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BUSINESS LOCALS.

HAIR BRUSHES, tooth brushes, nail brushes, wash brushes, bath brushes, bath towels, 4711 Cologne, Gooding's Cologne, Imported Bay Rum, and a full line of Drugs, patent medicines, etc. SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO FAMILY RECIPES AND PRESCRIPTIONS. At (July 2-4) E. J. GOODING'S.

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NEW BATH HOUSE—Now open at the foot of Broad street. Towels furnished. Gents, 10c. Boys, 5c. Season ticket, \$1.50.

CHATHAM and Brower both voted for the force bill.

ANOTHER unavailing conference over the silver bill was held Thursday morning.

PRESIDENT HARRISON has approved the bill admitting Idaho into the Union.

WHEN a man's house is on fire it is no time to send to Jones to know if he won't thresh wheat next week on better terms than Smith has offered. Pat out the fire!

RAH for Grover Cleveland. Of seventy-six delegates to the Illinois Democratic Convention interviewed, seventy-five were for the honest and brave ex-President.—Wilmington Messenger.

A LONDON special July 3. says: All indications point to a determined effort led by Mr. Howard Vincent in the British parliament, to discriminate against United States export, in retaliation for the McKinley tariff bill.

EIGHT Democrats were absent from their post and failed to vote against the Federal Election bill. These men would find the rural districts better suited to their habits than the halls of Congress. Some men manage to be fearfully out of place.

In view of the opposition as yet dormant, the Chronicle believes that every county in the State and every part of the State ought to be made double sure and his friends everywhere ought to see to it that every Democratic candidate is an enthusiastic Vance man.—State Chronicle.

THE passage of the Federal Election Law by the House of Representatives is no surprise to us. It is the last desperate attempt to keep the Republican party in power, but it will not accomplish its object. The finger of Fate has written "Take!" on the wall, and all ocean's waters cannot wash it out.

THE passage of the Federal election bill imposes upon the South grave responsibilities and important duties. It is the trumpet blast that calls us to stand by sacred right with undying faith and unflinching resolution. No possible condition of human affairs can justify the exhibition of a craven spirit. Manhood must be the distinguishing characteristic of the South.

THE increased attention given in this State to agricultural fairs, is an evidence of progress in agriculture, and also of a growing pride in it. People who are not proud of their work, will not take much interest in exhibiting it. This growing interest is not confined to the white, but is shown also by the colored people, who annually conduct a very creditable fair at Raleigh. The Newbern JOURNAL announces that there will be held in that city August 26th to 29th, a Colored Industrial Stock and Fruit Fair, the first held there, the association having been but recently formed. Liberal premiums are offered, and from the efforts being made and the interest evinced, the indications are that the fair will be a good one. Is this commendable movement the colored people should have not only the moral, but the substantial support and encouragement of the white people.—Wilmington Star.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. BOYD—Beats them all.

BELL—Wonderful discovery.

W. L. PALMER—A fortune, etc.

The city treasurer's report was crowded out this issue. It will appear Tuesday.

Rev. J. Francis George, of Connecticut, will preach at the morning service in Christ church today.

The Electric Light Company has placed a metre in the Hotel Albert to measure the electricity used.

The management of the Jarman Ice Factory has kindly consented to furnish ice for the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoons.

There was a tremendous colored excursion to Morehead City from Goldsboro on the Fourth. There were ten cars, jammed and packed.

The Button Baseball Club, colored, played the Goldsboro Club yesterday morning at the fair grounds, defeating them with the score three to one.

The Democrats of the 8th township outside of the city met yesterday and elected Messrs. Nathan Tisdale and J. E. Wilcox delegates to the county convention which meets next Saturday the 12th inst.

After the game of base ball Friday the Star Club came around and tendered their greetings and cheers to the JOURNAL office. They are a manly set of boys and worthy of all the praise bestowed upon them.

The Mayor wishes to congratulate the city on the good order that prevailed on the 4th of July. Although there were thousands of visitors and festivals and other gatherings on such occasions, not a single case of disorder in the city has been reported.

The eleventh annual meeting of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association will meet at Morehead Tuesday. Our young townsman, G. R. Thomas, Jr., Esq., delivers the address of welcome. The Association will be in session three days.

We have a catalogue of the New Berne Collegiate Institute for 1890-'91. It is a neat book of thirty-eight pages, giving full information concerning the school. We are pleased to learn from Prof. Adams that the prospects for next year are encouraging.

Election of Democratic Executive Committee of 8th Township.

The Democrats of the 8th township of Craven county met at the court house yesterday for the purpose of electing an Executive committee of said township for the ensuing two years. The meeting was called to order by Mr. W. P. Metts. For permanent organization S. R. Street was elected chairman and E. E. Harper, secretary. After stating the object of the meeting the following names were put in nomination: J. J. Baxter, E. W. Smallwood, S. R. Street, Asa Jones, Nathan Tisdale, W. P. Burrus, W. F. Rountree, Jas. McSorley, W. P. Metts and Enoch Wadsworth. A vote by ballot resulted in the election of Messrs. Baxter, Smallwood, Street, Jones and Tisdale.

Personal.

Prof. G. T. Adams has returned from Trenton and other sections of Jones county where he has been in the interest of the Collegiate Institute.

Mr. T. A. Green's family, Mrs. Bates, Mr. P. Ulrich's family and Mr. L. J. Moore's family have gone to Morehead for a month.

Mr. H. A. Whiteing, general manager of the Wilmington and Onslow Railroad, came over from Jacksonville yesterday morning and returned on the Atlantic road for Wilmington.

Er. H. E. Knox of New York was in the city yesterday and left last evening.

Mr. Pittman, civil engineer of the Wilmington and Onslow railroad was in the city yesterday and went to Pollockville last night.

Dr. R. W. Ward, of Jacksonville, was in the city yesterday.

Tommy Wilburn, who has been a cripple since early childhood, has been to Baltimore for scientific treatment and has returned much improved.

Senator Z. B. Vance and Mrs. Vance are sojourning at Morehead.

We noticed the following New Bernians on the train for Morehead yesterday afternoon: Miss Maud Sanders, Mr. J. W. Stewart, Mrs. J. O. Green and children, Miss Manie Simmons, Mrs. S. L. Dill and children, Messrs. T. S. Howard and J. M. Howard.

Rev. T. P. Ricard has returned from Mt. Olive.

Rev. E. C. Bowen, of Williamston, passed through the city yesterday. He had been at North River Church, Carteret county, where an interesting revival has been in progress. A church was organized with twenty-one members.

The Wilmington and Onslow Railroad. It will please our readers to know that on Saturday Messrs. H. A. Whiteing, General Manager, Judge Henry E. Knox General counsel, Capt. F. L. Pittman, chief engineer, and Dr. R. W. Ward, resident director, of the Wilmington, East Carolina and Onslow Railroad were in the city prospecting for and locating the line of the road from Jacksonville to New Berne. The gentlemen of Denver, Colorado, associated with them, who came over the line from Wilmington, left on the early morning train for the North.

There is no longer any doubt about the building of this line between New Berne and Wilmington. The purchase of the Norfolk and Edenton Railroad by the Pennsylvania System, the determination to bridge the Chowan river and come on to Washington and New Berne settles all difficulties and solves all doubts as regards the New York, Norfolk and Charleston, of which the Wilmington, New Berne and Onslow is the most important link.

We are very happy to record the progress of the practical move of earnest development for the benefit of our section; and as we have for ten years striven for the promotion of Craven, Jones, Onslow, Lenoir, Greene, Pitt, Beaufort, Carteret, Hyde, Pamlico, and contiguous territory, the JOURNAL feels that it could not make a happier announcement to all its friends, than this, that according to all tangible appearances the next two years will see Edenton, Plymouth, Elizabeth City, Washington, New Berne, Jacksonville and Wilmington on a great through line of railway traffic between Charleston, Wilmington, Norfolk and New York.

Now let us all go to work and so regulate and establish our local industries and developments, as to the most ready take advantage of these unexpected facilities that have been quietly developing by the aid of some of our wide-awake citizens, while the majority of us slept, all unconscious that the spirit of public enterprise was alive in our midst.

The City and the Electric Lights.

Mr. R. P. Williams has a communication in this issue claiming that our comment on the resolution passed by the city council relative to the contract with the Electric Light Co. is grossly inaccurate and that it does the board a serious injury. It will require far-fetched reasoning to find any injustice in the item, in fact it is so far that not a single councilman on whom Mr. Williams says the injury has been inflicted, has mentioned it to us.

Our statement was that the board proposed to pay the Electric Light Co. for the light actually furnished and to declare the contract null and void if the proposition was rejected. There is no inference here whatever that the board will not pay for 1200 candle power lights if they are proven to be such. They are only willing to pay for the light actually furnished which they believe to be but 775-1200 of the amount contracted for. This is just and proper. Mr. Williams says that he does not intend to permit the councilmen to sail under false colors and deceive the people in their strenuous efforts to run the electric lights off and restore the city to impenetrable darkness which prevailed when it was lighted by gas. We have seen no effort on the part of the board to run the electric lights off because there is no reason why they should. They only require, as it is their duty, that the city shall pay for lights in accordance to contract.

Electric lights were established in New Berne because they are an improvement and an advancement on any other system of lighting. They give better light, are less trouble, and are said to be much healthier than any other method. Besides, speaking for ourselves, they are cheaper.

If there has been any gross inaccuracy committed, it is by Mr. Williams himself when he says that the city is in impenetrable darkness when lighted by gas. We would not pretend to say that the city was not better lighted under the present process than formerly, but that does not necessitate that we were in utter darkness before. The gas manufactured here is of good quality and has given satisfaction where gas was wanted.

The Electric Light Company claims that the contract is being complied with and invites an investigation which ought to be done by the city. It is not right for the company's bills to be delayed if they are fulfilling contract.

The Great Benefit

Which people in run down state of health derive from Hood's Sarsaparilla conclusively proves that this medicine "makes the weak strong." It does not act like a stimulant, imparting feebly strength, but Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up in a perfectly natural way all the weakened parts, purifies the blood, and assists to healthy action those important organs, the kidneys and liver.

The Elm City vs. the Washington Stars.

When it was announced that the Washington Stars were coming to New Berne to play the Elm City Base Ball Club on the Fourth of July a great deal of interest was immediately shown. The Stars have been starring considerably lately and have gotten the reputation of cleaning up things right and left, in fact it had been asserted that they knew no defeat.

The Elm City Club heard all this kind of talk going on and felt a little weak about the knees, nevertheless they could entertain no such idea as letting such small boys as composed the Washington Club handle them. They went on the field that evening with the determination, as much as they admired the Washington boys, to carry the day. The youthful looking Stars, with their cheerful countenances and gentlemanly bearing, were attired in red uniform. The game had been called only a short while when they discovered that they had met a foe man worthy their steel.

From the beginning the game was exciting and held the attention of the large assemblage. Both in the field and at the bat there was some fine work done and very few errors detected.

The first inning scored our boys one, the third two, the sixth two more, and still the Stars had nought. Instead of exhibiting any discouragement, the plucky little Washingtonians nerved themselves up the more and the next inning brought them showers of applause when they made a clear score of three. At the close of the game the Elm City stood 7 to the Stars 3. It was undoubtedly one of the best played and most interesting games of the season. The good and jovial spirit displayed by the Stars has still further endeared our boys to their neighbor, Washington. It has been said that anybody could stand success, but few know how to face defeat. No more beautiful illustration could be made of it than was in this instance.

Running and Hurdle Races.

The running and hurdle races at the fair grounds Friday were very interesting and added much to the enjoyment of the exercises. In the hurdle race Mr. Tom Daniels, the champion runner of the State, came out ahead, making the run of a hundred yards in 12.45 seconds. Mr. Chas. McSorley was second. Mr. C. B. Foy won in the junior dash in 11.45 seconds. Mr. Z. Potts, of the Star club, was next. There were six entries in the Senior dash, and it was on this race that the principal interest had centered. Every runner was known to be fleet, but no one thought there was a competitor for Mr. Daniels, and there was not as the result proved. Daniels, though starting ten feet behind the others, ran ahead of them all, making the remarkable time of 10.34 seconds. Mr. Frank Scheelky was second.

Fourth of July at Morehead.

We spent Friday night very pleasantly at Morehead. The fourth of July exercises took place at the Atlantic Hotel. Clement Manly, Esq., presided. After the orchestra played a national air, Rev. Dr. Massey, of Virginia, offered prayer. Major Eugene Harrell read the Declaration of Independence.

Mr. J. E. Robinson, of the Goldsboro Argus, was the orator, and the audience seemed to be glad of it, for his address was listened to with close attention. His subject was (in our own words), our independence and liberty, and how to preserve them. The subject was treated in a gifted manner and the audience was interested and highly entertained.

Senator Vance and Hon. T. J. Jarvis were called on for speeches, but Mr. Vance had participated in the "glories of the Fourth" at Raleigh that morning, having been the orator, and he excused himself. Mr. Jarvis merely announced that the fireworks would immediately take place, and the audience adjourned to the piazza of the hotel and to the pavilion.

The fireworks were beautiful on the water and everybody was delighted.

Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford.

PROMPT PAYMENT OF DEATH CLAIMS.

In a few days after the receipt of the proof-of-death papers of Col. Anderson, of Raleigh, the amount of policy on his life in the Connecticut Mutual was paid in full.

On the 24th of June Mr. Wait, the general agent sent proof-of-death papers in the case of Mr. I. H. Kingsbury, of Raleigh N. C. On the 28th of June the amount of the policy \$5,000 was paid to Mrs. Elizabeth L. Kingsbury.

Shortly after the death of Rev. Dr. Mann, of New Berne, Mr. William H. Oliver furnished the proof-of-death paper in his case, and in a few days he was notified the company was ready to pay the claim, only awaiting the appointment of a guardian for the minor children.

Such promptness is commendable.

Fourth of July Accident.

Little Willie Wilburn, ten years of age, and his cousin Emma Rideout, a three-year old child, are suffering severe pain from an accident which happened to them on Friday. During the morning Willie asked his mother repeatedly for money to buy powder. He was refused the money; but he seemed determined to have some powder and went down town and earned five cents, bought the powder and went home to have his fun. With his little cousin and some of his friends, who, it seems, also had some powder, he was playing in the yard. The powder and some fire-crackers and matches were in a cigar box. The children were playing around the box, lighting crackers and carefully using the fire, when a spark dropped into the box and an explosion followed.

The boy's face was terribly burned and the calves of his legs badly burned, while the little girl's legs were very badly burned and her face sustained severe injuries.

Dr. Chas. Duffy was called and he administered medicines to alleviate the pain. The wounds are not considered dangerous, but they must be very painful indeed.

Church Services Today.

Hancock Street Methodist Church, Sunday, July 6th—Services at 11 a. m. and 8.15 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting at 9.15 a. m. Sunday-school at 4 p. m. W. R. Barrington superintendent. The public are invited to these services and will receive a cordial welcome.

Christ Church—Rev. T. M. N. George, rector. Fifth Sunday after Trinity. Service, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 a. m. Evening prayer 8.15 p. m. The public are cordially invited to attend these services, and will be shown to seats by attentive ushers. Sunday school at the chapel, 9.30 a. m., and at the church 5 p. m.

Baptist Church—Rev. H. W. Battle, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., C. C. Clark, superintendent. Public invited to attend these services.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. L. C. Vass, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 6 p. m. Communion of the Lord's Supper at 11 a. m. Sabbath school at 9.30 a. m., Wm. Hollister superintendent. Young men's prayer meeting on Monday, 8.30 p. m. Services on Thursday night at 8 p. m. The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

Centenary M. E. Church—Rev. R. A. Willis, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Communion at morning service. Men's prayer meeting at 9.15 a. m. Sunday-school at 4 p. m., J. K. Willis, supt. Prayer meeting on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend all these services.

Church of Christ, Hancock street—L. L. Chestnut pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 4 p. m. Roscoe Nunn supt. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Baptist Mission Station, Market Dock—Morning services at 9.30 o'clock, H. B. Smith, leader. Afternoon services at 5.30 o'clock, J. C. Whitty leader. Regular prayer meeting services every Wednesday night. The public generally are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Y. M. C. A.—Services at 6 o'clock. Leader J. S. Thomas. Subject, "Conscience and Character." All men are invited.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Str. Esplet, of E. C. D. line, with cargo of general merchandise, from E. City.

Str. Newberne, Pritchett O. D. line, (last night), from Norfolk, with cargo of merchandise and passengers.

Schr. Predmore, Ament, from E. City, light.

CLEARED.

Schr. Eunice Reynolds, MoNeal, with cargo lumber, by Moody & Co., to Morris Blades & Bro., E. City.

Str. Deffiance, of Clyde line, with lumber, shingles, etc., for Baltimore.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Schr. Eaglet, Capt. Weeks.

Schr. Pecora, Capt. Douglas.

Schr. E. K. Wilson, Capt. Lupton.

Schr. Predmore, Capt. Agent.

Schr. Carrie Farson, Capt. —

Schr. Addie Henry, Capt. —

NOTES.

Steamer Eagle, of the E. C. D. line, will sail tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock for Elizabeth City. The Vesper of this line, will arrive today.

Steamer Newberne, of the O. D. line, will sail for Norfolk tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

"Why, now I cannot get enough to eat," says one lady who formerly had no appetite, but took Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The City and the Electric Lights.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—You state in your issue of Thursday that "at a meeting of the board of councilmen last Tuesday night a resolution was adopted proposing to pay the Electric Light Company for the light actually furnished, and declaring the contract null and void if this proposition is rejected." This statement is grossly inaccurate and does the board of councilmen a serious injury. I think, Mr. Editor, that any body of men which professes to have a reasonable amount of business ability and which has the ingenuity and assurance to formulate and adopt the resolution which the board did pass about the electric lights, should have full credit for their work. Here is this masterpiece:

"Resolved, this board believes that the electric lights, as furnished the city of New Berne by the New Berne Electric Light and Power Company are not to exceed 775 candle power, we therefore offer to said Electric Light and Power Company 775-1200 of the amount as claimed by them in their regular monthly bills. If, however, the said Electric Light and Power Company refuse to accept this offer, and upon investigation the lights are found to be less than 1,200 candle power, then we will declare the contract with said Electric Light and Power Company null and void."

I for one do not intend to permit the board of councilmen to sail under false colors and deceive the people in their strenuous efforts to run the Electric Light Company off, and restore our city to the impenetrable darkness which prevailed when it was lighted by gas. The Electric Light Company insist that the contract with the city is being fully complied with, and cordially invites an investigation. If the board honestly believes that the contract is being violated, why does it not have the investigation and then base its demands upon the result of that investigation? Or if the board has organized itself into a guessing school, why did it not require the Electric Company to make a reduction of 600-1200 of the contract price? This is a much more inspiring fraction, and renders the calculation much simpler. But perhaps the board has an abiding faith in odd numbers, and has therefore determined to tempt chance with the alluring fractions 775-1200. I desire to congratulate the city of New Berne upon having a board of councilmen whose united power of vision is so keen and accurate that it can determine by a glance of the naked eye that our electric lights lack just 425 candle power (not one more nor one less) of furnishing a 1,200 candle power light.

Mr. Editor, it is a very great mistake for the members of the Board to assume that because they have entered political life they are required to deal with every one with whom their position brings them in contact in a spirit of unfairness and injustice. Let the Board have an investigation and if it should appear that the company is not furnishing the lights contracted for, it will be fair and just both to the city and the electric light company for the board to decline to pay for more light than it is receiving. Permit me to add that the Electric Light Company knows that it has complied with its contract, and will be amply able to establish the fact before the proper tribunal if such a necessity should arise, which it sincerely hopes will not.

R. P. WILLIAMS.

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