## LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Winiature Almanac. New Berne, latitude, 85° 6' North. longitude, 77° 3' West. Sun rises, 6:38 | Length of day, Sun sets, 5:50 | 11 hours, 12 minutes. Moon rises at 1:16 a.m.

#### BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED .- 100,000 bushels Clay, Black, Speckled and Black-Eye Peas, by W. P. Burrus & Co., foot market dock, New Berne, N. C.

SOMETHING NEW FOR SALE. - We have just received a barrel of fine Country Krant, which we are retailing. It was put up by one of Jones county's best farmers, legac Koonce, of Tuckahoe.

Also a fine lot of N. C. Hams, Sides and Shoulders, for sale low.

fe20 HUMPHREY & HOWARD.

TRY DAIL's fine Bouquet Butter and tf

Yesterday was rainy and blustering. The Elm City brought in a cargo of salt yesterday.

Maj. W. H. Bagley, of Raleigh, for a

W. P. Burrus & Co. want one hundred thousand bushels of peas. See notice elsewhere.

The Elm City left on schedule time yesterday evening for Norfolk carrying a good cargo of cotton, fish, eggs, etc.

Wilmington has announced that she is able to take care of her sufferers from the late fire, and no outside help is needed.

The "Pink Tea Party" at Mrs. Bryan's sels. on Wednesday night by the "Juvenile Sewing Society" was a success netting about \$60.

The steamer Trent arrived from Trenton yesterday with a cargo of cotton. She will return this morning with fertilizers and general merchandise.

The Y. M. C. A, are receiving fixtures for their gymnasium. The building is about completed, and we suppose they will be ready to try their skill and muscles shortly.

The silver question ran high at the Exchange vesterday. Secretary Manning's policy was vigoriously assailed on the one hand while another orator with equal vehemence defended it and relegated Senator Beck back to the regions of blue grass.

The "Jewels" wrestled with the silver question yesterday. Secretary Manning was hauled up for not obeying the law and paying the bonded debt at his op-

Mr. P. H. Kornegay has begun work in the tanning business and expects to have a sample of his leather out by the last of March. He is prepried to handle about one thousand pounds of hides per month. He has purchased the residence on Hancock street of Mr. H. Sperling and will become "one of us." His enterprise will make a demand for hides and perhaps make New Berne a better market for them.

The victory achieved by William Orum, col., in the debate on the great question, "Which is the most destruction, Wind or Fire?" on Tuesday night last, will doubtless give him a great advantage over wood yards and barber with propriety awarded to Miss Maud shops on the race for the nomination for Amyette, she having received the largest a seat in the next General Assembly. William espoused the cause of wind and convinced the President and the audience that he had plenty of it and

that it is a power in the land.

Miverally ing.

We noticed on the Old Dominion wharf yesterday a large amount of nicely haled hay; it was nothing new to see bay there, for the Shenandoah and other steamers and schooners bring lots of it here; but the novelty of the thing is this hay is for the Shenandoah to take out. It was raised by Mr. Geret Vyne, at Havelock, in this county, and is shipsed to Washingtom, N. C. Mr. 'yne midd about one hundred tons of this hay par and expects to make three hundred this year. He wou't plant a "stick" of county making hay to ship is certainly something new, and a sure sign that farmers are diversifying.

Personal.

Col. T. C. Fuller of the Releigh bar is in the city on professional business.

Col. O. H. Blooker, of Payetteville

th, Esq., of Norfolk, ar-

BRIEFS. Another raid has been made upon the

Chinese in Oregon. The strike on the Southern Pacific railroad has been compromised.

Mr. John S. Wise, of Virginia, is said o favor Senator Sherman for 1888.

New gold mines that are thought to

day.

Georgia. M. De Lesseps has arrived at Panama.

He was tendered a grand banquent by the government. The winter carnival at Burlington, the queen city of Vermont, on the 22d,

was a grand affair. The latest advancement that Thos. A. Edison, the world's greatest electrician, has made, is the taking unto himself a

wife. In France a register is kept of every horse and mule. This is done by the government for reference in case of

Fifteen sculptors have submitted leng time Clerk of the Supreme Court, plans and models for the proposed monument of Gen. Lee, to be erected at Richmond.

> Seventeen persons were injured on the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia railroad near Scottsyille. The cars were derailed, and tumbling in a ditchtook fire.

> A car manufacturing company at Wilmington, Delaware, has a contract for building 250 cars for a railroad in the Argentine Confederation. They will be shipped to Buenos Ayres by ves-

#### "Pink Tea Party."

At the residence of Mrs. Henry R. Bryan the first "Pink Tea Party"

held last evening.

The question is asked why was it called a "Pink Tea Party"?

The only answer that can be given is that every one is expected to display that prominent color upon the occasion. The ladies were pink sashes, pink boquets, pink hats, and other decora-tions of pink, while to the lappel of each gentleman's coat was pinned a pink lecoration.

The decorations of the rooms also corresponded in color. The white Damask table cloths were decorated with pink, the iceing of the

cakes was pink and the ice cream and lemon ices were also colored pink. Pink Chinese lanterns ornamented the rooms and the huge number of children behaved like pinks of perfection.

The party was gotten up for the benefit of Christ Church and was attended by persons of every religious denomination in our city. At an early hour the party commenced

tion. The Secretary has some warm Mrs. Bryan's house was literally full friends in the Panel who defend his po-to overflowing with a crowdlof as happy to overflowing with a crowdlof as happy South was not without self-reliance. Les people had already taxed themselves to Sunday-school children as seldom assemble. There were a large number of ladies and gentlemen also who greatly enjoyed the entertainment.

For more than two hours there were lively times, and the large number of young lady waiters were kept busy waiting on their customers.

Although there were a huge number of freezers of ice cream and lemon ices, and a table piled up with cakes, fruits, confectioneries, etc., yet nearly every-thing was disposed of, and a consider-able amount of money realized.

It was a great success, but with the ladies who had the management of it, it could not have been otherwise.

One of the pleasant incidents was the voting away of a beautiful fan made of feathers by Mrs. Morgan. Each ticket entitled the holder to name the handnumber of the votes cast.

#### Thanks.

The Juvenile Sewing Society of Christ Church return their grateful thanks to

played at half-mast on the capital as a mark of respect to the late Maj. W. H. Bagley, clerk of the supreme court. The doors of the supreme court room and the clerk's office were draped with white and black, while the granite pillar in the clerk's office was entwined with similar emblems of mourning. The chair of the late clerk was draped with crape and white satin streamers.—News and Observer.

Col. T. C. Finise of the Releigh dar, is in the city on professional business.

Col. O. H. Blocker, of Fayettaville, and Morte. W. M. Jennings, and Geo. Smith of Willasbarre, Ra., are registered at the Gaston House.

Mrs. Gen. B. Brown, of Washington, and the Misses Fuller, of Releigh, are at the Gaston House.

Miss Patitle Rodman, of Washington, is visiting Miss Mande Amyetto.

W. T. Cabo, Esq., and A. H. White Clarb, of Stonewall, and Maj. A. Gordon, of Harriett, of Baltimore, is in the city on professional business.

M. Sol Gernto and nelce, Miss Hewitt, and Missess, Farnell, of Onulow, are at the Central Hotel.

T. N. Gilman, Esq., of Norfolk, ar-

D. Pruden and A. K. Chattel mortgages and Lien Bonds ton, arrived last night. for sale at this office,

Congressional Work.

SENATE-Feb. 23. -Mr. Fry introduced his International Congress bill. Its title is a bill to promote the political progress and commercial prosperity of American nations.

Mr. Morgan offered a rreamble and resolutions, which at his request were A kindling wood factory at Mount ordered printed and laid on the table for the present. They recite the first resolution in the Edmunds series and direct the committee on privileges and elections to enquire and report whether prove valuable, have been discovered in if the office of the Attorney General is as stated therein, he is liable to impeach ment and removal from office.

Mr. Hoar called up the bill apportioning \$250,000 for the erection of a monument in Washington City to the memory of Gen. Grant and it was passed. The Educational bill was placed be

fore the Senate and Mr. Grav of Delaware took the floor in opposition to the bill. He did not believe it to be within the power of Congress to enact such a law without first amending the consti-

Mr. Plumb also opposed the bill. He regarded it as an anomaly in legislation, appropriating money, not only for one year, but for eight years. He had no doubt that at the end of eight years, if the pabulum now provide were not con-tinued, conventions would meet and delegations would be sent to Washington to urge Congress to keep on appro-priating more money. We must, therefore, understand that in passing this bill, we are arranging for expenditures for several millions yet to come. Large appropriations had become to have something attractive in them, and an appropriation of seventy-seven millions dollars was seventy-seven times more attractive than any appropriation of one million dollars. Mr. Plumb quoted figures showing that a much larger proportion of money would go to the States of the South and a much larger part of it be supplied by the States of the North and the West. The whole theory of the bill was false-that theory being that the Southern States were not able to give common school education to their illiterates. He held that each State was amply able to educate its own, and said if this bill be constitutional, then there were no longer independent States, except as they exist in imagination.

Mr. Call spoke in favor of the bill. It was idle, he said, to deny that the war had destroyed the relations between industry and property in the South. The South had been left with disordered industries and with landed property having no convertible value in money. No people had every striven harder than the people of the South to foster education or had given money to education with more liberal hand. Mr. Call was utterly unable to see the force of the nice distinction attempted to be drawn by the opponents of this bill between money in the Treasury resulting from taxation and money resulting from the sales of public lands. Mr. Call recog-nized the constitutional power of the general government to aid the States, with their own consent, and the constitutional power of the States to aid the General Government. Such aid had been recognized as constitutional from the foundation of the Government. The was the case in the North, a readily convertible asset.

Mr. Morgan denied the statement made in debate to the effect that the Legislature of Alabama had instructed its Senators to vote for this bill. A body to pass a measure in aid of educa-

An executive session was held and the Senate adjourned.

House-The following resolution was introduced in the House today: Resolved, That whenever the surplus

or balance in the Treasury, lincluding the amount held for redemption of U. S. notes, shall exceed the sum of one hundred millions of dollars, it shall be and is hereby made the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to apply such excess to the payment of the interest bearing indebtedness of the United States,

ng indeptedness of the United States, payable at the option of the government. The report which accompanies the joint resolution says: "On the 30th of January, 1886, as shown by the official 'statement' of the assets and liabilities of the Treasury of the United States, there was in the Treasury and United States depositors, including the amount held for redemption of United States notes, and not including minor and fractional siver coin classed as assets not available, the sum of \$179,689,862 in excess of all other liabilities than redemp-tion of said U. S. notes. It is believed that this sum is largely in excess of the sum required for the purpose of which it is held, and that a considerable part it is held, and that a considerable part thereof should be applied to the payment of the interest bearing debt of the United States now payable, to the end that public burdens be reduced and the money not unnecessarily held to lure agents and representative of the people on to improvident and wasteful expenditure."

The House proceeded to the considera tion of business on the House calendar, the first bell being that authorizing the several executive departments to ex-hibit articles at the New Orleans expo-sition, and the pending motion being one to lay the bill on the table. The motion to table was carried—135 to

The next bill on the calendar was that forfeiting unearned land grants of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Com-

On motion of Mr. Holman of Indiana an amendment was adopted, providing that forfeited land shall be subject to settlement under the homestead law only. The bill was then passed without livelen or objection.

division of objection.
On metion of Mr. Morrison it was ordered that Saturday of each week bade voted to general debate in Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union and then, on motion of Mr. Morrison, the House, at \$120, adjourned.

In the Burned District. Large numbers of workmen were em-

ployed yesterday in clearing away the debris in the streets. The city authorities had a force of

The linemen of the Western Union burned poles, and getting everything in

their line in good order. The approximate estimate at the Produce Exchange of some of the merchandise burned is: Cotton, 2,671 bales spirits turpentine, 77 casks; rosin, 10,-165 barrels; tar, 1,123 barrels; crude

turpentine, 139 barrels. Mr. R. Morrison's residence, on Front treet between Mulberry and Walnut, like a good many others not actually in the burned district, suffered loss. In the removal of his furniture some of it was badly smashed, and he lost three fine framed pictures. His house caught fire on the roof three times, but was not

seriously damaged.

The residence of Mr. Sam Bear, sr. on Front between Chesnut and Mulberry streets, was in great danger of burning Sunday but was saved. His furniture was insured, but he removed it, and placed it for security in the house of his brother, Mr. Sol. Bear, on Red Cross street. This house was burned and with it Mr. Sam Bear's furniture.

Mr. A. F. Lucas, Front street, next to the corner of Red Cross, lost all of his furniture. Part was burned: the rest was carried off and he has been unable since to find it.

The agent of the Wilmington Mutual Insurance Company declined to furnish particulars as to policy holders in the burnt district. He states the full amount to be about \$8,000.

Firemen were busy yesterday with hose extinguishing smouldering fires in heaps of partially consumed merchandise. Messrs. Kenan & Forshee had a large pile of meat in the Kerchner building which was well-cooked and tempted many plunderers. Most of the "burned-out" merchants

are already located in new quarters. Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co. are at the corner of Water and Chesnut streets, up-stairs; Messrs. Sprunt & Son are in the same building; Messrs. Worth & Worth are over the Produce Exchange, corner of Water and Princess streets Messrs. Kerchner & Calder Bros. are in the Person building, at the foot of Chesnut street.

The work of rebuilding in the burnt district has already begun; Messrs. Kerchner & Calder Bros. hope to be at their old location within ninety days, and preparatory thereto have laborers at work already. Mr. L. Vollers has begun work also, at his place nearly

Messrs. Haar & Tienken, Nr. 420 Nutt street, lost \$1,000 on stock of beer, etc. A well-posted insurance agent places the aggregate amount of loss at \$600, 000, about half covered by insurance Others, equally well informed, how ever, place these estimates much higher The Clyde Steamship Company will use the wharves formerly occupied by

the Baltimore Steamship Company. The work of removing safes from the ebris in burned buildings progressed yesterday. The contents of most of inal; not wanted. Building. 5 inch those recovered were found uninjured.

The Champion Compress Company are making preparations to rebuild at once.—Wilmington Star.

#### ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

memorial, he said, had been sent from Mrs. Winslow's Scotting Syrup the Legislature to Congress, asking that should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, soften the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. jan24dtuthsatw1y

> The McCormick Lock-Out. CHICAGO, Feb. 24.-The McCormick lockout assumed a new aspect at a secret mass meeting of the employees held last night. There were present about 800 employees of the reaper factory. The session was a stormy one and results in the adoption of a series of resolutions to the following purport: That a board be appointed, composed of representatives of the different trades, to which everything pertaining to a settlement shall be referred. That no proposition will be entertained not looking to the reopening of the works with union men in all departments. That the McCormick firm sign a guarrantee limiting the powers of the super-intendent in discharging men who work in the interest of the organized One of the oldest and mose substantial labor molders and metal workers. The men pledged themselves to stand together in consummating their purposes. The adoption of these resolutions it is feared does away with the hopes of an early settlement. The presiding officer said that on and after today the Knights of Labor would prevent any cars or stock of any description from being taken to or from the works. This action gives the lock-out members of the Knights of Labor the right to call upon the local assemblies for aid and it is clearly evident that such aid will be required at no distant day. To feed and clothe 1,300 men and others affected by the lockout for twelve months will cost, it is estimated, not less than \$1,000,000, but the men say that money will be forthcoming if necessary.

"Mrs. Partington, what do you use for a very bad cold?" asked Mrs. Dull, "Handkerchiefs, ma'am." answered the aged dame, looking her spectacles. Handkerchiefs are a desideratum in the event of a cold, but a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a necessity, because it not only relieves, but cures the worst cold or cough.

"Diseased nature oftentimes breaks forth in strange emptions," and the re-sult of it all is pain. Now Salvation Oil will send this very pain to the right about at the trifling cost of only 25 cts.

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Paper Money.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.-The general subject of the issue of treasury notes and silver certificates of small denominations was discussed at today's meeting fifty hands assisting the firemen in pull- of the House committee on banking and ing down the walls of burned buildings currency. There are now forty-eight on Water, Nutt and Front streets. subject under consideration. It was the Company were busy as bees in straight-ening out the tangled wires, replacing bill, or perhaps two, covering the matsense of the committee that a general ter, should be formulated and reported in lieu of these bills, and with that view bills will be divided among three sub-committees for examination.

#### A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D. New York City.

Real Estate Mortgages and Deeds for sale at the JOURNAL office.

#### COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Feb. 25, 8 P. M.

COTTON. NEW YORK. February 25 .- 12:30 P. M. -Futures steady. Sales of 62,500 bales. February, August, 8.73 March, September, October. April. 8.83 May, 8.93 November. 9.03 December. July, 9.11 January,

Spots quiet; Middling 8 7-8; Low

#### DOMESTIC MARKET.

SEED COTTON-\$2.90. COTTON SEED-\$10.00. TURPENTINE-Hard, \$1.00; dip, \$1.75. TAR-75c.a\$1.25. CORN-45a55c. 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-14 a15c. per dozen. FRESH PORK-4 a6c. per pound.

PEANUTS-50c. per bushel. FODDER-75c.a\$1.00 per hundred. Onions-\$3.50 per barrel. FIELD PEAS-65a70c. HIDES—Dry, 10c.; green 5c. APPLES—30a50c. per bushel. PEARS—\$75c. per bushel. TALLOW-5c. per lb. CHICKENS-Grown, 30a35c.; spring

MEAL-65c. per bushel. OATS-50 cts. per bushel. TURNIPS-50c. per bushel. Wool-10a16c. per pound. POTATOES—Sweet, 25a40c. Shingles—West India, dull

hearts, \$3.00; saps, \$1.50 per M. WHOLESALE PRICES. NEW MESS PORK-\$11.50. Shoulders-Smoked, No. 2, 5c. prime, 6c. C. R. 's, F. B's, B. 's and L. C .- 6 c. FLOUR—\$3.50a6.50. LARD—71c. by the tierce.

NAILS-Basis 10's, \$3.00. SUGAR-Granulated, 71c. COFFEE-Stalle. SALT-90c.a\$1.00 per sack. MOLASSES AND SYRUPS-20845c. Powder-\$5.00. Sнот-\$1.60. KEROSENE-10c.

SEED POTATOES-Early Rose, \$3.00 per

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

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### THE LEWIS Hand Fire Extinguisher

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1885.

The Lewis Hand Fire Extinguisher Co., 91
Clinton St., Brooklyn:
CENTLEMEN—At the exhibition given by
your company on Saturday last, in the lot
adjoining the Court House, we were present
and witk-ssed with close attention your
method of fighting fire.
The pine structure which you erected was
twelve feet high and ten feet wade. We saw
this saturated with kerosene oil and pine
tar. The flames arising from this combustible
mass presented a surface of probably fifteen
feet by twelve; the heat was so intense that
the crowd was forced back to a distance of
over forty feet, and the whole structure was
enveloped in a whirlyind of seething flame.
At this moment a man advanced toward the
fire with one of your fixtinguishers in his
hand, and by simply sprinkling the contents
on the flames reduced the whole exhibit to a
mass of charred and blackened boards in ten
seconds.

The result seems magical A repetition of

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Having sold out my interest to Wm, Cohen, I will soon recipion under the style of Wm, Sultan, in the Bishop building now occupied by George Howard. I think my friends and the public for their liberal patronage in the past and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same in the future. Wm, Sultan, feb23-30d

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