

# A. M. Baker

Has Goods that everybody wants. We are offering them at prices that all can well afford to pay. We don't pretend to give a list of all our attractions; if we did we should have to pay for extra advertising; but here is a condensed and sufficiently representative bill, which we commend to your attention,

## Dress Goods.

A nice Cashmere, part wool, for 10c. per yard, in nice shades, worth 20c. of any man's money. Fine Debaize and other dress goods at remarkably low prices; all we ask is an inspection. Then in Fine Goods we have all wool Cabul Serges, 40 inches wide, Camel's Hair Serges, French Plain Cashmere, Striped French Silk and Worsted Hair Mixed Cloth.

In **BLACK GOODS** we have all wool and Camel's Hair Suitings and Serges, Lupin's Cashmeres, etc., etc., among which is a half wool double width Cashmere, nice looking, for 20c. per yard.

See our **Heavy Black Silk**. Then look at our **Black Satin Rhadamie**.

**Wraps for Ladies and Misses, Walking Jackets, Jersey Jackets and Dolmans,** made of boucle cloth and other fabrics, are cheap.

## Our Hosiery Stock

Is complete and very low. We realize that times are hard, have bought our stock at bottom prices, and sell them very close.

We have among the thousand things too numerous to mention a full line of **Corsets, Gloves, Ladies' and Children's Vests, Handkerchiefs, Buttons, Gimps, Fringes, Etc., Etc., Etc.**

All we ask of our friends is a trial; if we don't suit you both in price and quality it won't be our fault.

**We are the only parties that sell the Celebrated Diamond Shirt, Collars and Cuffs.**

We think them better than any other you can find in this market.

To our friends in the country and city we would say we are very anxious to have your trade. We are headquarters in this city for styles, and we sell good goods at hard time prices. If you want Fine or Common Goods we have them.

Then to that class of our friends, the **Wholesale Buyers,** we would say we wish you all the success possible, and will sell you goods very, very cheap, but unless you can pay the cash spot down we cannot sell you, as we have marked our goods too close to sell them on time.

We respectfully request a call from all, and if we don't sell you it won't be because our goods are not cheap.

**Don't Forget**

**A. M. BAKER.**

## THE JOURNAL.

NEW BERNE, N. C., DEC. 24, 1886.

### Jones County Items.

We learn that the commissioners of Onslow county have sent their prisoners to Trenton jail since theirs has been burned.

We see that the farmers' wood piles are continually increasing in size; all on account of the near approach of the holidays.

Trade is lively at Trenton now. Many jugs have been handled there during the last few days. We are somewhat of the opinion that the merchants, too, are having a nice custom in groceries.

Eggs are particularly scarce around Trenton, or else the farmers are holding them back for Christmas prices; scarcer than I ever saw them. Many will, we suppose, have to let the old egg nog time pass by in 1886.

The chairman of the board of magistrates of Jones county desires the magistrates to attend at Trenton on the first Monday in January next to elect a county commissioner and for such other business as may come before them.

Married, on Wednesday, the 22d of December, at the residence of Mr. George W. Mallard, in Trenton township, Mr. Peter Andrews, jr., to Miss Willie Mallard, Capt. E. R. Page officiating. We extend to the worthy couple our heartfelt congratulations, hoping that their days through life may be all bright, happy and prosperous.

An old colored woman called at the home of one of our well known seamstresses not long since and requested her to make up some mourning goods for her to attend the funeral of her son's wife. When the lady examined the goods she said, "Aunt Flora, these are not mourning goods; why did you get white goods?" "Case, child, there is nuffin' black in Heaven."

We hope that the good people of our county who read the JOURNAL will have a happy, merry Christmas. But while they are blest with all the good things, would it not be well to look around in their neighborhoods and make the hearts of the deserving needy glad by sending them some of their many delicacies. Have any of our citizens ever thought what a nice dinner the inmates of our county poor house could have if some of the able farmers would send on Christmas day a fat turkey to them?

I saw today an old before-the-war darkey wending his way to Trenton. Said he was very busy but he had to have Christmas fixings. I met him on his return full of joy. He had in his cart three jugs, two bottles and a kerosene can. "Why, old man," said I, "you must be going to set up a jug and bottle shop." "No sir," said he; "these are my Christmas fixings. Why, said he, that jug has corn juice, that rye, and that other one has 'lasses for the old 'oman to make 'tater pies, while that bottle there is good old rum to make nog with, this bottle is camfire and the can is full of casten. Now don't you think I am well prepared for Christmas; 'sperits to make me happy, with 'lasses to sweeten; casten to make me a light and camfire for accidents? I tell you boss, nuffin' like an ole be-fo'-de-wah nigger no how, and here is some gun powder; listen out for Liza Jane's noise on Christmas morning." I promised him I would while he drove off whistling a merry tune.

### 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 diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle, jan24 dtutsthat wty

## ALEX. JUSTICE,

DEALER IN Choice Flour of all Grades, Selected Teas, Pure Coffees and Spices, Butter and Cheese from the best dairies, Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Canned Fruits and Vegetables. A full variety of other goods usually kept in a first-class store. Goods delivered at any part of the city free of charge. Broad St. between Hancock and Middle. nov14 dtf

### Dental Notice.

Full set of Teeth \$10.00 Gold Fillings \$1.00 to \$2.00 Best Work Guaranteed. DR. G. L. SHACKELFORD, Dentist. Office on Middle street, opposite Baptist Church. nov16 dtw

**DR. J. D. CLARK** DENTIST. NEWBERNE, N. C. Office on Craven street, between Pollock and Broad. nov16 dtw

## A FINE Florida Tonic.

Mr. FOSTER S. CHAPMAN,

One of the landmarks of the Georgia Drug trade, now of Orlando, Florida, writes: "I can hardly select a single case of the many to whom I have sold of **Guinn's Pioneer Blood Renewer**, but what have been satisfied, and I find it the best remedy for all Skin Diseases I have ever sold, and a Fine Florida Tonic."

"FOSTER S. CHAPMAN," Orlando, Fla.

A Certain Cure for Catarrh. A SUPERB FLESH PRODUCER AND TONIC. **Guinn's Pioneer Blood Renewer** Cures all Blood and Skin Diseases, Rheumatism, Scrofula, Old sores. A perfect Spring Medicine.

If not in your market it will be forwarded on receipt of price. Small bottles \$1.00; large \$1.75. Keenly on Blood and Skin Diseases: mailed free.

MACON MEDICINE COMPANY, Macon, Ga.



For sale wholesale and retail by R. N. DUFFY, New Berne, N. C.

## THE NEUSE & TRENT RIVER Steamboat Company

Will run the following schedule on and after September 9th, 1886

**Steamer Cutler** Will leave New Berne for Trenton every Wednesday at 6 a. m. and Friday after the arrival of the steamer Pleasant at 10 a. m. returning will leave Trenton every Thursday and Saturday, touching at all points along the river.

**Steamer Kinston.** On and after June 25th, 1886, the Steamer Kinston will leave Kinston for New Berne every Monday and Thursday at 10 o'clock a. m. returning will leave New Berne every Tuesday and Friday, stopping at Jolly old Beaufort and touching at all landings on Neuse river. Close connections made with steamer Steam and of the Old Dominion Steamer Line.

J. J. DISBOWAY at Newbern W. F. STANLEY, Kinston D. S. HARRIS, Follisville T. T. WILSON, Agent at Trenton J. P. QUINERLY, Jolly old Beaufort J. B. HARKS, Quaker Bridge J. M. WHITE, Agent at Beaufort Kinston, N. C.

## WILLIAMS' FAST FREIGHT LINE.

**STEAMER ELM CITY AND BARGE JENNIE REED**

WEEKLY BETWEEN NEW BERNE, N. C., and NORFOLK, VA

Leaves New Berne, Tuesday, 5 o'clock, P. M.

Leaves Norfolk, Friday, 5 o'clock, P. M.

Connects with N. Y., P. & N. R. R. Co. for all points North.

QUICK TIME AND LOW FREIGHTS.

J. V. WILLIAMS, General Manager.

## For Fall Planting.

Cabbage, Kale, Spinach and Turnip Seed.

E. H. MEADOWS & CO. aug21 dtw

Ask your retailer for the Original \$3 Shoe. Beware of Imitations.

None Genuine unless bearing this Stamp. **JAMES MEANS' \$3 SHOE.**



This shoe stands higher in the estimation of wearers than any other in the world. Thousands who wear it will tell you the reason if you ask them.

Howard & Jones, Sole Agents for New Berne, N. C. aug15 dtw

OWEN H. GUION, F. H. PELLETIER

**GUION & PELLETIER, Attorneys at Law**

SOUTH FRONT ST., OPP. GASTON HOUSE, NEW BERNE, N. C.

Practice where services are desired. Practices in the Supreme Court, and in the Federal Court at New Berne.

One of this firm will always be at the following places at times specified below: Trenton, Jones county, Saturday of each week. Jacksonville, Onslow county, Thursday of each week. Jacksonville, Onslow county, the first Monday in each month.

## For Sale.

We offer the following valuable Real Estate for sale in the City of New Bern: One-half interest in the building situated on the northeast corner of Craven and Pollock streets, formerly known as Wilson's building.

Also—The entire property situate on the corner of New and Market streets, extending north to Johnson street, adjoining the Academy Green, known as the Roberts property. This property is divided in three lots, one of which has a large and commodious dwelling house, the other a smaller but new and desirable house for small family. These lots can be purchased separately.

For further particulars apply to us, HULL, JONES, and O. H. GUION, Executors. nov16 dtf

## KINSEY'S SCHOOL, FOR GIRLS AND YOUNG LADIES, LA GRANGE, N. C.

PRINCIPAL. Teacher of Music. Teacher of German. Teacher of Primary Dept. Asst. in Primary Dept.

Spring Session Opens January 17, 1887.

Only Female Boarding School of the kind. Write for terms to JOSEPH KINSEY, Principal, Dec. 24, La Grange, N. C.

## 1886. FOR CHRISTMAS. 1886.

We have a line of Goods in stock and to arrive that make Useful and Appropriate Christmas Gifts.

**CLOTHING**—Men's, Youth's and Boys' Suits, Coats, G. C. S. SHIRTS—A very desirable present.—Ladies' and Children's and Plaid Bosoms. Our 60c. Shirts and 40c. Bosoms are particularly commended to sell well. Night Shirts at \$1.00.

**HATS**, Soft and Stiff. New stock of Underwear.

In Gloves we have all the new styles. Also a large stock of Spring Fur Top Goods.

Handkerchiefs—White and Colored. Towels, Bathing and Cashmere. Mullers.

Suspenders; Collars; Cuffs; Hats; Boots; Gaiters; and Children's Shoes; Slippers and Pumps. Infant's Foot Wear. We make especially nice Christmas Trade. We make especially nice Christmas Trade. We make especially nice Christmas Trade. We make especially nice Christmas Trade.

Call on us if in need of anything for Gentlemen's Wear.

HOWARD & JONES.

## GEORGE ASH, THE CLOTHIER,

Having replenished his stock of Clothing as in the beginning of the season, he is now offering

THE FINEST STOCK OF CLOTHING EVER EXHIBITED IN ANY ONE STORE IN NEW BERNE.

As we hardly handle any common clothing, but mostly fine and medium goods, we can guarantee almost every garment we sell.

Our line of **Gents' Furnishing Goods** is very attractive, and contains the latest styles and novelties, and will be sold low.

Our **Camel's Hair Undersuits** are special bargains, and peculiarly well adapted for our climate.

A big stock of **Ladies and Gents' Shoes** at all prices. Our \$2.50 Seamless Genuine French Calfskin Congress Gaiters are the best in the country and fully worth \$6.00. A full guarantee given with every pair.

**Calfskin—French Kip—and Cowhide** Boots of astonishing low figures. Our **Wardwell Hand Sewed Opera Boots** are the finest and cheapest Boot ever sold.

Just received, a job lot of fine **Ladies' Walking Jackets**, that will be sold at half price. We sell an all wool Walking Jacket, double breasted and handsomely trimmed, at \$2.50.

A full line of **Dress Goods, Domestic, Shawls, Umbrellas, Notions, Etc.**

Our stock is brand new and handsome, and prices so low that it will pay those who want the value of their money locally.

**GEORGE ASH'S**, Middle street, next to L. H. Cutler's.

Mr. DAVID M. JONES of Beaufort is still with me, and will treat his old friends with his old time cleverness.

I have no connection with any other store.

## K. R. JONES, LOOK HERE! HOUSE KEEPERS.

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 Streets. NEW BERNE, N. C. oct15 dtw

## WANTED!

AN ACTIVE AND RELIABLE PERSON TO REPRESENT A LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Liberal terms and arrangements. Address with references NATIONAL MUTUAL LIFE ASS'N, 1180 F St., Washington, D. C. oct15 dtw

Application for Charter. Application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina at its approaching session for a charter for the New Berne Cotton and Grain Exchange.

JAMES KENDRICK, Secretary. dec 9 20da

**W. H. DEWEY** THE PRACTICAL TONSORIAL ARTIST. Persons in attendance at his Hairdresser and Shaving Saloon at the Gaston House. Satisfaction is assured to those who patronize him.