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LOCAL NEWS.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

A BAY MULE for sale by GEO. ALLEN & Co.

ATTENTION HOUSEKEEPERS. If you wish something extra fine, try my new crop spring Butter; it is superior to any ever sold in this market 35c. per lb. My Sugar Cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast strips are delicious; try them 200 barrels more of Wylie, Smith's Royal Crown Flour, the finest in the world, just received, which I am selling in ten pound lots at 3 cts per lb. All my goods are extra fine and I sell them cheap. I have got the trade a d I am going to keep it. Save money by remembering my motto: Small profits and quick sales. Spend your money with The Grocer, a23 1m E. B. HACKBURN.

WE are requested to state that the only Cash Store in New Berne is directly opposite Watson & Daniels' Ice House on Middle street, at Humphrey & Howard's old stand.

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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.

The grand jury of the District Court was discharged yesterday evening.

H. B. Duffy gives notice of his extra large stock of goods and calls attention to the fact that he is agent for Thos. M. Holt's Alamance plaids.

Another extension front engine was turned out of the shops of the A. & N. C. R. yesterday and made a trial trip up the road and proved O. K.

We are requested to announce that the closing exercises of the colored graded school will be held at the theatre next Tuesday night beginning at 8 o'clock.

Large truck cars from the Pennsylvania railroad are to be seen on the A. & N. C. R. now. They are well ventilated and also provided with heaters so as to keep the cars one temperature.

Mr. F. S. Koonce of Jones county, was in the city yesterday with a fine beef and cotton. A sample of butter was also sent down by Mrs. Koonce which in richness of color and sweetness of taste excelled any Northern butter.

District Attorney Busbee was, by common consent, adjudged a good letter reader yesterday. He was complimented by the ladies, many of whom occupied the galeries during the day, for the clearness and distinctness of his articulation.

Steamer Movements.

The Eaglet of the E. C. D. line sailed yesterday with a cargo of lumber, cotton and several hundred boxes of peas. The Eaglet of this line will arrive today.

Off For Boston.

Roscoe Nunn, who has for several years been a typo in the JOURNAL office, but recently of the New Berne High School, left Friday morning for Boston, where he will enter the Conservatory of Music.

New Berne High School May-Day Picnic.

The students of the New Berne High School have selected the following representatives for their May-Day Picnic, to be held next Friday:

Queen, Miss Eula Nunn; Maids of Honor, Misses Bertha Cutler, Ada Burrus, Lottie Hubbs, Julia Bryan, Maria Cox, Stella Roberts, Kate Bryan and Etta Willis; Crowner, John E. Thomas; Herald, S. M. Brinson; Garland Bearer, Miss Emma Jones; Sceptre Bearer, John Seymour.

The Theatre Last Night.

The Armstrong & Fitzpatrick Merry Makers and Bell Ringers, appeared last night before a large and well pleased audience.

The bell ringing was fine and the vocal music very good. Miss Beebe's solos were highly appreciated, and Mr. Fitzpatrick's comic songs brought rounds of applause.

Baby Laura, Miss Jennie and Master Claude greatly pleased all present, but the best of all were the cornet solos by Mlle. Lizetta. The troupe is a good one and furnish a fine evening's entertainment.

U. S. District Court.

Court convened at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

The case of U. S. vs. Jos. W. Watson and Wm. M. Watson, jr., for using the mails for fraudulent purposes was called, and after some delay was proceeded with. A huge pile of letters were introduced, admitted to be in the hand-writing of one or the other of the defendants, which were read alternately by the Attorney Busbee and Assistant Peebles. The purport of these letters were simply orders for goods of various descriptions, and concerning goods that had been ordered. George H. Roberts cashier of the National Bank of New Berne, was introduced in reference to drafts against the defendants that had been sent for collection. Pending his examination court took a recess to 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Upon the reassembling of the court, Clement Manly, Esq., of counsel for the defendants, arose and stated that while he with the other counsel had endeavored, with a proper regard for the liberty of citizens, done their duty in this case, and still thought that a conviction could not be secured under this bill of indictment, yet they thought a bill would be drawn under which they would be convicted, the defendadts therefore would not contend any longer but submit to a verdict of guilty and throw themselves upon the mercy of the court. Mr. Manly then in a very touching manner appealed to the court to be as lenient as it possibly could under the circumstances. He alluded to the character heretofore sustained by the defendants and the high character of their family connections. Hon. C. C. Clark followed in a very feeling appeal for the young men and made a special effort for the younger one, Wm. M. Watson, jr., who, he said, acted more in the capacity of a clerk in the business and had nothing to do with the correspondence of the firm or ordering goods. Jos. W. Watson verified this in a sworn statement before His Honor.

Attorney Busbee said the fact that the defendants had submitted and thrown themselves upon the mercy of the court and while he had no doubt of conviction under the present bill of indictment, he was willing to suspend judgment in one case for which they were not on trial, and leave it with the court to impose such punishment in the other case as it thought proper. Judge Seymour, in passing sentence spoke of the effects the crime which had been proven against the defendants on the community. It injured men engaged in business because it destroyed competition, and the community that tolerated it would lose its credit and its people would gain the reputation of being dishonest. Knowing the effects of the crime he hardly felt that he was doing justice in being as lenient as he had made up his mind to be. The disgrace of being imprisoned had been suggested to him, but to his mind the disgrace was not in being imprisoned but in committing the crime which caused the imprisonment. The sentene was that each of the defendants be imprisoned for thirty days and pay a fine of ten dollars and cost. In the second case a plea of guilty was entered and judgment was suspended on payment of cost.

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When J. E. Hudson, indicted for the same offense, was called he failed to answer. His counsel, Mr. L. J. Moore, stated that he had gone to the country under the impression that the first cases would consume the entire day, but would be back in the evening. Court took a recess to 8:30 p. m. at which time Mr. Hudson again failed to appear and a recess was taken until 7:45 this morning.

Who Is To Be Our Next Governor?

EDITOR JOURNAL—In the approaching gubernatorial campaign the people of the East must have a candidate who represents their wishes and their interests. Such a man we will have; and be it distinctly understood that no candidate who does not feel an interest in our prosperity and is not disposed to lend us a helping hand, will get our support. We do not want any man for Governor who is dominated by railroad rings and cliques; for such a man we will not vote. With a Governor of that kind our condition will remain as it is, namely, ruled to our financial ruin. We must have our Chief Magistrate friendly to us. Now the question arises, who is the best man for us? We think Steadman. He is an able man, and entirely independent of all railroad rings and cliques. He knows our wants and necessities, and we think, when Governor, will take into favorable consideration our just demands. We want nothing but what is right—that we will have. Did you ever think of it, Mr. Editor, the East holds the key that will unlock the political future, and we are all one way in our thoughts and in our demands. We have been badly treated, and do not intend to submit any longer with the lamb-like patience we have heretofore exhibited. In a word, we want no Governor who will be against us. DEMOCRAT.

The Work of the District Court.

The term of the District Court just closed has been one of unusual importance. Several cases have been tried, and the dispositeon made of them will doubtless have a salutary effect on the communities where the offenses were committed.

The conviction of one case of passing counterfeit coin from a neighborhood in Duplin county where the business of counterfeiting was once carried on with considerable skill and success, will, as the counterfeiters themselves have been convicted heretofore, perhaps put an end to that business in that community.

The conviction and sentence of two illicit distillers, from the hot bed of the business in the section of Lenoir county where it has been carried on for several years, will doubtless check the business in that section.

But the most important cases disposed of were those in regard to using the mails for fraudulent purposes. It is perhaps the first conviction of the kind, surely in this section, ever made under section 5480 of the Revised Statutes of the U. S., and brings within the purview of that statute offences that were thought to lie wholly within the jurisdiction of the State courts. These cases do not construe the statute as meaning that a man has committed an offense by ordering goods through the mails and fails to pay for them. But if a scheme is gotten up with the intent to defraud another out of his goods, and the mails are used for the purpose of carrying out the scheme, the party violates the section cited and is subject to indictment.

Since the action for libel was begun against the Kinston correspondent of the JOURNAL by some of these young men engaged in thus using the mails, postoffice inspector W. H. Barclay has diligently worked up the cases, and the vigor and determination of the District Attorney and the Assistant, drew a net around the offenders before they were aware of it. The speedy manner in which the work has been done is bound to be of incalculable benefit to the community.

Raleigh Political Mathematics.

The methods by which the Raleigh politicians arrive at the conclusion that their candidate, Judge Fowle, is in the lead for the nomination for Governor, whilst entirely innocent, and to them most pleasant temporarily, can only end in disaster. The News and Observer has recently published a list of what it calls preferences, as expressed by counties, and this political learning, also called "Some Straws," is published for the information of provincal Democrats. It seems that the News and Observer sent an inquiry to the Chairmen of the Board of Commissioners of the different counties, asking them what they believed to be the preference of the people in their respective counties for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, and received answers from about fifty counties, as stated by that paper, and from these answers it places the vote of Fowle at 157, and Stedman at 117. Be it remembered that there will be 993 votes, or thereabouts, in the next State Convention, and the estimate furnished by the News and Observer, even if entirely correct, as far as it went, would be a very poor index from which to arrive at a probable conclusion as to who would be nominated, Stedman or Fowle, if the race should, be entirely between them, which at the present time is far from being a fact. But just to show how dismal a failure these "Straws" will prove, let the News and Observer add to its list the following counties, which are entirely omitted as not heard from, viz: Third District—Wayne, Duplin, Samson and Cumberland; Sixth District—Brunswick, Richmond, Anson and Union, and then calculate, if by any process known even to the far-reaching calculations of those who manage politics in our modest capital, it can figure Fowle anywhere ahead of Stedman in the race. If these eight counties do not suffice we can furnish a great many more, which we think will at least satisfy our friends that they are making a sad mistake in attempting to reach a proper result from the article headed "Some Straws" from the News and Observer. It may be, however, that Judge Fowle's friends can get no proper information from these counties on account of their remoteness from Raleigh, for Brunswick county was left from the list, although its county convention had instructed its delegates unanimously for stedman some days before the publication of the article called "Some Straws;" and a correspondent of the News and Observer, in another issue of that paper, stated, that a majority of the people of Cumberland county were for Fowle, where, as we are reliably informed, upon the very best authority, that political search warrant could not find ten men who are for Fowle in the entire county. Now, for the information of our good friends, we will give them an estimate founded upon so-called preferences, furnished not by one but by two of the most active tion, with power to call the Board together whenever said contributions from railroads or other corporations, trade, industrial or other organizations of States, cities and towns, shall have the aggregate sum of $20,000, and when such call has been made the Board of Directors shall proceed immediately to perfect a permanent organization, as provided for in the second resolution herewith submitted.

Resolved, That immediately upon the adoption of these resolutions the Secretary of the Convention shall give notice of the same to the Governor of each of the Southern States, to the President of each of the Southern railroads, and to the mayor of every city and to every town in the Southern States east of the Mississippi river having a population of 5,000 or more, and to solicit the co-operation of officers in furthering the object of this Convention.

Immigration Convention

HOT SPRINGS, N. C., April 25.—The Southern Immigration Convention met at noon at the Mountain Park Hotel and was called to order by Maj. J. D. Kelley, of New York. Gov. Fitzhugh Lee of Virginia was elected permanent chairman and Luther R. Hansan of South Carolina permanent secretary.

On the platform with Gov. Lee were his Eminence Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, Archbishop Elder of Cincinnati, Gov. John B. Gordon of Georgia, Gov. J. P. Richardson of South Carolina, Maj. J. D. Kelley of New York and others.

Governor Lee in his address accepted the facts as stated up to him and spoke of the absence of Governor Scales, who was unable to be present on account of a previous engagement. He stated that Col. Wm. J. Yates of Charlotte would represent North Carolina in the Convention.

Col. Johnson made a few remarks cordially inviting and welcoming the members of the convention into the State. He regretted that Governor Scales could not be present. But a warm, true North Carolina welcome was tendered to all.

Bishop Becker of Savannah, Ga., then read resolutions drafted by the Commissioners of Agriculture of seven States extending a cordial invitation to immigrants. He also spoke of the city of Savannah, the resort of the city of Savannah, the resort of the Convention in 1887. That town. Robert M. Putman of Jacksonville urged acceptance of the invitation and it was accepted.

The city of Knoxville, Tenn., through Hon. J. C. Butler, extended an invitation and it also was accepted.

Mr. King of Tennessee moved that a review of the resolutions be taken as to certain the names of delegates from the different States. The motion was carried and the Convention took a recess.

Upon reassembling large delegations from North Carolina, Virginia, Georgia, Tennessee, Florida and South Carolina were reported present. Committees on resolutions and business from each State were read to the convention.

His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons was presented to the convention. He said: "I am grateful to the gentlemen composing this Convention for the honor conferred upon me and the courtesy extended. I came here to encourage, so far as I can, the object of this meeting. I have travelled nearly over both hemispheres recently, with both eyes open. As a result of my observation I can say that the United States gives to immigrants such advantages as cannot be obtained in the old countries. I have found everywhere great prosperity in the Union. I have found this due to the indomitable energy of the American people. I wish every success to this movement. The climate of the South will allow every laboring man to work 310 out of 365 days in the year.

He then spoke of the great resources of the South and its hidden wealth. He referred to the hospitality and genial warmth of the Southern people. He had lived in the South, and the people were like the climate—warm and genial. He was interested in securing immigration to the Southern States, and those who did come would look upon this as a red-letter day in the history of the South. The Cardinal's speech was received with great enthusiasm.

Sig. Kain, of Wheeling, was the next speaker. He looked upon this as an occasion of great importance. He had been born and reared beneath the genial skies of the Southern States. His heart was wrapped up in the South. He was deeply interested in the movement. He would suggest the establishment of colonies all over the South.

Bishop Northrop, of Charleston, was interested in the movement and wished to get to business. He had no speech to make.

Gov. John B. Gordon, of Georgia, then made a very eloquent and interesting address, favoring the movement and tendering his aid. He said: "There is more wealth in minerals within 150 miles of this spot than anywhere on earth. He wished the movement God speed.

Gov. Richardson, of South Carolina, then spoke of the good feeling that existed in the State, and of the grand welcome South Carolina would give to immigrants, and said that his State would challenge any in progress.

Mayor Keiley, the inaugurator of this movement, was appointed chairman of the different committees on business.

The Immigration Convention tonight adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That an Immigration Association be established, with headquarters in the city of New York, to be styled the Southern Immigration Association.

Resolved, That this Association be placed under the charge of a Board of Directors, composed of one member of each Southern railroad or other corporation—trade, industrial or other organization—in the State, county, city or town situated east of the Mississippi river, that will contribute the sum of $1,000 towards the expense of said Association on or before July 1st next, and that on the second Tuesday of July, 1888, the Board so constituted, shall meet in New York and proceed to organize and adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for its government.

Resolved, That until said organization is perfected Major John D. Keiley, jr., be constituted chief of the Associa-

The estimate as between Alexander and Fowle as furnished would not be peculiarly gratifying to the friends of Judge Fowle. It must not be forgotten, however, that the calculation is based upon estimates furnished from every county in the State, many of them being far off from our Capital City. We suppose, however, this would be considered legitimate by Democrats from the State at large. Now, we ask our friends to place our figures with their straws and keep them until the 30th day of May and see if we are not very near the mark, if the race should be between Stedman and Fowle.—Wilmington Review.

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Portraits

In oil or crayon from life or small pictures done by Miss Aurora Mace who is teaching drawing and painting Crookest methods at her residence on Johnston street. jan11dtf

A Voice from the Executive Mansion

MR. A. K. HAWKS—Dear Sir: The pair of glasses you furnished me some time since, gave excellent satisfaction. I have tested them by use and must say they are unequaled in clearness and brilliancy by any that I have ever worn. JOHN B. GORDON, Governor of State of Georgia.

All eyes fitted and fit guaranteed by R. N. Duffy, New Berne, N. C. a7dw

COMMERCIAL.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, April 26.—Futures closed dull. Sales of 115,700 bales.

April	9.68	October	9.41
May	9.99	November	9.[illegible]
June	9.84	December	9.40
July	9.91	January	9.42
August	9.99	February	9.50
September	9.73	March	——

New Berne market quiet. Sales of 4 bales at 9 1-2.

DOMESTIC MARKET

Eggs 10c.

Rice steady at $1.00 to $1.10 in sacks. Rough rice none coming in, clean from 5a6½.

Corn firm at 58a60c. Last sales 72c in bulk, 65c in sacks.

Fodder, 80c. to $1.00 per hundred.

TURPENTINE—Hard, $1.10. dip, $2.00.

TAR—$1.30.

OATS—40a46c. in bulk.

BEESWAX—18a20c. per lb.

BEEF—On foot, 5c. to 7c.

FRESH PORK—7½a8½ per pound.

HAMS—Country, 11½c.

PEANUTS—55c. a$1.00 per bushel.

CHICKENS—Grown, 40a50c.

MEAL—60½ unbolted.

POTATOES—Bahamas, 40a50c. yams, 75.

SHINGLES—West India, dull and nominal, 6 inch $2.00a2.50. Building 5 inch hearts, $2.25, saps $1.50 per M.

STAVES—R. O. hhd. $10a12 per M.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

NEW MESS PORK—$15.00.

SHOULDER MEAT—7a8c.

C. R.'s, F. B's, R.'s and L. C.—8c.

FLOUR—$3.50a6.00.

LARD—8½c. by the tierce.

NAILS—Basis 10's, $2.50.

SUGAR—Granulated, 7½.

COFFEE—Ha16c.

CHEESE—15.

SALT—80a85c. per sack.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—90a45c.

POWDER—$4.00.

SHOT—Drop, $1.60, buck, $1.75.

KEROSENE—9½c.

HIDES—Dry, 6a8c., green 4c.

TALLOW—4c. per lb.

Valuable Land Sale.

On the 21st of May next, I will offer at public sale, at the Court House door in Bayboro, one comfortable dwelling house and lot in the town of Stonewall, and thirty-three acres of land adjoining the town of Stonewell, eighteen acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, all known as the Dean property. Will sell all together or separately. Sale will have to be approved by the court. Terms made known on the day of sale. For further particulars apply to

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Bayboro, N. C., April 20, '88. 25dwtd

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