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## LOCAL NEWS.

**Journal Miniature Almanac.**  
New Bern, latitude, 35° 6' North.  
Longitude, 77° 3' West.  
Sun rises, 5:54. Length of day,  
ten sets, 5:54. 11 hours, 50 minutes.  
Moon sets at 8:44 p.m.

**Read Maj. Palmer's poetry.**  
Several of the river steamers were in yesterday with cargoes of cotton.

**Read Wm. Sultan's advertisement.** It is of interest to those who want goods.

Eggs are booming. A few dozen brought as high as 17¢, wholesale, yesterday.

The steamer *Defiance* arrived from Baltimore yesterday with a cargo of general merchandise.

A special meeting of the members of the Cotton and Grain Exchange today at 11 a. m. See notice elsewhere.

Mr. F. T. Patterson ships by express today a large blue heron, taxidermied by Mr. T. P. Clarke, to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ellis' rice mill has begun work on some old stock. The new rice crop is not coming in yet. We hear that it is very good.

A small lot of new rice was in market yesterday, and this reminds us that F. Ulrich is hauling from the steamer wharf a large lot of sacks which will be in demand for marketing the crop.

The gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. is now open for the season and will be open free to all visitors until Friday night, Oct. 15th. After that time the usual fee will be charged for admittance.

Miss Leah Jones has received and is now placing in her school room on Johnson street a number of National Folding desks which are quite an addition to the comfort and convenience of the pupils.

Philip Wiggins, a noted politician of the Hahn faction, was registered at Rodgers' hotel on Craven street yesterday. He remained but a short time, however. A political campaign in the 5th ward and James City would be lonesome without Philip.

The coalition candidates spoke at James City on Tuesday night to a large crowd and made a most favorable impression. They speak today at Conners and on Saturday at Fulchers precinct. Again we urge the people to turn out and hear them and be convinced that they are the right men to vote for.

At the meeting of the board of county commissioners on the 1st Monday in October Mr. C. J. Rhem tendered his resignation as cotton weigher and Mr. Johnathan Havens was appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Havens has ordered by telegraph a bran new pair of scales, and in a few days will be ready to swing the scales and mete out justice, according to the scales, to both seller and buyer.

**The speaking at James City.**  
Parties who attended the speaking at James City on Tuesday night report that a large crowd was present and the speakers, Messrs. Clark, Hubbs and Stinson, made a fine impression. Mr. Clark is, perhaps, the first Democrat that has ever spoken to a public gathering in James City, and we are glad to hear that good order was preserved and considerable enthusiasm was shown for the People's Ticket.

**Eastern Carolina Fair.**  
The third annual exhibit of the Eastern Carolina Fair and Stock Association will be held near Goldsboro on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 11, 12 and 13, 1886.

The association has a large premium list, and the managers are making great efforts to make the Fair interesting and attractive. Mr. Nathan O'Berry is the president and J. B. Whitaker, jr., secretary.

**Jones Superior Court.**  
The fall term of Jones Superior court is to convene on the first Monday in November. This being election week and on the day before the election, Messrs. F. M. Pearson, of Trenton, and O. H. Guion, of this city, appeared before the board of county commissioners last Monday and suggested that the court request Judge Clark not to open court before Wednesday. The suggestion was accepted and the clerk of the board directed to inform Judge Clark of its action. We feel sure that the suggestion will meet the approval of Judge Clark and the court will not open until Wednesday, Nov. 11.

**Some fashionable ladies** are not satisfied with ready-made fashions, but must have them made to order; they are, however, satisfied with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and take it regularly.

**A Trip to Mt. Mitchell.**  
A lady friend hands us a copy of the *Wake Forest Student* which contains a beautifully written account of a trip to Mount Mitchell. We publish a portion of it today and will continue it until the whole is published. Several of our New Bern citizens were among the "fair women and brave men" that made the difficult trip and cast a stone upon the grave of the lamented Dr. Mitchell. The writer gives a fine description of the mountains and the Swannanoa. We regret we cannot reproduce it in one issue.

**Officers Elected.**  
At the annual election of officers of the New Bern Cotton and Grain Exchange, held at the Exchange rooms yesterday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, S. W. Smallwood; Vice-President, Frank Myer; Secretary, Jas. Redmond; Treasurer, T. A. Green.  
Directors—M. Manly, Geo. Allen, G. F. M. Dail, K. R. Jones, C. E. Foy.

**Board of Appeals—J. U. Smith, F. G. Simmons, Hill Humphrey, A. R. Denison, C. H. Blank.**  
Superintendent—D. T. Carraway.

**A Commendable Organization.**  
The young men of the New Bern Graded School, for their own improvement and for other young men who may associate themselves with them, have formed a debating and literary society known as the Herosian Literary Society. They organized last March, have a constitution and by-laws, and meet regularly every Friday night in a room of the graded school building at 7:30 o'clock. Their exercises consist of debating, essays and declamations. The interests of the society are in strict harmony with those of the school and it receives the co-operation of the Principal and assistants. The officers are: J. S. Thomas, President; A. S. Bryan, Vice-President, and C. L. Gaekill, Secretary and Treasurer.

This society, if properly conducted, is capable of doing great good for our young men. The graded school has a splendid library which will aid them in their literary pursuits, and by thus associating together they can acquire a knowledge of conducting business in public meetings. A great deal of the disorder and confusion in public assemblies arises from a lack of knowledge on the part of the participants as to how the business should be conducted.

We commend the efforts of these young gentlemen to improve themselves by the acquisition of knowledge that will make them better and more useful citizens, and hope they will be encouraged by the older well informed citizens of our community.

**Analysis of Water.**  
There having been some complaint of the water from the pump at the corner of East Front and King streets, Mr. F. W. Hancock, a member of the board of city council, forwarded a bottle to Dr. Chas. W. Dabney, at the experiment station for analysis and received the following reply:

RALEIGH, Sept. 30, 1886.  
Sir:—The sample of water sent to the station for analysis, marked "Whitehurst pump," contains:

Total solids: 9.90 grains per imperial gallon, consisting mainly of carbonate of lime. Also present, carbonate of iron, small amount; sulphate of lime, and chloride of soda.

Note—Slightly hard water. Temporary hardness. There is not enough water to make a more complete analysis, where so little total solids is found. Your obedient servant,  
CHAS. W. DABNEY, JR., Director.

Accompanying the above analysis was the following letter:

RALEIGH, Oct. 5, 1886.  
New Bern, N. C.  
DEAR SIR:—Referring to analyses No. 4097: In waters we express the ingredients in grains per imperial gallon. In this water I gave you the grains per gallon, 9.90, I believe and stated that it was nearly pure carbonate of lime. This is very little; not enough to make a mineral water.

It takes 75 to 100 grains to make a mineral water. I stated in the note that I could not carry the analyses farther with regard to the other ingredients which were present a little more than traces.

It is a pure water and good for drinking, only the carbonate of lime makes it hard.

You see we cannot find a lot of things in a small amount of water when there is only a very minute amount of anything in it as in this case.

Yours respectfully,  
CHAS. W. DABNEY, JR., Director.

**SHAKERS.**  
Violent earthquake shocks have occurred in central Germany.

The volcanic peak Pabloff, Alaska, is reported to be in a state of eruption.

The distribution of the new one-dollar silver certificates began last Tuesday. Gould and Mackay deny the probability of a compromise in the cable war.

A heavy frost in the western part of the State has damaged tobacco considerable.

The latest telegrams on the Bulgarian crisis is that a revolution has broken out in Sofia and Tirnova.

Mr. George Bancroft, the historian, has just celebrated the eighty-sixth anniversary of his birthday.

The fund for the relief of Charleston has reached nearly half a million dollars, and is still increasing.

It seems as though Gen. Miles will have to be summoned to Washington to explain the Geronimo matter.

During the month of September 1,690 immigrants were landed at Baltimore, making a total of 5,216 for the last quarter.

Secretary Manning will take charge of the Treasury Department about October 15th, but may retire after Congress meets.

Otto Bawmann, the receiving teller of the Dime Savings Bank, New York, left on his vacation Sept. 4. He has not been heard of since, and the bank is out about \$20,000.

Attorney-General Garland has returned to his duties at Washington, much improved in health. The report that Col. Lamont is to succeed Secretary Manning is disbelieved.

The steamer *Alameda*, which arrived at San Francisco Saturday, made the fastest trip on record between Sydney and San Francisco, her time being 28 days 6 hours and 30 minutes. This will reduce the time of the trip around the world to 60 days.

As to the unhappy position some of the crown heads are placed in we copy the following: A Czarow dispatch describes the Czar's last journey as having been undertaken with even more precautions for his safety than usual. The day before he arrived at Warsaw a nihilist, who had been sentenced to death some days previously, was hanged in all haste. Soldiers stood along the entire line where the imperial trains were to pass. As the trains approached the soldiers turned about so as to be ready to fire upon any one who might try to get near the line. There were three trains—one for the imperial family, one for the baggage and a third for railroad workmen, who could repair any damage happening to the lines. On the journey the Emperor changed from one to the other trains several times. At the stations the windows and blinds were closed.

**If You Wish a Good Article Of PLEB TOBACCO, ask your dealer for "Old Rip."**

**Items About the State Fair.**  
Opens Tuesday, the 26th, closes Friday, the 29th October.

The Race track is built upon the most approved plan—under the direction of George Wilkes, editor of the *New York Spirit of the Times*.

Railroad transportation to and from the fair is cheaper this year than at any time heretofore.

Two hundred Northern editors will be present to write up the State Fair. Illustrated papers will send artists to make sketches to publish in their papers.

Articles will be transported free of charge over the railroads from every section of the State.

A Silver Cornet Band will furnish music for the Fair.

President Cleveland will be invited to attend.

Hotel rates will be very reasonable and ample accommodation for all who attend.

If you want a premium list of the State Fair, send to John Nichols, Esq., Raleigh, N. C.

Many valuable premiums are offered to ladies.

The display that North Carolina had at Boston and New Orleans will be on exhibition at the coming Fair; it will be worth more than the charges to see that.

The theatres will be occupied each night during Fair by a first-class troupe of actors.

If any of our readers were born north of the Mason and Dixon line, they now have the chance of rendering this section great service by attending the Northern People's Convention to be held during Fair week, and speaking with the capitalists, manufacturers and home-seekers. We urge all Northern-born men to show their interests in the well doing of this country by attending the Fair and meeting the Northern editors and home-seekers and induce some of them to visit our section.

**City Council Proceedings.**  
TUESDAY, Oct. 5, 1886.

The regular meeting of the board was held this morning at 12 o'clock, Mayor Meadows presiding. Present: Councilmen Williams, Daniels, Hancock, Moore, Miller and Crawford.

The marshal made the following report, which was adopted:

I have made 16 arrests during the month, 14 convicted, 2 discharged.  
Fines collected, \$ 3.00  
Costs " 30.80  
Rents " 1.00  
Total, (34.80)

One-half of the above cost was deducted for my fees, the balance turned over to the treasurer.

Councilman Williams reported that the contract for fixing the heater of the Atlantic Fire Company was awarded to Messrs. John H. Crabtree & Co. for \$13.

Mr. Washington Bryan, President of the A. & N. C. R. Co., was ordered to have all the crossings on Hancock street fixed with two-inch plank.

The matter of purchasing a horse for the Atlantic hose carriage was postponed until the next regular meeting.

The committee on streets and pumps reported that the marshal had hired two extra hands, and put on the streets, and that the streets were being put in good condition.

The cemetery committee reported that the cemeteries were in good condition.

Mr. Geo. Allen being present, stated that if the city would light up the streets with gas, that he would put on forty lamps, and light up the engine houses and police headquarters for \$75 per month, and if the city would turn over to him all lamps and globes belonging to them, that he would put the forty lamps in good condition for burning for \$80.

On motion of Councilman Hancock, the street and pump committee was authorized to make a contract with Mr. Allen until May 1st, 1887, at the above figures.

Messrs. Watson & Daniels was granted permission to erect a shed over their scales at their coal yard.

On motion of Councilman Daniels, two of the street hands were allowed full pay for one day's absence while attending a funeral.

On motion of Councilman Moore, the committee on fire department was instructed to notify the foremen of Mechanic and Rough and Ready fire companies that if they as companies did not attend with apparatus at any and all fires hereafter that the city would no longer pay rent or any other expenses for them.

The matter of putting some kerosene lamps on the different streets where there is no gas pipes, was on motion of Councilman Miller left with the street and pump committee to investigate and report.

The regular monthly bills were allowed, minutes read and adopted and the board adjourned.

R. D. HANCOCK, City Clerk.

**Both Hands Up.**  
NEWMAN, GA., June 4, 1885.

For over two years I have been a sufferer from rheumatism, affecting both shoulders to such an extent that I could not put on my coat without help. The use of seven bottles of B. B. B. effected an entire cure. I refer to Rev. W. W. Wadsworth and all merchants of Newman.

JACOB SPONGLER.  
Sold in New Bern by R. N. Duffy and E. H. Meadows.

**Saved His Life.**  
Mr. D. L. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., says he was, for many years, badly afflicted with Phthisis, also Diabetes; the pains were almost unendurable and would sometimes almost throw him into convulsions. He tried Electric Bitters and got relief from first bottle, and after taking six bottles was entirely cured and had gained in flesh eighteen pounds. Says he positively believes he would have died, had it not been for the relief afforded by Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Hancock Bros.

**She Is Not Dead.**  
It has been reported that I was dead—but I am not. For four years I have been afflicted with a severe case of Blood Poison, Rheumatism and Neuralgia. My flesh shrank away, my muscles seemed to dry up and form into little knots, joints were swollen and painful and all concluded I must die. I have used five bottles of B. B. B. and I have gained 50 pounds of flesh, and am now as sound as any woman.

BELLE DUNAWAY, Atlanta, Ga.  
Sold in New Bern by R. N. Duffy and E. H. Meadows.

**Real Estate Mortgages and Deeds for sale at the Journal office.**

**ENTERED INTO REST.**  
Tuesday night, at half-past 12 o'clock, October 5th, 1886, Leonidas Edward Bowen, aged 26 years, 8 months, 23 days, after having suffered several weeks with typhoid and malarial fevers.

The funeral services will be conducted at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church this afternoon at three o'clock, with the honors of the G. U. O. of O. F., of which he was an active member. Friends and relatives are invited.

## COMMERCIAL.

JOURNAL OFFICE, Oct. 6, 8 P. M.

**COTTON.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Futures closed quiet. Sales of 62,800 bales.  
October, 9.18 April, 9.58  
November, 9.16 May, 9.60  
December, 9.20 June, 9.69  
January, 9.26 July, 9.76  
February, 9.35 August, 9.82  
March, 9.43 September, —

Spots quiet; Middling 9.7-10, Low Middling 8.15-16; Good Ordinary 8.7-16.  
New Bern Market steady. Sales of 208 bales at 8.60 to 8.80.  
Middling 8.15-16; Low Middling 8.11-16; Good Ordinary 8.7-16.

**DOMESTIC MARKET.**  
SEED COTTON—\$2.60.  
COTTON SEED—\$10.00.  
TURPENTINE—Hard, \$1.00, dip, \$1.75.  
TAR—75c-\$1.25.  
OATS—New, 35c. in bulk.  
COAL—55a60c.  
RICE—70a85.  
BEEF—15c per lb.  
BEEF—On foot, 3c to 5c.  
COUNTRY HAMS—10c per lb.  
LARD—10c per lb.  
EGGS—15c per dozen.  
FRESH POULTRY—4, 25c per pound.  
FRUIT—50c per bushel.  
PODDER—75c-\$1.00 per hundred.  
ONIONS—\$2.00-\$2.25 per barrel.  
FIELD PEAS—65a70c.  
HIDES—Dry, 10c; green 5c.  
APPLES—Mattamuskeet, 25a30c. Good freys, \$1.10.  
PEARS—75c-\$1.25 per bushel.  
HONEY—85c per gal.  
TALLOW—5c per lb.  
CHEESE—24.  
CHICKENS—Grown, 30a50c. Spring 20a25c.  
MEAL—70c per bushel.  
OATS—50c per bushel.  
TURKISH—50c per bushel.  
FRESH POTATOES—\$2.75 per bushel.  
Wool—19a16c. per pound.  
FOT. STOPS—Bahamas 30c, yards 40c.  
West India 50c, Harrison, 65c.  
SHINGLES—West India, full and normal, not wanted. Building 6 inch hearts, \$3.00; saws \$1.50 per M.  
WHOLESALE PRICES.  
NEW MESS PORK—\$11.50.  
SHOULDER MEAT—7c.  
C. R. W. F. H. R. 's and L. C. 's 7c.  
FLOUR—\$5.00a6.00.  
LARD—8c. by the tierce.  
NAILS—Basis 10's, 82c.  
SUGAR—Granulated, 8c.  
COFFEE—10a12c.  
SALT—85a90c. per sack.  
MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—20a45c.  
POWDER—\$5.00.  
SILOTT—Drop, \$1.75; buck, \$2.00.  
KEHOENE—9c.

**Why Not.**  
"Divine in hook, glorious in pipe. When tipped with amber mellow rich and ripe. Yet thy true lovers more admire by far Thy naked beauties—give me a cigar!"  
These you will find in R. W. Tanulis & Co.'s five brands of choice cigars, always kept by W. L. PALMER at his Bazaar. If you want the best, come to me and get one, or more, the best by far.  
Next to the corner of Middle and South street, east side, New Bern, N. C.  
W. L. PALMER.

**NEW STORE!**  
**New Goods!!**  
WM. SULTAN  
Has just returned from the Northern Markets, where he purchased a VERY LARGE STOCK OF  
Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and everything usually kept in a First-Class Dry Goods Store, and he is determined to  
Sell Them Lower Than Ever.  
He will give High Prices the Worst Shaking they ever had.  
Look at some of our leaders:  
A Good Button Shoe ..... \$1.00  
Ladies and Misses' Jerseys ..... 50  
A Good Tie ..... 20  
A Good White Shirt ..... 40  
Men's and Boys' Hats ..... 25  
Boy's Suits as low as ..... 2.25

Also a nice assortment of Children's Woolen Hoods and Sacks—very low; Carpets and Oil Cloth; Trunks and Valises; a nice assortment of Shawls and Blankets and Buggy Robes.  
All we ask is to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere and we will save you money.  
Don't forget the place,  
Bishop Building, Opposite Baptist Church.  
WM. SULTAN,  
JAS. A. THOMAS, Salesman. o7 dw

**For Rent,**  
A neat dwelling containing six rooms, on Broad street, opposite W. Lorch's.  
Apply to  
sep24 dtf C. T. HANCOCK.

**Oysters and Restaurant.**  
Mrs. S. A. WOMBLE has opened a First-Class Oyster Saloon and Restaurant, one door below Cotton Exchange, and is prepared to furnish Oysters in every style.  
Meals at all hours. Families supplied at their homes if desired. sep25 dtf

E. W. SMALLWOOD. GEO. SLOVER.

**Smallwood & Slover,**  
DEALERS IN  
GENERAL HARDWARE,  
TINWARE, GLASSWARE,  
WOODENWARE, CROCKERY,  
SASH, DOORS, BLINDS,  
GLASS, PAINTS, OILS,  
AND STOVES,  
UNSURPASSED AS TO  
PRICE AND QUALITY.  
Middle Street, Next Door to  
Central Hotel,  
NEW BERNE, N. C.

**Notice to Tax Payers.**  
I will be at my office, Saturday, Oct. 9th, and all parties wishing to redeem their property for which the city now holds deeds for, can do so, otherwise the city will proceed at once by law to take possession of the same, and all parties holding vouchers issued by this board will present the same on that day for payment.  
THOS. DANIELS,  
City Treasurer.

**TAX NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that the real, personal and poll tax list for the year 1886, is now in my hands for collection. All persons therein assessed are hereby notified to call at my office and settle the same.  
R. D. HANCOCK,  
City Tax Collector.

**FURNITURE.**  
Parlor Suits, Chamber Sets,  
Walnut Bedsteads,  
Bureaus, Wardrobes,  
Mattresses, Chairs,  
Lounges, Sofas, &  
Centre Tables, Etc.,  
AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.  
JOHN SUTER,  
314 W. Middle Street, New Bern, N. C.

**K. R. JONES,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
**CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES**  
AND  
General Merchandise,  
BAGGING AND TIES, Etc.

Consignments of Grain, Cotton and other Produce solicited.  
Prompt Attention Guaranteed.  
N. W. Cor. South Front and Middle Sts.  
NEW BERNE, N. C.  
aug21 dtf

**For Fall Planting.**  
Cabbage, Kale, Spinach and Turnip Seed.  
E. H. MEADOWS & CO.  
aug21 dtf

**Rock Lime,**  
Plaster,  
Cements,  
Goat Hair  
R. O. E. LODGE,  
GRAVEN STREET.  
Below Express Office.  
may22 dtf w w

**Ferdinand Ulrich,**  
WHOLESALE GROCER  
AGENCY OF  
HAZARD POWDER CO.  
AND  
Choice Pale Cream Cheese.

**SNUFFS AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.**  
RICE SACKS.  
T. A. Green's Old Blend.  
NEW BERNE, N. C.

**WANTED** A reliable and energetic salesman in every county in the South and West. Work light and pleasant. Salary or commission first class. Address us at once, stating age, present and past occupation. J. A. WILMORE & CO., Richmond, Va. sep25 dtf