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## LOCAL NEWS.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

**OFFER for sale a lot of Nice Oranges,** just received from West Indies. C. E. SLOVER.

**ORANGES! ORANGES!**—A nice lot, ex schooner Melvin, from West Indies. Dealers and families supplied at low prices at Mrs. E. B. Ellis' Coal Yard. \$1 25

**WOOD! WOOD!**—Dry Pine Wood, 10 cents per load, delivered any where in city. W. P. BURRUS & CO.

**THE cakes and crackers are the best,** at JOHN DUNN'S.

**CIGARS**—Large lot for sale on commission. Cheap for cash. feb 21 R. N. DUFFY.

**ANOVELTY—ROCKAWAY Oyster** Crackers at JOHN DUNN'S.

**FERTILIZERS** for Truckers and Cotton Planters at GEO. ALLEN & CO.

**CHOICE N. C. Hams** at 124 cents per pound at A. MILLER'S.

**REDMOND'S** Ginger Ale, Lemon Soda, etc., equal to imported. JAMES REDMOND.

**TRUCKER'S** Seed Peas, Beans and Potatoes at GEO. ALLEN & CO.

**GARRETT'S** Medoc Vineyard Cognac and Wines for sale, at Manufacturer's prices, by JAMES REDMOND.

**DIRECT** importation of French Brandy and Holland Gin—arrived in bond and duties paid at Custom House in New Berne, guaranteeing genuine goods for sale. JAS. REDMOND.

**PURE** Liquors and Wines for Medicinal and other uses, at wholesale. JAMES REDMOND.

**REPAIRING** of China and Bricks—done by CLARKE & MORGAN, Taxidermists, East Front st. New Berne, Jan. 14, 1888. law 3m

A lot of oranges, part of the schooner Melvin's cargo, arrived from Morehead City yesterday and are offered for sale. See notice.

Tomorrow being a national holiday the banks, Cotton Exchange, etc., will be closed in honor of the birthday of General George Washington.

The Superior court is about drawing to a close. The calendar set for Wednesday has been moved up and it is hoped to get through with it today.

Masters H. D. Wood & Bro., were shipping on yesterday to an order from Augusta, Ga., two coops of beautiful chickens, a pair of buff Cochins and two pairs of Pekin bantams. They were elegant fowls and these young gentlemen have others left equally as fine.

Special trains for Rev. Mr. Pearson's meetings will be run over the A. & N. C. R. R. from Goldsboro on the 23d, 24th and 25th instant and from Morehead City on the 23d and March 1st. This arrangement offers persons along the line the opportunity of attending the morning and night services and return the same day.

**Steamer Movements.**  
The *Eagle* and *Vesper* of the E. C. D. line arrived Sunday with full freights and being promptly discharged the *Eagle* sailed yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and the *Vesper* at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon each taking out cotton, lumber and general merchandise. The *Eagle* will arrive Wednesday morning.

**Death of Doctor F. M. Bountree.**  
News was received in this city on Sunday of the death of Dr. F. M. Bountree which occurred at his residence near Kinston on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. He was a man of prominence in the counties of Lenoir and Greene which he represented in the Senate of the General Assembly of 1884-'85, and was a physician of extensive practice. His death will be severely felt by many warm friends and relatives in this entire section.

**Public Building.**  
A telegram from Hon. F. M. Simmons yesterday evening announced the gratifying news that the House Committee on public buildings had directed a favorable report to be made on the bill appropriating \$75,000 for a public building for New Berne.

The measure having thus got an early start it is hoped it will go through at this session. If not passed at this session it will be in good shape for the next. But we hope Mr. Simmons will press the matter, as we know he will, through this session. He ought to have no trouble in getting through the appropriation for the road to the National Cemetery.

**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. mac 21 50th and wly

**Rev. Mr. Pearson's Meetings. The Work Begun.**

Sunday morning was bright, beautiful and pleasant. Long before the church bells sounded the hour for church services, people were seen slowly wending their way to the Presbyterian Church where the great evangelist, Mr. Pearson was to begin his work in New Berne. Every available space had been provided with chairs so that the seating capacity of the building had been increased about two hundred. When the house was well filled and precisely at 11 o'clock, a slender form about five feet ten inches high, black hair, pallid countenance entered the church accompanied by Rev. Dr. Vass and Rev. H. W. Battle. (Rev. Mr. Crawford being at the M. E. Church to hold services for the overflow which made up a good number) and as he stepped upon the platform and advanced to the minister's stand was at once recognized as Mr. Pearson. All eyes were riveted upon him as he announced in a smooth, shrill voice, "Praise 138 Gospel Hymns."

He was glad to have a choir, but did not want it to monopolize the music. The object of music was to glorify God and all should join in, the choir should only lead. He cared not much for the artistic part, but wanted more religion in the singing. He began reading the hymn, "I am Thine O Lord," here he paused to remark, "that a great many members of the churches could not say whether or not they are the Lord's ask them and they would finally wind up the answer by saying they hope they belong to the Lord. It is a question that you all should settle right now."

The hymn was led by the choir, the congregation joining in. Dr. Vass being called on offered up a short, fervent prayer, after which the preacher announced "Praise 282, 'Wonderful Words of Life.'" In reading this hymn he remarked that one of the wonderful things about the Word of God is that it never wears out, never grows old, never nausates; that for ten years he had studied this word and the more he studied it the sweeter the consolation and comfort he obtained. After this song he read from the 2nd chapter of the epistle of James beginning at the 14th verse. After this an earnest prayer was offered, followed by the hymn, "To the Work."

He announced that he would talk Faith, Works and Justification. He was aware of the fact that this subject had been the ground of considerable controversy, but Heaven was too high and hell too low, and souls too precious to split hairs on controversies. There was an element of truth and error in the positions, assumed by both sides in the controversy but James and Paul never contradicted each other, they run in great parallel lines of truth but never crossed each other. The Word of God is the wheat from the chaff and he proposed to settle everything by the Word of God. He would discuss, "1st. How are we justified in God's sight."

2nd. How are we justified in man's sight.

3rd. What is the connection between Faith and Works.

Now to the law and the testimony. We will not undertake a synopsis of the sermon. The propositions laid down were discussed in a plain, simple, practical manner, without any attempt at oratory, but the arguments were forceful, logical and conclusive. He pointed out clearly and in a striking and simple manner that a professing Christian who did not work, who bore no fruit, was a farce, was like faith without works—dead.

At the close of the sermon and after prayer by Rev. H. W. Battle, he announced that the preaching would begin every day at 11 o'clock, and when he said eleven he did not mean ten minutes after 12. He proposed to run the meetings on business principles, to begin precisely at the hour mentioned so that the business men would know what time to attend. He did not propose to do this work on a slipshod plan; this was one thing in which he would be like the tide, wait for no man.

At night the church was packed long before the hour of meeting. The preliminary services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Crawford. At 8 o'clock Rev. Mr. Pearson arrived and went straight to business. He called for the singing of hymn 79, Gospel Hymns, "What Shall the Harvest Be." He expected to talk about sowing and reaping and wanted that hymn sung. Before singing he repeated the announcements of the morning, and stated that as the weather was a little threatening there may be some dry weather. Christians who doubted whether the meetings would be held if the weather was disagreeable. He wanted it distinctly understood that nothing but a first class cyclone would stop these meetings, if he was able to stand

he would be there. After singing two verses of the hymn, and after a short, earnest prayer the text was announced: "Be not deceived: God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

The arguments deduced from this text and illustrations given to prove the propositions that the reaping will surely follow the sowing; that the harvest will be of the same quality of the seed sown, and the reaping will be in excess of sowing, were powerful and striking and carried conviction to many hearts.

At the after-meeting held at the M. E. Church a large crowd was present. In response to an invitation six or eight went forward as penitents and some thirty or more professing Christians renewed their vows and promised to become workers in the Lord's vineyard. Monday morning at 11 o'clock a "Bible Reading" was held at which a large number were in attendance, and were greatly edified in how to study the Bible.

At night the church was again packed. The preliminary services were conducted by Rev. H. W. Battle. Rev. Mr. Pearson arrived precisely at 8 o'clock, and after explaining that he could not accept the many invitations to dine and take tea, not that he was not social or did not like to eat, but because he was engaged in work that consumed all of his time, he announced that he would talk upon Regeneration. "Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God." From this text the subject was discussed the Scriptures being relied upon to prove every proposition. At the after meeting much interest was manifested.

This remarkable preacher seems to be thoroughly consecrated to God and the work of preaching the Word. His reliance is upon the Word and the influence of the Holy Spirit. He is thoroughly familiar with the scriptures, is apt to teach, powerful in argument, bold in pointing out the sins of men, withering in his denunciation of hypocrites, yet gentle, and persuasive. The simplicity of his style and the earnestness which he pleads for Christ draws the hearer to him. He is capable of doing a vast amount of good in bringing Christians together and to work upon a common ground.

**Meeting of Fair Committee.**  
A meeting of the various Fair Committees was held at the Graded School building yesterday to further arrangements for the coming Fair.

The meeting was called to order by the President of the Association. Several propositions asking for space for exhibitors were referred to the Committee of Arrangements.

A resolution was adopted instructing the Committee of Arrangements to allow no gambling concern on the grounds or in the buildings during the Fair.

The thanks of the Association were tendered to Geo. H. White, Esq., for the use of the lots adjoining the Academy grounds.

The matter of obtaining the High School building was referred to the Committee of Arrangements with power to act.

After considerable discussion as to the work of the various committees, the Committee on Premiums was authorized to offer \$200 in cash as premiums for various exhibits. This is outside of the special premiums that have been and will be offered. The Committee on Advertising and Printing was authorized to expend \$150. The Committee of Arrangements was authorized to expend \$200 if necessary. The Committee on Amusements was authorized to expend \$75. The Committee on Game was authorized to expend \$25 in arranging for that exhibit.

The question as to whether exhibitors should be admitted free was referred to the Committee of Arrangements. The price of admission was fixed at twenty-five cents for adults; fifteen cents for children.

Gen. R. Ransom was made chairman of the Committee on Stock Exhibit in place of Mr. Wm. Dunn, who asked to be excused from the duties of chairman.

Mr. George Moulton was made chairman of Committee on Taxidermy Work in place of S. W. Smallwood, who asked to be excused from the duties of chairman.

Members of committees were allowed to purchase season tickets for admission at \$1 each.

J. E. Willis was authorized to rent headquarters for Bureau of Information.

The Chairman of the Committee on Premiums was requested to call the chairman of each of other committees together at once and prepare the premium list.

Mr. O. Reitzman was authorized to have the season tickets printed at once and put on sale. The meeting adjourned.

**First Anniversary.**

The Eastern Carolina Dispatch celebrated its first anniversary yesterday by unloading from the ships, the *Eagle* and *Vesper* (both of which arrived on Sunday) about six hundred tons of freight principally general merchandise.

The pronounced success of this line in the first year of its existence is flattering to our section as well as gratifying to its managers as it clearly indicates the existence of plenty of room here and hereabouts for new enterprises of whatever character. The E. C. D. entered a field that was supposed to be fully occupied by those excellent lines, the Old Dominion and Clyde, but results have shown that good service and proper attention to business will always make room and succeed though failure be predicted. This line is already an assured success, and will no doubt in the future perform a prominent part in serving this section with first class freight and we hope passenger facilities. Just at present its carrying capacity is fully taxed the south bound freights being very large, but by the constant running of its boats accumulations are prevented and all freights are promptly forwarded.

**County Commissioners' Proceedings.**  
A special meeting of the board of county commissioners was held at the court house on Saturday Feb. 18th. Present James A. Bryan, Wm. G. Brinson, Wm. M. Wain and Samuel W. Latham.

On motion of Commissioner Brinson the order passed at a former meeting to allow the sheriff to receive in payment of taxes touches issued in the year 1887, was rescinded.

County bonds to the amount of six thousand and five hundred dollars were presented by the treasurer which had been purchased with the sinking fund and on motion of Commissioner Watson and Latham were appointed to destroy the same which they did in the presence of the board by burning.

Taxes charged to Town E. M. Smith on lot on Elm street valued at \$2000 were remitted on account of error.

Wm. E. E. Esq. one of the tax assessors of No. 1 township was ordered to be notified to return to the board the abstracts of taxables returned to him by the taxpayers in said township.

The matter of keeping rights at all the bridges over navigable streams in the county was referred to Commissioner Brinson with power to act.

On motion of Commissioner Watson, Rev. Alexander Ross was allowed five dollars for services at the poor house in the past. Commissioner Brinson voted against the adoption of the motion.

The committee composed of W. G. Brinson and the members of No. 8 township to whom was referred the matter of Mrs. Celia Fulford for reduction of valuation of property reported that they had reduced the same from \$1,250 to \$1,000.

The time for setting county taxes by the sheriff was extended to the 1st Monday in March next.

The chairman reported that he had received \$50 from the U. S. Government for use of court house for one term of district court and that he had turned the same over to Treasurer Patterson. He further reported that Sheriff Brinson had turned over the full amount of the sinking fund levied for the year 1887. Board adjourned.

**Annual Parade of the New Berne Fire Department, February 22d, 1888.**

1. New Berne Steam Fire Co. Band.  
2. Chief and Assistant Engineers.  
3. New Berne Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1.  
4. Atlantic Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1.  
5. Excelsior Hose Co. No. 1.  
6. Ellis Hose Co.  
7. New Berne Star Band.  
8. Rough and Ready Fire Co.  
9. Reliance Fire Co.  
Companies will assemble at corner of Broad and Middle streets at 2 p. m. sharp.

**LINE OF MARCH.**  
Up Broad st. to Metcalf countermarch down Broad to East Front, down East Front to Pollock, up Pollock to Craven, down Craven to South Front, up South Front to Middle, up Middle to junction of Craven, down Craven to Pollock, up Pollock to George, up George to Broad, down Broad to Middle when parade will be dismissed.

E. M. PAVIE, Chief Engineer.

S. B. WATERS, Secretary.

**- DON'T EXPERIMENT.**

You cannot afford to waste time in experimenting when your lungs are in danger. Consumption always seems, at first only a cold. Do not permit any dealer to impose upon you with some cheap imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, but be sure you get the genuine. Because he can make more profit he may tell you he has something just as good, or just the same. Don't be deceived, but insist upon getting Dr. King's New Discovery, which is guaranteed to give relief in all throat, lung and chest affections. Trial bottles free at R. N. Duffy's drug store. Large bottles \$1.

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

**The Eighteenth Annual Grand Lodge of North Carolina.**

The Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias closed its labors at Greensboro on Wednesday. The next session will be held at Salisbury on the second Tuesday in June, 1889.

The following officers were installed for the ensuing year:  
Past Grand Chancellor—Nathan O'Berry, Goldsboro.  
Grand Chancellor—Thos. D. Meares, Wilmington.  
Grand Vice Chancellor—C. W. Lambert, Raleigh.  
Grand Prelate—C. D. Benbow, Greensboro.

Grand Master at Arms—R. T. Scanlin, Fayetteville.  
Grand Keeper of Records and Seal—John L. Dudley, Wilmington.  
Grand Master at Arms—E. M. Pavie, New Berne.  
Grand Inner Guard—H. J. Marsh, Salisbury.  
Grand Outer Guard—E. G. Porter, Goldsboro.

The representatives to the Supreme Lodge of the World, the next session of which convenes in Cincinnati, the second Tuesday in June next, are Messrs J. A. Bonitz, of Wilmington and E. G. Harrell, of Raleigh.

Among the business of greatest importance transacted was the revision and adoption of new constitution and laws for the grand and subordinate lodges.

The present condition of the order and its outlook for the future is a considerable increase in the order, under the Grand Chancellorship of Mr. Meares. Efforts are also being made to establish Uniform Division in Wilmington and Raleigh, by Messrs. Bonitz and Harrell, both of whom are side de camps on Maj. Gen. Hartranft's staff.

A pleasant feature of the session was a ball and banquet given by the Pythians of Greensboro complimentary to the Grand Lodge—Wm. Messenger.

**Attention Atlantics.**

You are hereby notified to meet at your Engine House tonight at 7 45 o'clock to consider the matter of the annual parade and other business of importance.

By order of foreman Wm. Ellis.

JAN. W. WATERS, Sec. Atlantic S. F. E. Co. No. 1.

**Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Month ending Feb. 10, 1888.**

RECEIPTS.	
Jan. 7	To balance on hand \$85.36
" 14	From Tax Collector 839.83
" 21	" " 340.55
" 28	" " 213.00
" 28	market rent 34.50
" 6	Tax Collector 177.11
	\$1,390.35

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

Feb. 10	By City of Williams \$1.50
" R. H. Hilton 30.00	
" N. S. Richardson 6.00	
" Allen Atkinson 2.00	
" S. Cook & Sons 7.75	
" Price Hyman 4.50	
" Jonas McDaniel 8.83	
" Geo. Henderson 15.00	
" J. P. C. Davis 6.75	
" J. A. Simpson 50.00	
" J. C. Green 3.00	
" W. N. Russ 19.22	
" Clark & Clark 10.00	
" Richardson & Son 8.00	
" F. C. Small 20.00	
" Trent Lumber Mills 13.00	
" " 5.48	
" New Berne Academy 8.00	
" " 8.00	
" A. W. Cook 55.00	
" Nathan Kinsey 8.00	
" Rod. Squires 3.00	
" Aaron Ferebee 2.00	
" J. H. Hooks 1.00	
" W. S. Phillips 3.05	
" P. Salter 4.50	
" J. H. Crabtree & Co. 38.35	
" Geo. Hill 6.00	
" New Berne Journal 5.00	
" W. C. Fields 25.00	
" Atlantic engine driver 24.00	
" J. C. Green 30.00	
" Merritt Whitney 5.00	
" " 7.75	
" W. N. Russ 10.00	
" J. B. Earnest 30.00	
" New Berne engine driver 24.00	
" J. E. Gaskill 30.00	
" Robt. Williams 20.00	
" Moses T. Roberts 30.00	
" Geo. Broadstreet 30.00	
" J. V. Williams 16.66	
" Nathan Kinsey 16.66	
" Aaron Ferebee 16.66	
" Rod. Squires 20.61	
" F. C. Small 20.24	
" R. H. Hilton 25.00	
" Jno. C. Green 25.00	
By note Button Eng. Co. 528.06	
Balance 60.08	
\$1,390.35	

J. V. WILLIAMS, City Treas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th February, 1888.

W. G. BRINSON, J. P.

**A SOUND LEGAL OPINION.**

E. Bainbridge Munday, Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Tex., says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: "He positively believed he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters."

This great remedy will ward off as well as cure all malarial diseases, and for all kidney, liver and stomach disorders stands unequalled. Price 50c. and \$1 at R. N. Duffy's drug store.

**Notice.**

CITY TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

Feb. 17, 1888.

On and after March 20th, 1888, I shall be compelled to collect all unpaid city taxes by distraint.

Please come forward and settle your taxes and save cost.

SILAS FULCHER, City Tax Collector.

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**New Lot of Stock.**

Capt. W. A. Enloe has received two

car loads of North Carolina mules and

horses which he will sell at rock bottom

prices for cash, at Mrs. Smith's lot on

Middle street

New Berne, Feb. 16.

**H. H. TOOKER,**

WHOLESALE DEALER IN

**FISH AND OYSTERS,**

NEW BERNE, N. C.

Will give strict attention to orders, and fill the same upon best terms. 1103-1104

**OWEN H. GUION,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Rooms—South Front street, four doors west of Craven. 1103-1104

**Meeting of Committees.**

The Premium Committee and the chairman of the other Fair Committees are requested to meet at the Custom House this afternoon at three o'clock. WILLIAM H. OLIVER.

**Meeting of Committee on Fine Arts and Fancy Work.**

A meeting of the above committee is called this (Tuesday) afternoon at half-past 5 o'clock at Mrs. John Hughes. Feb. 21, 1888. M. L. ALLEN, Chairman.

**Portraits.**

In oil or crayon from life or small pictures done by Miss Aurora Mace, who is teaching drawing and painting by latest methods at her residence on Johnston street. janildf.

**MARRIED.**

At home near the Comfort, Hyde county on Tuesday evening February 14th by the bride's father, Dr. William Cobb Whitfield, late of Seven Springs, Lenoir county, and Miss Annie Watson Barber, youngest daughter of Rev. S. S. Barber.

Many were the kind wishes and hearty congratulations heaped upon the interesting and happy young couple at the hymeneal altar. Long may it be ere any dark cloud of sorrow shall cast its blighting shadow upon their sunny pathway through life.

**COMMERCIAL.**

**COTTON MARKET.**

New York Feb. 20, 1888. A. M.—Futures—upheld steady. Sales of 8,000 bales.

	Feb. 20	Aug. 10	72
March	10.62	September	10.72
April	10.62	October	9.91
May	10.62	November	9.82
June	10.62	December	9.92
July	10.62	January	9.90

New Berne market steady. Sales of 17 bales at 2 1/2c.

**DOMESTIC MARKETS.**

Flour—60 lb. bags—per bushel 47c. 1/2c. 4c. Rice—medium—\$1.00 to \$1.10 in sacks. Corn—steady 47c. 1/2c. 4c. Hides—No. 1—\$1.00 per hundred. Seed cotton—\$3.00 per hundred. Turkeys—\$1.00 to \$2.00 per pair. TURKEYS—Hens 8c. to 10c. \$1.80 to \$2.00.

**GRAIN.**

OATS—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

WHEAT—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

BARLEY—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

POULTRY—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

EGGS—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

APPLES—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

POTATOES—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

PEAS—No. 1—\$1.00 per bushel.

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