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Mt. Mourne Lodge, No. 347,	1 00
Anson Association,	9 25
Hillsboro Baptist S. S.,	5 34
S. M. Gregory,	4 00

IN KIND.

Mrs. I. A. Wingate, 12 prs. socks, 12 prs. stockings.

SPECIAL MENTION.

Read notice of sale of personal property in another column.

Judge McRae has made a most favorable impression on the people of Granville.

The editor is this week engaged in a protracted meeting at Hermon.

Oxford Warehousemen and tobacco dealers are making preparations for a lively trade the coming season.

A Meeting of the Oxford bar was held last Wednesday, and appropriate resolutions passed respecting the death of Col. Geo. Wortham.

Prof. Hobgood informs us that the Oxford Female Seminary is in a highly prosperous condition, the number of pupils greatly exceeding that of the preceding session.

Mr. George Fleming and Miss Mattie Beasley were married at the Baptist Church last Wednesday morning, Rev. J. S. Hardaway officiating.

The potato crop this year seems to have been an unusually fine one. Several exchanges are boasting of large potatoes. The FRIEND thanks Mrs. J. B. Hobgood, near this place, for a potato weighing nearly five pounds.

The feeble attempt of the Tarboro Southern correspondent to find Scripture that justifies the modern dance, reminds one of the Devil quoting Scripture to Christ.

The Presbyterian Synod in session at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, October 20th, resolved to direct all the force of the Church against intemperance.

A few days ago a man in New York was fined \$300 for giving tobacco to a giraffe in Central Park. Almost simultaneously a tavern-keeper in Chicago was fined \$5 for selling whiskey to children. From these two fines it would appear that the preservation of the morals of the giraffe stands higher than the protection of children.—Ex.

We notice that several of our farmers have moved into town, and learn that others contemplate doing so. We welcome you, gentlemen, but when farming ceases to be profitable, the town man will be alike unprosperous. Bread is the staff of life, and 'tis said that "a bird in the hand," &c.

It will be but a short time before the meeting of our Grand Lodge. We should be pleased to meet as many of our subscribers as possible, and hope that each one will constitute himself an agent for the FRIEND, and give us a generous clubbing. A little effort, brethren, and you can do us a great deal of good.

The Central Presbyterian is responsible for the following: "On Christmas-eve night, little Fred hung up his stocking, and pinned thereon a piece of paper bearing the inscription, 'The Lord loveth a cheerful giver.' That boy will make his mark."

Within the walls of the Oxford Cemetery are buried the remains of many noble souls. Yet a stroll through the grounds can not fail to convince any one that hogs, and perhaps other stock, are permitted to roam in there at will. Should not the earth where in sleep departed friends be held more sacred?

The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that the famous Civil Rights Bill was unconstitutional. To attempt to force people to eat together, travel together, attend the same schools, &c., is as foolish as it is contemptible, and we are truly glad that the question has been perpetually settled.

Mr. B. T. Tucker, of Vance county, has recently built a wing to his residence 16 by 16 feet and one and a half stories high. He tells us that all the weatherboards and shingles used for this purpose were gotten from one tree, a gigantic pine that grew upon his premises, and that there was left unused one cut of the tree. This is another illustration of the value of our forests.

Brother Mills, of the Oxford Orphans' Friend, thinks all ministers of the Gospel ought to shave &c. &c.—Wilmington Star.

Well, we do not propose to argue the above question, the hairy appendage to man is as God has created him. But we do propose to enter our protest against the prevailing practice of chewing tobacco, as is so frequent, and so humilatingly witnessed by our ministers, even while occupying the sacred desk of Almighty God.

D. L. C.

Rev. Dr. Burrows, pastor of Freeman Street Baptist Church, Norfolk, Virginia, preached on the 14th October, an appropriate sermon on the removal of the Confederate dead. He took for his text, Gen. 28: 6, "In thy choice of our sepulchres bury the dead." We make the following extract:

"Sarah the beloved wife of Abraham was dead. She died among strangers far from her native home. She could not then be buried in the tomb of her fathers. Strangers generously offered Abraham a burial place, but he could not consent to accept it as a charity, he would secure a title to it as his own personal property and insisted upon making it his own by purchase. He would not leave his honored dead to lie in a strangers sepulchre."

The following poem, written by Mr. John H. Bonner, of Washington, North Carolina, was read by Gov. Jarvis on the occasion of the re-burial of the North Carolina dead from Arlington:

At rest among their own—
Rest to be broken never—
Their folded flag for them out-blown
No more, forever.

They did not think to come
So silently—so late—
When, stepping to the sounding drum,
They left the State.

They thought to see again
The loved ones kissed through tears,
Not in the trenches of the slain
To lie for years.

But lips they kissed grew cold,
And eyes that wept grew blind,
And hearts that could but break,
Lay cold
By grief enshrined.

And spirits veiled in woe,
Looking toward life's west,
Were called in tenderness unto
Eternal rest.

They came not—but they come,
A vanquished, faithful few,
In silence, and are welcome home
In silence too.

Their place of burial is
Hallowed by woman's prayers,
A nobler epitaph than this
Could not be theirs.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The postmaster at Perilla, Tenn., receives a salary of five cents a year, the smallest paid to any on employe of the Government.

"The United States will be exporting sugar within ten years" is the prediction of Dr. Collier, late Chemist of the Agricultural Bureau.—Times-Star.

We should have all our communications with men as in the presence of God, and with God as in the presence of men.

God cannot be enjoyed but as he is loved, nor loved but as he is known, nor known but by Christ, nor by Christ but as revealed to the heart by the Spirit.

If you shift on to the shoulders of another the burden that belongs to you, you will find at last that you have also surrendered to him your crown.

Let your religion be seen. Lamps do not talk, but they do shine. A light-house sounds no drum, it beats no gong; yet far above the waters its friendly light is seen by the mariner.

A schoolboy says that when his teacher undertakes to show him "what is what," he only finds out which is switch.

Yale College has had a large bequest from the late Henry Farman, of New Haven. The rich in the North are quite apt to donate a part of their fortune to education and benevolent institutions. It is not often the case in the South.

A curiosity in Irwin county, Ga., is a large pine tree with two distinct bodies and only one top. The two trunks grew out of the ground about five feet from each other, but at forty feet high grew together, and from thence made only one tree and one top.

There is a county in this State whose entire real and personal property is returned for taxation at \$539,000, and we have it from good authority that five million dollars in cash—or nearly ten times the listed value of all the property in the county—has been offered for a single piece of property in said county.—Ral. Visitor.

The gentle grace of the mother lives in the daughter long after her head is pillowed in the dust of death, and the fatherly kindness finds its echo in the noliity and courtesy of sons who come to wear his mantle and to fill his place.

Keep your promise to the letter, be prompt and exact, and it will save you much trouble and care through life, and win you the respect and trust of your friends.

Many turn to God in the day of trial with prayers and lamentations who never think to pray in their times of prosperity. They treat God as some treat his children here—running to them in their distresses, but passing them without recognition in the day of prosperity.

"What influence has the moon on the tide?" the teacher asked of John Henry.

And John Henry said it depended on what was tied. If it were a dog, it made him bow; and if it were a gate, it untied it just as soon as a cow or a young man came along.

There is no doubt as to who should wear the dunce-cap in that school.

Not long ago, a gentleman who was connected with the direction of a public school paid a visit to the class rooms. While he was in one of the rooms, a book was placed in his hands, and he was requested to examine the class.

The word "inheritance" occurring in the verse, the questioner asked one of the boys: "What is patrimony?" "Something left by a father." "Good! What would you call it left by a mother?" "Matrimony."

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R. W. WINSTON, Att'y. Oxford, N. C., Sept. 27, 1883. oct6-4t

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