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PATENT CLOTHES LINE—Clothes cannot be blown off. No pins. Sample can be seen at the Cotton Exchange.

On Tuesday Senator William B. Allison was re-elected to the United States Senate by the Iowa Legislature.

THE Republicans have probably saved Illinois for 1892, but they have lost New York.—Philadelphia Record.

THE Pittsburg Times thinks Western North Carolina will become the great steel centre of this continent.

MUNICIPAL elections were held in several Iowa cities on Monday. The Democrats were generally successful and made gains everywhere.

THE New York World pathetically declares that "the diversion of the World's Fair from New York means the loss of \$250,000,000 to its business men and workmen."

THE Supreme Court is one of those antiquated bodies of gentlemen who still adhere to the opinion that there is such a thing as State Sovereignty.

FLORIDA claims to have exported in six months in 1889 \$18,468,001 worth of products. Among the items of export were 2,700,000 pounds of sugar, 12,500 head of cattle, 140,000,000 cigars, lumber and timber valued at \$9,111,470 and \$305,000 worth of sponges.

AND what do the people think of Harrison himself? No newspaper of any party and no member of Congress ever mentions him as a possible candidate for re-election at the end of his term.

"A SOCIETY has been formed in England the object of which is to extend aid and sympathy for the Russian soldiers in Siberia. It will have branches in various English cities. We may soon hear of the forming at St. Petersburg of an association for the amelioration of the condition of the Irish tenantry, with branches at Moscow and Odessa."

SEVEN Democrats, including Senator Eastie, voted for the confirmation of Henry C. Warmouth as Collector of Customs at New Orleans. Warmouth has been regarded the most unscrupulous of carpet baggers, and we may suppose that in voting for his confirmation Democrats were influenced by a desire to make the Harrison administration as odious as possible.

THE North and East are crowded, compared with the western and southern sections, while the natural resources of the North and Northeast are less capable of sustaining

a crowded population, than the other sections. It is natural that, with the boundless opportunities presented by the South and West, these sections should be sought by many from the more crowded localities. The facts bear out the theory, and the center of population of the country is gradually moving South-westward. From a political standpoint, this is beneficial to the whole country.—Charlotte Chronicle.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. L. J. TAYLOR—Seed peas for sale. W. P. BURRUS & Co.—Commission merchant, etc.

Five new pupils have entered Vance Academy this week.

There were ten bales of cotton sold at the Exchange yesterday at 10 to 10 1/2.

The Commercial Row merchants are taking in a good many five-cent checks from the canning factory hands.

Mr. Carter who was so badly cut by a negro man at Mr. Broadus' mill, the other day, was reported improving a little yesterday.

Considerable fertilizer is coming in over the various freight lines, and is being sold and distributed to the farmers throughout the country.

The fishermen were in good spirits yesterday. Shad were selling higher than they had for the preceding two weeks, and the catch was a little larger than usual. Roe sold at retail for \$1 per pair; bucks fifty cents.

Mr. J. M. Harget will leave New Berne Monday morning with a team of wagons and a squad of one hundred hands with implements to join the Wilmington and Onslow railroad force in constructing the line on to New Berne.

Capsized. The schooner Susan, bound from Bayboro to New Berne, when opposite Gun Thicket, the lower part of Neuse river, was struck by a squall and completely capsized. Capt. Davis of the steamer Eslet witnessed the accident and went promptly to the rescue of the captain and crew, bringing the latter to New Berne, the captain reaching shore in a small boat and returning to Bayboro.

Wanted in Philadelphia. It seems that the crowd of gamblers who visited New Berne last week and got into trouble are a hard set. Some of them are pretty well known. Mayor Williams received yesterday the following telegram:

PHILADELPHIA, March 6, 1890. To Mayor of New Berne, N. C.: Richard Harris now in your custody is wanted here on charge of conspiracy under name of Richard Oxford. Will you hold him until we get requisition? If he will come voluntarily will send officer at once. Answer.

CHAS. W. WOOD, Chief of Detective Bureau. The "fakes" didn't find us at "green" in New Berne.

Work of Lightning. A thunder squall passed over the city about 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The air was full of electricity and the lightning flashed sharply. At the offices of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad, the result of the storm came near being very serious. The lightning was conducted by the telegraph wire into the office and several files of papers hanging on the wall near the place at which the wire entered the building were ignited. The papers were burned and a board (inserted in the plastering) on which the files hung was burned in several places. If the wall had been all wood the house would probably have been burned. The ground wire was on, but the current of electricity was so great that it could not be conducted into the ground.

Death of Capt. E. B. Page. News of the death of Capt. E. B. Page, which occurred at his home near Trenton, Jones county, on Wednesday night, was received here yesterday. Capt. Page had been in poor health for some time, and had been confined to his bed for about a month, being afflicted with Bright's disease of the kidneys and dropsy of the liver. He was aged about fifty years. Capt. Page was well known in this section of the State, and had many friends. The Kinston-Free Press, speaking of him, says: "Capt. Page was a prominent Republican, and was postmaster at Kinston during Grant's administration. During Garfield's administration he was Deputy Internal Revenue Collector. For several years he was a conductor on the A. & N. O. R. R. In 1883 he represented Jones county in the Legislature. Capt. Page was a popular man. He had a number of relatives here and many friends here and elsewhere who sincerely mourn his departure."

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

MARCH 4th, 1890. A regular meeting of the Board of City Council was held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, Mayor Williams presiding. Present: Councilmen Lane, Crawford, Ellis, Bishop and Kennedy.

The Marshal's report was read and on motion received and adopted: We have made 28 arrests during the month; 8 were dismissed and 20 convicted. Fines collected, \$38; cost \$4.85. Total, \$69.93. One-half the above cost \$23.47 was deducted for my fees. Jas. T. Lewis, C. M.

The Mayor made the following report which was read and adopted: MAYOR'S REPORT. To the Hon. Board of City Council I beg leave to submit the following report: Police have made 27 arrests; 20 convicted, 8 dismissed. Fines imposed, \$30.00; costs, \$50.80; total, \$80.80. Streets—Are in good condition. Sanitary—Good.

Fire Department—The Atlantic engine needs some repairs. I recommend that the work be done, subject to the supervision of the engineer. Fire District—Messrs. Moore & Brady ask to be allowed to extend their building on East Front street. I recommend that the request be granted.

I made a raid on the gamblers in Mr. James W. Moore's saloon, and arrested several parties, some of which are now in jail. One was let go by the deputy sheriff. I think the city should help in the prosecution, and see that the law be enforced.

In consequence of so much having been said about the electric lights, I sent to New York for a list of prices paid by the different cities in the United States, which I herewith attach. Respectfully, R. P. WILLIAMS, Mayor.

CONTRACT FOR MUNICIPAL ARC LIGHTS. Place. Term of No. of Light Contract. Lights, per yr.

Table with columns: Place, Term of Contract, No. of Lights, and Price per year. Includes entries for New Haven, Conn., Wilmington, Del., Tampa, Fla., Atlanta, Ga., Columbus, Ga., Savannah, Ga., Texarkana, Ark., Pueblo, Col., Trinidad, Col., Indianapolis, Ind., Leavenworth, Mo., Louisville, Ky., New Orleans, La., Lowell, Mass., Fall River, Mass., Salem, Mass., Worcester, Mass., Adrian, Mich., Albion, Mich., Battle Creek, Mich., Detroit, Mich., East Saginaw, Mich., Grand Rapids, Mich., Jackson, Mich., St. Cloud, Minn., Natchez, Miss., Kansas City, Mo., Nevada, Mo., Sedalia, Mo., St. Louis, Mo., Manchester, N. H., Camden, N. J., Salem, N. J., Trenton, N. J., Albany, N. Y., Brooklyn, N. Y., New York City, N. Y., Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Rochester, N. Y., Syracuse, N. Y., Carson City, Nev., Dayton, Ohio, Springfield, O., Toledo, O., Altoona, Pa., Harrisburg, Pa., Lancaster, Pa., Pittsburgh, Pa., Providence, R. I., Nashville, Tenn., Rutland, Vt., Ellensburg, Wash., Milwaukee, Wis., Montreal, Que.,

Councilman Kennedy read the following petition: NEW BERNE, N. C., March 4, 1890. The citizens of that portion of the city known as Farmville respectfully petition the Mayor and Board of Councilmen to give them a pump near the corner of Brown and Northwest streets.

H. P. KENNEDY, IN BEHALF OF MANY CITIZENS. On motion of Councilman Ellis, the tax collector was instructed to pay the vouchers held by the Atlantic engine company, for property purchased by the city.

The following bills were allowed: E. P. Williams, Mayor, \$38.33; F. Ulrich, Treasurer, \$16.04; Jas. T. Lewis, Marshal, \$25; J. E. Gaskill, policeman, \$30; M. F. Roberts, policeman, \$30; Thomas Williams, policeman, \$30; J. L. Willis, special policeman, \$30; John O. Green, engineer, \$25; W. E. Waters, engineer, \$25; David Stallings, sexton, \$30; Robt. W. Williams, sexton, \$30; James Lucas, janitor rough and ready company, \$5; New Berne Academy, rents, \$5; Clark & Clark, City Attorneys, \$16.66; Atlantic engine company, feed for jumper horse, \$10; New Berne engine company, feed for jumper horse, \$10; Prince Hyman, lighting 3 lamps, \$5; James O. Harrison, lighting 3 lamps, \$3.25; Merritt Whitley, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; T. F. McCarthy, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; Geo. Richardson, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; Paul Williams, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; John Collins, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; Braxton Latham, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; Saline Williams, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; Wm. Bell, lighting 1 lamp, 75 cents; O. Erdmann, rent Mechanics' block and ladder company house, \$10; E. E. Discoway, rent of Odd Fellow's Hall, \$23.50; New Berne Gas Company,

gas, \$23.50; New Berne JOURNAL, printing miscellaneous, \$1.33; Tremont Lumber Mills, lumber for streets and pumps, \$19.74; Jas. T. Lewis, feeding prisoners, \$5.45; Jonas McDaniel, shoeing horses, \$5.25; J. A. Meadows, feed for Atlantic engine horses three months, \$63.88; J. A. Meadows, feed for New Berne engine horses, three months, \$64.85; F. Ulrich, sundry bills, \$3.89; F. Ulrich, Treasurer, orders paid street and pump hands and engine drivers, \$163.33; N. S. Richardson, printing cemetery permits, &c., \$5.50; Whitty & Gates, sundry bills, \$18.80; W. S. Phillips, making harness, &c., \$13.10; Atlantic engine company, city property purchased, \$200. Total, \$1,023.90.

The Electric Light committee was requested to meet at the City Hall tomorrow evening at 4 o'clock. The minutes were read and approved. On motion, the meeting adjourned. R. P. WILLIAMS Mayor. SILAS FULCHER, Clerk.

MARCH 5th, 1890. The Committee on Lights met at the City Hall this evening at 3:30 o'clock. Present: Mayor Williams, Councilman Lane, Burrus, Crawford, Kennedy and Ellis.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting, and after the matter was discussed Councilman Kennedy made the following motion which was adopted: That the Mayor be instructed to make the contract with the New Berne Electric Light and Power Company for a term of five years, at the following price: \$106 66 2/3 per month, payable monthly, for 87 electric lights to be placed at points to be designated by the Council.

R. P. WILLIAMS, Mayor. SILAS FULCHER, Clerk. Shipping News. The steamer Esplet, of the E. C. D. line, arrived yesterday with cargo of general merchandise and will sail at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The Annie of this line will arrive tomorrow.

The steamer Kinston arrived last night from Kinston with cotton, etc. The steamer Mantec, of the O. D. line, will sail at 9 o'clock today for Norfolk.

Personal. Mr. W. F. Stanly, General Manager N. R. N. Company, arrived on steamer Kinston last night. Miss Lillian Roberts returned last night from a visit to Salisbury.

LATEST NEWS. Culled from the Press Dispatches. DEATH OF MINISTER LINCOLN'S SON. LONDON, March 5.—U. S. Minister Lincoln's son died at 11.07 o'clock this morning. During the morning the lad was in a comatose condition. He was unable to retain nourishment, and the doctors stated definitely that his death was merely a question of a few hours. He suffered no pain. Mr. Lincoln and his family were at the bedside of the dying boy from early in the morning until he died. He passed away quietly.

HEAVY SNOW IN VIRGINIA. HARRISONBURG, VA., March 5.—A heavy snow storm set in about noon and snow is still coming fast and furious. It bids fair to be the heaviest storm of the year.

STANTON, VA., March 5.—A snow storm prevailed all day, falling to the depth of four inches, but it melted rapidly.

HIGH WATERS CAUSE CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE. NASHVILLE, March 5.—Heavy rains and floods for the past two weeks throughout the South, especially in Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama, have caused high water in all streams and rivers and considerable damage by overflows and back-water.

The lower portion of this city is submerged, forcing many people to vacate their homes located in inundated portions of the city. Railroad lines, although at one time threatened, have passed the danger line. Through traffic has not been much impeded, but swollen streams and the impassable condition of the country roads has virtually prevented the movement of local traffic, which of necessity has affected the business of railroads for the past two days.

The loss of the Tennessee river bridge at Johnsonville, by the Nashville and Chattanooga road, has afforded the only serious impediment to through travel through Memphis, trains being now run over the Louisville and Nashville via Guthrie, making about the same time.

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Cross and White at Work. Cross and White were yesterday turned over by the sheriff to W. G. Allen, superintendent of the workhouse. In the afternoon they were transferred to the gang at work in this township, on the roads, under Mr. McMackin. The latter told me today that Cross and White were right at work, uncomplainingly and in earnest. It is quite probable that a petition will be made for the shortening of their terms of sentence. They naturally have many sympathizers, and White has petitions with hundreds of signatures.—Corr. Wil. Messenger.

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Notice. COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, CRAVEN CO., New Berne, March 5, 1890. Sealed proposals for listing the taxes for the present year in the various townships of Craven county will be received at this office until the first Monday in April next.

The Commissioners reserve to themselves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Board of Commis'rs. JOHN A. RICHARDSON, Reg. of Deeds and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

An Open Letter. MANOR, GA., Feb. 16, 1890. SIR MR. BIG AIK, Newbern, N. C.: Sir I will write to you asking you what is the Steward of Soste of Cloth what is the Price of them good Clothing send me the Zamppe of them and I will send for some of them Your truly A. H. L. Midgett write soon in hast to me.

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Note This! That A. E. HIBBARD has opened a place of business at Hall's book store, second door south of corner Pollock and Middle streets. He is prepared to do all kinds of repairing on Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Satisfaction guaranteed on all work. fe21 d1m

FLOUR-CORN. I have a small lot of this REMARKABLE CORN for sale at W. R. BARRINGTON'S in New Berne, and also at W. H. SAWYER'S in Bayboro. It makes as good and as palatable flour as ordinary wheat, and will on rich land make a larger yield than common corn, as it succors abundantly and they bear well. One grain to the hill. It yields more fodder than the common corn. If it doesn't do what is said of it, the purchase money will be refunded, if put on good land. It will be on exhibition at the New Berne Fair.

JAS. M. PATRICK, Institute, N. C. Received Today: 10,000 More of Those Celebrated 'Old Virginia Cheroots.'

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