing desire to call at every neighbor's house. Amos was riding the mule and holding a child in front; his wife was driving for him. When the mule would get contrary, Amos would say, "Fling it on 'im, Pallas; fling it on 'im," and she would come down with all her might. The mule twisting around, she makes a mistake and hits Amos. "My God er mity, Pallas, fling it on de mule; don't fling it on me!"

"Consistency, thou art a jewel." The above quotation reminds me of a friend of mine who made a speech in Trenton at the beginning of the war. When he wound up he said, "Give me liberty or give me death." He said that in every battle that he was in, and the Yankees whipped us, and he was running for liberty, leaving death in the rear as much as possible, he would always think of that speech, that is, he would think of it when he had gained liberty.

### JUSTICE BRADLEY AND CIVIL RIGHTS.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 13.—The negroes are much excited over a letter just printed by Bishop H. M. Turner, in which he accuses the Republican party of having deserted the colored people, and thereupon favors a third-party movement. A Republican Supreme Court, he says, nullified the Civil Rights bill. Judge Bradley he regards as responsible for this action in order to secure favors from Democrats who, he says, told him, "as long as he had robbed the negro of his civil rights they now forgive him for robbing Gov. Samuel J. Tilden of the Presidency, which he literally did and the country knows it."

Waste no time; delays have dangerous ends! If a member of your family is suffering with a slight cough or cold, don't wait until it develops itself into consumption, but procure at once a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and cure that cough.

### La Grange Items.

The weather is very agreeable, and nice for farming operation.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, of Durham, is visiting relatives in our town.

Miss Maggie Kirkpatrick was in town last Saturday and Sunday, visiting the family of Dr. Hadley.

A number of strangers, and among these a fair proportion of the fairer sex, are visiting in our town.

Our streets are lively on Saturdays with visitors. Still our merchants continue to say, "dull times."

It is easy to see the sportsmen go out with gun and dogs, but we rarely see them come in with the game.

The protracted meeting of the M. E. Church in our town still continues. Some interest is manifested, but no accessions up to this writing.

The voice of the turtle dove is not heard in the land yet, but the smell of the guano is in our town, and we know that spring approacheth.

When a man calls for an Almanac, examines it bottom upwards and returns it, saying: "Don't like it," is this any evidence that the fellow can't read?

Our fun-loving and love-smitten people are enjoying the Valentine hugely. The love-smitten are sending to their suitors some very nice ones, while the fun-loving ones are sending those of comic character.

The house and lot of C. L. Koonce, near L. C. I., in this place, was sold last week to Mr. Junias Sutton, of Buckleberry, for the sum of six hundred dollars. The cheapest property ever sold in La Grange. Mr. Sutton will rent on reasonable terms to any one desiring to rent. The location is a desirable one for a family, and we hope to see Mr. Sutton safely housed in his new purchase, and a citizen of our town.

Pure gold always has its base imitation. It is so with Salvation Oil, which is worth its weight in gold to all sufferers from rheumatism, neuralgia or gout. It kills pain every time. See that you get the genuine. Price twenty-five cents a bottle.

### Beware of Them.

A good article that has achieved success, and attained a world-wide reputation by its true merits and wonderful results, is always imitated. Such is the case with Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Al ready unprincipled parties are endeavoring to delude an unsuspecting public, by offering imitations of this most fortunate discovery. Do not be deceived, but insist on having the true remedy, and take no other. For sale by all reliable druggists every where.

### COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Feb. 16, 8 P. M.

### COTTON.

NEW YORK, February 16.—1 P. M. Futures steady. Sales of 58,100 bales. February, 9.41 August, 9.41 March, 9.00 September, 9.21 April, 9.08 October, 9.05 May, 9.18 November, 9.00 June, 9.28 December, 9.00 July, 9.35 January, 9.00

Spots steady; Middling 9 1-16; Low Middling 8 3-8; Good Ordinary 8 1-16. New Berne market steady. Sales of 110 bales at 7 1/2 to 8 1/2. Middling 8 5-16; Low Middling 7 11-16; Good Ordinary 7 5-16.

### DOMESTIC MARKET.

SEED COTTON—\$2.90.  
COTTON SEED—\$10.00.  
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75.  
TAR—75c. a bbl.  
CORN—40a50c.  
OATS—Retail, 55a60.  
RICE—75a85.  
BEESWAX—20c. per lb.  
BEEF—On foot, 3c. to 5c.  
COUNTRY HAMS—10c. per lb.  
LARD—10c. per lb.  
EGGS—1c3. per dozen.  
FRESH PORK—4 1/2c. per pound.  
PEANUTS—50c. per bushel.  
FOODER—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, 30a35c.; spring 30a25c.  
MEAL—65c. per bushel.  
OATS—50 cts. per bushel.  
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal; not wanted. Building, 5 inch hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M.  
WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—\$13.00.  
SHOULDERS—Smoked, No. 2, 5c., prime, 6c.  
C. R.'s, F. B.'s, B.'s and L. C.—6c.  
LARD—7c. by the tierce.  
NAILS—Basis 10's, \$3.00.  
SUGAR—Granulated, 7c.  
COFFEE—\$11c.  
SALT—90c. a \$1.00 per sack.  
MOLASSES and SYRUPS—20a40c.  
POWDER—\$5.00.  
SHOT—\$1.60.  
KEROSENE—10c.  
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.  
WOOL—10a15c. per pound.  
POTATOES—Sweet, 25a40c.

### For Rent,

THE BRICK STORE on Middle street, known as the FOY BUILDING, between South Front street and the Market Dock. Apply to

DR. JAS. F. LONG.

### A LARGE LOT OF Genuine Early Rose POTATOES!

Selected specially for planting. At K. R. JONES.

## THE LEWIS Hand Fire Extinguisher

Is entirely different from the Hand Grenade. It is

**SIMPLE, PRACTICAL, RELIABLE AND CHEAP!**

Every Hotel, Theatre, Public Building, Steamboat, Railroad Car, Factory and Dwelling should be supplied with them.

## Is It Another Humbug!

If so, why is it endorsed and recommended by the following standard Insurance Companies, viz., National Fire, Northern Assurance, Lafayette's Fire, Germania, Hanover, Queen, American, Phoenix, Royal, North British and Star, and Niagara; also by the National Association of Fire Engineers. Send for testimonials, prices, etc.

**J. C. WHITTY,**  
Agent for Eastern N. C.

## MORTGAGE SALE.

The undersigned will sell by Public Auction, for Cash, at the Court House door in the City of New Berne, on TUESDAY, the NINTH day of MARCH, 1886, at TWELVE o'clock Noon, the following described plantation lying in the County of Craven on Pembroke road, about 1 1/2 miles from New Berne, known as the Hiny farm, containing about Four Hundred Acres, fully described in the mortgage hereafter referred to. The above sale is by virtue of power contained in a written mortgage from George Bell, Jr., and wife to the undersigned, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven county, Book 22, folio 92, 93, Feb'y 6, 1886. L. H. CLIFTON, Clerk.

## For Rent,

THE TRUCK FARM, DWELLING HOUSE, with chicken, stable, etc., is now occupied by Thomas Rodman, one mile from New Berne. Part of the farm is prepared for planting. For further particulars apply at once to

H. B. DEFFEY, New Berne, N. C.

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

Craven County, Superior Court

George A. Harris vs. Action for Divorce.

To Brister Harris, Defendant: Take notice, that you are required to appear at the May Term, 1886, of said Superior Court, to be held at the Court House in the City of New Berne, on the Twelfth Monday after the First Monday in March, 1886, and plead, answer or demur to the complaint.

This is an action for divorce from the bonds of matrimony on the grounds of adultery. This 6th day of February, 1886, E. W. CAMPBELL, Clerk Sup. Court.

GEO. H. WHITE, Atty for Plaintiff, feldw

## FOR SALE,

Finest Selected

EARLY ROSE

Seed Potatoes!

(FLOUR BBL. PACKAGES),

F. ULRICH,

NEW BERNE, N. C.

## NOTICE.

City Taxes—The Last Call.

All persons owing City Taxes are hereby notified that if their taxes are not paid on or before March 4th, 18