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BUSINESS LOCALS.

SMELLINGS receives Western Beef every Tuesday and Friday nights by express. All who wish choice steaks and roasts will give orders for same on above named days.

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SMELLINGS **DOLPH** has introduced a resolution providing for submitting to the States the following amendment to the Constitution:

"Congress shall have power to legislate upon the subjects of marriage and divorce by general laws applicable alike to all the States and Territories, and neither bigamy nor polygamy shall exist or be permitted within the United States or any place subject to their jurisdiction."

A **Greek legend** invests the **holm oak** with a very bad reputation. When the crucifixion was about to take place, all the trees met together and determined not to lend their wood to the construction of the cross. They all kept their word except the **holm oak**. The other trees broke in places when an attempt was made to utilize them for cross-making.

The **holm oak** alone allowed itself to be made use of; therefore it is looked upon as accursed.

The **New York Herald** on Monday published dispatches from 19 States, showing that the prospects for the adoption of the Australian ballot law are excellent in all of them. In many instances modifications are desired, but the disposition to regard the new system as a desirable and necessary one is general among the leading officials.

We are glad to say that in most of the States heard from the Democrats will take the lead in favor of the change. National Democrat.

OUR own pain and sorrow will give us a fuller understanding of the sufferings of the Man of Sorrows, and bind us more closely to him; for nothing brings two beings nearer than a shared sorrow. And having thus drunk of the brook of sadness with him, by the way, we shall yet lift up our head with him in bliss. We shall be with him, when the ransomed of the Lord shall return and come to Zion with their heads; they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall depart from them.

There was an old preacher once who told some boys of the Bible lesson he was to read in the morning. The boys, finding the place, asked him to read it to them on the bottom of the page: "When Noah was one hundred and forty, he had a wife named Arphax, and she bore him a son named Shem."

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LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SMELLINGS—Western beef, sausage meat, etc.

The city tax collector says that taxes come in slowly. He wishes that the taxpayers would "get a move on 'em."

The exodus movement continues to excite attention. Those leaving are principally from Jones county and upper Craven.

There were seven marriage licenses issued last week by the register of deeds—two for white couples and five for colored couples.

Evangelist **Fig** is making a vigorous tour in Raleigh to redeem mankind by turning them from sin. We are glad to know that he is meeting with success.

A colored boy about fourteen years old was caught stealing a chicken last night. He was taken to the police station and then to jail. This same boy has previously been jailed. Oh for a work house for such offenders.

The State Grand Lodge of Free Masons, colored, met in Winston last week. J. E. Willis, Geo. H. White and M. T. Holly were delegates from New Berne. Stewart Ellison, of Raleigh, was elected grand master. The next meeting will be held in Asheville in December, 1890.

Evangelist. Rev. E. W. Stanell preached at Kitt Swamp yesterday, but returned in time to fill his appointment in the city today. C. R. Thomas, Esq., returned yesterday from a trip to Carteret county.

At Hotel Albert: O. M. Deysner, Adams creek; J. W. Crowe, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Election of Officers. At a meeting of New Berne Lodge No. 444, K. of H., held on the 13th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

S. E. Eaton, D.; S. D. Pope, V. D.; J. M. Harget, N. D.; W. B. Boyd, R.; W. F. Bountree, F. E.; A. Miller, Treasurer; J. C. Harrison, Guide; K. E. Jones, Chaplain; F. Boesser, Guard; E. Tucker, Sentinel.

The Ely Company. "Tom Sawyer" will be presented at the theatre tomorrow night by the Ely Company. In "The Two Orphans" the News and Observer speaks of them as follows:

"The Ely Company presented 'The Two Orphans' last night at a good house. The play which is always an intensely interesting one and which never wears out was well presented. The costumes were particularly elaborate and elegant and all the features of the play were well executed. The verdict is that the Ely Company gives a 'tip top' show for the money. At the matinee this evening East Lynne will be presented. A change of bill tonight."

Church Services Today. Presbyterian Church—Rev. L. C. Voss, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Sabbath-school at 8:15 p. m. Wm. Hollister, Superintendent. A cordial invitation to all to attend these services. Ushers at the doors.

Church of Christ—Services this morning at 11 o'clock, and at night at 7:15 by Rev. E. W. Stanell. The public is invited. Sunday-school at 9:30, prompt. W. K. Skinner, Superintendent. Baptism at 4:15 p. m. at foot of Broad street. Revival services will be continued Monday and Tuesday nights, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Baptist Church—Rev. H. W. Battle, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. 7:15 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday-school at 8 p. m. C. C. Clark, superintendent. Public invited to attend these services.

Centenary Methodist Church—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m., conducted by Rev. L. W. Crawford. The news are free. Users are always in the vestibule to receive strangers. All persons are cordially invited to worship with the congregation. Young men's prayer meeting at 8:30 o'clock a. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. J. K. Willis, Sup't.

Christ Church—Lay reading. Third Sunday in Advent. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. All persons will be welcomed to the services of this church.

Mission Prayer Meetings—The mission prayer meetings under the auspices of the young men of the Baptist church will be held this morning at the Market street at 9:30 o'clock. J. A. Patterson, leader, afternoon services at 4:30 o'clock. Gen. O. K. Battle, leader. All persons are cordially invited to attend.

COVERS. The favorable impression produced on the 18th appearance at the agreeable health from ready Sarsaparilla 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.

Synopsis of a Sermon Preached by Rev. E. W. Stanell, at the Church of Christ, Tuesday Night, Dec. 10.

CHRIST DRAWING ALL MEN UNTO HIM.

And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me.—John 12:32.

Christ is the center of attraction, the great solar system around which worlds revolve. He has been "lifted up from the earth," and is drawing all men unto Him. "He is the First and the Last, the Alpha and the Omega, the bright and morning star." He "is all and in all." To Him every knee shall bow, and every tongue shall confess that Jesus is the Christ to the glory of God, the Father.

All ancient and modern historians point to Him. Everything is dated either B. C. or A. D. Christ stands in the center, and all who wrote before Christ pointed forward to Him, and all who have written since His advent into the world point back to Him. The infidel who writes a book or pamphlet trying to prove that Jesus is not the Christ, points to Him when he dates his work. We say, "such an one wrote so many years B. C.; such a king reigned at a certain period B. C.; he wrote, or lived or reigned, in the year of our Lord, 500, 1000, 1779, 1889," and thus point to the Christ in so stating.

In all ages since the world began we find men pointing to the Christ. The prophets all spoke of the Messiah. Since His advent into the world all men, whether believers or unbelievers, in all civilized lands, have pointed to Jesus of Nazareth.

The first day of the week is suggestive of the risen Christ. There was a time when man rested on the Seventh or Sabbath day, but since His resurrection the first day of the week is kept in honor of the risen Lord. Truly, Christ attracts or draws all men to Him. Infidels may deny Him, yet they dare not write a book, paper, pamphlet, magazine, tract, deed, mortgage, bond, will, note or letter, sign a receipt or write a bill without dating "A. D.," and in so doing point to the Christ.

How does He draw all men unto Him? He says, "Come unto me," and yet affirms that no man can come unto Him unless the Father who hath sent Him draw him. John 6:44.

How does God draw them? Let Christ answer. "For it is written in the prophets, and they shall all be taught of God." John 6:45. So we learn that God draws men by teaching them.

"Every man, therefore, that hath heard, and hath learned of the Father, cometh unto me." John 6:45. Those who have not been taught cannot come.

"How can they believe in Him of whom they have not heard." "The love of Christ constraineth us." He draws us to Him by love. "We love Him because He first loved us." If we love Him we will do His will, and it is His will that we come to Him for life and salvation. If love draws us to Christ we will serve Him more faithfully.

For several days the South has been draped in mourning. Tomorrow, at 11 a. m., in every Southern town and city business will cease and for four hours silence will reign from the mountain to the gulf, in honor of a fallen chief.

Jefferson Davis was truly a great man, but what was it that made him so great? He was one-pure, genuine love for his dear native land. The love for the South enabled him to wear his chains as nobly as he did his laurels. During the dark days of civil war, in prosperity and adversity, whether surrounded by friends or foes, he manifested his undying love for the South. He died a martyr for the land he loved. And so it is with one who loves his Lord. Every true lover of Christ will serve His God as Jefferson Davis did his country. When the love of Christ—pure, genuine love enters the heart of man it drives out all bitterness, wrath, anger, malice, selfishness, and evil of every kind. Love for Christ and the world, can't grow in the same soil, can't thrive in the same heart.

Shipping News. The steamer Eagle of the E. C. D. line sailed yesterday with full cargo. The Annie of this line will arrive today and sail tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The steamer Howard arrived yesterday from up Trent river with cotton. The schooners Phoenix, M. A. Green, and Hugs, all of Beaufort, are in port to go on Howard's ship railway for repairs.

Striking Notice. In the cars, sometimes a roaring, barking sound, are caused by cats, then 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 it cures by purifying the blood. If you suffer from catarrh, try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the peculiar medicine.

SHALL NEW BERNE PROGRESS? No. 3.

That the proposition to subscribe to the capital stock of the East Carolina Land and Railway Company is a popular one in this community was signally attested by the number and character of the gentlemen who petitioned the Board of Commissioners to order the election, and it is through no fear of the failure of a majority of our citizens to approve this measure at the polls, that prompts these articles, but it is because we wish to arouse such a feeling of general interest as will make the result practically unanimous. To do this it will be necessary to allude to the more important features of the proposition which, although published in full in the New Berne JOURNAL at the time, do not appear to be properly understood by some of our citizens.

The question of this subscription should not be, "how many approve," but "how few disapprove"; that a thing so desirable need only to be properly understood to make every citizen having the welfare of New Berne at heart an enthusiastic supporter and promoter of it. The question of subscribing to, and obtaining increased railway facilities is no longer one of questionable benefits to be derived—too many towns in this State attest the wisdom of the action, and none have been asked to contribute so little for so much prospective benefit. It should be borne in mind as a primary fact that the builders of this line of railway are eminently able, financially, to construct it to New Berne and many miles beyond, but it is justly argued that a community of New Berne's size and importance, that is unwilling to become interested to the extent asked for, is too indifferent to its own needs and would as a consequence be to the interest of a road whose terminus would be located here or which might continue on.

It should not be overlooked or forgotten, that rival interests are seeking to divert this road from us, and should they succeed it would be a sad day for New Berne. Let us now take up the proposition on its merits.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Shields' Reception. The following clipping is taken from the Florida Times-Union, published at Jacksonville. It will be read with interest by many New Bernians who knew Mr. and Mrs. Shields only to love them. Surely they will feel gratified to know of their warm reception in their new home:

"The members of the St. John's parish tendered a reception to their recently installed rector, Rev. V. W. Shields, last night, and one of the most pleasant affairs of the season resulted. The ladies of St. Margaret's guild and the young men of St. Andrew's brotherhood took charge of the decorating of the Sunday-school building, in which the reception was held; the floor was covered with rugs, and the unfinished walls draped and tastefully adorned with palm-leaf leaves and flowers in profusion.

"The vestrymen, acting as ushers, presented the members of the parish and their many friends to the rector and his wife, who stood in a miniature drawing room in the middle of the hall. The choicest refreshments were served by the ladies of the guild, those actively engaged being Mrs. E. L. Davidson, Mrs. Nolan, Mrs. C. S. Adams, Mrs. C. W. Benedict, Mrs. J. M. Barr, Mrs. C. Knight, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Miss Tucker, Christopher, Greening, Abell, Clark and Bacon.

"From 8 o'clock until 10 the hall was well filled with ladies and gentlemen, and many of the younger people of the church, and even after the hour limiting the reception had passed many lingered and chatted for awhile before leaving what had been the scene of such an enjoyable affair.

"The pastors and parishioners of many of the other city churches were also present for the purpose of making the acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Shields, who must have been gratified at the large number of people who called to make their acquaintance thus early."

List of Letters Remaining in the postoffice at New Berne, Craven county, December 14th, 1889.

Sam M. Brown, Mr. Frank W. H. Bassler, Miss Linnie Bryan, B. F. Carter, Miss Sashy Coleman, Mr. Elie Connelly, L. O. Susan Cobbs, N. C. Dudley, Mr. H. J. Fox, Tobias Fulcher, Jane Huns are Eddie Cox, Miss M. E. Hawley, Miss Livia Harris, Mr. T. M. Hafferman, Mr. Sammie Hill, Mrs. Jones are John Hamd, Miss Sallie Jones, Miss Melviny Kees, Miss Mary E. Manly, George T. Midyette, Miss Susan Oliver, Mrs. Buster Parker, Miss Janet L. Miss Sarah Stanley, Rev. G. Stewart, Wm. Sutton, J. H. Warden, Mrs. Sallie Washington, Josephus F. Woodard.

Persons calling for above letters, will say advertised, and give date of list. The regulations now require that one cent shall be collected on the delivery of each letter advertised.

W. E. CLARKE, P. M.

ADVISE TO MOTHERS. Mrs. WHEELER'S **BOOTHING 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.

LATEST NEWS.

Called from the Press Dispatches

THE WORLD'S FAIR. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 13.—A joint resolution was adopted in both houses of the Legislature today urging the Virginia Senators and Representatives in Congress to vote for holding the World's Fair at Washington.

THE HOG ISLAND FLATS. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 13.—The Senate today passed a bill repealing the law opening Hog Island Flats for planting oysters. The effect of the bill will be to abrogate the lease of Lewis, which led to the recent conflict between the dredgers and the Virginia oyster navy.

LONDON Dec. 13.—The mangled body of a woman has been found among the ballast of a vessel at Middlesborough, shipped at Millwall. The head has been found elsewhere. The police suspect that this is another victim of Jack the Ripper, and the presence of the body in the ballast calls new attention to the theory that the successful murderer is a sailor.

The influenza prevails in most of the capitals of Europe. It is generally mild in type. The lectures in Vienna attended by many American students are suspended on account of it.

Kinston Items. The engine for the cotton seed oil mill arrived this morning. The mill is expected to begin operation by Jan. 1st. The owners of the mill have already on hand \$5,000 worth of seed.

We regretted to see Dr. D. S. Harmon, the oculist, leave our town last Wednesday. The Dr. is a clever business man, and he did a good business here. He is now in Wilson, and we understand that he goes to New Berne after leaving Wilson.

Rev. C. L. Arnold of Wilmington has been conducting a series of services at St. Mary's church for the past week. Mr. Arnold is a good speaker and his services are attended with much interest.

Beecham's Pills not like magic on a weak stomach.

OPERA HOUSE. [Benefit of St. John's Lodge.] THREE NIGHTS ONLY, COMMENCING MONDAY, DEC. 16th.

ENGAGEMENT OF THE **S. G. ELY NEW YORK THEATRE CO.** Headed by the charming and versatile little actress, **MISS ANNE LEVELLE.**

In a repertoire of Metropolitan successes, produced with special scenery, superb costumes, and elaborate stage settings. Monday night will be presented a dramatization of Mark Twain's famous novel, **"TOM SAWYER."**

Teeming with interest and bubbling over with fun and music. Popular prices of admission, 15c., 25c. and 50c., and seats can now be reserved without extra charge. d11 td

NORTH CAROLINA. Superior Court, Craven County, December 15th, 1889. Isaac H. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. Lydia A. Smith, Defendant. Notice.

To Lydia A. Smith: Take notice, That an action has been commenced in the said court, entitled as above, for the purpose of obtaining a divorce from the bonds of matrimony between the plaintiff and defendant, and you are required to appear at the Court House in Newbern on the 3d Monday before the 1st Monday in March, A. D. 1890, and answer or demur to the complaint in this action.

E. W. GARFINKLER, Clerk Sup. Court of Craven county, North Carolina. d11 td

SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS. 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.

Mules. I have just received a car load of Mules, which will be disposed of on most reasonable terms. Call and see them. d14 dt 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. Apply to R. C. KEHOE, At his office or house, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. nov13 dt

DR. G. K. BAGBY, SURGEON DENTIST. Office, Middle street, opposite Baptist church. d14 dt NEWBERN, N. C.

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WINES. Old Burgundy Port, Old Supperong, Old Sherry, Blackberry, Madeira, Claret, St. Julian, Rhine Wine, California Angelica Wine.

RUM. New England, West India, Jamaica.

BRANDIES. Apple, Peach, French (James Hennessy), Garretts Cognac Brandy, Cherry, Blackberry, Ginger.

GIN. Holland and Domestic.

BEER, ALE, Etc., Etc. The Bergner & Engel Brewing Co.'s Celebrated Lager Beer, Imported Ale and Porter, Claussen & Son's Export Beer, Wm. McEwan's India Pale Ale from Edinburgh.

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Cordials, Angostina Bitters, Imported and Domestic Champagne. Agent for I. Calvin Shafter Wild Cherry Rock and Rye.

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WE ALSO MANUFACTURE Ginger Ale, Sarsaparilla, Lemon Soda, California Pear Older and Water. Our Ginger Ale is equal to any imported and superior to any produced in the State. Orders promptly filled and guaranteed. **JAMES REDMOND.** aug14 dt