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PRICE 5 CENTS.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

TWENTY-EIGHT more boxes of fine Florida Oranges arrived direct by yesterday's freight. Will be sold cheap by the box or at retail.

NUMA NUNN.
Near the Postoffice.
dec91-14] **ARMOUR'S** Dressed Beef, Finest Dressed Turkey in the city this season, and Fine Bologna, at J. F. Ives. In cold storage.
Dec. 20, 1890.

I WILL have 30 cords of dry pine wood at the depot, to sell at retail.
Monday.
dec19-8] **M. PORTER.**

KID GLOVES—O. Marks, sole agent for the celebrated Foster Lacing Kid Gloves, has just received today a large line, all shades and sizes. Every pair warranted. Price only \$1.00; guaranteed to be as good as any \$1.25 glove. Just what any lady will want for a Christmas present.
[dec19-1w]

A SPLENDID DISPLAY of HOLIDAY GOODS can be seen at the New Drug Store, Middle Street.
[dec19-1w] **C. C. GREEN.**

MINCE MEAT. English Plum Pudding, Choccolate, Tapioca, Evaporated Apples, Prunes, Dried Apples, Improved Jelly, Gelatin, Preserved Ginger, Raisins, Citrus, Currants, Nuts, Candy, Small Haus, Brandy, Strips, Family Corned Beef, Canned Sardines, Lard & Peppermint Sauce, Tomato Catsup, Capers, Curry Powders, White Beans, Rolled Oats, Crushed Wheat, Hominy, Macaroni, Yucca, Spices, Dried Herbs, Baked Roasted Coffee, Fine Tea, Cocoa, Baked Beef Tongues, Chipped Beef, Canned Goods. All fresh.
[dec19-1w] **C. E. SLOVEN.**

HOLIDAY GOODS have burst into developed life; a cleaner, fresher stock you can't find. Extracts, Toilet Waters, Cologne, 4711, Sachet, Powder, and a nice line of Plush Goods. Good Wash Brooms at 15c. No just to your purse; consult our collection. The case is simple: we cannot allow any other folks to serve you either cheaper or better. That's why our worthiest things at lowest prices always wait for you.
[dec17-xmas] **CHAS. C. GREEN'S**
New Drug Store.

NEW GOODS just received at Churchill & Parker's, such as Mince Meat, Raisins, Currants, Prunes, Citrus, Dried Apples, Spices of all kinds, Bologna Sausages and Northern Sausages, Trips, etc., Macaroni and Cheese, Chocolates and Gelatin. All of the above are new and fresh; in fact we guarantee all our goods and prices. Just come in once and see what we can do; all we ask is ONE trial. Very resp.
CHURCHILL & PARKER, Broad st.

ROBERTS & BRO. are receiving their fall stock Boots and Shoes, Dry Goods, Groceries and Provisions. They buy at headquarters and can give you Low Prices.
[dec19-1w]

THE Emperor of Germany has been made happy by the birth of a son.

THE condition of affairs in Ireland becomes more and more deplorable every day.

THE St. Paul Pioneer Press, Republican, "It is the plain duty of the Senate to consign the Elections bill to deserved oblivion."

THE Democrats in the Senate are determined to make all the fight possible in opposition to the infamous, tyrannous Bayonet bill. Able men are handling the subject and some of them in a masterly manner.—Wilmington Messenger.

AT the Asheville Convention there are representatives present from fourteen States—Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and Missouri.

BRAYER SHEPARD, of the New York Mail and Express, says that at present he is in favor of the re-nomination of Harrison, but circumstances may cause him to change his opinions. The only thing noteworthy about this is that the Brayer thinks he has opinions and has intelligence enough to change them.—Wilmington Star.

If the Bayonet bill passes it will be a positive curse to the whole country, and its results will be seen year after year to be dangerous and violative of local self government and if not repealed may really in the end serve to a great extent to destroy whatever of Republican form of Government is left on these shores.—Wilmington Messenger.

BLAINE appears to be an ideal Republican candidate. The New York Tribune supports him because he is a protectionist and the Chicago Tribune because he is not a protectionist. If there is any vir-

tue in selecting a candidate who will satisfy all shades of political opinion the tattooed man from Maine will probably be the next presidential sacrifice. — Chicago Mail Democrat.

ON Wednesday night last the Republicans in their Senatorial caucus decided to take up and pass the Force bill as soon as possible. No body is surprised at the effrontery of the Republican Senators when we remember that they hold with Mr. Sherman that anything is justifiable in law or morals that will keep the Democrats out of office and the hands of the Republicans in the National Treasury.

THE old Democratic theory is the one safe theory—that the General Government—the creature—should never attempt to do for the people of the States—the sovereign creators—that they can best do for themselves. Two things should be avoided—class legislation and a system of Paternalism. They mean national decadence, a loss of American manhood, the abandoning of the genuine republican, democratic theory of Government.—Wilmington Messenger.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
NUMA NUNN—Oranges.
J. L. TAYLOR—Oranges, etc.
SAM. B. WATERS—Christmas comes.
HACKBURN THE GROCER—Union down.
BARGAIN STORE—Hail Merry Christmas.

COTTON.—New Berne market.—Sales of 5 bales at 7 1/2 to 8 1/4. Sales for the week 430 bales against 432 same week of last year.

Rev. D. McLeod, of Beaufort, will preach today at the Baptist church.

The steamer Cleopatra was sold yesterday, according to advertisement. Major A. R. Dennison was the purchaser.

The New Berne Graded School will continue open until Wednesday. Christmas holidays will begin Christmas day.

The merchants and clerks were quite busy yesterday and at a late hour last night, meeting the demands of the holiday trade. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday also promise to be days of activity in business circles.

Mr. Jonathan Havens, speaking of the Southern States Immigration Association, said that he had never before seen more talent displayed in a convention of any kind. Not only in the speeches was this remarkable, but in all the work done.

One of the Government derriks used for cleaning out obstructions in Neuse river, under the supervision of Gen. Robert Ransom, was brought to the city yesterday for repairs to the machinery, which will be made by Messrs. J. H. Crabtree & Co.

Everything is in readiness for the hare and bound chase to come off Christmas day. A large number of gentlemen and a few ladies are to join the chase, and the ride is expected to be a fine one. Handsome prizes are to be awarded. The young men wishing to contribute towards purchasing the prizes are requested to report at the store of Mr. Bell.

The Entertainment to be Repeated.

Owing to the earnest solicitation of many of our citizens the pupils of Vance Academy have decided to repeat their excellent and delightful entertainment tomorrow night. The entire programme of Friday night will be given and new features besides—specialties for this occasion. Mr. Stanley Oaksmith will sing a comic song narrating the pathetic experiences of a Coney Island dude. Mr. A. W. Cook will be right there with bran new songs ("nuff ced"), and "Uncle Sam's Dream" has been lengthened, new songs introduced, and the plot changed. The entire programme will be retouched, brightened up and made even more enjoyable than at the previous rendition, and all the money raised will be given as before to the Orphan Asylums at Oxford and Thomasville.

The heating of the building will be attended to in time and everybody will be rendered comfortable.

Come out and enjoy yourselves, encourage the young people who have so industriously, thoroughly and disinterestedly prepared themselves for this splendid entertainment, and help the orphans who are to receive the money.

Personal.
Mr. C. R. Alley, the recent assistant operator of the New Berne telegraph office, left yesterday morning to take a situation in the office of the Norfolk and Western Railroad at Crew. Va. Mr. G. W. Lawrence, from Newport, takes the place made vacant in the New Berne office.

General Gaston Lewis passed through last night en route to Harlowe on behalf of the State to inspect the recently finished work on the New Berne and Beaufort canal.

Mr. T. A. Green returned from Salem, bringing with him his daughter, Miss Maud, from the Salem Female College to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. James Mc Brinson, now of Colorado Springs, Col., arrived in the city last night, and will spend the holidays with his parents and friends. We are glad to see him with us again.

The following students came home to spend the holidays: Messrs. Roscoe Nunn, Robert Jones and Jos. Duguid from the State University at Chapel Hill; Mr. S. M. Brinson from Wake Forest College; Mr. Henry Brown from the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and Miss Carrie Claypool from Peace Institute, Raleigh, and Miss Willie Ferrebee from the Greensboro Female College.

Miss Janie Brown came home from teaching school near Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Eaton returned from New York.

Dr. John S. Long, Capt. S. H. Gray, Messrs. Jonathan Havens, Wm. Dunn, and J. J. Wolfenden returned from attending the Southern Inter-State Immigration Convention at Asheville.

Is Rafting Proper and Ought it to be Countenanced?

During Christmas seasons rafting prevails to a greater extent than at any other time. It seems to us as truly gambling as a lottery or any game with cards or dice, but as it is sanctioned by polite, fashionable society and tolerated and practiced to a greater or less extent even in religious circles there does not exist as strong a public sentiment against it as there does against many other games of chance, but many ministers and churches are discouraging the practice and becoming more earnest in advocacy of its entire abandonment.

Is not the drift of rafting in the wrong direction? Does any one believe that it does not excite desires to try other games of chance, and does it not thus have a tendency to lure those who practice it towards a gambler's life?

Is not rafting gambling? Gambling is any kind of a game or scheme in which those who participate invest something which they agree to forfeit without receiving any recompense therefor if they should prove unsuccessful in the ensuing contest. The successful party becomes the possessor of what is invested without putting the other party in possession of something of equal value. Is not this feature, which makes a gambling scheme of whatever it enters into, an essential element of a raffle? Webster defines the word raffle thus: "A game of chance, or lottery, in which several persons deposit or furnish a part of the value of something, and it is determined by chance which of them shall become sole possessor." Is not one who opposes gambling bound thereby to take a stand against rafting? We leave the reader to decide.

We invite the JOURNAL readers to a careful perusal and consideration of the ideas advanced above, and also of the following account of a South Carolina occurrence:

"A small sensation was caused in Greenville, South Carolina, yesterday by the action of the ministers' association, composed of the pastors of the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches, in making a formal request of the Ladies' Memorial Association to give up the raffling feature of the coming bazaar in aid of the Confederate monument to be erected at this place. The executive committee of the memorial association held a meeting yesterday afternoon, and after due consideration replied that they did not consider raffling immoral or sufficiently objectionable to comply with their request. A great many articles had been donated that could not be disposed of otherwise, and to abandon the proposed raffle would subject them to severe pecuniary loss. Each of the above mentioned pastors called the attention of their congregation this morning to the coming bazaar, and after urging them to give it all the aid they possibly could, respectfully asked their church members not to participate in the raffling."

CHILDREN ENJOY

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be constipated or bilious the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Church Services Today.

Centenary M. E. Church—Rev. R. A. Willis, pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 7:15 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Young men's prayer meeting at 9:15 a. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m., J. K. Willis, sup't. Prayer meeting on Thursday night at 7:15 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

Baptist Church—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., by Rev. D. McLeod, of Beaufort. The public is cordially invited to attend. Sunday-school at 3 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—Services at 11 o'clock conducted by Dr. J. D. Clark. Sunday-school at 3:15 p. m., Wm. Hollister superintendent.

Christ Church—Rev. T. M. N. George, rector. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Service and sermon 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these services. Attentive ushers. Sunday school at the chapel 9:30 a. m. and at the church 3:30 p. m.

Church of Christ, Hancock street—L. L. Chestnut, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m., B. H. Melton, Sup't.

Grand Fox Chase Projected.

The Raleigh Observer says: "Arrangements are being made for one of the greatest fox hunts on record in North Carolina. The hunt will come off in the next three weeks, and the hunters will make their headquarters at Wrightsville, in this State. Packs of hounds from North Carolina, Virginia and Pennsylvania have already been entered and others are expected. Foxes are abundant around Wrightsville, and the country exceptionally fine for the chase. An invitation to lovers of the hunt throughout the country to participate has been extended."

The Behring Sea Trouble.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Everything points to something decisive being done in the Behring Sea dispute before very long, and those who hold close relations to the State Department say the governments of the United States and Great Britain must soon reach an agreement to arbitrate or come to an open rupture. The negotiations were discontinued last summer, the United States refusing the proposal of Great Britain to proceed to investigate the subject on the basis of a partial or temporary surrender of the claims which the United States has maintained ever since the cession of Alaska by Russia.

There has been correspondence since the conferences here were broken off, principally, it is said, concerning the effect of Canadian poaching in the seal waters. The State Department had been stirred up by recent reports of Professor Elliott as to the danger of the total extermination of the seal fisheries and is preparing for a vigorous policy in case no settlement of the question is in process of arrangement before the new season opens. The British Government, it is said, is equally determined to uphold the Canadian fishermen, and altogether it is predicted there will be lively times in case an arrangement is not reached this winter.

Cleveland our Next President.

The signs of the times show plainly that Grover Cleveland will be our next President, and the greatest evidence of the fact is that Big Ike, the Clothing man, has equipped his force of seven clerks with Cleveland white beaver hats, which they will wear in all parts of the city during business hours, and any one striking or knocking off and damaging one of these hats in any way will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. Two of Big Ike's clerks are small boys, and it would be well for all the parents of New Berne to notify their boys that there is trouble ahead for them if they trouble one of these boys in any way. Parents, take warning and keep your boys out of trouble and raise them right.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Stout, of the Clyde line, with cargo general merchandise.
Steamer Howard from Trenton with cargo cotton.

Steamer L. A. Cobb from Grifton with cargo cotton.

Schooner Nettie W., from Kinston.

Schooner Henrietta Hill, Capt. Jos. Smith.

IN PORT.

Schooner Wm. Applegarth, Capt. Joseph Hall.

Schooner Clara Garret, Capt. John McPherson.

Schooner Casper Heft, Capt. John S. Owens.

Schooner James M. Hall, Captain E. M. Halleck.

Schooner Virginia, Capt. Lewis.

Schooner John R. P. Moore, Capt. Jos. Gaskill.

CLEARED.

Steamer Eagle, of the E. C. D. line, for Philadelphia with cargo lumber.

Schooner Mattie E. Hiles, Capt. David Ireland, for Plymouth.

Schooner Regulator, Capt. William Gillikin.

NOTES.

Steamer Neuse, of the E. C. D. line, will arrive today and sail tomorrow at 6:30 o'clock.

Steamer L. A. Cobb will arrive tomorrow and sail Tuesday morning for Grifton.

"Hail, Merry Christmas"

To all around,
Let all be glad
And good cheer abound.

May wealth and happiness
Come hand in hand,
To all our friends
Throughout the land!"

Once more the circling year has brought around the happy Christmas tide, and the great heart of humanity glows with genial warmth and loving kindness. This week we will offer suitable presents at the following prices:

Alarm Clocks, \$9.50, worth \$1.25.

Box Paper, fine Linen, 19c., worth 30c.

Real Irish Linen Note Paper, by the pound (100 sheets), 25c., worth 50c.

Ladies' Black Astrakan Capes, \$1.00.

Ladies' Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 25c.

Gents' Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 50c.

Large Silk Mufflers in elegant designs, \$1.25.

Choice hand painted Xmas Cards, 10c. and up.

Gents' Silk and Four in Hand Scarfs, 24c.

Silk Embroidered Suspenders, 24c.

The Aldine Ladies' Fine Kid Button Shoe, \$2.00.

Our \$3.00 Men's Fine Calf Shoes, reduced to \$2.75 for three days only.

And many other Novelties suitable to gladden some one's hearts, at SURPRISINGLY LOW PRICES, at

"BARGAIN STORE."

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"Christmas"

COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR."

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"Christmas"

COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR."

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Call and see my beautiful line of

Meerchaum Pipes,

Cigar Holders, &c.,

Just opened. Also a line of the

Finest Cigars and

Smoking Tobaccos

in the city. Brands too numerous to name.

I also have a Full Fresh Stock of

Fine Confectionery,

Chocolate Mixtures, French Candy and Pure Stick Candy.

Fruits of All Kinds,

Bananas of the finest.

I will sell during the

Holidays at 20c. per

dozen, 3 for a nick.

Malaga Grapes, Figs, Dates, etc., etc.

All Fresh Stock and Fine Goods.

SAM. B. WATERS,

d21 MIDDLE STREET. 1w

ANOTHER LOT

OF THOSE FINE

Indian River Oranges

Expected for Christmas. Also

Cassard's Pig Hams,

the finest in the world, and many other things to make a man happy, at Lowest Prices for Cash, at

J. F. TAYLOR'S.

Holiday Goods!

I have opened a lot of Holiday Goods and would like you to call and examine them. Satisfaction guaranteed as to prices and quality.

Just received—A fresh lot of Cour-dray's Chemically Pure Flour De Riz for the toilet.

R. J. GOODING.

"Union Down,"

That's a Good One,"

And it caught very well,
But not like

My Low Prices for

Fine Goods.

"And My!"

Didn't I have a rush yesterday.

Advertising does pay when you do it judiciously.

"The Grocer,"

E. B. HACKBURN.

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Propose to swap GOOD GOODS for

GREENBACKS on REASONABLE

TERMS. 420 d4t

Horses.

Three Horses and one Mule to be sold at once for cash. Very cheap. Very good for farm use.

Can be seen at Street's Livery.

Apply to

H. C. WHITEHURST,

Attorney at Law.

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We are prepared to offer you today

the Most Elegant Line of

Fine Gold Goods

it has ever been our pleasure to show in this city.

OUR NEW STERLING SILVER-WARE is very handsome.

BELL THE JEWELER.

TO MY CUSTOMERS

—AND THE—

PUBLIC.

I wish to say that I am in

position to sell them First Class

Groceries at prices as low as any

responsible dealer. Any prices

advertised will be cheerfully

met by me.

I will sell Wylie Smith's celebrated

Royal Crown Flour in 10

lb. lots at 35c. A ticket given

with each 10 lbs., and upon the

return of 25 tickets, 15 lbs. given

to the holder free.

The Finest Butter in New

Berne only 30c.

Call and examine my Fine

Stock of Xmas Specialties.

Prices lower than any house

in the city.

JNO. DUNN.

Dec. 14. dwtf

Accident Insurance!

OLD LINE COMPANY.

A Policy of Insurance will be issued on

payment of

\$5.00 PER \$1,000

For Twelve Months.

No Dues! No Assessments!

This policy will cause to be paid

\$1,000 in case of death from Accident.

\$1,000 in case of loss of both arms, both

legs, or both eyes.

\$500 in case of one arm, one leg, or

one eye.

Also indemnity for time in case of