

LOCAL NEWS.

Journal Miniature Almanac.
 New Berne, latitude, 35° 6' North, longitude, 77° 3' West.
 Sun rises, 5:04 Length of day, 14h 57m 14h hours, 3 minutes.
 Moon rises at 3:17 p.m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Balancing Suits at \$1.00, summer neck wear, White Lawn, Duds, Bows, Summer Underwear, Tennis Shirts, Plaid Room Slippers, Toweling Bags, etc., at **HOWARD & JONES.**

The New York Star will be furnished by the week—seven papers—at 15 cts. **G. W. C. STAYSON.**

The cool weather continues. Threatened rain still deludes us. I am no mud wane, such a condition yesterday.

The bear man or the man bear, is in the city and on exhibition. The steamer *Koon* arrived yesterday and reports the water front at Kinston.

When two coalitionists run together about politics, it is a coalition collision of coalitionists. Snow in August is discussed, but then it was up North, where most of the new things come from.

We have private information that the River and Harbor bill, as passed by the House and Senate, has been approved by the President, and is now a law.

A gang of convicts came down last night and were quarantined at the police station. They are going to Hyde county where there is now a force at work.

Steamer *Beaufort* arrived from Washington yesterday to take a number of convicts to Hyde county, the way she had a shirt blouse which may detain her for a day or so.

We wish to inform the Goldstone Messenger that Hon. C. C. Clark on the coalition ticket at the request of the Democratic executive committee of Craven county, and in no sense a helter or independent.

Personal.
 Rev. Mr. Carpenter of Hyde was in the city yesterday on a brief visit.
 J. W. Woolen was in the city yesterday and as busy as usual.

Mr. J. B. Olive, of Wake county, was in the city yesterday on his way home from Onslow county where he has been at work for some time past.

Joel Kinsey was in town yesterday and driving his pair of fine horses.
 C. J. Rhen, who is engaged on the State work in Hyde was in the city yesterday and reported everything going on well there.

Dr. Edward Clark, of Hyde, is in the city to meet Mrs. Clark on her return from a visit to Wilson.

Chautauqua.
 Editor **NEW YORK HUNT.**—This man has become somewhat famous, and it is interesting to know that probably long before the lake in the State of New York was so designated an Indian town at the confluence of the Neuse and Trent rivers, in North Carolina, the exact site of the present town of New Bern, was so called.

The journal of **Baton de Graffenried** (who founded New Bern and so named it after the canton of Bern, in Switzerland from which he came) has very recently been published by the Secretary of State of North Carolina among the colonial records, and in it De Graffenried several times refers to this Indian town as "Chattawqua," "Chattawana," and "Chattoocks," and says it is the "place where Newbern actually stands, and is the old name of the town of Newbern."

The settlement of **De Graffenried** was made in 1710. In the year 1714(?) the North Carolina Indians, who named this town **Chattawqua**, removed to New York and joined the Five Nations. Did they not take the name with them and give it to the lake in New York?
A. M. WADELL.
 WILMINGTON, N. C., July 20th.
 —*W. Star.*

Laying a Corner Stone.
 Yesterday afternoon the New Berne colored Odd Fellows band, and an excellent band it is, played in front of the Briggs building. The grand lodge of that order meet in that building. At 4 o'clock it started in procession, headed by the band, and marched to Oberlin, where, with all the ceremonies it laid the corner stone of the colored Baptist church. Quite a number of colored ex-churchmen are here.—*News and Observer.*

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 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. n17dwy

SHIRTS.

The India cotton yield is expected to be very large. The value of real estate in Great Britain is on the decline. Heavy shipments of flour are being made from Virginia to South America.

The grand-daughter of Thomas Jefferson, who was dismissed from the patent office at Washington, has been reinstated.

It is thought in New York that the Bartholdi statue will not be placed in position as early as anticipated. September 4th.

In **Amsterdam** the authorities have forbidden the sale of newspapers to the streets, claiming that they induced the population during the recent riot.

The **Shotwell Monument** Association is meeting held at the office of the president July 9th, passed resolutions proposing the date of North Carolina, who are friendly to the association to conduct a fair during the State Fair held in Raleigh in October next, and to contribute such articles as they may be disposed to give towards its success, in order that a sufficient amount of money may be raised to erect such a monument as they desire to place over the noble and lamented Shotwell.

For a year the turf has grown green above the laughing heart of Randolph A. Shotwell, and still no stone marks his resting place. When the shock of his sudden and pathetic death first thrilled the State, many were disposed to contribute towards the erection of a monument to perpetuate his name and record his deathless courage. His heroic sacrifice, his stainless honor, but interest waned with the passing months, and very little over \$300 has been collected.

If the ladies do not work for the bazaar and make it a success, there will be no monument raised to his memory for it were better far to let the grave remain unmarked than to raise above it an insignificant stone all unworthy to be so honored a name.

Let us go to work at once and do what we can to show that Captain Shotwell is remembered and loved within the borders of the State for which he sacrificed all that made life worth the living, and in which he has laid down to his rest after years of suffering caused by those sacrifices.

The ladies of **Richmond, Virginia**, held a bazaar for the benefit of the "Confederate Home" near that city and to that every description of contribution was made, and it was a great success. The contributions suitable are fancy work of all kinds, mementoes of the late war, china and glass ware, barrels of flour, articles from the farm and garden, flowers in pots and bouquets, fruits, preserves, jellies, pickles, cakes, etc., in short anything that has a money value. Persons sending articles to be exhibited at the Fair, such as bread, preserves, etc., could, if interested in this undertaking, mark them "For the Shotwell Memorial Bazaar" after they have competed for the prizes. Mrs. E. A. Olds, of Raleigh, the president of the bazaar, will give all necessary information to those who desire it, and requests all who will work for it to let her know as early as possible, so that she may form some idea as to what will be contributed.

It is earnestly hoped that the ladies throughout the State will respond to the appeal of the Monument Association and do all that is possible to make the "Shotwell Memorial Bazaar" a success.
ANNA ALEXANDER CAMERON.
 Hillsboro, N. C.

Inharmonious Republicans.
 Yesterday at Tarboro there were two Republican conventions of Edgecombe county. One nominated Cobb for sheriff, Killibrew for register, Edwards for clerk, Spraggins for registrar, Killibrew for treasurer. The other ticket was Cobb for sheriff, Hines for clerk, Meach for register, Killibrew for treasurer, and it instructed for Frank Winston for solicitor.

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Had Treatment.
 The Hon. John Goode has written a letter to the Democratic voters of the second Virginia district—the district that elected him to Congress—which is interesting not only to those to whom it is addressed, but to the people of the whole country. It is a manly protest against the injustice, which has been done him in the rejection of his nomination to the solicitorship general by the President. He shows that this action was due not to any unfitness on his part for the office to which he was called, but to the demand made by his personal enemy, Mahone as a part of the fulfillment of a corrupt bargain, and the efforts of an incorporated monopoly, whose hostility he won by doing his duty. He claims, too, and with reason doubtless, that had his appointment been discussed in open session of the Senate, instead of in the darkness of star chamber proceedings, the wrong which has been done him could not have been accomplished.—*News and Observer.*

A Judge's Suicide.
NATCHEZ, Miss., Aug. 4.—Judge Joseph Shields, a prominent member of the bar and the author of the "Life and Times of S. S. Prentiss," committed suicide by strangulation last night. The loss of his wife some time ago had affected his mind.

Revolutionary Circulars.
MADRID, Aug. 2.—Pamphlets and circulars containing an appeal to the people to cast off the Castilian yoke and proclaim the ancient Kingdom have been widely distributed in Catalonia. The police are seizing the documents.

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E. S. STRANG, Chm'n.

Kinston Items.

The wet Kinstonian who has come down to hard cider as a nip before breakfast may well ask "Is life worth living?"

An old country negro visited Kinston last Monday for the first time since local opinion went into effect, and being unable to obtain his usual whisky "cussed out creation," saying "I'd if he would give me one share of A. & N. C. Railroad stock for the whole town."

We tender our sympathies to our worthy and interesting collaborer of Jones county in the **Itemizing His**, and since we cannot give personal attention to his case, we kindly turn him over to our young friend, Dr. C. K. Woodley, who cures snake bites as well as rheumatism.

The best man with two lively keepers turned up here last Tuesday evening to the skittish delight of the small boys of the town. It is truly a human wonder and is about as repulsive as it is wonderful. Any one who sees it once will never care to look upon such a thing again.

Sherrill Taylor and prohibition Alley opened the fall moon hunt last Monday night with lantern and a hotbed dog. No trail of a roach was struck, but the location for Bryan Fields future barroom was exactly fixed, and when that operation begins, business, all Kinston will be bustling every night.

W. T. House, the "boxy" man, killed a fox last week which was an object of scientific interest. The brain was fully developed, but it contained not a particle of brains, there being only a tough bluish tissue. How the fox got along without brains, one of the essential of vitality, is a matter of some speculation.

The finest apples and the soundest and best flavored peaches of the season were brought here last Monday by David Williams, Esq. of Woodington township. They went into the preserve jars of H. W. Cummings, not, however, in large and small after the style of the "L. S. Combs" but in the genuine proportion way with only water and sugar. It must be confessed the manner of the campaigner is the most popular and palatable.

The recent action of the board of county commissioners in granting license to retail liquors outside of the town of Kinston is a complete set down on the hopes of the prohibitionists. The whiskey anecdote is thus getting his deadly coils around the town and must inevitably crush out all the good results of the local option law. Besides, this action of the commissioners looks like an attempt to carry water on one shoulder and whiskey on the other, which is just about as difficult and dangerous as riding on both sides of the sapling at the same time.

The county commissioners were in regular session last Monday. There was some special interest manifested in the granting of retail liquor license outside of the town. The consideration of the application of H. N. Fields to retail liquors just beyond the iron bridge on the Wilmington road was continued to the September meeting. R. C. Hill was granted license to retail at Fields about 6 or 7 miles north of Kinston. This was the only license granted, it being seemingly pushed through on the patriarchal plan, license for me and my wife, my son and his wife, we four and no more.

Stonewall Items.
 We have had no rain for the past two or three days. After so much wet, crops are having a hard time.
 Your Gum Branch trimmer says I can obtain the pork or greasy collard seed at \$2 50 per cove. That is rather too greasy, fear so much so that they might have the cholera.
 Misses Emma Berton and Sallie Faxon of your city, who have been visiting Mrs. M. M. Perree for several days, returned to their home on Tuesday, much to the regret of the young gentlemen of this place.
 Jas. R. Jewell, who has been register of deeds for our county for a number of years, is in such poor health that I understand he declines to be a candidate any more. No county has ever had a better or more faithful servant.
 Mr. John Tingle, who has been a sufferer for the past eight years with heart disease, and confined to his house for the past three months or more, died at his home near here on the 24th July. A good citizen gone over the river. He was about sixty years old.
 C. H. Fowler sowed about one and a half acres in clover and grass seed in March last and has cut and housed by actual weight—no guess work—5,000 pounds of as nice clover hay as was ever fed to team. Who can beat that, or where can it be done?
 Stonewall's magnetism for a New Berne widow was in the city Tuesday and the attraction was so great that he was drawn across the ferry. Well, if you could know the amount of watermelon, West India fruit and other knacks that arrive in this vicinity, you would conclude some one was soft.

It is rather an enigma to some of your readers to see the **JOURNAL** championing L. C. Latham for Congress from the 1st district. It seems to equal the "Argus" interest in your county affairs. If you will just be easy, I feel confident that the 1st district will take care of itself, and it won't be with a let-down champion nor a money shark either, and don't you forget it. Skinner stock is at par in **Famlico.**

Georgia Proposing to Pension Her Soldiers.
ATLANTA, Aug. 5.—There will be two constitutional amendments voted on at the State election in October, one of which is of general interest, as it is likely to place general Confederate soldiers on a permanent pension list. The amendment is as follows:
 That the last sentence of article 7, section 1, paragraph 1, of the Constitution of 1877 be and the same is hereby amended, by adding thereto at the end of said sentence the following words: "And to make suitable provision for such Confederate soldiers as may have been permanently injured in such service." So that said sentence when so amended, shall read as follows: "To supply the soldier who lost a limb or limbs in the military service of the Confederate States with suitable artificial limbs during life, and to make suitable provision for such Confederate soldiers as may have been permanently injured in such service."
 Under the last clause of the proposed amendment the Legislature would be at liberty to establish a pension list. There is no opposition whatever in the State to the proposed amendment.

S. C. Democratic Convention.
COLUMBIA, Aug. 4.—The Democratic State Convention met in the opera house at 12 m. Ex-Governor Johnson Hagood was elected permanent chairman. Considerable interest has been felt as to the action of the body in view of the farmers' movement, which cropped out early in the year and resulted in a convention held in June to consider the grievances of agriculturists. Since then the leader of the movement, B. R. Tillman, of Edgefield has been working vigorously to secure county delegations, and many people believed that he would be able to shape the policy of the convention and dictate the nomination. The present Governor, Ben J. C. Sheppard, was supposed to be the choice of the farmers' party for the first place on the ticket, and the first ballot showed a vote for him of 68 out of 75 cast. The other candidates were J. P. Richardson, present State Treasurer, Senator W. A. Coker, of Darlington, Senator Giles J. Patterson, of Chester, Representative Edward McCready, of Charleston, and Chancellor Johnson of Marion. No choice was had on the first two ballots, and on the third ballot Richardson received 175 votes and was declared nominated. The convention is now considering other nominations, and the name of General W. L. T. Prince, of Chesterfield has been put in nomination for Lieutenant Governor.

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TAR—75c. \$1.25.
OATS—New, 35c. in bulk.
CORN—50c. in bulk from boats 50c. to 60c. from stores.
RICE—75c.
BREWER'S—80c. per lb.
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COUNTRY HAMS—10c. per lb.
LARD—10c. per lb.
EGGS—8c. per dozen.
FRESH PORK—4 1/2c. per pound.
Peanuts—50c. per bushel.
FOODS—75c. \$1.00 per hundred.
ONIONS—50c. per barrel.
FIELD PEAS—65c. per bushel.
HIDES—Dry, 10c. green 5c.
APPLES—25c. per bushel.
PEARS—75c. \$1.25 per bushel.
HONEY—40c. per gal.
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CHICKENS—Grown, 30c. 35c. spring 30c. 25c.
MEAL—65c. per bushel.
OATS—50 cts. per bushel.
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.
SEED POTATOES—Early Rose, \$2.75 per bushel.
Wool—10 1/2c. per pound.
POTATOES—Bahamas, 25c. yams, 40c. 50c.
KEWONK—9c.
SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal, not wanted. Building, 5 inch hearts, \$3.00, saps, \$1.50 per M.
WHOLESALE PRICES.
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SHOULDER MEAT—7c.
C. R. F. B's, B's and L. C.—7c.
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NAIS—Basin 10's, \$2.75.
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OATS—50 cts. per bushel.
TURNIPS—50c. per bushel.
SEED POTATOES—Early Rose, \$2.75