

BUSINESS LOCALS.

BUCKWHEAT, Map's Syrup, Cocoa, Chocolate, Fresh Roasted Coffee, Fine Tea, Fresh Canned Goods.

FOR SALE AT COST- 8 doz. bottles Lemon Elixir, 2 doz. bottles Electric Bitters, Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, Botanic Blood Balm.

NEW DRUG STORE-Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals, C. P. Popular Proprietary Medicines. All varieties of Druggist's Sundries, Trusses and Braces.

NINE NORTH CAROLINA HAMS just received. K. R. JONES.

25 BOXES OF FINE FLORIDA ORANGES at Churchhill & Parker's, all sizes, to be sold cheap in any quantity.

SEVEN SPRINGS WATER-A specific for dyspepsia and all kidney and bladder troubles. For sale by R. J. GOODING.

ROBERTS & BRO. are receiving their fall stock Boots and Shoes, Dry Goods, Groceries and Provisions.

THE Republicans have at last secured a quorum in the Senate and the closure rule will be pushed to a conclusion.

WE congratulate our excellent friend Joseph E. Robinson, of the Goldsboro Argus, on his appointment as State proxy for the A. & N. O. R. R.

MAJOR GENERAL. Commander in Chief Fowie, wears the laurels. Now let the cannon borrowed from Governor Tillman belch forth its loudest, proudest, grandest salute!

THE Greenville Reflector has entered upon its tenth volume. Long may it continue to reflect the sentiments of a brave, virtuous, intelligent and progressive people.

THE Force bill means revolution. We trust that it will not be a bloody one, but, if it should be, we have no fears as long as the Vesper floats with Betsy's boys on her deck.

HISTORY repeats itself. In 1840 'Roast Beef' was the slogan of a political party, and it seems to have been about all the Indians wanted in the late lamented unpicassantness.

THE Wilmington Messenger has failed to reach this office two evenings in succession. Of course the paper is greatly missed. We sincerely hope that no accident has happened to this most excellent journal.

"FROM the bad orders which emanate from the Pension office Baum's refrigerator must be a failure." Would it not remedy the matter to get John Sherman to walk through a time or two?

SOMEbody charges old Hoar with falsehood. Any thing new about it? He has been lying so long that he has a pre-emption right to it. Should he venture upon the truth it would be worthy of remark.

MAJOR Charles M. Stedman has decided to move with his family to Asheville. His property at Wilmington is offered for sale. Very general regret will be caused in Eastern North Carolina by this announcement.

THEY do say that public officers are the servants of the people. Does it not strike you as a little remarkable that servants attempt to gag their masters; and won't it be a monstrous condition of affairs when they succeed in doing it?

KANSAS people are burning their farm-houses for fuel. Last year they kept from freezing by burning their coals; and to cap the climax of misfortune Ingalls is their Senator. Very little need of a hell for them. If in this life only they have hope they are of all men most miserable.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. FOR SALE-Medicines. J. A. MEADOWS-Seed oats. C. E. SLOVER-Buckwheat, etc.

COTTON-New Berne Market-Sales of 92 bales at 8 1/4 to 8 7/8.

The racing alone promises to be worth a visit to the Fair.

Messrs. Watson & Daniels have presented the Y. M. C. A. with a half ton of coal.

The "Little Helpers" of the Methodist Church are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Henderson this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The ladies of the Fair Floral Committee are requested to meet at the residence of Miss Carrie Mayhew, this (Tuesday) afternoon at half-past three o'clock.

Mr. W. H. Oliver has received from the Charlottesville Woolen Mills, of Charlottesville, Va., some of the goods made by them, to be placed on exhibition at our approaching Fair.

Rev. D. W. Davis is conducting a series of Doctrinal sermons at the Church of Christ this week. Mr. Davis is quite a young man and a forcible, bold and attractive speaker, and a scholarly Bible student.

The Secretary of the New Berne Board of Trade has received from the Chamber of Commerce of a large Northern city letters of various manufacturing concerns looking for other locations over the country with a view of moving their plants.

Last night at about a quarter past seven o'clock Caroline Moore, who lives near Congdon's mill, reported at the police station that a newly born white child had been left at her door. Pinned to its clothing was an envelope containing \$3 and a short note.

Mr. W. F. Hill, while out driving yesterday on the macadamized road, lost control of his horse which ran away and the buggy striking with violence against the National Cemetery fence, broke in pieces and threw Mr. Hill against the fence, bruising his face and cutting his arm. The wounds are painful but not dangerous.

There were three visiting ministers in the city Sunday, Rev. W. T. Jones, of Cumberland, Maryland, at the Baptist church; Rev. D. I. Craig, of Reidsville, at the Presbyterian church, and Rev. D. W. Davis, of Washington, at the Disciples church, and it is said by those who heard them that all preached exceptionally fine sermons.

The editor and proprietor of the Goldsboro Argus, Mr. Jos. E. Robinson, has been appointed by Governor Fowie State proxy of the A. & N. O. R. R., and Mr. H. E. Dillon, of LaGrange, has been appointed one of the State Directors of the Eastern North Carolina Insane Asylum to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. R. W. King.

It will be seen by reference to the Fair race premium list, that the last race for Thursday for a purse of \$100.00 is a little out of the usual line in that the winning horse is not to be the one that makes the fastest time, but the one that comes the nearest to trotting a mile in exactly three minutes, whether above or below that figure.

In this issue is a communication opposing the construction of a bridge across Neuse river. Whether such an undertaking would pay or not is question that the future would have to decide and not any one person. The movement has been discussed on many different occasions, and it has generally met with favor by our leading business men who have given it thought.

The Pasquotank Rifles left yesterday morning before day to make another cruise in Pamlico sound after violators of the oyster laws and to visit Washington. Those encountered last week were allowed to depart unmolested on their promise to leave immediately. If any of them still remain or have come back they will be likely to get in the clutches of the law when the Vesper meets them again.

Mr. W. H. Bray made a shipment yesterday of a trio of his fine Toulouse geese, from Green Place Poultry Yards, to Mr. E. H. Smith, of Salem, N. J., by the steamer Newberne of the O. D. Line. These shipped were only nine months old, but were larger than fall grown geese of ordinary breeds. This is not the first shipment of the kind to distant points from here. The fancy poultry of New Berne is gaining quite a reputation and there have been a number of shipments into other States besides what are sold at different points in North Carolina.

For Sale, Two Twin Reversible Engines-12 1/2 hp-cylinder, balance in good order. JAMES HENDERSON, Sec. & Treas. N. & T. R. S. E. Co. 223 1/2 st

Personal. Rev. D. I. Craig, who conducted the services Sunday at the Presbyterian church, left yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. Emeline Craig, near Chapel Hill, after which he will return to his pastorate at Reidsville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Heisenstein, of New York, came in last night for a visit to their son, Mr. Chas. Heisenstein, and will remain until after the Fair.

Messrs. E. Browne and E. Browne left on the steamer Newberne of the O. D. line, returning North from a pleasure trip to the city.

Mr. J. L. Coeper came home on the steamer Neuse of the E. C. D. line from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Capt. S. E. Gray left on the return trip of the steamer Neuse for a business trip to Baltimore.

Mr. Sig. Mayer, a popular Cuban drummer, has been in the city a few days talking cigars.

A Spanking Team. To one who loves a good horse it is exceedingly delightful to hold the reins on some of the fine horses recently brought to the city, both by individuals and our dealers. Some of them are quite fast and will no doubt be put on the track during the Fair.

Yesterday it was our pleasure to be taken around the track behind a double team belonging to Mr. J. W. Stewart. It was his sorrel pacer, and a thoroughbred bay stallion, "Adrian," recently imported. A mile was easily made in less than three minutes. "Adrian" is a young horse, registered, a fine and graceful mover, and one of the handomest animals ever brought to New Berne. Mr. Stewart is one of our enterprising citizens. He takes a pride in handling good stock and has done a great deal towards improving and building up that interest in Eastern North Carolina.

Mr. J. Havens' Book. In 1886, Mr. Jonathan Havens, by authority of the New Berne Improvement Company, wrote and published an interesting book descriptive of New Berne and the entire Pamlico section of North Carolina. It is valuable as an advertising medium for this section, and it is becoming known and sought after, but unfortunately it is out of print, the first edition having been exhausted. Would it not be well for the organizations interested in the development of this part of the State to have another edition printed, so that those seeking reliable information about this section may be able to readily obtain it? The request published below is a sample of many letters that Mr. Havens is constantly receiving in regard to the book:

NEW YORK, Jan. 23, 1891. JONATHAN HAVENS, Esq., Cor. Sec. New Berne Improvement Co. Dear Sir-Will you please forward me two or more copies of "The Pamlico Section of North Carolina." I want them for parties about to visit your State. Yours respectfully, J. H. RISLEY.

Criminal Courts. EDITOR JOURNAL:-Are the taxpayers aware that there is a movement on foot to place Craven county in Judge Mear's Criminal Circuit at an unnecessary cost to the county of several thousand dollars a year? Did the County Executive Committee count the cost when at their meeting some time since they gave their sanction to this proposition? We have tried this Criminal Court experiment and found it unnecessary and expensive. It was abolished. The Inferior Court project met a similar fate after a brief existence. Now in all candor I ask what use have we for more courts when those we have are more than ample for the dispatch of all business and our people are not required to attend every sixty days as jurors or otherwise as would be the case should this new Court be instituted. At our last Fall Term of the Superior Court Judge Whitaker disposed of both Criminal and Civil dockets in one week when the law gives him two weeks to dispose of the business of our court. I learn that there are in our jail only two or three prisoners awaiting trial and these cases will be disposed of at our February Term now near at hand. I am persuaded that our Honorable Board of County Commissioners, who know the impoverished condition of our county finances and who in consequence of this have had to withhold aid from our county poor except in the most extreme cases, will use their influence to prevent this wrong to the taxpaying community. New Hanover and Mecklenburg counties, both containing populous towns and a large taxable interest, may indulge this luxury if they wish, but Craven county can't afford it and I think I write the sentiments of nine-tenths of the taxpayers. TAXPAYER.

Underwriters' Sale of Fertilizer. FOR SALE-50 tons Acid Phosphate, damaged on Behr, "Parker." Apply at once to WILLIAM H. OLIVER, Agent of the Underwriters, Newbern, N. C. 25 2c

The worst cases of scrofula, salt rheum and other diseases of the blood, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. 3

RACES AT THE FAIR.

Thirteen Trials of Speed-Largest Premium List Ever Offered in the State. W. F. BURRUS, DIRECTOR.

The racing at the Fair will be a new, prominent, and very interesting feature. A new race track, judges' stand, and a strong, spacious, comfortable grand stand have been built, and pony, mule, and horse running and trotting races arranged for every day of the Fair except the first and last, and the aggregate amount of the premiums, offered to the winners is \$1,020, which is larger than was ever offered before on races by the any Fair ever held in the State. There are not less than three to enter for any race, two to start.

We give the list of races, in the order of occurrence, the premiums offered, and the rules governing them:

TUESDAY, FEB. 24TH. Bank pony, running race, 3:30 p. m.; 1 mile, best 3 in 5; purse \$20; 50 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

THREE MINUTE CLASS. Trotting in harness, 3 p. m.; mile heats, 3 in 5, purse, \$85; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25TH. Running race, 12:30 p. m.; 1 mile, best 3 in 3, foal of 1887, purse \$50; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

Trotting race, 1 p. m.; 1 mile, best 3 in 3, foal of 1887, purse, \$70; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third. Racers in this contest must be foaled in North Carolina.

Trotting in harness, 2:30 p. m.; 1 mile heat, 3 in 5, purse, \$115; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

Mule race, 2:30 p. m.; purse, \$25; 1 mile, \$12 to first mule, \$8 to second, \$5 to third.

THURSDAY, FEB. 26TH. Running race, 12:30 p. m., open to all ages; 1 mile, best 2 in 3. Purse \$60.00; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

Trotting race to harness, 1 p. m.; time to beat, 2:38; best 3 in 5, mile heat. Purse \$225.00; \$125.00 to first horse, \$60.00 to second, \$40.00 to third.

Gentlemen's race to buggy, 2:30 p. m.; owner to drive. 1 1/2 mile, best 3 in 5. Purse \$35.00; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

Trotting race to harness, at 3:30 p. m.; horse winning time nearest to 3 minutes, 1 mile heat, best 3 in 5. Purse \$100.00; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27TH. Trotting race, free for all, 12:30 p. m.; 1 mile, best 3 in 5. Purse \$130.00; 60 per cent. to first horse, 25 to second, 15 to third.

Pony running race for boys, 1 p. m. Purse \$20.00, 1 1/2 mile, best 2 in 3; \$10, \$5, \$3.

Pony trotting race at 2:30 p. m. Purse \$30.00, 1 1/2 mile heats, best 2 in 3; \$15, \$9, \$4.

Alliance Appointments. Ben. Terrell, the Alliance orator of Texas, will address the people of Eastern North Carolina as follows: Saturday, Feb. 7, Currituck C. H. Monday, Feb. 9, Camden C. H. Tuesday, Feb. 10, Elizabeth City. Wednesday, Feb. 11, Hertford. Thursday, Feb. 12, Gatesville. Friday, Feb. 13, Edenton. Saturday, Feb. 14, Columbia. Mon. and Tues., Feb. 16, 17, District Alliance at Plymouth. Wednesday, Feb. 18, Washington. Thursday, Feb. 19, Bayboro. Friday, Feb. 20, Newport. Saturday, Feb. 21, Trenton. Mon. and Tues., Feb. 23, 24, District Alliance at New Berne. Wednesday, Feb. 25, Snow Hill. Thursday, Feb. 26, Tarboro. Friday, Feb. 27, Wilson.

All the people are cordially invited to attend the lectures of this distinguished gentleman. All these meetings will be public except the second day of each District Alliance, which will be devoted to drilling the officers of County Alliances throughout the District, all of whom are expected to be present. Every member who is anxious to become familiar with the unwritten work ought by all means to attend the District Alliance. And it is absolutely necessary for every County Lecturer in the Congressional District to attend, even if his County Alliance has to pay his expenses.

Let the public turn out at these meetings, and learn what Alliance doctrine are. ELIAS OARS, President N. C. F. S. A. E. C. REDDINGFIELD, Sec. N. C. F. S. A.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castor.

DUFFY'S CROUP SYRUP. Recipe of the late Dr. Walter Duffy. DIRECTIONS: Does for a child two or three years old, one teaspoonful for a child three months old, ten drops for a child six months old, twenty drops for one twelve months old, nearly half a teaspoonful-repeating these doses frequently if necessary until relief is procured.

This is to certify that I have used DUFFY'S CROUP SYRUP in my family for over six months and I believe it to be a most excellent remedy for croup, with children, especially as a preventive. Our youngest child had a severe attack of croup about a year ago, inasmuch that we felt anxious about its recovery, but was successfully treated by our physician, but thinking it probable that other attacks might follow we frequently used DUFFY'S Croup Syrup and the child has had no marked symptoms of croup since, and I believe it is due to the use of the Croup Syrup, and we now keep a bottle of it at our house at all times, and I cheerfully recommend it to all. E. H. HANBURY.

Also very effective in relieving coughs and colds. PREPARED AND SOLD BY E. N. DUFFY, New Bern, N. C. jan25 dtm

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED. Steamer Neuse, of the E. C. D. line, with cargo general merchandise.

Steamer Vanceboro, from Vanceboro, with cargo lumber and shingles.

Schooner Regulator, Capt. Thomas Gillikin.

Schooner Brave, Capt. Knowles.

Schooner Cornelia, Capt. Jos. Hill.

Schooner Carrie Farron, Captain Murphy.

Schooner Nina, Capt. James T. Salter.

Schooner Laura C. Wolf, Capt. Chas. Lynch.

Schooner Aldis Henry, Capt. Wm. H. Hill.

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

Schooner Robert J. McAllister, Capt. Jos. Morris.

CLEARED. Steamer Newberne, of the O. D. line, with cargo general exports.

Steamer Neuse, of the E. C. D. line, with cotton, lumber etc.

Steamer Howard for Trenton with cargo general merchandise.

Steamer Carolina for Grifton with cargo general merchandise.

Steamer Vesper, Capt. George W. Wallace, with Pasquotank Rifles to cruise in Pamlico sound.

Schooner Thomas H. Kirby, Capt. B. Peters.

Schooner Elizabeth Ann, Capt. J. H. Howard.

Seed Oats. 1,000 Bushels White Spring, 1,000 " Red Rust Proof. For sale by J. A. MEADOWS, Union Point Mills. jan28 1m

E. C. D. Eastern Carolina Dispatch. Fast Passenger and Freight Line Between NEW BERNE, Eastern North Carolina Points, and all Connections of the PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, INCLUDING New York, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Baltimore and Boston.

The ONLY Tri-Weekly Line Out of New Berne. THE NEW AND ELEGANTLY EQUIPPED STEAMER "Neuse" Sails from New Berne MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, FRIDAYS, AT FIVE P. M., Stopping at Roanoke Island each way, and forming close connection with the Norfolk Southern Railroad.

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ELM CITY STEAM LAUNDRY. Now prepared to do good work on Collars, Cuffs and Shirts. Lace Curtains laundried 50c. to \$1.00 per pair. White Spreads, 25c. to 50c. each. Woollens washed without shrinking. Laundry in charge of competent women. ELM CITY STEAM LAUNDRY. jan25 dtw

HOUSE FOR SALE. A Bargain! A Three Story Brick Store and Dwelling, with two story rear extension, on Craven street. Terms: \$500.00 cash; balance in five notes, to run 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years respectively, and bearing 6 per cent. interest. Apply to jun24 1stp R. O. E. LODGE.

1,000 BARRELS Genuine Early Rose POTATOES, FOR SEED. These Potatoes were grown by reliable growers, who are known for the purity of their stock, and may be relied upon for seed purposes. Send in your orders early. E. H. & J. A. MEADOWS CO. jan18 dtw

THREE WANTS! YOU WANT AN INSTRUMENT. THEY ALL WANT MONEY! WE WANT PURCHASERS. WE SAVE PURCHASERS MONEY ON PIANOS AND ORGANS. Chas. L. Gaskill & Co.

Send One Two-Cent Stamp to Chas. L. Gaskill & Co., New Berne, N. C., and learn how some child can become the owner of a handsome Parlor Organ, Stool and Instructor positively free. j16dw1m

We Have Them Again!

1,500 PAIRS Of Misses & Children's Fast Black Ribbed HOSE, All Sizes, at 12 1/2c. Pair. These are the same goods he had before, and our customers said they were as GOOD as they had BEEN getting for 25c. to 30c. pair.

"BARGAIN STORE." jan16 dw1y

Last Call. Your City Tax must be paid by Feb. 1st or I will have to collect by distraint. S. H. LANE, City Tax Collector. d18 tf

400 Barrels Early Rose SEED POTATOES, Home Grown, from Best Selected Stock. Price, 10 barrels and under \$4.25 per barrel; larger lots, \$4.00 per barrel. J. L. RHEM, AT FARM, j31 3w