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BUSINESS LOCALS.

FIVE Hundred pairs of Rubber Shoes for children, 10 1/2 and 15 cents per pair.

THE Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York combines MORE ADVANTAGES with FEWER RESTRICTIONS than any Investment Insurance Contract ever offered. It consolidates Insurance, Endowment, Investment, Annual Income. No other company offers this policy.

LARGE lot of handsome Lace Curtains, Chenille Curtains, Covers, Rugs, etc., just received at J. STETTER'S.

R. E. Hudson House Painter, Paper Hanger, Kalsominer. Orders Promptly attended to. Apply at L. H. Carter's store.

SMOKE Genuine Cuban Tobacco.

NEW DRUG STORE.—Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, etc. Popular Proprietary Medicines. All varieties of Druggists' Sundries, Frusses and Braces, New crop Garden Seeds, Fine and Large Stock Cigars and Tobacco, etc. Prescriptions accurately compounded (and out at a price) on in to and our success. U. C. GILLEN, Druggist and Apothecary, Middle St., four doors from Pollock.

NORFOLK had a \$11,000 fire Thursday.

THE Vienna hospitals are crowded with influenza patients.

WORK at the Cramp ship yards is being pushed with great vigor.

THERE was a big fire in New York City Thursday, 21st instant.

THE Post says if Chili was only larger we would be sure to whip her.

YOU can't stop your neighbors' tongues, but you can stop your own ears.

THE National Democratic Convention will assemble in Chicago on the 21st of June.

ADDITIONAL hospitals have to be opened in Paris on account of the great prevalence of the grip.

BRADSTREET'S office in Atlanta has been sued for fifteen thousand dollars by a citizen for commercial rating.

HARRISON is having a hard fight to secure the delegation from his own state in the Minneapolis convention.

A MAN well acquainted with the Chilian nation says 20,000 soldiers landed in Chili would be whipped out in short order.

CHILI deserves some kind of punishment, and perhaps the administration will inflict it by continuing Pat Egan in his present job.

THE Committee on Rules have reported to the House rules that are substantially the same as those that were in force when Mr. Carlisle was Speaker.

WASHINGTON Duke of Durham has offered to raise his \$85,000 donation to Trinity college to \$120,000 if other friends of the college will raise \$50,000 additional.

THE Senate committee on Privileges and Elections have decided by a unanimous vote to recommend that Senator Call, of Florida retain his seat. Mr. Davidson is the contestant.

THE following postmasters in this State have been lately confirmed by the Senate: D. M. Morrison, Rockingham; A. L. Sparger, Mount Airy; T. M. Kirkland, Chapel Hill; B. H. Henderson, Fayetteville.

MISS Delia Nicholson, of Franklin county, Va., hanged herself to a tree near her home recently. Her sweetheart, a young man named Pinkard, took poison soon after and died. The lady's parents objected to the young couple's marriage and suicide resulted.

UNITED STATES Senator, Charles H. Gibson, appointed by Gov. Jaxson to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Wilson, has been elected by almost unanimous vote of his party (Democratic). Mr. Gibson was a member of the Forty-ninth, Fiftieth and Fifty-first Congress.

IT now appears that Mr. Mills did not write the letter to Speaker Crisp declining the chairmanship of the Committee on Inter-State and Foreign Commerce, but that he merely wrote a letter to Representative Wise, the second member of the committee, informing him of his preference, not to act as chairman. Mr. Mills says he will retain his place as a member of the committee.

SOMETIME ago the Japanese adopted the European custom of burying the dead, but for sanitary reasons they have returned to cremation. That was once European custom which they refused to have transplanted, and they showed their wisdom by returning to the more rational method.

HERE is a good definition of a good newspaper. It is from the independent Washington Post: "The newspaper which takes these broad and disinterested views of the conditions by which it is surrounded, advocating that in which it honestly believes and bravely repudiating that for which it has no respect, refusing to be bound in its expressions by the dictates of boss or caucus, consulting at all times the welfare of the people whom it serves rather than the promotion of partisan schemes and selfish ambitions which it cannot serve, is sure to reach the hearts of the great intelligent public, and exact both their confidences and appreciation." There are very few such newspapers as that. But the press is fairer and honest than ever before.

LOCAL NEWS.

The weather Bureau says we are to have fair weather to day.

Associate Justice Bradley, of the Supreme Court died Friday morning.

The most expensive toll roads in this country are the mud-roads that wear out the horse to foot the hill.

Next Wednesday the steamer Howard will leave in the morning for Pollockville and return the same day.

The devotional meetings of the Young Men's Christian Association are well attended and quite interesting.

We are in receipt of a copy of the American Farmer of Springfield, Ohio. It is a most excellent publication for the agricultural and stockman.

The Eleventh Annual State Convention of the Sunday School Association of North Carolina will meet in New Bern on the 29th, 30th and 31st of March.

The Indianapolis Surgical Institute, containing 500 inmates, mainly helpless cripples, was burned Thursday night. Twenty lives were lost and many others seriously injured.

F. C. Martin, charged with the murder of H. G. Manning on the public highway last November, was acquitted in Greenville Superior Court after a trial lasting eight days.

Chili asks the United States to recall Minister Egan. President Harrison and Secretary Blaine refuse while the relations are strained. So say telegrams in last night's papers, but the Washington Post says Minister Tracy pronounced the statement untrue.

The annual sermon before the Female Benevolent Society will be preached tonight in the Baptist Church by Rev. Mr. Ford at half-past seven o'clock. All the congregations of the city are invited to unite in these services, and a contribution for the poor of the town will be taken up.

To furnish us with names of parties interested in New Bern or whom it is desirable to interest so that we can mail them a copy of the Fair edition of the JOURNAL will be an accommodation to us and beneficial to the Fair. Sending to people thus selected by our citizens who know the parties is more likely to result in good than if names are taken at random.

Caroline Shipp, the 20 year old colored woman convicted of killing her eleven old child in Gastonia was hung Friday. Her neck was not broken by the fall and she breathed, choked, struggled and writhed in agony for twenty minutes before death came. A man and woman were hung in Danville, and a man in Chatham county Georgia the same day. All colored and all for murder.

Coming and Going.

Miss Maggie Bryan left yesterday morning to enter St. Mary's School, Raleigh.

Master Llewellyn Coppedge, son of Rev. W. R. Coppedge, of Graham, who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. W. B. Duffy, left, returning home.

The family of Mr. Jas. F. Norman left, moving to Wilson, Mr. Norman having preceded them.

Mrs. L. H. Hendren and children arrived last night, moving from Winston to the city.

Mr. R. E. Gilbert, of Blenheim, S. C., a ministerial student, arrived to visit Rev. Rufus Ford.

Mrs. Theo. Klutz, of Salisbury, arrived to visit Mrs. C. G. Vardell.

Y. M. C. A.

Young man if you wish to hear a good talk and a good subject, by a good man at a good place, come to the Young Men's Christian Association this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Young Man

Come thou with us
And we will do thee good.
Good singing, music by Y. M. C. A. Orchestra.
All men are invited.

LET ALL ASSIST.

A correspondent this morning, in urging that the business men of New Bern subscribe and have the Quaker Bridge road put in proper condition, proposes that the JOURNAL head the list with one hundred dollars. It is generally conceded that a newspaper does its share in public movements by using its efforts in presenting the needs for the different beneficial measures to the masses, arousing them to combined effort, and by giving its columns for a ventilation of the different phases of the agitation on each improvement assumes as the discussion and work progresses.

But in an important matter like this we do not propose to stop with simply laboring for its accomplishment.

We will give our proposition of the amount needed for the work.

Still, will it not be better for some business men of means to head the list with a worthy sum, and then let those in less affluent circumstances follow? When the welfare of the city is at stake every one should assist according to his ability, and we are ready to join in with the others in whatever is decided to be done.

From Durham to Asheville.

Rev. J. L. White, a remarkably fine young Baptist minister, who for three years has been pastor of the Durham Baptist Church, tendered his resignation last Wednesday to accept a unanimous call to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Asheville, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Rev. W. A. Nelson, on account of ill health.

Mr. White was born in Cleveland county, and is only about 28 years of age, but he is acknowledged to be a minister of great power, combining the elements of the evangelist with those of the practical pastor. At a meeting recently held by him in Winston there were over 200 conversions. His popularity and success is attributed to the fact that he preaches earnest and simple sermons on the evils of the day, especially as they exist among those whom his preaching reaches. He does not try to feed his hearers on grand sounding words, flowery sentences, and attacks on evils of former ages and distant places, but he says things that go straight to the hearts of his hearers and make them ashamed of their own sins and desirous of leading a better life.

Church Services Sunday.

Contenary M. E. Church—Rev. R. A. Willis, pastor. Services at 11 a. m., conducted by the pastor. No service at night in consequence of the union service at the Baptist church in the interest of the Female Benevolent Society. Young men's prayer meeting at 9:15 a. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. J. K. Willis, Supr. Prayer meeting on Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend these services.

Christ Church—Rev. T. M. N. George, rector, 31 Sunday after the Epiphany. Service and Sermon 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The public are cordially invited and will be shown to seats by attentive ushers. Sunday School at 3 p. m., 9:30 a. m., and at the church 3:30 p. m. Bible class for men at the Chapel at 4 p. m.

Presbyterian church—Rev. C. G. Vardell, pastor. Morning service and communion, 11 a. m. Sunday-school, 3 p. m. The evening service will be omitted to give the congregation opportunity to attend the union service at the Baptist Church, to hear the annual sermon before the Female Benevolent Society.

Church of Christ, Hancock street—L. L. Chestnut, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young men's prayer meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Baptist Church—Rev. Rufus Ford, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Union service at night in the interest of the Female Benevolent Society. Sunday-school at 3 p. m.

St. Paul's Catholic church, Rev. Matthew Hau, Rector. High mass and Benediction at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

EASTERN CAROLINA DISPATCH LINE.

Change of Schedule.

To permit the annual renovation of the steamer Neuse she will be withdrawn from the line for a few days. After Monday Jan. 11th, inst. the Neuse will temporarily be replaced by the steamer Plymouth, which will sail from New Bern, (commencing Friday 15th, inst.) Tuesdays and Fridays at 3 p. m.

The Plymouth, while a passenger boat, has no state-room accommodations. Timely notice will be given of the resumption of service by steamer Neuse.

GEO. HENDERSON, Agt. New Bern, N. C., Jan. 8th, 1891.

\$10,000.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—The North and Northwest during the winter months do not call for money by the hundred of thousands. So any one who could use to an advantage one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine or ten thousand dollars, would find it to his interest to borrow it from the Eastern Building and Loan Association of Syracuse, N. Y.

The Eastern has already loaned several thousand dollars to its members in N. C. In my presence December 31st, 1891 it granted all applications on file from North Carolina members.

For particulars apply to
ISAAC H. SMITH,
New Bern, N. C., General Agent.
Jan 8th

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castor.

QUAKER BRIDGE ROAD.

Is the Route by Which Richland's Produce and Trade Comes to New Bern.

Our Business Men Should Get It in Good Travelling Condition.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—In yesterday's issue of your valuable paper I see you make some remarks on the Quaker Bridge road. From what you say of Mr. D. E. Sandorin, the people of Jones county and the people of New Bern coming together that the road may be easily put in travelling condition, I see, Mr. Editor that you, like the balance of New Bernians do not understand the location of the road.

The road is not one dollar of benefit to Jones county, neither to Onslow. It is simply a feeder to New Bern. It opens the smoke house where so many of these North Carolina hams come from, and from the quantity of hams I see in market one would judge the smoke house is locked up and will remain closed as long as you and the people of New Bern build their own road to build a road to bring you their produce. It will be a cold day when you get another of those fine Onslow hams if you wait for the State convicts to open the Quaker Bridge road. I had a talk with one of the Directors of the Postoffice, Hon. C. O. Clark, and he stated we could get all the convicts we wanted if we would pay one dollar a day for each hand.

Now, Mr. Editor, this Quaker Bridge road is a serious matter to the people of New Bern and I expect you will quake with fear when I ask you to head the list with one hundred dollars to open the Quaker Bridge road and the road to Aurora.

The people of New Bern have made no effort to hold their trade and have let it go to Winston, Washington and Wilmington. Perhaps it would be well for you to instruct our City Treasurer Mr. H. J. Lovick as he and myself had some experience on the Quaker Bridge road about the 1st of January.

Will the people of Onslow and Jones build roads to bring their produce to New Bern is not the question, but will the people of New Bern build their own road and hold the trade that belongs to New Bern.

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WAR'S DECRETION.

Account of How the Tomb of Honored Men Fared When New Bern Fell.

The impression in New Bern is that the tomb up Trent river on the south side some 2-1/2 miles above New Bern on land now belonging to Judge H. K. Bryan which contained the remains of the elder Governor Spright, his wife and three children, the younger, Governor Richard Dobbs Spaight, Mr. Chas. Spaight and Mrs. John R. Donnell was broken into by the enemy after the battle of New Bern and the route of our army and the remains turned out of the coffins (some of which were metal-lined) and replaced with the bodies of dead Federal officers who were sent North. We never heard the desecration spoken of laid to rest hunters until we saw it in a communication in the Brockton, (Mass.) Enterprise by Mr. Ira J. Hunt which we copy by request. We believe that it will prove interesting to many people in the State of North Carolina:

While the 43d Massachusetts Regiment with many others were encamped near New Bern in 1862 the soldiers in their frequent meandering became familiar with a deserted brick mansion and its surroundings near a bank of the Trent river. Among the objects which attracted much attention at the time was a tomb, substantially built in masonry mostly above the earth's surface, and which had been broken into by curious seekers and others acts of vandalism committed for which the usage of war would hardly admit of an excuse.

A portion of this masonry had been torn away, revealing a metallic case or casket in which was enclosed the remains of one of the members of the Continental congress that adopted the constitution, and one of the original signers of that instrument. The metallic case was broken into, and not only a part of the metal was taken away but even the teeth were taken from the jaws of the deceased and carried away as trophies of a dishonorable venture.

The original desecration was then imputed to a regiment from the State of Connecticut, but some of the real relic hunters were from a State that prides itself upon possessing a superior civilization and culture.

The writer of this sketch was one of the few who were detailed to make the necessary repairs upon the tomb, which duty you may believe was performed with due regard to the sanctity of the obligation and reverence for one who was so intimately connected with our country's early history.

The following inscription was found engraved upon a tablet:

Here are deposited the remains of Gen. Richard Dobbs Spaight, who departed this life on the 6th of Sept., 1802, aged 44 years.

He is gone,
Lamented by the good
and revered by the brave.

He is gone,
Loaded with the honors
of his country and the
beneficentions of his friends.

So sleep the brave; he sinks to rest,
With all his country's wishes blest,
When Spring, with dewy fingers cold,
Returns to deck his hallowed mold,
Then shall she fling a sweeter sod
Than fancy's feet have ever trod.

By fairy hands his knell is rung,
By forms unseen his dirge is sung.
Then honor comes, a pilgrim gray,
To bless the turf that wraps his clay
And freedom shall awhile repair
And dwell a weeping hermit there.

The reference to "honor" in the quotation implies that this distinguished patriot fought a duel, and fell at the hands of his antagonist.

GRANDEST BALL EVER HELD IN THIS CITY.

Copied From the North Carolina Standard Wednesday, May 5th, 1858.

The Great Railroad Festival at Newbern.

"The 29th of April, 1858, will be a memorable day in the history of Newbern and of Eastern North Carolina. It will take with it, to the end of the present generation, pleasant memories and grateful recollections, and succeeding generations will hear mid the tales which 'at winter hearths gossip, tell' the story of the Newbern Railroad Festival. Newbern stands henceforth the synonym of generosity, hospitality, and of the many qualities which make up a great heart; and whenever another specimen of the quality of the East is required, She will be pointed to with pride.

We would observe our present purpose is only to give such extracts here from the full and lengthy report of the Celebration as will show the magnitude of the 'Great Ball' to the children of those who managed it and attended it. They have no objection, heretofore, of what their grand old land did in that way. Will the present generation, probably surpass either in elegance or in grandeur? Time must decide.

To continue from the report, the dawn of the 29th was ushered in by a roar of artillery. The town square was illuminated as if by magic. At an early hour people began to pour in from the neighboring country—hundreds from Goldsboro arrived in rapid succession and it appeared as if the whole State was moving towards New Bern. The military as they arrived the town square was receiving them with the honor due to their rank. The City Guards and the Wilmington Light Infantry were the only ones who had taken the precaution to be present, and all were amply provided for.

THE PROCESSION.

The entire route was lined by thousands present and the whole was a grand and beautiful sight. The procession was headed by the City Guards, followed by the Wilmington Light Infantry, the New Bern Militia, the New Bern Artillery, the New Bern Cavalry, the New Bern Engineers, the New Bern Signal Corps, the New Bern Medical Corps, the New Bern Sanitary Corps, the New Bern Quartermaster's Department, the New Bern Commissary's Department, the New Bern Provost Marshal's Office, the New Bern Ordnance Department, the New Bern Ordnance Store, the New Bern Ordnance Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Factory, the New Bern Ordnance Arsenal, the New Bern Ordnance Magazine, the New Bern Ordnance Depot, the New Bern Ordnance Warehouse, the New Bern Ordnance Office, the New Bern Ordnance Storehouse, the New Bern Ordnance Workshop, the New Bern Ordnance Blacksmith Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Gunsmith Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Carpenter Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Joiner Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Painter Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Tinsmith Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Saddler Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Shoemaker Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Tailor Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Barber Shop, the New Bern Ordnance Bath House, the New Bern Ordnance Laundry, the New Bern Ordnance Cook House, the New Bern Ordnance Mess Hall, the New Bern Ordnance Barracks, the New Bern Ordnance Hospital, the New Bern Ordnance Dispensary, the New Bern Ordnance Apothecary, the New Bern Ordnance Pharmacist, the New Bern Ordnance Surgeon, the New Bern Ordnance Physician, the New Bern Ordnance Doctor, the New Bern Ordnance Nurse, the New Bern Ordnance Matron, the New Bern Ordnance Midwife, the New Bern Ordnance Apothecary, the New Bern Ordnance Pharmacist, the New Bern Ordnance Surgeon, the New Bern Ordnance Physician, the New Bern Ordnance Doctor, the New Bern Ordnance Nurse, the New Bern Ordnance Matron, the New Bern Ordnance Midwife.

ALL MARCH TO THE DINNER.

I had occasion, in the early part of the day to visit this place, the machine shops, and inspect the arrangements. A floor had been laid throughout for the occasion, and the length of table made by gathering from the fact that twenty one hundred plates were laid, with ample room for every person seated there. I would speak of the contents of the tables.

"But here my muse her wing manceour;
Sic flights are far beyond her power."

It would be utterly impossible to enumerate what was there. Suffice it that there was everything and any quantity of it. Fish and fowl, all imaginary kinds of pastry, fruits, etc., etc., with oceans of wines and spirits. It would be equally impossible to give the number of those who partook of the feast. They could be counted by thousands, as the tables were filled again and again, and when all was done there had scarcely been made an impression on that huge accumulation of edibles. This sumptuous feast was prepared at their houses by the ladies of Newbern, and contributed by them to the celebration. This fact of itself will confirm my estimate of the magnitude of the feast, and will tell its own tale as to the style of the getting up and the quality of the articles supplied. That those ladies have won the admiration of all cognizant of this fact need not be told.

(To be Continued.)

Commendable.

All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cathartic and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

Stop! Stop!

AND SEE THE

Largest and Best Selected Stock of

WATCHES, JEWELRY

Silverware and Novelties

ever shown in New Bern. I have just returned from the North with a FULL STOCK of all kinds of goods in my line.

SAM K. EATON,

The Jeweler,
Middle St. opposite the Church.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN BAKING POWDER

A certain of pure baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength—Largest U. S. Government and Report.

DISAPPOINTMENTS Sink the Heart of Man.

RENEWAL OF HEPATIC CIRCULATION

No doubt there are many people who are disappointed in a business life who have traded the year with their friends, and when they come to the end of the year they find they have lost their money. They are disappointed in their business, and they are disappointed in their friends. They are disappointed in their health, and they are disappointed in their life. They are disappointed in their future, and they are disappointed in their present. They are disappointed in their past, and they are disappointed in their future. They are disappointed in their life, and they are disappointed in their death.

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Second growth Irish Potatoes, raised on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, E. P. HALL, FOR RENT.

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Farmers & Merchants' Line.

Steamer R. E. Lee

Sails for Pollockville and Trenton, WEDNESDAY, 8: