

# THE DAILY JOURNAL

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## BUSINESS LOCALS.

**TOMORROW** is the day of the great closing out sale of my large stock of Xmas goods. Come early for bargains. Oakley's Soap and Perfumery positively at cost. **B. N. DUFFY.**

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We only ask one trial on Old Virginia Cheroots. 5 for 10 cents. **oe28 F. ULRICH, Wholesale Agent.**

**A MERRY** Christmas, a happy and prosperous year to all the readers of the JOURNAL.

**THE** second, or black district, was about the only one to make Democratic gains in the recent election.

**WHAT** has become of the "Congressional" Record? The JOURNAL office has room for one but it don't come.

**FIVE** prisoners, held for grand larceny and highway robbery, at Post Townsend, Washington Territory, overpowered and gagged the jailer and made their escape.

It is said that General Harrison has invited all Republican Senators to give him their counsel in regard to Cabinet appointments, and it is thought that Blaine will be left.

**THE** General Assembly would do well to remember that the East is entitled to Senator Ransom's successor, and that it is better for the whole State and the South that he succeed himself.

We think it is apparent to all right thinking Democrats that North Carolina and the South could ill afford to dispense with the services of Senator Ransom for the next six years. Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina have returned Senators Morgan, Colquitt and Butler and North Carolina could not do better than follow their example and return Senator Ransom. The JOURNAL has always thought it poor policy to change representatives in Congress so often; it is especially bad policy just now. No one would have greater influence in preventing legislation hostile to the South than Senator Ransom. The General Assembly will show wisdom in returning him.

### LOOK OUT FOR THEM.

The great reputation my spectacles and eye-glasses have attained throughout the U. S. has led unscrupulous persons to counterfeit them. There are none genuine unless the name of Hawkes is stamped on the frame, and I would respectfully announce that I positively employ no peddlers.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

### Christmas.

A happy Christmas to you. Especially to the youthful are these wishes.

The general delivery at the postoffice will be open today from 9 to 10 a. m. A drive behind Stewart's two beautiful blacks over our shelled streets is a pleasure to be remembered.

The National Bank and the bank of Green, Foy & Co. will close during the holidays at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp.

A report was circulated down town yesterday that some one had accidentally broken his back up town. A special JOURNAL reporter was dispatched to get particulars. He returned about night and reported that it appeared to him there were many broken or badly twisted backs or legs—so many that he could get no particulars.

### Go Out to the Fair Grounds.

The Directors of the Fair Association will be at the Fair grounds this afternoon at 8 o'clock and will be pleased to have all stockholders and citizens visit the grounds. Go out and see what has been done.

### Shipping News.

The steamer Tahoma arrived last night and will sail tomorrow morning at 7:30.

The steamer Eaglet of the E. C. D. line sailed yesterday with full cargo of cotton, lumber and naval stores. The Vesper of this line will arrive today and sail this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The schooner Eddie arrived Sunday with a cargo of salt for F. Ulrich and E. K. Bishop.

### A Strong Team.

Capt. Thos. Gates has sold out his stock of groceries and dry goods and will enter into a copartnership on the 1st of January with Mr. J. C. Whitty to do a general hardware business. Mr. Whitty has already established an extensive business in this line and Capt. Gates has several years experience in the same business. We wish them abundant success and commend to them the columns of the JOURNAL as a medium for making known their business to the public.

### Holiday.

Our printers have had only one holiday during the year 1888, and that was on the 4th of July. The Conference being in session on Thanksgiving day we deemed it inexpedient to suspend a day. But now it is Christmas and we feel that it is due them to give them at least three days. The next issue of the DAILY JOURNAL will appear next Saturday morning.

Our WEEKLY JOURNAL, which has just entered its eleventh year, having been issued first in Kinston on the 20th of December, 1878, will go out as usual. It has not failed in all these ten years to pay its weekly visits to its many readers in this section whom we hope will live to read its many years to come.

### A Serious Accident.

Mrs. David M. Roberts met with a serious accident on Sunday. She was alone in her room, and supposed to have had an attack of vertigo, from which she fell upon a hot stove, and was found with one hand and the side of her face resting upon it when her servant entered. Her injuries were painful in the extreme; but she being in an insensible condition at our latest accounts, it is difficult to form an opinion of the extent.

Owing to the critical condition of Mrs. Roberts, it is hoped that all persons will refrain from popping crackers or firing cannon or pistols in the vicinity of the residence of Mr. R. P. Williams on South Front, where she resides.

### Fire.

A house occupied by colored people on South Front street next to the gas works, took fire in the roof yesterday morning and the department was called out. It was extinguished before much damage was done. In making a turn when near the fire the tongue of the Atlantic engine broke causing the horses to fall and one of them received a cut on the right hip.

While we do not wish to destroy the friendly rivalry existing between our fire companies, yet we think economy and prudence suggests that only one engine be allowed to respond to the alarm when first given, the other to remain unless ordered out by the chief of the department. The cost of two engines running out on account of a chimney on fire or for some other trifles that a bucket of water would arrest, amounts to considerable in a year. The engine which turns out should be required to go at a moderate speed and with more caution. It is absolutely dangerous to go at a break-neck speed as they do at times.

Ask your dealer for Old Virginia Cheroots. 5 for 10 cents. **F. ULRICH, Wholesale Agent.**

### Our Most Memorable Day.

The day that is most looked forward to of all the year by both old and young is upon us. The children are happy, and when the young ones are happy, the older ones can scarcely resist the contagious influence of their merriment. And why should we not be joyful on a day that celebrates so important an event—the birth of our Saviour—and its coming is only once a year? While that may not be long to the advanced in years, to the very little ones it is like ages. In reference, Shakespeare appropriately says:

If all the year were playing holidays, To sport would be as tedious as to work; But when they seldom come, they wished for come, And nothing pleaseth but rare accident."

There is not now the brilliancies and gayeties connected with Christmas as in times past, but it is still a day of exuberant joy and happiness. On nearly every portion of the globe it has recognition as the day when

"There's a song in the air, there's a star sky, There's a mother's deep prayer, and a baby's low cry; And the star rains its fire while the beautiful sing, And the manager of Bethlehem cradles a king."

Young people must have fun and relaxation at times. If they do not find it at their own hearthstones it will be sought at other places. Irving says:

"Tis the season for kindling the fire of hospitality in the hall, the genial flame of charity in the heart."

If not at all times, make an earnest endeavor to speak kindly and politely to everybody Christmas. Especially should the children be considered today. Dickens has this:

"It is good to be children sometimes, and never better than at Christmas, when his mighty founder was a child himself."

This beautiful wording,

"The bell-rings of all Christendom Now roll along The unbroken song Of peace on earth, good will to men," is from Longfellow. "Peace on earth, good will toward men" is the gentle, peaceful thought that should fill our voices on this festive day—Christ's festival—child's day. Did he not say "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

In the fullness of our joy let us not be neglectful of the poor, sick and homeless. Should you have in your possession anything of little service, remember there may be some one that would appreciate it. Think then, how easily you may do good by making many kind, and feel the blessing of Christ's birthday.

"God rest ye, little children: but nothing you affirm, For Jesus Christ, your Saviour, was born this happy night; Along the hills of Galilee the white flocks sleeping lay, When Christ, the Child of Nazaren, was born on Christmas day."

Make it a "Merry Christmas" to many and it becomes then doubly yours. "It's hardly in a body's power To keep at times from being sour," is an old proverb, but choose your "times," and it is possible see that none of them shall fall on this blessed day, the anniversary of the appearance of the Christ-child.

For a pleasant time, the JOURNAL extends its wishes to all.

### Personal.

Mr. Fred. D. Thomas of Union Theological Seminary in Virginia, arrived last night and will remain at home for the holidays.

Mr. A. O. Young, advance agent of the Cors Van Tassel Co., is in the city in the interest of making an engagement here.

Mr. James Sylvester of New York, who has been in the city a few months assisting Mr. Geo. Ash in the mercantile business, returned home yesterday. Though here only a short while, he had made many friends as a clever and energetic young man.

Dr. J. A. Gulon is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Weacott, at Chestertown, Md.

### All for Christmas.

Yesterday was a busy day with nearly every country and town people preparing to celebrate Christmas. It was interesting to hear the variety of beverages selected by different persons. One wanted rum for eggnog, another French brandy for mince pie, another cherry wine for stillabub. Still another wanted only scuppernon in his, and some would only have white rum at this time of the year, while a good number plumped the line and took whiskey. Amid all this diversity of taste it was gratifying to learn that it was ALL for Christmas and just for Christmas sake.

When you can get 5 Old Virginia Cheroots for 10 cents, why do you pay 5 cents for one cigar? **F. ULRICH, Wholesale Agent.**

### The Vote in the Ninth Senatorial District.

In obedience to the request of a number of our readers in the Ninth Senatorial district, we publish the vote for Senator by precincts at the late election. The following is the official vote

ONSLOW COUNTY.	Brook.	Whitford
Williams Store	44	2
Golden Place	31	0
Rocky Point	18	4
Amans Store	81	43
Cross Roads	102	32
Angola	25	13
Tar Landing	44	6
Catharine Lake	152	16
Haw Branch	58	8
Richlands	161	44
Jacksonville	60	55
North East	65	13
E. S. Smiths	50	1
Summersalls	41	8
Linwood	31	0
Swansboro	34	8
Mortons	86	24
Mills	45	1
Total	1,146	259

### CARTERET COUNTY.

Brook.	Whitford	
Pelletiers Mills	25	44
Sanders Store	68	29
Bogue Banks	25	0
Hull Swamp	53	28
Morehead City	128	10
Newport	64	89
Harlowe Creek	55	0
Merriman	53	1
Wingrass Chapel	51	9
Live Oak Chapel	58	8
Beaufort	147	60
West Wards Creek	20	8
East Wards Creek	25	0
Shackelfords Banks	29	19
Harkers Island	14	0
Straights	53	0
Smyrna	0	0
Davis Shore	10	12
Piney Point	22	11
White Point	84	0
Cedar Island	34	9
Total	1,028	457

### JOES COUNTY.

Brook.	Whitford	
White Oak	73	75
Pollockville	97	233
Piney Grove	69	65
Trenton	114	124
Cypress Creek	111	5
Tuckahoe	72	41
Beaver Creek	0	0
Chinquapin	84	79
Total	620	622

### Our New County Officers.

The county officers appointed by the board of county commissioners are to give their bonds and be inducted into office on the first Monday in January.

The position taken by the commissioners in adopting rigid rules in the consideration and acceptance of official bonds ought to be sustained by every Democrat of Craven county. But it must be remembered that they must apply the same rules to the Democrats whom they have appointed. Under these rules it may be difficult for any man to give bond, but in order to sustain if the Democrats of the county ought to rally to the support of those elected and aid them in giving good bonds. In Edgecombe county the Democrats that were elected to fill the vacancies filed their bonds promptly and were inducted into office. The moral effect of such prompt action was good and wholesome.

There is no better Democrat, nor man, in Craven county than William B. Lane, the man appointed sheriff. The Democrats ought to rally to him and see that he gives the best bond ever offered by any sheriff since the war. He is the first Democratic sheriff since the days of reconstruction, and his administration of the office for two years will have a wholesome effect upon our county affairs.

### Kinston Items.

The health of Kinston is perfect.

Africa is out in full force today (Saturday).

The Y. M. C. A. has moved to a room in Dr. A. R. Miller's brick building.

Mr. D. F. W., of our county, will carry off to his home, next week, one of Wilmington's fairest daughters.

Our people are disposed to look with more confidence to the future of law. And we prophesy a better state of things next year than for many years.

John Presson, Chas. Pressly and Chas. Forlaw of Durham, and Thos. Claytor of Danville are here spending the holidays with home folks.

James McDaniel, James Pridgen and James Parrott arrived from Wake Forest College to take in the Christmas recess at home, on Friday night.

Mr. Sam. Chadwick, our clever telegraph operator, is spending a few days at Weldon with his wife's relatives. Mr. Maxwell, also an accomplished operator, has charge of the office during his absence.

Your Itamizer received a very handsome Christmas present yesterday, in the shape of a large bunch of partridges from Masters Foster, Courtenay and Marian Edmond. They are very welcome and peculiarly appropriate.

About twelve thousand bushels of rice were produced in Lenoir county this season. Three thousand bushels were sold in Kinston. La Grange bought about nine thousand bushels. The grade this year is not good, owing to the dry August and wet September, and had a late start.

There is nothing in the way of Kin-

ton becoming a wealthy town but the will of the people. Let Sam Harrell do all the cash, blind and door word. Ed. Hodges make all the carts. Ellis Bros. and J. L. Nelson make your buggies. Sam Clayton and L. J. Hill make your shoes. John Ennis and John Hay make you your fine desks and other cabinet work. T. J. Presson do your house building, with Spencer Smith. G. E. Miller do your foundry and machine work. Capt. J. M. White make your barrel hoops and other materials of wood. What do people want? What would they have? Clothing can be made here. In fact everything we need can be made here. Why go abroad?

A number of disabled ex-Confederate soldiers assembled in the court house on Saturday last to appoint delegates to attend the Pension Convention to be held in Raleigh on the 23rd of January. O. H. Pearce, a private of the 8th regiment, was called to the chair and Barnholomew Fields of the 27th regiment was made secretary. The object of the meeting was explained by Mr. Fields. O. H. Pearce, B. Fields and J. T. Sparks were appointed delegates, and Benj. Dawson, J. B. Brown and Isaac Braxton were appointed alternates. A resolution was adopted instructing the delegates to join their fellow soldiers of the convention in memorializing the General Assembly on the subject of granting such pensions to disabled Confederates as is in some degree commensurate with their services to the State and with their needs. A resolution was also adopted requesting the railroads to grant free transportation to the delegates. F. B. Loftin, Esq., was present, and in response to call, offered a few words of encouragement to the old veterans. The sentiment was unanimous in favor of a pension direct to the disabled soldiers in preference to the establishment of a soldiers' home.

### [COMMUNICATED.]

Thomas H. Sutton for Speaker. EDITOR JOURNAL—Allow me space in your valuable paper to present the name of Thomas H. Sutton, of Fayetteville, Cumberland county, as a candidate for Speaker of the House of Representatives in the next General Assembly.

His name will be presented to the Democratic caucus for the nomination. As a man of unquestioned ability and a sincere friend he was a great favorite among the members of the Legislature of 1887, of which he was a member from Cumberland, as well as admired and loved by the people for his sterling qualities and fidelity to their interest.

He was foremost in the debates of the House and framed and fostered much of the best legislation of the session.

In the prime of life and intellectually and physically a strong man, he would reflect honor upon his section and the whole State.

He is the only candidate for Speaker so far as the writer is informed from Eastern North Carolina.

Though an Eastern man and thoroughly identified with all her interests, and though the West has had the last two Speakers, and will probably get a large share of the offices in the fight of both branches of the Legislature, Mr. Sutton's friends in the West unite with those in the East and ask his election, because of his ability, his progressive and friendship to the farmer, the laboring man and the railroad interests of the East.

### Schedule "B" Tax.

NOTICE OFFICE REGISTER OF DEEDS, CRAVEN CO. NEWBERN, Dec. 23, 1888.

All Merchants, Traders, Liquor Dealers, Keepers of Ferries, Commission Merchants, Auctioneers, and all others in Craven county who are required to list their purchases, receipts or sales, under Schedule "B" of the Revenue Laws of North Carolina, are hereby notified to list the same with the undersigned at his office during the FIRST TEN DAYS IN JANUARY, 1889. The said lists must contain all purchases or receipts, as the case may be, for six months ending Dec. 31st, 1888, and should be sworn to and subscribed before the Register of Deeds.

All persons failing to list before the 10th of January, 1889, will be subject to a double tax.

Retail liquor dealers will take notice that they must obtain permit from the Board of Commissioners, at the meeting in January next, for the ensuing twelve months, before obtaining a license to sell liquors by the retail.

ORLANDO HUBBS, Register of Deeds, Craven Co., N. C. dec23 dwt

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Jamaica and Florida Oranges in every steamer constantly on hand—A fine stock of Apples, Bananas, Lemons, Mixed Nuts and Confectionaries. In fact my stock will please the most fastidious and my prices are **ROCK BOTTOM.** **JOHN DUNN.** 224 1/2 wlm

### CHRISTMAS GOODS!

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### GENERAL NOTICE.

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### Notice!

Having purchased the stock of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, &c., of Mr. GEO. ASH, at GREAT REDUCTION, we beg to inform our friends that we will continue the business