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OXFORD, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 28, 1890.

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OXFORD, N. C.

The trade of country merchants respectfully solicited. Factory over the Oxford Book Store,

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GROCER | GROCER | GROCER

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GRAIN, FLOUR, BRAN, FEI-DSTUFFS AND FIELD SEEDS. Full line of Fancy Groceries, Tobacco and Cigars,

MRS ENMALYNCH. MRS. J. T. BRITT

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FASHIONABLE | DRESMAKERS

-----OXFORD, N. C.-----We are prepared to do all kinds of Dressmaking

in the latest style, and guarantee satisfaction in every instance. Rooms over W. D. Lynch's jew city store. Call and see us.

J. D. Brinkley, -Artist in Instantaneous-

CONDENSED NOTES

OF THE PASSING LOCAL EVENTS OF THE DAY.

What is Transpiring Around and About Us. in Town and County---The Movements and Doings of People You Know, Etc.

-13" For other locals see 4th page. -Mr. W. M. Blackwell paid us a pleasant visit on Wednesday.

-We had the pleasure of a call from Mr. Simpson Latta, of Berea on Tuesday.

-Mr. W. D. Cawthorn, one of the progressive men of Person, was on our streets yesterday.

-Read the advertisement of Hamilton Easter & Sons, Dry Goods dealers, Baltimore, Md.

- Large breaks of tobacco this week, and prices seemed to be satisfactory to the farmers.

-Mr. T. J Smith, one of the excellent County Commissioners, was in town on Wednesday.

-Mr. John Morgan, of Vance, was in town on Wednesday shaking hands with his old friends.

-Mr. S. D. Callis, of Dabney, smiled

-Mr. D. H. Browder, of the State Bad Mail Facilities. Chronicle, retires as business manager of We learn that the mail contractor on the Progressive Farmer and Mr. Will the route from Stovall to Satterwhite and Daly takes that place, Mr. J. L. Ramsey Adoniram failed last week to carry the and to direct the policy of the paper.

with the grippe in the 76th year of her age. She was a member of Hester's Baptist Church, and will be greatly miss- not pay enough to justify the faithful urday. ed in the community as she was always work, especially in nursing the sick.

When Macbeth ironically asked, "Canst thou minister to a mind diseased?" he little knew that mankind would one day be blessed with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In puri- this particular. The surest way to imfying the blood, this powerful alterative gives tone and strength to every function and faculty of the system.

Twenty tons Plow castings, 500 plows, genuine Dixie, Watt, Farmers' Friend and Imperial turning Plows and Malta double and single shovel Plows at Owen, Barbour & Smith.

The best Cooking Stoves made are sold by Owen, Barbour & Smith. Be sure to call and examine them.

Durham & Northern Connection.

being associate editor. Col. Polk will | mail and the citzens of that portion of continue to write the leading editorials Granville were deprived of their mail. We consider this an outrage upon our -Mrs. Charles Traylor, a most estima- people, and is one of the many instances ble lady of Walnut Grove township, died of the bad management of the mails under on the 24th inst. After a short illness the present administration. We are in-

formed that the contractor for this route lives in Missouri and sublets it, and will carrying out of the contract. Is there no

City Improvements.

While Oxford is slowly and surely making internal improvements, the individual citizens should not be backward in prove internally is to use pure fresh drug : which may be obtained at the same old place. FURMAN & HAYS.

After the Moonshiners.

Woody continues to make it warm for the moonshiners. He made a raid on hunting turkeys deer and so on. the 20th in Person county and captured a We learn the other day that one of our glad to learn that Mr. Woody is an effi- ly appreciate a piece of the cake. cient officer and is making it warm for those who violate the internal revenue laws. Durham county has been added to manac it is nearly time for planting. this division which places more work on the Deputy Collector.

\$1.50 PER ANNUM.

GRANVILLE COUNTY.

THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE AND ITS INTEREST PROTECTED.

What is Going on in Different Sections as Gathered by the Public Ledger Reporters -- Views of Corres pondents, &c.

BEREA BREVITIES.

The Alliance was in session all day Sat-

The recent rains have had a tendency ready and willing to assist in any good remedy for this miserable state of affairs? to block farming operations temporarily. Sundays seem to be the special blowing days in March.

> Our farmers are anxiously watching for the second crop of tobacco plants.

> Mr. Thomas Franklin and Miss Ella Gill were married un the 13th inst. by B. P. Thorpe, J. P.

> Mr. Louis Thorpe and his newly made bride have returned from a visit to relatives in Raleigh.

Messrs. J. T. Murry and R L. Clark We are informed that Deputy Collector have just returned from a trip in Nash county where they spent several days

wagon and team and one barrel of whis- widows has a bet with one of Oxford's key. The man took leg bail, leaving be- widowers on their early marrage and hind him a big white hat with his name that one of Oxford's editors is to hold painted on it in large letters. We are the stakes. Go it boys, we would certain-Our farmers are buying their fertilizer for the corn crop. According to the al We hope that the equinoctial winds wafted the la grippe to a point so remote that it will never again visit this beauti-Mr. Thomas G. Dean is conducting a singing school at Trinity church near Berea. The people of this community are very fortunate in securing his services for he is one of the best instructors with whom we are acquainted. I see you are strongly in favor of Badly Williams for the nomination for Congress. You are on the right track, as he is a man of the people in the strictest sense of word, and can redeem the district from radicalism.



C'HILDREN'S KID BUT. SHOES-Sizes 5 to 8-Only 50 cents

ADIES' CLOTH GAITERS, 75 cents.

ADIES' GOAT OR CALF, LACE OR

REMENDOUS BARGAINS in Men's

DINS AND NEEDLES for your Aunts

and for your Cousins, at 1c paper.

DILLOW CASE LACE, 2 inches wide,

DIG BARGAINS IN LINEN AND

CAEDAR BUCKETS-3 Brass Hoops→

LASS OIL CANS-1 gal.-Only 25c.

at 1c yard. 8, 10 and 12 inches wide,

BUTTON, Solid as a Rock, at \$1.

M EN'S HATS, from 25 cents up.

MISSES' GOAT LACE SHOES-Sizes

11 to 2-Only 75 cents.

and Boys' Shoes.

D TORCHON LACES.

at 5c yard.

U Only 25c.

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UNEST WORK--LOWEST FIGURES

Remember I make enlarging a special feature in my business. Bring me that old fintype, daguerreotype, old faded photo, or whatever it may be, and have it entarged.

Mrs.Bettie Cooper,

-----Proprietress of -----PLACE THE I I RWIN

OXFORD, N. C. Accommodations first-class. Good tables: ele gant rooms; spacious sample rooms; home com-

forts. Free buss meets every train for the benefit of patrons.

Davis & Gregory's -----WAREHOUSE!-----

≪NO DRUMMERS TO PAY !>>> All tobacco sold on its merits. We do our dramming on our Warehouse floor,

W. T. Lyon, -Agent for-

VALLEY MUTUAL

-OXFORD, N. C.----

This is one of the safest and most reliable Life Insurance Companies doing business in the State. If you desire to take out a policy be sure to give me a call, as it will be money in your pocket.

M. Oppenheimer, -THE ---LEADING | BUTCHER -OXFORD, N. C.----

Finest and best variety of fresh meats always on hand. Remember the place, the stall formerly occupied by C. E. Alley. We strive to please our patrons.

W. H. Smith, MERCHANT TAILOR -----OXFORD, N. C.--

7.

Samples of spring goods of the latest designs. Call and leave your order, as I can make up goods as cheap as can be done anywhere. Work guaranteed

Fleming Bros., -Dealers in ---STAPLE DRY GOODS

- AND SHOES, ---

2,000 bushels best seed outs; 600 bushels best white corn: 2,500 pounds best hay; flour, meal, meat, molasses, shipstuff and bran arriving daily. which we will sell at prices that cannot be equalled.

D. W. Eakes,

----OXFORD, N. C.----

pee to be as low as the the lowest.

specialty.

GROCER

thing all right in his section.

-The reception given their friends Tuesday night by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pearson was largely attended.

-Mr. H. O. Furman paid Oxford a flying visit this week. We are pleased to learn of his success on the road

-Mr. L. W. Stark, the excellent auctioneer at the Alliance Warehouse, sold on Tue day 400 piles of tobacco in one hour

-Mr. W. T. Adams, the active President of the Farmers' Alliance, was in Oxford Tuesday looking after the interest of that organization.

-Messrs. Hundley Bros., will supply cide to extend their road to our town. the brick for the Davis & Gregory Warehouse to be built by Mr. W. E. Owen of South Boston, Va.

--- If you need a first-class suit of clothes call on O. O. White, next door to this office. He has a handsome line of samples to select from.

-Mr. E. Danenburg, merchant of Smithfield, N. C., who opened a temporary branch of his store in Oxford some weeks ago, has packed up and left.

-Who says farming does not pay ? Mr. Henry T. Knott, one of our most substantial farmer has sold \$750 worth of tobacco that was made on two acres of ground

-We had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Good Farming. P. G. Pritchard, one of the zealous Alliance men of Person, on the breaks Tuesday. He has just recovered from a severe as one of Granville's most prosperous attack of the grippe.

--We are pleased learn that a postoffice has been established at Wilkins, on the Oxford & Clarksville Railcoad, with Mr. L. A. Wilkins as postmaster. The office will be opened for business on the first of 112 acres of land that has been planted in April.

-Messrs. "Dutche" Fleming, A. G. Fleming, W. T. Adams and L. A. Wilkins of Dutcheville, and W. P. Lyon, C. N. Floyd and J. P. Floyd, all most excellent farmers were on the breaks on Tuesday.

-The flicks Tobacco Factory put in a bid to supply the Navy Department with chewing tobacco. We hope Mr. Hicks will be the successful bidder, as we can manufacture as good tobacco as any place in the country.

-The Bemis Tobocco Transplanter is now on exhibition in Oxford. It is said Ladies. Your Attention Please. to be a most excellent machine and a good saver of time and labor. Mr. W. C. has opened up a splendid stock of Milli-Reed, the agent, will take great pleasure nery in the store adjoining the PUBLIC in explaining the working of it to any of LEDGER Office. Mis. White has an expe- Hart & Lawrence. our farmer friends.

The importance of having a railroad upon us yesterday, and reported every from Oxford to connect with the Durham & Northern Railroad has been a subject of discussion among our citizens for some months. With this object in view one of the largest meeting of business men ever held in Oxford took place at the Opera House on Monday evening, for the purpose of taking steps to secure this con nection.

Several speeches were made urging the importance of this connection, and the great advantage it would be to the business of Oxford. It was fully demonstrated that the Durham & Northern authorities would meet with a warm welcome by our business men, and will get a good large number of other buildings. The share of our patronage if they should de-

A committee composed of Capt. A. W. Graham, Mayor L. G. Smith and W. A. rapidly. Person is a grand old county Davis, Esq., were appointed to confer and her farmers rank among the most with President Robinson, of Seaboard Air Line Railroad, in regard to the construction of this road.

For the cure of colds, coughs, and all derangements of the respiratory organs, no other medicine is so reliable as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It relieves the asthmatic and consumptive, even in advanced stages of disease, and has saved innumerable lives.

Big stock Buggies and wagons and prices the lowest at Owen, Barbour & Smith

Mr. Joseph B. Parham, who lives about three miles from Oxford, is recognized farmers, sold 1400 lbs. of tobacco on our market Tuesday for \$500; 356 lbs, of this was as fine as could be raised anywhere, and brought the handsome sum of \$60 00 per hundred. This tobacco was raised on tobacco 6 years in succession, and has never failed to produce tobacco that sold for less than \$50 and \$60 per hundred. One year Mr. Parham, with the assistance of two boys, raised 12,000 pounds of tobacco which sold for the neat sum of \$3,600. We are bound to exclaim hurrah for Joe Parham and all the noble farmers The Lagies of Granville county !

For Sale Cheap.

The last chance to buy a good 6 room dwelling in good condition and well located for two-thirds its value. Apply at this office.

Mrs. O. O. White, of Warrenton, N. C.,

Full stock Buggies and Carts at Owen, ful South land. Barbour & Smith.

Look Out for Roxboro.

We are informed that Roxboro has commenced to boom in reality. Already there are two large warehouses for the sale of leaf tobacco going up besides a Lynchburg & Durham Railroad will be running trains to that point by the middle of April then the old town will build up thrifty in the State.

Car load Farm Wagons at Owen, Barbour & Smith.

Fell from a Three Story Building.

On Tuesday last Mr. J. E. Tyler, one of our most worthy citizens, had the misfortune to loose his footing while tinning the roof of Capt.R. V. Minor's large prize house, near Messrs. Hundley Bros' factory, and fell to the ground. He was insensible for some time after being picked up. Fortunately no bones were broken,

escaping with some severe bruises. Mr. Tyler is out on the streets again.

Any style of vehicle made to order by Owen, Barbour & Smith.

Another University Proposed.

The Durham Sun says it is contemplated to build and equip in Durham in handsome style, a non-sectarian female university of high and bread educational advantages, and one feature of the institution will be to provide for the education of the daughters of ex-Confederate soldiers who are not able to secure a higher education. Durham is thoroughly in earnest in regard to educational matters.

& Smith.

grand Millinery opening at A. Landis & Sons Wednesday and Thursday, April 2d of goods.

at Owen. Barbour & Smith.

WILTON HAPPENINGS.

Your correspondent has recovered from the grippe and ready for work. Farmers are busy plowing for corn and tobacco, but they need not be in haste about tobacco land as it will be a late crop. The frost and cold weather killed all the plants and after the beds were resowned the last heavy rainfall washed out many of them.

Wheat looks very much damaged by frost and insects. A right full crop of oats has lieen sown.

On the 20th inst., a colored boy five years old was burned to death in a new ground, was dead when found all his clothing were burned except the collar. Esquire Lyon committed a colored boy 16 years old to jail for non payment of fine and costs for striking with a rock a little white girl aged 6 years.

The negroes who have gone to Mississippi are dying, as letters have been received in this section, by relatives of deceased.

Wilton can now boast of a smilversmith and jewellers shop.

The tax road is being well worked and See the Disc Harrows at Owen, Barbour improved under the management of W. P. White, Esq.

The Sunday School at Banks will begin Rev. E. L. Pell is doing a good work on this circuit. Preached a very favorble and 3rd. A beautiful line of hats, bon- sermon on temperance the fouth Sabbath nets, trimmings, and the latest novelties at Banks. He has organized Bible readin millinery will meet your gaze. Come, ing, &c. He is very popular with all

> Surveyor A. A. Lyon has been here establishing lines, &c.

per bushel. Your correspondent received a letter from an Alliance in Kansas en-





Are most cordially invited to attend the the first Sunday in April.

one and all, and see the beautiful display denominations around Banks.

The best Corn Planters on the market

rience of 8 years and is recognized as one Will have their Millinery opening on of the best milliners in the State. She is next Monday and Tuesday, the 31st of -Every farmer in Granville should feel B. F. Taylor, a most pleasant lady and will strive to March and 1st of April. Every lady in an abiling interest in the prosperty of please her patrons. She is assisted by town and county is cordially invited to Manufacturer of and dealer in Oxford, as the interest of one is the in-Miss Foote, of Warrenton, who has made BUGGIES terest of the other, and we should unite WAGONS AND

and do all we can to build it up and make it the leading town in the State.

Best material used. All work warranted. Ten -The Progressive Farmer suggests a years' experience in the business. Repairing a great gathering of Farmers' Alliance peo ple, preferably at Green boro, between July 20th and 30th, and says 20,000 can assemble there. It will be a notable affair if the arrangements are perfected. GROCER

-Hart & Lawrence have an important announcement in another column. Give Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and posthem a call and we feel sure you will be A full line of Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Syrup, made happy over the rare bargain offered Cheese, Hominy, Etc. Water-ground Flour and Meal of superior quality. Our prices we guaranby these gentlemen. You will find a well selected stock in every department. gist.

Mrs. White's opening will take place next Wednesday and Thursday, April 2d, and 3rd, and all the ladies in town and county are cordially invited to attend. See advertisement in another column.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains itively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded Price 25 cents | and the Liver and Kidney resume healthy per box. For sale by J. G. Hall, Drug- action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at J. G.

call. We will show a handsome line of a splendid reputation in the art of trim- hats and price shall be as low as any house in Oxford.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system

to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, Hall's Drug Store.

quiring how we managed our warehouse the sale of tobacco stating that the for Alliance there wished to establish a grain warehouse.

linton on the 29th and 30th to the District Missichary Conference.

Quarterly meeting for Franklinton cir cuit will be held at Grove Hill the 2nd Sunday in April.

Keep the ball in motion for "Baldy Williams" for Congress, as he is the farmers friend and a man of the people, besides he is a strong friend of the Alli. ance The farmers do not want a lawyer or a banker to represent them in Congress, therefore Williams is the man above all other for them to center on. He is a good Democrat and will poll a big vote. NovL. We are prepared to do first-class work in car-riage and buggy repairing at lowest prices. Write us for what you want and we will gladly quote mar28-tjan1 I vote

THEIR TAKES PLACE ON WEDNESDAY and Thursday, April 2nd and 3rd. Every lady in Oxford, Granville County, and adjoining counties, that can come, are urgently invited to attend on those days, and we promise to exhibit Many of our citizens will go to Frank- the cheapest and prettiest stock of goods ever seen in our town

> A. LANDIS & SONS. W. P. HORNER & Co., Manufacturers of FARM WAGONS, TOBACCO DRAYS WAREHOUSE + TRUCKS ! - DANVILLE, VA.-