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Egg Plants.

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Ready in April. Varieties, Stonehead, Golden Yellow, Thickhead Yellow, White Cabbage. Price per 100, 20 cents.

Pepper Plants.

Ready in April and May. Varieties, Golden Upright Pepper, Ruby King, Coral Gem Bouquet. Price per dozen, 25 cents; per 100, \$1.00.

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Ready in April. I sold a quantity of beet plants last season which gave satisfaction. Varieties, Early Egyptian Turnip Beet, Bastian's Half Long Blood Red. Price per 100 20 cents.

Sweet Potato Plants.

Ready in April, May and June. Varieties, Yams, Early Bahama, Red Nose and Early Red Potato. Price per 100, 20 cents; per 1,000, \$1.50. I am also planting a full line of vegetables and truck and shall be happy to supply the citizens of Oxford and the public generally. I would call especial attention to our crop of early onions (the New White Potato Onion) which will be ready for market during April and May. I ask the above named prices for the plants delivered at the gardens. Parties who desire plants delivered at their residence will be expected to pay 5 cents on each order for delivery anywhere within the corporate limits. I shall be happy to furnish plants to parties in the country or in neighboring towns. If ordered to be sent by mail add 15 cents per 100 plants for postage. If ordered by express and the order amounts to \$1.00 no charge for basket, box, packing or delivery at Express office. Orders by express under \$1.00 should be accompanied by 25 cents extra for packing, &c. I have had much experience in shipping plants by mail and express for 13 years at Wilson, N. C., and always very successfully. I use damp moss in packing. Very respectfully,
mch, 11-3m. C. W. WESTBROOK.

Trustee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY VESTED IN me by a certain deed in trust, executed to me on the 14th day of April, 1891, by S. J. Jarrrell and wife, which was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Granville county in book 34, page 133, I will sell by public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1892, the tract of land conveyed in said deed of trust, adjoining the lands of John C. Hudgins and W. E. Stem, better known as the old Booth store place or Shoo Fly, in Tally Ho township. There is a good dwelling and country store upon said place, which contains 3 acres of land. Time of sale 12 o'clock m.
Sale will take place at the court house door in Oxford,
A. A. CREWS, Trustee.
A. A. Hicks, Att'y.
March 9, 1892.

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.

—Mr. J. V. Rice now occupies the Ira Lyon dwelling on College street.

—A good break of tobacco Tuesday. The Johnson Warehouse taking the lead in quantity.

In the case of Adams vs. Railroad from Granville in the Supreme Court a new trial was granted.

—Chief of Police Renn is now having the streets put in good order, to the delight of the citizens.

—Capt. A. Landis has been suffering greatly for a week with a carbuncle on the back of his neck.

—Mr. C. R. Oliver, one of the proprietors of the Reidsville Review, died on Monday with consumption.

—Rev. Jessie Cunningham occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night.

—Mr. T. D. Waller, the sanitary officer, is very diligent just now looking after places that in the least tend to breed disease.

—Mrs. John Glenn and her nine year old son were drowned on Monday in a pond near Fantosh, Durham county, while setting some nets.

—Manager Graham Hunt, of the Alliance Warehouse sold on Tuesday, some tobacco from Ohio. It was about as sorry as we ever saw.

—Our neighboring town of Henderson went dark on Saturday night. The Electric Company has closed down, and it is now thought the town will buy the plant.

—Mr. Badger Yancy, of Person, died last week at Morganton, and his remains were brought home for interment. He was 45 years old and was a merchant for several years.

—Mr. T. D. Waller's term as sanitary officer of Oxford has expired, and Chief of Police Renn will assume the duties. Mr. Waller proved himself quite efficient and accomplished a great deal for the health of the town.

—One of the reasons perhaps why office-holders are called public servants is that like all servants they run things to suit themselves. The people are tired of it and are going to elect men who will be really the servants of the people.

—The citizens of Tally Ho township who live near Jones store have petitioned the Post Office Department for the establishment of a Post office at the above named store by the name of Meadows. We trust they will succeed in getting the Post-office.

—Congressman Moses, of Ga., a prominent Allianceman says: I warn the people against this People's party. It is pregnant with unseen dangers. Beware of ex-Republicans and missionaries from our enemies, who are persuading us to pull down the walls of Democracy.

—The roof of the cottage occupied by Mr. L. G. Newton near the residence of Mr. A. Crews, caught fire from a spark on Monday morning. The alarm was sounded and a large crowd followed the Hook and Ladder Company to the fire. It was soon put out and the damage small.

—Deputy Sheriff J. A. Taylor visited Norfolk on Tuesday armed and equipped with a requisition for the body of Henderson Jones who escaped from the Work House ten days ago, who is now in durance vile and Mr. Neally Parham has him shoveling dirt on the public roads.

—We regret that we have no favorable news of the health of Justice Davis, of the Supreme Court. His illness is a matter of serious concern to the whole State, for North Carolina never experienced a greater necessity for the counsel of virtuous intelligent men. We hope soon to hear of the complete recovery of this honest judge, faithful friend, and useful citizen.—Chronicle.

—Granville County Farmer's Alliance will meet in Oxford, Thursday, the 14th.

—Mr. J. B. V. Tunstall has been appointed tax collector for Sassafras Fork township to collect 1891 tax.

—Hon. A. H. A. Williams and Col. L. L. Polk, will address the people of Caswell at Yanceyville on Thursday, the 14th inst.

—Messrs. Brooks & Co., will remove on Monday to the store lately occupied by B. G. Medford, in Mitchell Block, next door to the PUBLIC LEDGER office.

—The election in Rhode Island on Tuesday was a warm fight, but it is said that the Republicans captured the Legislature, with a chance to elect Wardwell, Democrat Governor.

—Mr. W. D. Lynch has been chosen by Oxford Lodge 103 I. O. O. F., as representative to the Grand Lodge which meets in Wilmington in May. Mr. B. S. Royster was chosen Alternate.

—We regret to learn that Mr. Pomp Gooch, a brother of Mrs. J. M. Currin, was shot and killed a few days ago in Texas. No particulars have thus far been received of the cause of the shooting.

—Dr. S. H. Cannady informs us that the infant child of Mr. Willie Pittard, near Clays, is quite sick. We trust the little one will soon recover and gladden the hearts of its parents with its sweet smiles.

—Preparations are being made by the ladies, for a pleasant evening at the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church, on Friday next, April 8th. Abundance of the best ice cream, cake, and rare dishes, from the hands of the "Cooking Class."

—Mayor A. A. Hicks is filling out the term of the lamented L. G. Smith, and has made a clean record and should be unanimously nominated for the office of Mayor. Give us Hicks and let him continue the march of improvements he has inaugurated.

—The weighing of mails on the Washington and Charlotte railroad is finished. Each train going South averaged 10,500 pounds and those going North 6,000. The total number of pounds handled daily amounted to 31,000. For this the railroad company receives an annual compensation of \$377,071.75.

—The way to build up a community, says the Sentinel, is for the people to work together and help each other. The dollar spent at home instead of being sent away is that much kept at home. Besides home people get the benefit of the patronage, and when a man prospers without injury to his neighbors he benefits the entire community.

—Mr. J. S. Pool, a leading citizen of Oak Hill township, was in Oxford on Monday, in attendance upon the meeting of Board of County Commissioners. He presented a petition accompanied by a splendid drawing for a bridge across Aron Creek, near Buchanan, which is really needed by the citizens of that section. Mr. Pool is a staunch friend of the PUBLIC LEDGER, and of course call to see us.

—The Wilmington Messenger pays the following compliment to Dr. J. M. Hays, who left Oxford last week to make Washington City his home: "He is a young physician of fine parts with the experience of some six or eight years. After completing his course in this country he studied in Germany. We regret to see our young and gifted friend leaving the old State. But good talents like to get near the centre. Success to him in his new home."

—There is nothing that builds up a town more than a live newspaper, and it is within the power of the people to make it such by their support by advertising, subscriptions and job printing. Nothing builds up a county and town more than a good paper, one that goes into nearly every home in the county. The PUBLIC LEDGER can be made a better paper if the people will patronize us. We will give value received, not asking for a contribution.

I have several desirable residences in Oxford for sale. Also some dwelling and tores for rent. JNO. A. WILLIAMS.

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.

—Capt. J. B. Hunter is on a visit to Richmond.

—Col. and Mrs. R. J. Mitchell are spending several days in Raleigh.

—Thornton Lanier, who has been teaching school in Virginia, is at home.

—We received a call on Tuesday from Mr. A. G. Clement and his son, Edward.

—Mr. N. B. Cannady has returned home after spending some time in Greensboro.

—Dr. Noble, of Selma, is in Oxford on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Winston.

—Mr. John W. Hays was in attendance upon the Supreme Court of the State this week.

—Major B. F. Bullock, of Franklin, was in Oxford on Wednesday on legal business.

—Ex-Sheriff James I. Moore was in Oxford on Monday looking better than we ever saw him.

—Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cannady; and Mr. and Mrs. Wash Currin visited Oxford on Monday.

—Mr. F. P. Hobgood, Jr., who is a student at Wake Forest, spent Sunday with "old folks at home."

—Messrs. James A. Jones, Jr., and Sr., and Robt. Jones, all of Brownsville, called to see us Wednesday.

—The fascinating Miss Annie Booth spent several days the past week with her uncle, Dr. J. W. Booth, of Stem.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farthing, of Durham, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mitchell Saturday and Sunday.

—Hon. R. W. Winston, spent several days with his family the past week. He is now dispensing justice in the Eastern portion of the State.

—R. W. Downey and son, of Buchanan, called to see us on Tuesday. Mr. D. is a strong friend of the PUBLIC LEDGER, and we thank him kindly for a club of subscribers.

—Mrs. J. B. Williams returned from a visit to Portsmouth, Va., on Saturday accompanied by Misses Peters and Watts, who will spend some time in Oxford as her guests.

—Mr. W. Raker was in Oxford Tuesday and called to see us. He had just returned from the mines near Knap of Reeds, and says that there is good iron ore in immense quantity.

—After spending several months in Colorado and Texas, Mr. Thos. A. Cozart, is at home again and met with a warm reception by his many friends. He has greatly improved in health.

—Miss Mary Hicks, of Warrenton, Va., who charmed Oxford with her matchless singing, in company with her sister, Miss Landon, has returned to her home, to the regret of some of our young gentlemen.

—We had the pleasure of seeing on our streets after an absence of twelve years Mr. William G. Herndon. He is one of the prosperous men of the Gate City of the South, Atlanta, Ga., and we welcome him to Oxford once more.

—Messrs. G. S. Ragsdale, J. G. Shotwell, Milton Blalock, F. O. Bumpass, R. D. Royster, W. M. Bradford, T. B. Parham, W. J. Overton, J. J. Renn, J. A. Watkins, J. M. Phipps, D. G. Hobgood, were on the breaks Tuesday.

—We met on the breaks Mr. R. D. Royster, of Center Grove, Person county. He was well pleased with the prices paid him at the Banner for his tobacco. He informed us that he made his own supplies at home and did not feel the hard times as bad as those who did not make something to eat.

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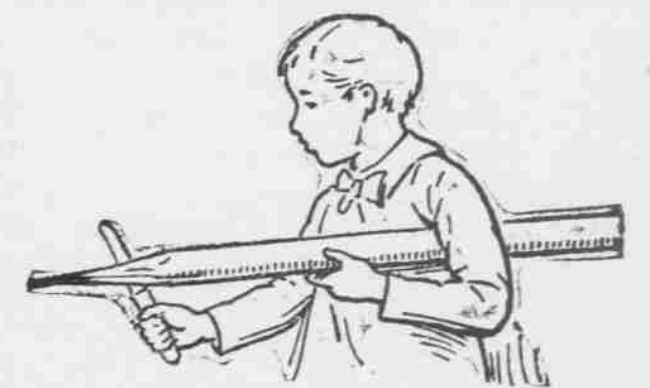
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