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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.

—Register!

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—Senator Vance will deliver a speech at Goldsboro to-day.

—Remember that you must register before you can vote.

—Mrs. Herndon Hunt has returned from a visit to her parents at Enfield.

—The latest antifrat remedy, is for a fat man to buy a bicycle and fall off.

—Call on Dr. Fort, and have your teeth extracted with Mayos Vaper, no pain.

—Mr. W. A. Davis attended the big opening of the Wilson tobacco market.

—Bear the fact in mind that everybody has to register this time or they cannot vote.

—Joe Webb has just received a fine lot of new furniture preparatory to the fall trade.

—Mrs. J. J. Meadows, we regret to learn continues critically ill, at her home near Berea.

—Mr. A. W. Graham is looking after his mining interest at Birmingham, Ala., this week.

—Capt. W. H. White now has the Postal Telegraph office at Halthcock & Co's. drug store.

—Died near Berea on Sunday last Mrs. Currin, the mother of Mr. Buck Currin, aged 76 years.

—Register of Deeds Daniel issued 11 marriage licenses in August and 6 thus far in September.

—Mr. Willie Mitchell, of the firm of Bullock & Mitchell, will soon erect a residence on Broadway.

—The Oxford Female Seminary has opened up splendidly. A large number of ladies are in attendance.

—Mr. Elijah Hester, who has been on a visit to Oxford, returned Wednesday to Nash county, to cure tobacco.

—The high white hat will again be the correct thing for young Democrats to wear. That was the case in 1888.

—Senator Vance, says: The great bulk of the Alliance men are Democrats and they should not be wounded by any hard words.

—Mr. S. W. Bullock, who has been in South Carolina several weeks, has returned to Oxford. He informed us that he had fine luck curing tobacco.

—Our young friend Bob Allen who was one of the book keepers at the Alliance last season, will have charge of the books at the Minor Warehouse this season.

—We surrender a large portion of our space to-day to the splendid speech of Senator Vance, on the tariff in the interest of the farmers of the country. Read it.

—Deputy Collector John F. Woody, sold some of the whiskey seized some time ago Tuesday. It sold very low. He will have another big sale in a few weeks.

—Quay has been trying to buy off Moore, the colored man from Greensboro, who is running against Force Bill Brower for Congress, but they cannot get him to stand aside.

—It is a pleasure to us to note that the Land Improvement Company expects in a short time to close contracts for several big enterprises to be located in South Oxford.

—The Farmers Alliance Warehouse will be completed in a few days. It will be the handsomest Warehouse in the State. This shows what farmers can do when they unite.

—In New York the Farmers' League have put their hand energetically to the plow handle. Unfortunately for somebody or other it is with a view of knocking out objectionable politics.

—Our farmers are wearing smiling faces and our merchants will soon be made glad by the flow of money, soon to be put in circulation from the sale of Granville's abundant products.

The melancholy days have come Of which the poet spoke. When the negro goes to sleep at the barn. And the barn goes up in smoke.

State Chronicle.

—We hope our people will take great interest in the State Fair this year, as they have been blessed with bountiful crops. Be sure and get up something for exhibition and not let Granville be behind all the other counties in the State.

—Mr. A. M. Veazy, one of the oldest and best citizens of Dutchville, was in Oxford Thursday.

—We were shown an interesting article on "Antelopes East of the Rockies," in the September "Outing," from the gifted pen of John W. Hays, Jr. It had two beautiful illustrations drawn by the writer.

—We learn that Mr. Walter P. Stadley will read law with Judge Strong, of Raleigh. Mr. Stadley is thoroughly equipped in education and is regarded by his friends as one of the most intelligent young men in the State.

—W. M. Warlick, Esq., of Milton, law partner of Mr. J. T. Strayhorn, is in Oxford and will remain for some two weeks. This is a popular young firm, and we are pleased to learn that they are doing a good practice.

—Mr. S. W. Mitchell gathered out of his garden a few days ago a pod of pepper that measured 4½ inches long and 9½ inches round. This certainly takes the cake on pepper, unless Bro. London, of the Chatham Record can beat it.

—Mr. T. D. Waller, who is looking after the work on public roads during the absence of A. W. Graham in Alabama, is carrying the improvements rapidly forward. Mr. Waller says in looking after it he did it solely for the accommodation of Mr. Graham.

—Our capital county man, J. B. Parham, treasurer of the Farmers Alliance Warehouse Company, drew the largest check Monday ever paid to a contractor in Oxford. It was the first installment paid Messrs. Hundley Bros., on the new Alliance Warehouse.

—We advise our readers, one and all, to read what our big merchants, A. Landis & Sons, have to say to you in our columns to-day. They have a tremendous stock of goods arriving daily, which cannot be excelled anywhere in the State, and will be sold as low as the lowest. Call and see for yourself.

—At the last meeting of the town commissioners Mayor Smith, on behalf of the citizens appointed a committee of three, Messrs. John Webb, L. R. Hunt and L. G. Smith, to confer with the Richmond & Danville Railroad, authorities to induce them to have the new passenger depot conveniently located.

—The News and Observer of this morning says: "C. H. Moore, colored, the nominee for Congress of the independent Republicans of the Fifth district, has been offered big inducements by the Administration and by Quay to retire, but he declines to do so and is circulating thousands of copies of a printed address."

—The Southern Educator published at Durham, N. C., offering several hundred dollars in cash prizes for essays upon various subjects, with a view to encouraging literary effort especially among Southern teachers. The September number contains to offers of five dollars each for two hundred and fifty words, Ex Governor Jarvis is vice president of the Educator Company.

—There is a great issue in this campaign, an issue of far-reaching, of supreme importance. The greatest question which the November election will decide is a question of fundamental public morality—far-reaching, since it hold all other questions in its grasp; fundamental, since upon its decision the ultimate integrity, even the life, of our free republican institutions depends.

—The Oxford Times, is a new venture in Oxford, the great newspaper town of central North Carolina. It is weekly, and published by two of our most promising young colored men, E. W. Cannady and J. H. Parham, and we congratulate them upon their first issue. The paper is square up against the white Republicans getting all the offices, and demands that the colored people shall reap some of the spoils of office.

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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 Called from our State Papers.

Sunday night the safe at the office of the Atlantic Coast Line, at Smithfield, was broken into and robbed.

Mr. T. R. Folsom, of Sumter, S. C., committed suicide in Wilmington Monday by shooting himself with a pistol.

A man by the name of Malone was accidentally shot and killed, near Sharpsburg, in the edge of Nash county a few days ago.

The first train on the Lynchburg & Durham railroad ran into Durham Tuesday. The road is report in fine condition throughout.

Dave Jacobs, the colored, Coroner is an independent candidate for re-election, and is running like a dynamite cruiser.—Wilmington Star.

Col. L. L. Polk, President of the National Farmer's Alliance, has accepted an invitation to deliver the address at the fair here in October.—Murfreesboro Index.

The Supreme Court will convene in Raleigh on the 29th. Friday and Saturday the 26th and 27th will be devoted to the examination of applicants for license to practice law.

Commissioner Robinson is working hard to promote the culture of the crimson clover which is becoming so popular in Wake. He says it is gaining favor, and that no other clover pays so well.

Asheville Citizen says an Alliance exchange has been organized for Western North Carolina, the object of which is to facilitate the purchase and sale of all articles used by the Alliance at reduced rates.

Chairman Smith, of the Democratic State Committee of North Carolina, denies that he went to Washington to hold a conference with L. L. Polk, looking to adjustment of his difficulty with Senator Vance.

Shall we dispense with Zebulon, the old North Carolina statesman and leader for the last 25 years? Certainly not. Why, he is as the boy told his daddy about the bally horse, "He's 'established.'"—Lexington Dispatch.

When asked if Col. Polk knew that the Western Farmer and Mechanic, published at Asheville, was booming him for Senator, he said "no, not until the matter was published," and that the man Thomas, the independent Alliance candidate for Congress in the Seventh District had made a false statement that Col. Polk had given him leave to say he was a Senatorial candidate, whereas Col. Polk had not said a word to that effect.

Charlotte News says, that Dr. Tyre York, who once ran for Governor of North Carolina against Where-did-you-get-that. Nose, as the Republicans called him, isn't satisfied yet. He evidently enjoys the sensation of getting licked, for he has come out as a candidate for Congress against Col. Cowles. Dr. York announces that this time he is running not as a Democrat, a Republican, or a Liberal, but as an Alliance candidate.

Thursday afternoon Nannie, the little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boone, climbed up to the mantle, and taking a small bottle therefrom, drank a good quantity of its contents, which were of a poisonous nature. Fortunately she drank an overdose and it counteracted, causing her to vomit, and thus saving her life. A doctor was immediately sent for and by 10 o'clock that night the little girl was out of danger, and she is now quite well again.—Durham Sun.

Modern Miracles.

A singer for breath was distressed, And the doctors all said she must rest, But she took G. M. D. For her weak lungs, you see, And now she can sing with the best.

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Notice.

Having employed one Robert Watkins, colored, for one year, and his time not being out until January 1, 1891, and the said Watkins having left me without cause, I hereby forewarn all persons from employing him under penalty of the law.

J. F. WHITE.

Oxford, N. C., Sept. 10.

Attention Democratic Clubs of the County!

You are requested to meet and re-organize as soon as possible for the campaign; and you are specially requested to select delegates to attend the Grand Democratic Rally, in Raleigh on the 24th inst. The fare will be only 1½ cents a mile, and reduced rates have been secured at the hotels. Jule Carr will be master of ceremonies, and we will have a grand time. He is now in New York to invite ex-President Cleveland. Zeb. Vance has promised to attend and bring Senator Carlisle and Representative Breckenridge, of Kentucky. We hope that as many as possible will attend from Granville County.

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