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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.

-Mr. R. H. McGuire has been visiting Baltimore this week.

-At La Grange, on Sunday the the mometer reached 108.

-Miss Maria Routon is on a visit to relatives in Hillsboro.

-The Granville County Medical Society met in Oxford Thursday.

-Mr. Alex Wilkerson, of Averett, Va., was in Oxford Wednesday.

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- The old veteran farmer, W. J. Badgett, called to see us on Thursday.

-The Congressional campaign is waxing warm in several districts. -Mr. Wyatt Cannady, of the Wilton

section visited Oxford yesterday. -Mr. J. N. Lyon is now with A. Max, where he would be glad to see his friends. -Mr. W. Raker, of the Blue Wing

-One thousand persons are attending the Teachers' Convention at Morehead

-Major Venable, who has been very sick for several days, is able to be out

-W. M. Blalock, Esq., and Mr. B. L. Cannady, of Wilton, visited Oxford on Tuesday. - Mr. J. T. Murray, one of the good

citizens of Berea, paid us a plesant visit on Tuesday. -A few days ago Mr. John Tally killed

rattles and a button. -Rev. Dr. B. F. Dixon will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday next at 11 o'clock a. m.

-As tobacco is getting very scarce the hour for opening sales at the warehouses has geen changed to 10:30 a. m.

-Mr. W. W. Hart, of the Oak Hill, section, was in town Thursday and reports tobacco and corn looking splendid-

-Old tobacco continues to come in and the farmers who are fortunate enough to have any on hand is reaping extremely high prices.

-Mr. R. W. Winston, who is a promi nent candidate for the nomination for Judge in this district is on a visit to

Greensboro. - E. A. White collector of Internal Revenue for this district advertises elsewhere notice of seizure of stills and

whiskey &c. -Mr. M. L. Coley, of Dutchville was on the breaks Wednesday, and reports

crops in his section as being in a splen--Some of our young gentlemen will Buxton 2, David Settle 1. give an ice cream party complimentary to lady friends, at the residence of D. A.

Hunt to-night. mer friends call to see us, it makes us feel that they have an abiding interest in

their county paper. -Now is the time to leave your orders with J. F. Edwards if you are in need of flues. Call and see him, he would be

pleased to serve you. -Misses Viola Fleming, Mary Beasley and Roxie Suit of Dutchville township, have returned from the Teacher's Assembly at Morehead City.

-The Oxford and Henderson Base Ball This is one of the safest and most reliable Life | Clubs crossed bats on Tuesday evening and resulted in the defeat of the Oxford Club, by a score of 10 to 4.

> -We had the pleasure of meeting in Oxford Thursday Mr. W. M. Warlick, of Wilton, who is associated with Mr. J. T. Strayhorn in the practice of law in our

-Mr. J. Y. Paris, of the clever firm of Paris Bros. has returned from his visit to Tarboro. He reports the crop outlook as the finest in 40 years in that section of the State.

-Lieut. William Lassiter, who was some time ago wrongly reported as "retired on account of wounds" has arrived at his post of duty, says the Milford (Pa.,) Dispatch.

would do well to call on S. V. Ellis, for the township and Mr. F. B. Hays for the corporation. Look out or you will have to pay double tax.

-The Land and Improvement Company continues to accomplish great good for Oxford. They are offering every inducement to secure factories of all kinds

to locate in Oxford. -Last Monday Prof. G. A. Wauchope of Horner School, read a very interesting paper before the Teacher's Assembly at Morehead City on "English Etymology and the Forming of a Vocabulary."

-Mr. W. J. Badgett informs us that several of his watermellon vines actually grew 6 inches in one day. If everything on his plantation grows at the same rate we will warrant he will have the best crop he ever had in his life.

-We call the attention of parents to the advertisement of Charlotte Female Institute, one of the best schools in the State. It is located in the thriving city of Char--Mr. Willie Cunningham, of Person, lotte, and every advantage is offered for the thorough education of young ladies.

> -The name of Dr. H. C. Herndon is now being prominently mentioned in connection with the Treasurership of the county. He makes an admirable Treasurer, and has already been of great benefit to the financial interest of the county.

-The attention of parents and guardians are called to the advertisement of the celebrated Horner school. The people of Oxford and Granville county who have copper mines, called to see us on Thursboys to educate should by all means, patronize this school, as the faculty is one of the best in the State.

> -Messrs. Chas. and Richard Turner, will open up a neat stall in the market to-morrow morning. They propose to keep on hand the very best meats of all kinds and you would do well to leave your order if you wish a nice quarter of lamb or a nice beef steak.

-We learn from Mr. W. A. Davis, that Mr. Walter Borden, a promising young business man of Goldsboro, will remove to Oxford about the 4th of July. We extend a warm welcome to this young gena rattle snake on his plantation with ten tleman knowing that he is wide-awake and progressive, and will aid us in building up our town. - We take pleasure in directing the at-

tention of our readers to the advertisement of the Hand Military School at Fremont, N. C., one the healthiest section in the East. It is the only Military School in Eastern North Carolina, and offers superior inducements to all boys seeking an education. -The Reidsville Review says the ad-

dress of Hon. A. H. A. Williams on Tuesday at the installation of the officers of Masonic Lodge was a speech of surpassing beauty and merit upon the objects and mission of masonry. Mr. Williams is a gentleman of high charactar and great ability, and has many friends in our

-The Greensboro Patriot polls, to ascertain the sentiment of the Fifth district in regards to the several Democratic candidates for Congress, stood as follows Monday afternoon: A. H. A. Williams 29, J. A. Gilmer 19, J. C. Buxton, 1 A. M. Scales 1. Tuesday the poll stood A. H. A. Williams 32, J. A. Gilmer 23, J. C.

-Wilson county is heard from again on new tobacco. Mr. E. T. Lucas made a shipment of new tobacco to Meadows & -We are always glad to have our far- Wilkerson Tuesday, which sold for fancy prices. Hurrah for Wilson county and the Oxford Market? We stand unrivalled as a tobacco market and the very highest prices for the new crop will be forked over, and "don't you forget it."

-Mr. W. H. P. Jenkins, the most worthy Superintendent of Public Instructions, smiled in upon us on Tuesday. He was in a happy frame of mind, and was enthusiastic over the magnificent prospects for a most bountiful crop. He | Carolina, which is well represented. exclaimed, "undoubtedly the finest ever known in the country." Mr. Jenkins informs us that the storm some 10 days ago blew down about 1000 trees on his plan-

Hood's Sarsaparilla has the largest sale of any medicine before the public. Any honest druggist will confirm this state-

Promotion of an Oxonian.

It is a source of pleasure to us to chronicle the promotion of any true North Carolinian, especially a citizen of Oxford, on true worth and ability. Mr. John W. Hays, Jr, who has been connected with the United States Geological Survey for several years has by his strict adherence to duty and ability as an engineer won the admiration of his superiors in office, and has been promoted to Chief of one of the -All who have not listed their taxes Divisions. He has been assigned to duty in Colorado and Wyoming.

We congratulate him upon his promotion, with the wish that he may soon reach the highest position in the service,

NEWS ABOUT THE STATE.

WHAT HAS TAKEN PLACE WITHIN HER BORDERS.

A General Epitome of Recent Occurrences Around and About Us, From the Mountains to the Sea, as Culled from our State Papers.

Mrs. Minerva C. Caldwell died in Morganton. Raleigh will have a big independence

Day celebration. The State Dental Association is in session at Wilmington.

The Oak City Manufacturing Company made an assignment.

J. G. Gann was dragged to death by his team in Stokes county.

A "chewing gum" factory is to be established at Southern Pines, Moore county. It is asserted that the Pennsylvania Central Railroad has purchased the Norfolk and Southean Railroad.

The Wilmington, Onslow and EastCarolina Railroad will be pushed on to Jacksonville as rapidly as possible.

allow judges their travelling expenses, an addition to their regular salaries. Lightning struck the residence of Mr.

There is a growing public sentiment to

James Griffith, near Mt. Pleasant church, killing him and two of his grand chil-There is a woman in Wake county who plows with a goat. Last year she made a

corn and seventy five bushels of potatoes. Lightning struck a tree on the plantation of J. J. Crump, in Chatham county, and a lot of negroes have dug great holes about the place trying to find the thun-

der-bolt that tore up the ground.

bale of cotton, about thirty bushels of

The Lynchburg and Durham Railroad is completed within 18 miles of Durham. Since its completion to Roxboro the receipts have been more than doubled. Its earnings last month amounted to more than \$10,000.

The census of Edgecombe county shows

a falling off of 200 negro children of

school age, attributable to the exodus movement, which is supposed to indicate that between 5,000 and 6,000 negroes have left the county. A thirty-eight page mortgage was recorded at the register's office in Durham the past week. It was given by the Lynch-

burg and Durham railroad to the Mercan-

tile Trust Company of New York, and the amount is \$3,000,000. A blast was made at the Patterson coal mine near Durhan, on the 19th, which revealed the value of the coal deposited there, as it had not been known before. From an almost imperceptible tracing, it has been found to be nearly a foot in

The Nashville Argonaut says: The present indications is that the bulk of the tobacco in Nash will be cured during the month of July and some the latter part of June. Some farmers propose trying the experiment of turning out the | tions. sucker and raising the second crop.

Last Tuesday, a few miles from New Berne, while Alonzo Miller was driving a voke of oxen to a wagon, the team was struck by lightning from a passing thunder cloud, and both oxen killed instantly. There was a log on the wagon, and the

driver received only a slight shock. The Teacher's Assembly at Morehead is already assuming immense proportions. There are now present between twelve and fifteen hundred, and there are representatives from nearly every Southern State and of course a large number from North

A cloud burst near Clayton, Johnson county, which has done much damage. Happily its effect was local. On level land when the storm ended the water was a foot deep, even covering the cotton. The railway was the boundary of the storm, on one side no rain falling and on the other all the damage was done.

The Greensboro Patriot says the enumeration in Guilford county is the "biggest farce of the age" and calls attention to one township which had no enumerator because the Democrat who had been appointed was removed, and the Republican appointed to take his place refused to take the books because he had no notification of his appointment.

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Jined Together.

At the last term of the Superior Court Daniel Lyon and Martha Pettiford, both colored, were convicted on an indictment for fornication and adultery, and imprisoned in the county jail. On Tuesday last they were taken to the Sheriff's office to be hired out to Mr. S. W. Mitchell, when it was suggested that they wanted to get married. The kind-hearted officers at once contributed a sufficient amount of luchre to procure the license, and one of them walked into the Register of Deeds' office and found Jeff Daniel working manfully in his efforts to keep cool. He had a fan, a bucket of ice water and some three or four handkerchiefs on his desk, and looked the embodiment of the 'last rose of summer wilting all alone." The officer said he wanted to get a license. The mere mention of license made Jeff muster up strength to again mop his brow, while a broad smile lit up his genial countenance as he reached for his big black book and blanks-thinking of the three big wheels he should be able to put into an empty pocket, for, owing to the failure of Cupid to fulfil his part of the contract, Jeff had about resolved to make an assignment of that particular branch of his business. He made out the license in good style, however, and as the \$\$\$ danced around on the desk, his counte nance brightened to such a degree as to be plainly seen with the naked eye, even through the myrical beeds of perspiration that chased each other down his cheek and beneath the northern part of his shirt and while the ceremony was being performed by 'Squir's N. H. Whitfield, just across the corridor in the Sheriff's office, Jeff had taken another drink of ice-water and built a dam around his neck with his handkerchiefs and was braced back in a chair with his feek as high up on the desk as he could get them, faintly whistling "I had Fifteen Dollars in my Inside Pocket, Don't You Know."

Car load of sheet iron for tobacco flues for sale by J. F. Edwards.

Land Improvement Notes.

During the past ten days some \$8,000 worth of stock has been taken up. If you wish stock in the Land Improve-

ment Company you had better purchase as it is being sold at a rapid rate. Messrs. B. S. Royster and J. B. Booth are selling a large number of shares to

the good people in Eastern Carolina.

Dr. H. C. Herndon has let the contract for building the large brick Knitting Factory. Work will be commenced at

Mr. Walter P. Stradley has returned from the western part of the State where he succeeded in iplacing a large number

The Company are now making arrangements to get a flug tobacco factory as well as a snuff factory to locate on their Major Scott with a large force of hands

will soon be the scene of building opera-President W. E. Owen, of South Boston, Va., spent several days in Oxford this week looking after the interest of the

is busy laying off avenues and lots, which

Company. Mr. R. H. McGuire, who is just from Baltimore in the interest of the Company, was fortunate enough to place \$2,500

worth of stock. Mr. W. C. Reed, the efficient Secretary of the Company is untiring in his zeal in looking after the various interest and is

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Taking the Census. A man whose face was furrowed with care and the hard corner of a stray brick, went cautiously up the steps of a Bank street residence and timorously knocked for recognition. The mistress of the establishment was prepared for him and

was largely at home. "Taking the census are you?" She de-

manded, dangerously. "About as often as not," he replied. "Sometimes I take a walk, a fast walk, and sometimes when I'm not quick enough with the walk, I seem to take in the whole siderial a rangements. Married or TCE single, man? White or black? How many children? How many little chickens in the garden! Ever had the pip? Where'd you get that hat? Who struck Billy Patterson and where did Tony hide the wedge? Who-ow-ow! Ghost of immortal Casar, woman, le' go my hair!"

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