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Granville County Alliance, at their meeting on July 4th, passed the following: WHEREAS, We recognize the fact that THE PUBLIC LEDGER, of Oxford, is friendly to the Alliance cause, and is outspoken in advocacy of its interests, therefore, Resolved, That we commend it as worthy the patronage of members of the Alliance, and urge our members to give it a liberal support.

OXFORD, N. C., OCT. 21, 1890.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET. For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, HON. A. S. MERRISON. For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, HON. WALTER CLARK.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET. For State Senate, G. L. ALLEN. For House of Representatives, W. T. ADAMS, J. E. COLE.

MY FRIEND-A WORD WITH YOU. Do you know that every man who desires to vote at this election must register ANEW? Even if you have REGISTERED and VOTED before, you must register again under the new Election Law to vote this year.

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The first panic that has happened since the tariff went into effect has begun among the Republican leaders in this State.

The ruling passion is strong in death. A Georgia man who was supposed to be dead was asked by his son if he would have a drink. He nodded his head, took a big swig and is now all right again.

Congressman John E. Russell, of Massachusetts, is accompanied in all his campaigning by his wife. When he speaks she occupies a seat on the platform and is considered fully as shrewd a politician as her husband.

Wake up Democrats. There is but one way for the Republicans to succeed and that is by perpetrating frauds while the Democrats are asleep. To lose victory by supineness is not only a public disaster but it is also a personal disgrace.

Maj. Charles W. McClammy has announced his intention to run for the position of Clerk of the House, in case the next House is Democratic, a contingency on which the Democratic prophets are counting with considerable and with well founded confidence.

General Belknap, died, it is ascertained, of fatty degeneration of the heart. He was a law partner of Col. John W. Cameron, formerly of Wilmington, and well known in North Carolina, of which State he was a native. His wife was also a Wilmingtonian.

W. J. Rogers, the Democratic nominee for Congress in the second district of the State, has tendered his resignation on account of ill-health; no other candidate will be placed in the field, as the district is largely Republican, and time does not permit a canvass.

The great Leland hotel in Sartoga, New York, is in ashes, the flames lapping it up in the course of about fifteen minutes; in connection with the fire were some horrible and most exciting scenes, some six or seven of the sleeping inmates losing their lives, and many making escapes of a truly wonderful character; many lives were saved by the daring heroism of a fireman and a boy employed in the hotel; the property loss is over two hundred thousand dollars.

Of cases of scrofula and other blood diseases are hereditary, and therefore difficult to cure. But we wish to state in the most positive, emphatic manner that Hood's Sarsaparilla does cure scrofula in every form. The most severe cases, too terrible for description, have yielded to this medicine when all others failed. If you suffer from impure blood in any way, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mr. J. R. Morris, a farmer living five miles from High Point in the neighborhood of Kion Church, at the beginning of the season bought four acres of land, for which he paid \$200. He put two acres of it in tobacco, and from the crop he has already realized \$312, and has five barns yet to sell, which will bring him \$700.

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lung, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and now on my third bottle, and able to overtake the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

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"The Republican party," says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, "has revised the tariff for the second time in seven years." Well, when it comes down to statistics, Rube Burrows robbed seven trains in two years. We believe, however, the Republican party has done more damage to the pockets of the people than Rube did.

There is a very enthusiastic Vance man in Winston, who arouses the natives at midnight with unearthly yells while asleep. "Hurrah for Zeb Vance." His physician has tried to account for it. Some thought he would awake before yelling and would holler just for notoriety, but he has been closely watched, it is said, and will have spells similar to nightmare, but yell "Hurrah for Zeb Vance" instead of calling for help.

When will the people have their eyes opened? Is there a man so deluded, or with a grain of common sense, in North Carolina that would vote to fasten the shackles of slavery on every poor laborer? They do if they vote to perpetuate the Republican party in power. Mark the McKinley monster, it is but an instrument of torture that grinds the face of the poor that he may contribute the fat purses of the bloated bond-holders and rich protected manufacturers.—Spectator

Probably the largest number of ballots ever required to make a congressman was the voting in the recent Democratic convention at Memphis, Tenn., which lasted three days. Josiah Patterson, an able lawyer, was nominated on the 5,051 ballot. Patterson was a dark horse. He was a candidate for governor, but the Alliance vote knocked him out. He has been a State senator in his day.

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Gov. Campbell of Ohio isn't a man to fool with. Being convinced that a man whom he had appointed on the board of public works was engaged in crooked practices, he demanded his resignation, telling him that he believed him to be dishonest. The man declined to resign and denied the power of the Governor to remove him. Thereupon the Governor called a special session of the Legislature for one day to remove that man.

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LEGAL NOTICES. Administrator's Notice. HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of the late Mrs. Emily Knight, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the said Emily Knight, deceased, to come forward and settle the same at once, and all persons holding claims against said estate will present them to me for payment on or before the 30th day of September, 1891, or the notice will be filed in bar of their recovery.

Notice. State of North Carolina, Granville County. Mary Horner, plaintiff, vs. Abe Horner, defendant, divorce. THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED WILL take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Granville county for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the 4th Monday in November, 1890, at the court house of said county, in Oxford, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, as the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

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1st. A full line of worsted goods at 12 1/2c. 2nd. A full line at 16 1/2, 20 and 25c. 3rd. A full line of stripes at 30c. 4th. A full line of flannels and English body cashmeres at 25, 30, 38, 40 and 50c.

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Next--The largest and most beautiful stock of gimps, braids and passamentieres ever seen in Oxford, and at reduced prices.

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