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OXFORD, N. C., FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 1892.

\$1.50 PER ANNUM.

FURNITURE, DRY GOODS, &c.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.

Vegetable Plants FOR SALE BY C. W. WESTBROOK.

Early Cabbage Plants. Have been transplanted in cold frames and ready for delivery in March and April.

Late Cabbage Plants. Ready in May, June, July and August. Varieties, Late Flat Dutch, Large Late Drumhead.

Tomato Plants. Ready in April, May, June and July. Varieties, Matchless, Burpee's Extra Early, Advance.

Celery Plants. Ready in June, July and August. I offer Henderson's White Plume as the best variety for our climate.

Cauliflower. Ready in April and May. Price per dozen, 25 cents.

Egg Plants. Ready in April and May. Price per dozen 25 cents.

Lettuce Plants. Ready in April. Varieties, Stonehead, Golden Yellow, Thickhead, Yellow, White Cabbage.

Pepper Plants. Ready in April and May. Varieties, Golden Upright Pepper, Ruby King, Coral Gem Bouquet.

Beet Plants. Ready in April. I sold a quantity of beet plants last season which gave satisfaction.

Sweet Potato Plants. Ready in April, May and June. Varieties, Yams, Early Bahama, Red Nose and Early Red Potato.

Plant Bed Fertilizer! I have in 100 pound sacks the STAR AND OWL BRANDS, So well known for its good productive qualities among our farmers.

R. H. McGuire. Call and see me.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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.

Only two deaths in Oxford in February.

We learn that Mr. J. T. C. Norwood is quite sick at his home near Stovall.

The County Work House cost the tax payers \$190.91 for the month of February.

Read the new legal notices in this issue and govern yourselves accordingly, if you should be interested.

The Republican County Convention has been called by Chairman C. M. Rogers, to meet in Oxford on March 26th, to elect delegates to the State Convention.

Mr. T. D. Waller, the sanitary officer, has been instructed by the Board of Town Commissioners to have the town thoroughly cleaned during the month.

We are gratified to learn that our highly esteemed friend, Mr. W. J. Badgett, who has been sick for some time, is improving and we hope to see him in town soon.

The ladies are great workers in the churches. We learn that the lady members of the Episcopal Church at Stovall have recently put a new organ in the church.

Still marching on. We have added since our last issue 29 new subscribers to the PUBLIC LEDGER. Send them right along friends and help us build up a first-class county paper.

Mr. Robert Pleasant, who sold some tobacco at the Johnson Warehouse on Tuesday, had the misfortune to lose one of his horses that night.

We invite the careful attention of our readers to the leading firms, representing a large number of our business houses, under the head of Business Directory, and invite them to extend their patronage to these gentlemen.

Mrs. G. W. Williams, the mother of Mrs. Jerome Horner, died in Wilmington on Monday. Mrs. Horner was on a visit to Wilmington at the time.

The Sacred Concert at the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening, March, 4th, was a grand affair. All the participants acquitted themselves in a handsome manner.

We learn with pleasure that Mr. J. G. Hall has purchased from Mr. B. F. Kronheimer the vacant lot on Kingsbury place, situated between Copper's Bank and Odd Fellows Temple.

Turn on the lights. It now turns out that a portion of the proceedings of the Town Commissioners of a certain meeting in August concerning the Oxford & Coast Line Railroad was not recorded and cannot be accounted for.

We ask all persons to read without fail the advertisement of Mr. C. W. Westbrook, the great Gardner of Oxford, in another column.

One of the greatest booms to humanity in this country is good bread, and it takes fine flour to make it. The best brands put up in this country to-day is Patapeo, along with other noted brands by C. A. Gamball & Co.

The colored man, Richard Tuck, who has been waiting on Mr. R. Broughton for a long time died on Sunday with the dropsy.

Mrs. Martha J. Rogers died at the residence of Mr. W. T. Adams near Dutcheville on Thursday, March, 3, with a cancer, aged-- She has been a sufferer for 4 years, and had been confined to the house 18 months.

Mayor Hicks the dispenser of justice for the town, tried 16 law-breakers during February, and added \$40 to the town funds.

Dick Jeffreys, who escaped from the work house guard has been captured, but Daniel Pollock has gone again. Mr. Parham, brought him to town on Monday and left Pollock at a blacksmith shop to guard himself for awhile.

Rev. J. H. Hall, the genial and wholesome preacher in charge of Oxford circuit, lost his pocket book on Saturday containing his last V, but it did not in the least dampen his spirits.

Another small industry that would be of great value to Oxford is a canning factory. It would require but little capital, would give employment to a number of hands.

Mr. Sidney Minor, who was undergoing an examination at West Point, did not reach home until the day after the death of his father.

REV. DR. BAILEY PARALYZED.

A Sudden Attack as He Was About to Pronounce the Benediction.

Sunday afternoon in Raleigh, as Rev. Dr. Christopher C. Bailey, editor of the Biblical Recorder was about to pronounce the benediction at the Third Baptist church, he was stricken with paralysis.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery upon this condition: If you are afflicted with a cough, cold or any lung, throat or chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded.

OUR SIN

gle aim in business has been to buy good goods and sell at lowest prices. We have a full stock and want your trade.

OWEN, BARBOUR & SMITH.

PERSONAL SAYINGS.

OF PEOPLE IN AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Brief Mention of the Movements of You Friends and Acquaintances who Visited You and Whom You are Visiting.

Mr. J. B. Tunstall, of Bullock, was in Oxford Monday.

Dr. J. M. Hays is on a short visit to Washington City.

T. G. Dean was on visit from Nash to Granville this week.

Prof. J. A. Fishbone, of Waynesboro, Va., is spending a few days in Oxford.

Capt. Gill, the oldest citizen of Sassafras Fork township was on our streets Wednesday.

Rev. T. U. Faucette who has been sick, we are more than gratified to note is improving.

The old bell weather of Dutcheville Township, Mr. E. E. Lyon, was in Oxford on Wednesday and paid us a pleasant visit.

Messrs. E. L. Frazier, of Buchanan; J. W. Lyon, of Lyons and W. H. Lyon, of Hester's called on the PUBLIC LEDGER Monday.

The following farmers called to see us Thursday: Senator Allen, J. C. Catham, A. A. Gordon, P. G. Pruitt, W. T. Hunt and W. A. Daniel.

Mr. A. E. Willis is now acting agent at the Richmond & Danville depot, in place of Capt. J. A. White, who has been promoted to the agency at Durham.

The most worthy and efficient pastor of Granville circuit, Rev. V. A. Sharpe, visited Oxford on Monday, and honored the PUBLIC LEDGER with a short visit.

We enjoyed a pleasant visit on Friday last from Mr. Alex Wilkerson, of Averett, Va. He is a well preserved old gentleman and full of vim and energy.

We were glad to meet on our streets Tuesday Messrs. J. L. Ragan, and J. J. Dixon, of Person county.

We had the pleasure of meeting on our streets Monday Mr. Chas. Burnett, a prosperous merchant of Hester's, who has almost become a stranger to Oxford.

Mr. Charles E. Steinback, of Henderson, who left Oxford about 8 years ago was in town Wednesday for the first time since his departure.

Messrs. W. T. Adams, of Dutcheville and John A. Waller, of Knap of Reeds, were in Oxford Monday in attendance upon the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alliance Plug Factory.

Messrs. W. B. Daniel, of Epson, Vance county, Albert Eakes, of Whetstone, S. H. Harris, A. D. Frazier, and Master Fred Fraizer, of Buchanan; James Winston, of Adoniran, and Stephen Jones, of Berea, called on the PUBLIC LEDGER Tuesday.

Mr. Thos. Jeffreys, of Rocky Mount, spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife who has been sick 2 months from the effects of the gripp. We hope Mrs. Jeffreys is now on the road to recovery.

Messrs. D. N. Hunt, C. J. Cooper and Will Landis, Drs. J. E. Wyche and E. T. White and Prof. F. P. Hobgood, are delegates from the Oxford Y. M. C. A. to the State Convention at Greensboro, March 24-27th.

Answer this Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75c. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them.

DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, &c.

ADVICE TO WOMEN If you would protect yourself from Painful, Profuse, Scanty, Suppressed or Irregular Menstruation you must use



CARTERSVILLE, April 26, 1886. This will certify that two members of my immediate family, after having suffered for years from Menstrual Irregularity, being treated without benefit by physicians, were at length completely cured by one bottle of Bradfield's Female Regulator.

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.

ATLANTA, GA. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

LEAP YEAR

We have a full stock of Hardware and Buggies that we wish to press on the public with renewed vigor this season because it is open to every one to make a

PROPOSAL.

We make ours knowing it will not be

REJECTED,

Because we offer the best goods on the market at low and reasonable prices, therefore we have

NO

Fear of the public refusing such a chance, but we are confident our goods and prices will be

ACCEPTED!

OWEN, BARBOUR & SMITH.

CURES

ALL

DISEASES!



Consumption Cured. "I believe it to be one of the best medicines sold. The physicians two years ago, said my wife had consumption, both lungs affected."

Asthma and Catarrh Cured. "I have been a sufferer from asthma and catarrh for more than two years past, getting most of my sleep sitting up in bed or reclining in a chair."

Granville Institute. The Spring term will begin Jan. 21, 1892. Full collegiate course. Special advantages in Language, Music, Art, Social and Physical Culture.