

LOCAL NEWS.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

For Heaven's sake, don't get into a quarrel with your neighbors. It is the only way to get along with them...

The dry season set in yesterday in all the towns that were made so by the late vote on prohibition. New Bern did not vote, but it was awfully wet here.

An adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Neuse and Trent River Steamboat Company will be held at the Board of Trade rooms this evening at 4 o'clock.

Since prohibition was carried the Raleigh people are agitating the question of water-works. They must have something for a thirty legislature, and visitors to the State fair.

The question is now going the rounds: Is Ann R. Kint any relation to Ann X. Aston, Ann T. Deluvian or Miss Ann Thorpe? The question is to be solved by Ann Sir, Ann T. Prohibition refusing.

A colored man, seeming a little demoralized, called yesterday and requested us to announce that he was a "special police" on the children of the pumps. He says they spit in them and he will put a stop to it.

While our enthusiastic friends up north are working for liberty in aid of some rule measures beyond the sea, it might be well enough to cast an eye toward the poor exploited strikers in the west who just now have no home to go to.

Department Improvement. The New Bern Steam Engine Co. are building new stalls for their horses alongside of the engine pole in the front part of their house, which will increase the speed of hitching.

Mortality Report for June. Thirty three deaths among the whites during the month of June, ages 19, 77 and 3 years. They also show nine deaths among the colored people; two of these were over 60 and five one year old and under.

Excursion to Nag's Head. A special train will leave Goldsboro at 5 o'clock on the morning of July 6th, for Orange at 6 o'clock, and Kingston at 7 o'clock, reaching New Bern in time to connect with the steamer Shenandoah on the excursion to Nag's Head.

La Grande Collegiate Institute. The advertisement of this old and well-established institution appears in this issue. Situated on the A. & N. C. Railroad, in a healthy, intelligent and moral community makes it a very desirable place for parents to send their children. We have evidence that the principal and teachers are thoroughly competent to conduct the school on a high order.

Murderer and Thief. Plymouth, N. C., June 29. Yesterday James N. Bessette, the lives about six miles from Windsor, Bertie county, and his son, Stone Bessette, quarreled, and the latter shot his father with a barbed steel shot-gun loaded with buckshot. He afterwards broke open a safe, took therefrom \$500 and fled. The sheriff and a posse are scouring the country after him. There is much excitement.

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The Treat Heard From.

Some uneasiness was felt in the city during the storm yesterday in regard to the steamer Trent which was known to be on her way from Wilmington. Last night a telegram was received from Capt. Dave Roberts announcing that she had arrived at Morehead City.

No! For Trenton. The double daily mail to Trenton began yesterday. The mail from New Bern goes via the A. & N. C. Railroad to Cape Creek, thence over the Cape Creek road to Trenton. The Morning Journal will now be read by our Trenton subscribers before dinner.

We prize these documents very highly, as they come from "our section." We shall take good care of the sacred volume as we will doubtless have occasion to quote from it for the benefit of some of our friends out there.

Prepare For The Oyster Fair. Our oyster growers ought to begin to prepare for the Oyster Fair next winter. The object of this Fair is not only to exhibit oysters of fine growth and flavor, but to compare methods of propagating and cultivating the oyster.

Canada and the Yankee Fishermen. Ottawa, June 28.—No change has taken place in the policy of the Dominion Government in reference to the protection of Canadian fisheries in the line of a less vigorous enforcement of the law.

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We do not wonder that Senator Butler lost patience under so unreasonable and malevolent an accusation. He denounced it as cowardly and blunty told the Kansas Senator that he would not dare to indulge in such insinuations elsewhere. "We suppose this will shock some goody-goody people, but it is a simple statement of fact. There is entirely too much disposition manifested to abuse senatorial privilege in this matter, and using it as a safe shelter from behind, which Southern Senators may be insulted with impunity is cowardly."

Civil Service in the Custom House. WASHINGTON, June 28.—The attention of the Civil Service Commissioners has been called to the published charge that the Collector of Customs at New York, since he entered upon the duties of his office, has dismissed from the service 220 men, all Republicans, and appointed 280 men, all Democrats.

The Civil Service Commissioners have notified the Examining Board at New York that they must report each month to headquarters here the number of candidates examined, the number certified for appointment, and the number of appointments made, in order that they may be certain that the law and rules are being enforced.

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The Eruption of Etna.

Lord Bury sends to the London Times an extract from a private letter describing the recent eruption of Etna. The writer is engineer in charge of the Palermo-Catania railway. "After about three hours' rattling, we got to within a couple of miles of the crater itself. It is at the side of Etna, you know, not near the top, and this eruption has broken out, and we got to a 350 or 400 feet high ground overlooking the whole of the mountain. The light was not up there, but it was at the bottom, shining by day. It was the most glorious and indescribable sight I ever saw in my life. It is perfectly impossible to describe it, as no one can have any conception of what it is like until they see it. And also until they see it from where we did, which was on high ground overlooking nearly the whole of it. At the top is this enormous crater, throwing out flames and some some hundreds of yards, with a continual roar, like any number of battles going on. Just below is another mountain, from which the lava comes, traveling at a tremendous pace. It divides into several streams and follows the valleys. Now, imagine from this place where that night, why did you go to Catania, what we saw. On our right this enormous flame going hundreds of feet into the air, making the whole sky a bright red, and all down past us from our right and extending down into the left stream of red, hot lava moving down a narrow channel, and looking like an enormous sea of molten copper. The lava flows on the valley where we were standing, and in some places, and it is about 200 or 300 feet above us. And it is about 200 or 300 feet deep, and it is about 200 or 300 feet deep. You can judge whether it was a sight worth seeing. I would have missed it for worlds. The lava is not liquid, as most people suppose, but consists of many millions of lava, and small blocks of rocky looking stuff, falling on. We saw one huge rock of old lava standing in the middle of the stream of lava, which was divided by it and ran around it. The rock was about the size of a hay, and the lava, which was hot, rolled around it and splashed on it. The smaller lava, which was hot, rolled around it and splashed on it. The smaller lava, which was hot, rolled around it and splashed on it. The smaller lava, which was hot, rolled around it and splashed on it.

A Real Necessity. We presume there is hardly a lady to be found in our broad land who, if she does not already possess a sewing machine, expects some day to become the owner of one.

The Light-Running "New Home" fills the above requirements, and is said to combine the good points of all the best machines, with the addition of many new improvements and labor-saving devices. The price is no higher than that of other machines, and every lady who is the happy possessor of one may be assured she has indeed a treasure.

The Battle of Gettysburg. Col. J. B. Bagholder, Government historian of the battle of Gettysburg, has called a reunion of the cavalry officers and men of both armies, who participated in that battle, to be held at Gettysburg, July 14th. Among the invited is Maj. W. A. Graham, who as senior Captain commanded his regiment, (2d U. S. Cavalry), in the engagement. All cavalry soldiers, both officers and men who were in the engagement, will be admitted to the conference. The object is to obtain a correct map of the battle, and to discuss it.

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A Startling Revelation.

A rather astonishing revelation has been made in Pennsylvania within a week. It is nothing more or less than Southern invasion of that poor Commonwealth, by an unwholesome and unlawful combination, with the avowed purpose of injuring, if not destroying, an important industry. Pig iron from Alabama to Pennsylvania, is the story, and it is thus told by the Pittsburg Press of last Monday: "Southern furnaces have at last scored a point in Pittsburgh. Several large iron mills and bowling mills of low pig iron, made at Birmingham, Ala., and in Tennessee. This iron is being delivered in this city at from \$35 to \$45 per ton—fifty cents less than the price of home iron. The businessmen here are naturally somewhat alarmed. They do not know what will be the result. They have been fighting the introduction of Southern iron here for a couple of years, and many manufacturers were led to believe that it was of an inferior quality, so much so that the reduced price at which it was offered should be no inducement to use it. This has not proved strictly true. It has been used to a great extent so far, but it has given satisfaction, and some very large sales have been made within the past month."

The sad part of the story, as it affects Keystone State protectionists, is told by the Philadelphia Record, when it says one has advanced, coke has advanced, and freight rates have advanced, and the price of pig-iron cannot be advanced unless Alabama is shut out of the Pittsburgh market. This is another phase of the increasing process of this Southland. Such revolutions will ultimately strip the North of its overgrown political power and so even the balance as to annihilate sectionalism.

As Kind to Bone Scrapping. Edward Shephard, of Harrison, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters, and seven bottles of Bucklen's Arnicum Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnicum Salve at 25c. per box by Hancock Bros.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Futures closed firm. Sales of 78,900 bales. July, 9.36 August, 9.45 September, 9.32 October, 9.20 November, 9.16 December, 9.19 Spots steady; Middling 9 3/8; Low Middling 8 5/8; Good Ordinary 8 3/8. New Bern market dull. No sales. Middling 1 1/2; Low Middling 1 1/4; Good Ordinary 7 1/2.

WHEAT—50c. per bushel. RICE—75c. per bushel. CORN—30c. per bushel. OATS—25c. per bushel. SUGAR—12c. per lb. COFFEE—15c. per lb. TEA—50c. per lb. SPICES—50c. per lb. FLOUR—\$3.25 per barrel. LARD—10c. per lb. BUTTER—15c. per lb. CIGARS—10c. per 100. TOBACCO—10c. per lb.

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GRAND EXCURSION

Nag's Head

Tuesday, July 6, '86.

SHENANDOAH

Will leave New Bern at 8 P. M. for Orange, Va., on the morning of Tuesday, July 6th, for Shenandoah. The trip is a grand one, and will be a great success. Tickets for the trip are \$2.00. For particulars, apply to Hancock Bros.

B. SCHEDULE B.

All persons doing business as merchants, or otherwise, as such goods bought in or out of the State, or any others liable under Schedule "B," during the first TEN days in July, persons failing to list within the time will be placed on the delinquent list and will be charged with double tax. I will be at my office to receive the same. Blanks furnished. After the 10th of July all who have not listed will be placed on the delinquent list.

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