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The general convention of the Christian Church South will meet May 21st, and will remain ia session antil commencement The session will be held at the college no lill be granted. $\qquad$
Oxtord and Coassline. Matters pertaining to the propose Oxford and Coastline Railway do no seem to be so bright as has been hep. lay in the scheme, The commission. ers of Oxford have adopted resolutions deelining to issue the $\$ 40,000$ in bends voted in aid of the road. In the course of a discussion on the subject, it was stated that Oxford had voted the money for a railroad to connect the town withe counties of Esstern North Carolina, to tap the Atlantic Coast Line, and that such contribution was to "aid in building," rather than to pay the entire cost construc. tion of the road. It was further stated that the vote of $\$ 40,000$ for a road four and a half miles long, to connect with the Durham and North ern road onght not to have been eourts, where a considerable "hang. up" may be expected.

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