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## BUSINESS LOCALS.

**DRESSED TURKEYS**—A fine lot at (see 10-16) K. R. JONES.

**SNELLINGS** will receive Western Beef by express Saturday morning. Will also have nice dressed fowls, corned hog heads, fresh sausage, and home made sauce, the best in the city. Call early and get the choicest. Keeps always on hand the choicest prunes, raisins, dates, oranges, bananas, apples, coconuts, dried peaches and apples, etc. (see 13-17)

**MINCE MEAT**, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Candies, Nuts, Dried Fruit, Flavoring Extracts, Fresh Roasted Coffee, etc. C. E. SLOVER

**NO WELLS** regulated family can afford to be without a "Zub Vance" Cook Stove. (see 10-16)

**BILL HEADS** and business cards printed at the office. All and leave your orders with us.

**LETTERS** and Note Paper furnished and neatly printed at the JOURNAL OFFICE. Give us your orders.

**LOADED SHELLS**, Gun shells, etc. (see 10-16) WHITNEY & CO.

**JUST RECEIVED**—A new lot of J. B. Stock. Good work. Low price. Call and see samples. (see 10-16)

**A TREE** has been found in California, called the Sequoia Gigantea, that is 174 feet around.

**Mrs. Scotts** Lord, sister of the wife of President Harrison, died at her home in Washington yesterday morning.

**THE London Star** says an enterprising American has captured Boulanger for a lecture tour in this country.

**ALL** the consuls, representing foreign governments, at New Orleans joined in the funeral services of Mr. Davis.

**MR. HARRISON** speaks in pretty strong language regarding trusts. But the trusts are not afraid. He speaks in just as strong language regarding the necessity of keeping up the tariff which makes trusts possible.—Chicago Herald.

**BECAUSE** of the scarcity of money is a mighty reason that men should pay their debts as promptly as possible—thus keeping up the circulation and preventing a panic. One five-dollar bill will pay many debts if kept going.—Warrenton Gazette.

**POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER** told certain Sunday-school children day before yesterday that he did not believe in luck. Why should he? His present elevation was not due to chance, but to a four-hundred-thousand-dollar corruption fund.—New York World.

**A LIVELY** scramble has begun over the question of filling the place of Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia. If the incumbent is compelled to record all the bad deeds of the Harrison Administration the office would appear to be no sinecure.—Chicago Herald.

**WITH** Queen Victoria rheumatically lame and despondent over the incurable illness of the Prince of Wales and the gossip affecting his son and heir, truly the royal house of Britain possesses a present of gloom and faces a future even darker.—Wash. Star, Ind.

**THERE** is a prison in Georgia who is said to be 120 years old and no mistake. We would doubt that if it were not supplied with the steamman, that he was born in North Carolina. Every one born in North Carolina lives as long as he can, even if he is an old man, as the saying is, "he is thrown by fate into Georgia."—Wash. Star, Ind.

**HISTORY** will say that Jefferson Davis was honest in faith, expressive and effort alike at Montgomery.

## LOCAL NEWS.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**W. B. LANE**—To tax payers.  
**C. E. SLOVER**—Mince meat, etc.  
**W. E. SNELLINGS**—Western beef, etc.  
**K. R. JONES**—Dressed turkeys.

Remember the festival to be given by the "Buy Bees" at the residence of Mrs. Cuthbert, on Broad street, tonight.

A great deal of interest was taken in the business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday night. A spirit was developed showing a disposition to put the Association on a firmer basis and increasing its interest.

The committee of St. John's Lodge on Oxford Orphan Asylum make an appeal for further contributions for the inmates of the asylum. Articles of clothing, dress goods, shoes, etc., as well as cash, will be thankfully received. See notice elsewhere.

In all further respect to the departed chieftain, the Confederate monument in the cemetery presents itself an emblem of mourning. The ladies of the Memorial Association were watchful that nothing should be left undone whereby honor might be paid JEFFERSON DAVIS.

From the Catharine Lake Items in this issue we see that the Wilmington and Onslow Railroad is progressing finely, and that a large force of hands are employed in its construction. Do our people want the railroad continued on to New Berne? We can have it if we want it.

The series of meetings being held at the Church of Christ by Rev. Mr. Stancill have drawn good audiences every night, and they have not been disappointed in hearing the word of God ably propounded. The sermon last night was very interesting. Services again tonight.

**Festival.**  
A festival will be given at Tabernacle, Onslow county, on Thursday, Dec. 26, for the benefit of the church at that place. The managers are: Mrs. M. R. Sabiston, Mrs. White, Mrs. Ahan, Mrs. J. T. Henderson, Messrs. Omas, Gerock, David Costin and M. R. Sabiston and Mrs. Effie Hewitt.

**Guardians should take notice.**  
In the case of Pate vs. Kennedy, decided by the Supreme Court of North Carolina, November 11th, 1889, liability of guardians leasing wards' land, under the code of North Carolina, sections 1890, 1410, 1414, a guardian is prohibited under a penalty from renting, privately, the land of his ward, and on doing so will forfeit the amount of the penalty to any person suing for the same. The penalty is \$300. We call the attention of guardians to this important decision of our Supreme Court, as we believe it to be a matter of interest to nearly all of them.

**Shipping News.**  
The steamer Annie, of the E. C. D. line, sailed yesterday with a cargo of general exports, The Eaglet, of this line, will arrive today.  
The steamer Manteo, of the O. D. line, will sail today at 12 o'clock for Norfolk.

The schooner E. K. Wilson, Capt. Lepton, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia with a cargo of coal consigned to Mrs. E. E. Ellis.

The large sharpie Marion Temple arrived from down Neuse river yesterday with cotton and naval stores.

The steamer Kingston arrived last night from up Neuse river with a cargo of cotton.

**Come on, Messrs. Moore & Brady.**  
The reporter stepped aboard an oysterboat at the market dock yesterday and found a friend regaling the liner man with the "luscious bivalve." We accepted the free invitation to join the gentleman, and a conversation about oysters began. It is not necessary to repeat the conversation, but we learned that the oysters this season are larger, fatter and have a better "relish" than for several years. The oystermen say, also, that they are more abundant than for years. We never saw finer ones than were at the market yesterday. They were "North rivers" and sold for 75 cents per bushel.

The weather lately has been very fine for oystering and the oystermen are anxious for a market. They can do a great deal more than supply New Berne. They are impatient for the opening of the canning factory.

Messrs. Moore and Brady, come on.

**Ringling Notice.**  
In the ears, sometimes a roaring, buzzing sound, are caused by catarrh, that exceedingly disagreeable and very common disease. Loss of smell or hearing also result from catarrh. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, is a peculiarly successful remedy for this disease, which is cured by purifying the blood. If you suffer from catarrh, try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the peculiar medicine.

**CONFIRMED.**  
The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers, the California Fig Syrup Company.

For a disordered liver try Eschsch's Pills.

**Ely's New York Company**—"Tom Sawyer," Monday Night.  
The Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal says: "There was never so good humored nor as well pleased an audience as that assembled at Macaulay's Theatre on Monday night to witness for the first time here a dramatization of Mark Twain's famous novel, 'Tom Sawyer.' Spontaneous outburst of applause and peals of laughter followed each other in quick succession, and the vast audience laughed themselves into tears. We can safely say there was never before as much fun, wit, comedy and genuine hilarity crowded into a two and a half hours' entertainment as that afforded by the Ely Company. The songs and jokes were fresh and new, the actors worked with a vim, and the ladies were sprightly, young and pretty. If you want to spend a pleasant evening we commend you to the tender mercies of Mr. Ely and his jolly troupe of fun makers."

**PERSONAL.**  
The Washington Gazette says: "We are pleased to note that Miss Mamie Meadows, of New Berne, will remain in the city during the holidays. She is the guest of Miss Ida Potts."

Mr. H. W. Steinhilber is in the city.

Rev. T. Page Ricard, wife and daughter arrived last night from Wilmington. They are the guests of Capt. Duguid.

At the Gaston House: S. T. Abbott, Levi Pierce, W. S. McLawhan, J. H. Albritton, Bell's Ferry; J. R. Johnson, Ridge Springs; Frederick Roberts, Walter D. Casterphen, New York; Geo. E. Crabtree, Baltimore; C. H. Collins, Richmond; J. T. Winfield, N. C.; Alfred Gallup, Onco, Conn.

At Hotel Albert: W. C. A. Sheppard, Richmond; W. S. Chadwick, Beaufort; E. L. Houghton, Pittsboro, N. C.; J. F. Andrews, Boston; R. D. Munson, Philadelphia.

**Mayor's Court.**  
The following cases, all colored, were disposed of yesterday:

Sarah Anderson, violating chap. 5, sec. 3; using loud and boisterous language in the city limits; fined \$5 and cost.

Ellen Riggs, chap. 8, sec. 11; disorderly in the city limits; fined \$5 and cost.

Mary Molton, chap. 5, sec. 8; loud and boisterous language in the city limits; fined \$5 and cost.

Charles Bryan, chap. 8, sec. 11; disorderly in the city limits; taxed with cost.

Wm. Thatcher, charged with violating chap. 5, sec. 4, city ordinance; riotous and disorderly; dismissed.

Jennie Green, chap. 5, sec. 3; loud and boisterous language; dismissed.

**SHALL NEW BERNE PROGRESS?**  
No. 2.

If a man had a million dollars looked up, and complained that he was without the necessities of life, and gave as a reason for such a singular condition of things, "that if he spent this money on himself he would become a pauper," your reply would be "Why don't you invest your money in something that will not only bring you an income upon which you may live, but which will in all reasonableness add to your existing accumulation"—and if the man had a grain of sense he would act at once upon your suggestion. The city of New Berne whose property is worth more than a round million, sits languishing commercially because its accumulation is in such shape that it is not utilized for its own advancement. It is rather humiliating, but notoriously true, that many efforts have been made in the immediate past to induce individuals to organize some industrial or similar movement, that would aid in putting the city on the road to prosperity, and all have failed.

In the meantime affairs have been getting no better fast; a past depressed condition has become worse, and the anxious business man and property owner as well as the mechanic and laborer asks one another, "Is there no remedy?" "Can this condition of affairs exist much longer?" "Is it possible that they can grow worse, if so what are we to do?" These are vital and important questions and their solution should engage our best thoughts.

Many plans have been made, various schemes advanced, resolutions adopted, committees appointed, an abundance of eloquence poured forth, and it has all ended in nothing. This being so, it is evident that we must operate on other lines. What shall they be?

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**LATEST NEWS.**  
Called from the Press Dispatches

**A PROMINENT FARMER'S SUICIDE.**  
NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 10.—Capt. Geo. A. Brit, one of the most prominent farmers of Hartford county, N. C., committed suicide by hanging himself from a small tree on the edge of the woods back of his residence. He deceased was sixty three years old, a graduate of the University of North Carolina, and delivered an able address before the alumni of that institution last summer. He had been despondent for some time on account of short crops and fancied poverty.

**JEFF. DAVIS' RUNAWAY SERVANT.**  
CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Andrew Johnson, a young negro, born on the Davis plantation in Mississippi and until last June a servant of Jefferson Davis, is at the Bridewell working out a \$50 fine. Johnson ran away last June to escape punishment for some fault and finally came to Chicago with some race horses as a stable-boy. He was caught in bad company and sent to the Bridewell. He says as soon as he is released he will return to Davis Bend and stay there.

**JOHNSTOWN STRICKEN AGAIN.**  
JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 11.—Again has this ill fated town been visited with disaster. This time instead of water it was a cry of fire in a theatre that seat nearly a score of lives into eternity and maimed fully 75 others, many of whom are probably fatally injured.

Park's Opera House where the catastrophe occurred, is a three-story building, located on main street, near the corner of Franklin, and was used as a dining room for several months after the flood. The building has for a long time been considered unsafe, and many people could not be hired to attend any kind of entertainment there.

There were about 500 persons, principally women and children, in the house last night, about 10:30. As the performance was about closing there was alarm of fire sounded by a fireman stationed on the corner near the opera house, caused by the discovery of fire in Dr. Wakerfield's station in Kirnville.

The alarm being so close, greatly excited the audience, and they immediately rushed for the street. They were met at the entrance by a crowd from outside who thought the fire was in the opera house.

The crowds coming together on a close stairway, not over six feet wide, and the frantic efforts of those in the rear of the outgoing crowd, caused a terrible jam, which was made still worse by persons jumping from the galleries on to the heads of those on the stairs. The firemen had to turn their hose on those on the outside to ease the jam, and when the injured could be gotten at, the stairway was found to be piled almost to a level of the upper floor with dead and dying. Thirteen persons were taken out dead.

**FOREIGN NEWS.**  
GENEVA, Dec. 10.—Col. Clibborn Booth, the chief of staff to the commander of the Salvation Army, has been arrested for infringing the decree by which he was expelled from Swiss territory.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Robert Browning, the poet, is ill at Venice with an alarming attack of bronchitis.

ZANZIBAR, Dec. 10.—The Germans under Lieutenant Schmidt attacked the Bushiris on Monday. Twenty-eight Bushiris were killed and the others escaped.

**Masonic Appeal.**  
Once more we appeal to you for aid to make child life happy, at the Masonic Orphan Asylum, Christmas. Think for a moment of the pleasure you expect to see about you on that day and let the thought send your hand into your pocket for a liberal donation for this worthy purpose. Those who dispel shadows with sunshine are true benefactors and practical christians.

Please send your contributions, such as hats, shoes, clothing, dress goods, etc., by the 16th inst. to the store of F. Ulrich, on Middle street. On that day a box containing the donation will be forwarded to the Asylum.

Very respectfully,  
T. A. GREEN,  
F. ULRICH,  
THOS. DANIELS,  
Committee of St. John's Lodge,  
No. 3, A. F. & A. M.  
Contributions in cash may be handed to any one of the committee.

**Catharine Lake Items.**  
Lovely autumn has come and gone; bitter winter has begun.

The Wilmington and Onslow Railroad is progressing finely. Many hands are already employed.

Miss Ellie Gurganus, who has been attending school at Pollockville, has returned to her home near Jacksonville. Miss Maria Ketchum is visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Mr. Joseph Brown is the happy owner of a pig three months old weighing one hundred. Mr. Brown is an energetic farmer. His pig will be on exhibition at the next State Fair.

Mr. Ass King takes the lead in eagle and raccoon killing. On last week he killed two eagles, one measuring 77 feet, the other 6. He also killed four racoons, all of which were up one tree. Mr. King is, perhaps, a descendant of Daniel Boone.

The breath of a chronic catarrh patient is often so offensive that he becomes an object of disgust. After a time ulceration sets in, the spongy bones are attacked and frequently entirely destroyed. A constant source of discomfort is the dripping of the purulent secretions into the throat, sometimes producing invertebrate bronchitis, which in its turn has been the exciting cause of pulmonary disease. The brilliant results which have attended its use for years past properly designate Ely's Cream Balm as by far the best and only cure.

**SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.**  
I must have your Taxes, long past due. If not paid at once, I shall proceed to collect by distress.  
This is the third and last call.  
d18 1w W. B. LANE, Sheriff.

**THINK! THINK! THINK!**

When the writer stops to think of the distressing times in Eastern North Carolina it makes these old bones or his shudder, and for a moment he pauses and wonders to himself if there can't be some relief had so that the people, both white and colored, may not leave their mother land and move to other States. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! it is distressing to see the people shaking the North Carolina dust off of their feet and moving to Kansas, Mississippi, Louisiana and other States just at the time when New Berne and surrounding country is about to be on the greatest boom she has ever had. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! Think that one million or more dollars will be scattered among the laboring classes of New Berne and surrounding country by Northern men during the year 1890 in building the East Carolina Railroad, PROVIDED WE GO TO THE POLLS ON THE 9TH DAY OF JANUARY 1890 and vote for the town of New Berne to subscribe for Fifty Thousand Dollars of the Stock that she may have this much power in this Railroad, thereby bringing it to New Berne. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! Voters, don't stop at this little sum of fifty thousand dollars, but vote for five men who will build factories in New Berne, employing two hundred men, women and children who will get from fifty cents to two dollars per day. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! voters, women and children, this is just a little fight between the property holder and the laboring man, and I assure you if you will weigh the matter well, that on the 9th day of January, 1890, a handsome majority will be given in favor of the Railroad, and the road will be built and the factories will be built, and New Berne will be a thriving city of 20,000 inhabitants within five years. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! this is the greatest enterprise of the 19th century in Eastern N. C., and to induce every man, woman and child in the town of New Berne to give it their hearty support, Big Ike, the clothing man, next door to F. Ulrich, the wholesale grocer, will reduce the price of his all cotton and wool pants to 49¢, 74¢, and 90¢; heavy double twill drawers at 24¢; an all wool coat at 149¢; heavy, all wool overcoat at 249¢. Dress goods, shawls, cloaks, buttons &c. must be sold at half price. Whole stock brogans for 79¢ to 99¢. Yes! Yes!! Yes!!! Think of our sister town of Goldsboro who has just voted three hundred thousand dollars to improvements and is the most thriving town in Eastern N. C.

Voters, voters, bear in mind that you have to register before the sun sets on the 28th day of December as the new law closes the registration books on that day.

New Berne, N. C.,  
Dec. 1st, 1889.

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deod dif E. S. STREET.

**For Sale or Rent,**  
HOUSE and LOT on the corner of Neuse and Middle streets, now occupied by R. C. Kehoe. One of the most desirable locations in the city of New Berne.

Also, all of the Household, Kitchen and Office Furniture, including one fine Organ and Iron Safe. The above will be sold at private sale.  
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[Benefit of St. John's Lodge.]  
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