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the county commissioners will be in tomorrow.

The river mullets in abundance on the streets yesterday.

• Theatrey and that come in occasion-ally only bring \$1.50 per pair.

9) The sold wave flag was flying yester day, and the cold wave itself is here.

The first watermelon of the season was cut at the JOURNAL office yesterday.

The steamer Trent arrived from Trenton yesterday evening with a cargo of cotton.

The subject of book keeping without extra charge will commence in the academy next week. Students should go in promptly on the first day.

We call attention to Mr. W. H. Oliver's insurance card in this issue. He represents some of the oldest and public to attend the services. rongest companies in existence.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Green received yesterday, at their residence on the corner of Hancock and Pollock. A large number of their friends called during the day.

The steamer Carolina leaves tomorrow orning at 9 o'clock for Bell's Ferry. to attend the tournament to be held there on Tuesday.

A gentleman discusses at length the election laws and the action of the canvassing board in this issue and says "to be continued." We do not care to discuss this question as it is likely to go into the courts, but if others want to

discuss it they can do it through the

columns of the JOURNAL at the moderate

price of ten dollars per column.

Turnips. Freeman Eraul Esq., brought in on New Year's day three huge turnips, the largest weighing 51 pounds. He is of the opinion that there is something wrong about the scales of these farmers who report turnips weighing seven. eight and ten pounds, and we agree with him, because we hardly think they can be grown to weigh two pounds more than these he brought.

Personal.

C. R. Thomas, Esq., of Beaufort, is in the city and will leave tomorrow for Raleigh. He is the representative elect of Carteret, and, we predict, will prove one of the most useful members of the House.

Mr. O. Marks' family left yesterday morning for Charleston to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. P. F. Teiser and daughter, of Richmond, Va., are in the city visiting his son, S. F. Teiser.

Church Services To Day.

Baptist Church-Rev. Dr. Theo. Whitfield, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m Seats free and the public cordially in-

vited to attend. Methodist Church-Services in the Methodist church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Crawford. Pews are alike free to

all. Ushers always in the vestibule to

congregation. Presbyterian Church-Services by the

pastor, Rev. L. C. Vass, at 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 3:15 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the

preach at Mechanic Hall today at 11 4:1-16; Matt. 6:5-84. o'clock a, m and 7 p. m. Praver meet-

ing Wednesday night at 7 o'clock. The public are invited to attend these services.

Y. M: C. A. meeting at 5 p m. Dr. J. D. Clark leader.

New Year's Bay In The City.

The first day of 1887 was rather a sloppy but quiet one in the city. The

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

The week of prayer will be observed in the city this week. Services will be supply of honesty and over zeal for held in the Presbyterian church on right has moved them to write and Monday and Tuesday nights; in the publish sundry and unjust statements Methodist church on Wednesday and Thursday nights, and in the Baptist church on Friday and Saturday nights. In order that you may be certain of the case as it really occurred. The concluding service on Sunday night, the 9th inst., will be in the Presbyterian church.

Gospel Hymns will be used at all of these meetings.

The subjects for prayer during the week are as follows:

Sunday, Jan. 2: SERMONS .- "O Thou that hearest prayer, unto Thee shall all flesh come,"-Psalm 65.2.

Monday, Jan. 3: PRAISE.-For rich spiritual blessings; for the long-suffering grace of God; for manifold temporal blessings, private and public; for many tokens of the mighty working of the Holy Ghost, both at home and abroad for the increase of missionary zeal among Jews and Gentiles; for new openings for the spread of the gospel in many lands; for the preservation of peace among the nations.-Psa, 111, Luke 1:67-79; Deut. 32:1-14: Psa 116, I. Chron. 16:1-34; Pss. 107; I Chron 29:9-20

Tuesday, Jan. 4: HUMILIATION. - For personal sins, family sins, and national sins; for the spread of unbelief and atheism in various quarters; for the fearful extent to "which the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye, and the pride of life," still prevail; for the large amount of intemperance, licentiousness, and other forms of immorality; for the formalism of many, and the cold indifference of others; for unseemly divisions and lack of love among those who are brethren in Christ.-Psa. 51; Jerem. 13: 15-27; Philipp. 2:5-16; Ezra 9:1-15; I. Cor. 5; Jude 1-16; I. Cor. 2: 1-10,

Wednesday, Jan. 5: PRAYER FOR THE as evidence. CHURCH -That the people of God may now their high calling and responsi bility; that they may be filled with the the judges of election as herein pro-Spirit, and bring forth the fruit of the vided, furnish a list of names of such Spirit, and labor aggressively for the judges to the sheriff of their county. welcome strangers. All persons are conversion of souls; that grace may be cordially invited to worship with the given to all pastors, teachers and of such appointment upon the said preachers, to proclaim the Word in its judges, and if any person appointed as has been made, seems to have very simplicity and fullness, and that the judge of election shall fail to attend the Lord may open the hearts of men to receive it: that believers may walk in fellowship and holy love, remembering shall be by him sworn before acting. that they are one body in Christ, and

26; Ephes. 1; I. Thess. 1; I. Kings 8:22-Elder Eugene Scott, Adventist, will 36; John 15; 12-21; Luke 6: 17-36; Ephes.

Thursday, Jan. 6: PRAYER FOR FAMI-LIES AND SCHOOLS.—That family love and no longer; and each voter whose only 25 cents. may be sanctified, husbands and wives name may appear registered, and who

walking together as fellow heirs of the shall not be challenged and rejected, grace of life, and training their children shall hand in his ballots to the judges. in the nurture and admonition of the who shall carefully deposit the ballots Lord; that the young may be early in the ballot boxes. drawn to Christ, and kept from the evil that is in the world; that great grace mediately after any election the judges

may be given to all teachers of youth; of election shall deposit the registration that the blessing of God may rest on all books for their respective precincts schools, colleges, universities, and Sun- with the register of deeds of their re-

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chairman of the board shall administer E. W. AMALLW00D EDITOR JOURNAL :- For as much as it to the clerk thereof an OATH or affirmahas pleased some persons whose over tion in the following form: 'You do swear (or affirm) that you will faithfully execute the duties of clerk of this board according to LAW.' The board being thus organized and as to the action of the board of canvassers of this county, I have deemed it proper, most noble editor, to write you

The attention of the very wise and honest critics is respectfully called to as choose to attend open and canvass the revised code of North Carolina, yol and JUDICIALLY determine the returns ume 2, chapter 16, in which the law is laid down under the significant head of "Elections regulated." After describing the powers of the board of county commissioners in appointing polling places, etc., sec. 2678 save: "The board of commissioners for each

county, on or before the first Monday of the month next preceding the month in which each election is held, shall appoint four judges or inspectors of election, two of whom shall be of a different political party, where possible, from the registrars, at each place of holding

election in their respective counties. "The said judges of election shall at-

severally appointed on the day of elec tion, and they together with the registrars for such precinct or township, who shall attend with the registration books, and after being sworn by some justice of the peace, or other person authorized to administer oaths, to conduct the election fairly and impartially according to the constitution and laws of the State, shall open the polls and superintend the same until the close of

shall be entered the name of every person who shall vote, and at the close of the election the judges of election shall certify the same over their proper sig natures, and deposit them with the register of deeds for safe keeping. And said poll-books shall in any trial for illegal or fraudulent voting be received

"The board of commissioners shall immediately after the appointment of who shall within ten days serve notice registrars of such township shall appearat some discreet person to act as such, who

and shall be of the same political party members one of another-John 17:14- as the absent judge or judges. Section 2685 also says:

'The polls shall be opened on the day Mashed strawberry ribbons soll a of election from seven o'clock in the morning until sunset of the same day bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for

Section 2686 goes on to say that: Im

ready for business, Section 2694 instructs them thus: "The board of county canvassers shall at their said meeting in the presence of the sheriff and of such electors

and make abstracts, stating the number of LEGAL ballots cast in each precinct for each office, the name of each person voted for, and the number of votes given to each person for each different office PRICE AND QUALITY. And Section 2697 says

Each abstract of the votes cast for uch officers as the county alone elects shall contain an accurate statement of all the persons voted for and the number of legal votes cast for each.

And Section 2699 says "The person having the greatest tum er of legal votes for any office is to be Truckers, Merchants, The person having the greatest numdeclared elected.

But Section 2700 clinches the matter U these words

When the beard of county canvase rs shall have thus completed the comparison of the polls, they shall determine he result of the election in their county or all persons voted for and proclaim the same at the court house door, with he number of votes cast for each Now eir, if the board of canvassers have no power to decide what are legal FOR SALE CHEAP! votes and what are legal returns, what are they to judicially determine? If Do not buy, nor i they are to merely receive and count ments before seeing

the votes as sent in with no regulate the legality of the balloting or reason ng of the votes their duties are ternal and not judical but the law they shall judicially determine the resuit and until that law is repealed no man who regards his oath can count or

enumerate votes illegally cast or illegally brought before him. The board of canvassers of Craven ounty at the late election are the peers of any electors in this or any other county for integrity, intelligence and all that makes up the character of an honest man either politically or in pri vate life, and attacks upon them such also attacked the Supreme courts of both this State and the United States for decisions made by those exalted tribunale.

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the election.

"They shall keep poll books in which

The treatment of Trent Council, No. 411, Royal Arcanum, received a check last night for three thousand dollars, the amount of the benent tone. Barker, wile and children of Dr, W. H. Barker, decessed. of the benefit fund due the

Mr. J. W. Stewart calls attention to his time horses, mules and burgies in son factions, or the straight-outs and each this issue. He proposes to conduct his condition is conduct his condition the straight outs and each business on a fair, square basis and give value for the money he receives. He has a fine bunch of horses and mules ust received.

who has not filed a bond as such. The JOURNAL is not the proper authority to

ther dear besides this one, but he took

We are indebted to Mr. Geo. F. M. Dall for a remarkable specimen of dinner. o coalition It is a clam, an and barnacic all closely joined ser, each in his own party dis-renew, but working in a harmon-2d, 1886.

need for

colored people gathered in good numbers to celebrate the Emancipation Proclamation, and our merchants in consequence thereof enjoyed a good New Year's trade.

The Proclamation was more thoroughly celebrated than at any previous New Year's day. The Hahn and Stim- Isaiah 12. coalitionists, each celebrated and each had a good large crowd. The coalitionists, after the street parade, with the their exercises at the theatre, the place

We have a communication asking us where the Hahn candidates were nomito answer why the tax collector should nated last summer. The straight-outs continue to pay over monies to D. N. after their parade with the Elm City after their parade with the Elm City Kilburn who was not declared elected, Band to furnish music, closed their converts may be comforted, upheld, who has not been sworn as treasurer and exercises at Stanly Hall, the place where guided and made useful; that the hearts of the unconverted may be considered to coalition was born.

after the exercises, at the residence of Councilman V. A. Crawford, who gen-

tiffes: "I can recommend Electric iters as the very best remedy. Every the sold has given palled . One man took siz b was cured of rhoumatism of te ianding." Abraham Hare, d Beliville, Obio. affirms: "The b

day schools; for all Christian Associa- spective counties. tions of young men and young women: for the protection of woman and the

Friday, Jan . 7: PRAYER FOR MISSIONS. -That the Church of Christ may recognize the glory of the commission to "preach the gospel to every creature," and may feel it a privilege to make sac-Star Band to furnish the music, closed rifices that it may be fulfilled; that far greater zeal for the divine glory, and far more pity for the perishing may be imparted by the Hely Ghost to all the people of God; that faithful laborers may be greatly multiplied, and that all of the unconverted may be opened to receive the truth; that Christian mis-In the evening the crowd from both sionaries may be favorably received by A Baser Thom. Carraway returned yesterday from a boliday bunt, bearing on his shoulder a venison ham of Quito heavy wught. Thom, says they killed other days beides this one but be that

will wager a frash watermelon rind that a good two-legged Democratic colored man can outrun them both. We are informed that a large number of the coalition crowd were entertained, form in 22-35; Isa. 35; Socies. 11; Isa. 49:1-16; Acta 10:84-48.

Conncilman V. A. Crawford, who generously gave them a good New Year's dinner. List of Letters Remaining in the Postoffice at New d barnacie all closely joined such in his own party dis but working in a harmon-ion. Mr. Uriah Robinson, of Quarters, brought them up the dynamic dynamic of the straight wall on Craven street was arday by Capt. R. H. Hillon Batton angine, and O. K. Ik is over eighty of formines an inaxhanat-of water. Why not place a traine dynamic dynamic of the straight of water. Why not place a osen 14.

Section 2688 further says, after de scribing the ballot boxes and how fur home, the reformation of fallen men nished. (The said ballot boxes shall be and women and the equalizing of the kept by the judges of election for the scale of morality for both sexes; for all use of their several election preciaci who are in affliction.-Deut. 6:1-15; respectively. And said judges of elec Prov. 4; Ephes. 6:1-18; I. Chron. 17:16- tion, before the votiny begins, shall ene 27; II. Tim. 1:1-14; Coloss. 3:12-25; fully examine the ballot boxer and see that there is nothing in them.

In section 2690 it is laid down tim the JUDGES of election in each township. ward or precinct shall appoint one their number to attend the meeting of the board of county canvassers, as a member thereof, and shall deliver to the member who shall have been so appointed the original return or statement of the result of the election in such township, ward or precinct, and the members of the several township, ward or precinct boards of election, who shall have been so appointed shall attend the meeting of the board of county canvass ers for such election in the county in which they shall have been appointed as members thereof.

The 2691st section says:

The members of the several boards of election to whom the original returns or statements of the result of the election in the precincts, wards or town-ships to which they respectively belong shall have been delivered as directed in the preceding section, shall constitute the board of county canvassers for such election in the county in. which such precinct, ward or township shall be situated; and the register of deeds of such county shall be the cierk of such board unless the board shall elect another person in his place." While section 2693 tells us that:

"A majority of the number of the several precinct boards of election who shall have been appointed to attend the meeting of the board of county canvassers as members thereof shall constitute such board."

Section 2698 directs that:

"The board of county canvassers shall meet on the second day next after every election at twelve o'clock noon of that day, at the court house of the county, and at that hour without delay, the members of such board who shall be members of such board who shall be then present, shall choose one of their number, who shall be the chairman. Provided the board of county canvase-ers of Carteret, Hyde and Dare shall meet on the seventh day after the elec-tion: and as soon as such chairman shall be spoointed, he shall administer to each of the other members, and each of the other members shall take an tion in the followin

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