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BRIEF LOCAL MENTIONS.

What is Transpiring Around and About Us, in Town and County.

-Edwin Puryear had the pleasure of shooting down a deer near Lewis one day last week.

people of the Carlton section will join hands for life early in December.

-We are glad to learn that there is more meat being raised this year in Granville than was ever known before.

ers are requested to read the anelsewhere.

-Rev. Edward Benedict is holding mission services every night this week, which have proven very in structive and interesting.

-Mr. J. Y. Cozart, who lives near Berea, killed a goat one day last week that proved to be a fat one. He realized a cake of tallow 4 inches thick and 28 inches around.

-A slight change was made in the schedule of the passenger train on the O. & C. road Sunday. Arrives from Durham in the morning at 7 o'clock and from Keysville at 6:34 p. m.

-Mrs. J. H. Horner sent us a few days ago two mammoth beets of her own raising. One weighed 10 pounds and was 21 feet long, and the other weighed 8 pounds and was two feet two inches in length.

-We are informed that Major J. T. Yancey, of Person county, has up fattening 27 hogs. Six of them are said to be rousers, weighing between 450 and 500 pounds each, while the balance will average 300 a piece.

Durham Sun says: Mr. Ruffin Fuller, of Watkins, one of Granville county's best farmers, is here on a visit to C. F. Reams. He says there are three things plentiful his come munity, fresh air, cool water and sorghum, and sorghum is the only streets. thing he can trade on.

-In our account of the Odd Fellows' supper in mentioning the names of the ladies who rendered valuable services we overlooked Mrs. S. V. Ellis. She had charge of the cooking department which accounted for the admirable manner in which the oysters and turkey were served.

-It is said our worthy friend "Hustler," of Culbreth, captures the prize as a squirrel hunter. One day last week he yentured up in "Shake Rag," Nathan Lunsford's domain, and killed 144. An eye witness said "Hustler" hustled along the road "with the tails of the squirrels strung on a pole 20 feet long."

progressive young farmer, and made thanks of the entire Lodge. a good crop this year. He had a corn shucking last week and cribbed 75 barrels of corn. Mrs. Tillotson, a most worthy lady who is well up in the art of preparing good things, served a bountiful supper and every thing passed off pleasantly.

money every time it is put on the warehouse floor in Oxford. Our Lyon, put on the floor at Wilkinson Warehouse Friday a load of fine tobacco which averaged \$43. The first grade of 200 pounds was said by competent judges to be the finest seen on the market this year. Come right on to Oxford with your tobacco if you want top round prices for all

-J. J. Oslin and Miss Annie E Moore, both of Mecklenburg county, Va., were married at the residence of N. C. Chapman Thursday morning, Squire J. K. Wood officiating.

-On Tuesday, 28th, the ladies will serve dinner and supper in Armory -We learn that two popular young | Hall for the benefit of the Odd Fellows. If you wish oysters in any style, turkey, celery, &c., be sure to give the ladies a call.

-A correspondent of the Kinston Free Press says at the last term of Jones Superior Court a negro who was convicted of stealing a mule. -School committeemen and teach- Before sentence was pronounced the judge gave him an opportunity to nouncement of their chief adviser speak for himself and he said: "I wouldn't er tuck de mule nohow ef . hadn't er red in de Testermint whar Jesus tuck a mule." The judge remarked: "Yes, but he didn't ride him to Kinston and try to sell him;" and thereupon he gave the negro 3 years in the penitentiary.

> A farmer at Fayetteville saw on the street a negro whom he recognized as a man who had robbed him a few weeks ago on the highway, and who was one of a gang of daring robbers. The sheriff was notified and pursuit made. A number of shots were fired without effect, but finally a man knocked the highwayman Thacker and Wharton conducting down with a brick and he was captured. At noon he was in jail and in six hours was tried, convicted and tives, and all that was mortal of a sentenced to the penitentiary for ten years. He narrowly escaped lynching. He was put in penitentiary the next day.

> -We are fully aware that times sad bereavement. are exceedingly hard and our town people have heavy taxes to pay, but we trust our Town Fathers will devise some way of lighting up some of the principle streets this winter. It is awful tough plowing through the mud that covers our sidewalks when it rains. Turn on some kind of a light gentleman, if it is only a on some half dozen corners of the that resolutions endorsing Vance and

flight,

for one night!

The smallest "cat boil" is large enough to show that the blood needs purifyinga warning which, if unheeded, may result, not in more boils, but in something very much worse. Avert the danger in Cured others, will cure you.

Many Thanks.

HALLS OF I. O. O. F., No. 103 Nov. 21, 1893.—To the ladies who assisted and worked so hard for the success of the oyster supper given in Armory Hall, on Tuesday night, Nov. 14th for the benefit of Oxford Lodge No. 103, I. O. O. F., we a committee appointed, do hereby -Mr. W. H. Tillotson, Jr., is a tender to them the most hearty

> W. F. BLACK, W. D. LYNCH, Com.

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DEATH OF AN ESTIMABLE LADY.

Mrs. William T. Allen is no More on Earth.

On Sunday afternoon, near Tar River Academy, the spirit of Mrs. W. T. Allen passed into the great beyond, leaving behind dear loved ones, to become a glittering gem in the paradise of God, as she had been a devoted christian from childhood. Mrs. Allen died from appoplexy in the 53rd year of her age. She was a member of Olive Branch Baptist church, of Person, having in all these years let her membership res main where she found the pardon of her sin in her girlhood days. She was a daughter of Major Allen Yancey, of Person, and sister to Major J. T. Yancey and Mr. W. P. Yancey. The former represented Person in the Legislature of 1890.

Mrs. Allen was ever faithful in the discharge of her duties, and was a true woman in every respect, being a devoted wife, loving mother and kind neighbor. At the time of her death her devoted daughter, Miss Eula, was extremely ill with typhoid fever, but we are glad to learn was much improved at last accounts.

The burial took place on Monday afternoon, at home, Revs. Ernest the services, in the presence of a large number of friends and relagood, true woman was consigned to the tomb.

We extend to the afflicted ones our condolence in this the hour of their

SENATOR RAMSOM ATTACKED.

Manipulation of a Few Men Against the True Man of the People.

The Winston Sentinel says an item has been published in the Wilmington Messenger, Asheville Citizen and a few other papers, stating that a meeting was held at the yillage of kerosene lamp with a flickering light | Jackson, Northampton county, and silver and indirectly attacking Ran-Turn backward, oh time in your som were adopted. We' have our. selves been given information And give us electric lights, if only regarding this meeting; it came from reliable sources and we will here state the main facts.

The meeting was a public one. It was addressed by Gen. Ransom, Mr. B. S. Gay, Mr. W. W. Peeples, Dr. time by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla R. H. Stancil, Capt. T. W. Mason and others. After the crowd had gone away and only a small number of people remained, these resolutions, conceived by a clique and presented while nearly all but their adherents had gone, were brought forth

and adopted. This village meeting was seemingly manipulated by a few men who do we enjoyed a pleasant talk with him not like Senator Ransom. One of the manipulators has been Whig, Know Nothing, Republican, drunk- young friend, Mr. B. K. Hays, has ard and Democrat by turns, with a been recently made one of the Promore consistent reputation as a wine sectors and Demonstrators in Richbibber than as a politician. We sub- mond College of Physicians and mit that an endeavor to drag down Surgery. Senator Ransom in that manner is impudent, unfair and disgusting. Senator Ransom will be judged by the people of this State. His record will be reviewed next year and he will meet with public approval or condemnation according to his deserts. But we don't want prominence given to the action of a cotere who call a public meeting and delay action until after the public have tion, coughs and colds is guaranteed to

The PUBLIC LEDGER thinks this proceedings savors of Thirdisms and was promulgated in the interest of "My own dear Mary Ann Butler" for Senator.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Brief Mentlon of the Movements of Your Friends and Acquaintances.

-Mrs. James Paris is on a visit to Danville, Va.

-Mr. L. Hunter has gone to the Augusta, Ga., Exposition.

-Mr. Lucius Green, of Durham, was on our streets Monday.

-Dr. T. C. Pugh, of Baltimore, was in Oxford on Saturday.

-Mr. H. W. Kronheimer is on a visit to the city of Winston.

-Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Allen, of Wilton, were in Oxford Tuesday.

-Mrs. Fannie Barnett, of Chase City, is visiting relatives in Oxford.

-Mr. A. S. Hall left on Tuesday on a hunting expedition near Louis-

-Sheriff W. S. Cozart, of Hampon, was at the court house on Wednesday.

-Miss Nannie Whitaker, of Littleton, N. C., is visiting Mrs. S. W.

-Mr. J. F. Rogers, of Richmond,

Va., spent several days in Oxford this week. -Messrs. B. E. Green and W. T. Adams, of Dutchville, spent Tues-

day in Oxford. -Mrs. Lewis Amis, of Stovall, was the guest this week of Col. and

Mrs. J. S. Amis. -Mr. Dick Hines, of Milton, spent several days in Oxford this week visiting his family.

-Messrs. W. T. and E. Roberts, of the Stem section, paid this office a visit on Wednesday.

-Messrs. E. N. Crews, of Crewsyille, and J. L. Suit, of Berea, paid us a visit on Tuesday.

-Mrs. H. H. Harper and little son, of Franklinton, are visiting the family of Mr. R. S. Usry.

-Messrs. W. T. Lumpkins, of Salem, and A. W. Montague, of Hargrove, called to see us on Saturday.

-Mr. S. M. Smith, of Rountree, Pitt county, is spending a few days with his parents, near Tar River Academy.

-We were glad to meet in our office Monday Mr. C. F. Thomas, of Pleasants, who has just recovered from a protracted spell of typhoid

-Mrs. Hinton, of Durham, a daughter of our esteemed countyman, Mr. J. T. Murray, of Berea, honored the editor with a visit on Friday.

-Mr. W. E. Royster, one of the practical farmers of the Big Rock section, was in town Monday and in our office.

-We had the pleasure of a visit on Wednesday from Mr. J. W. Chandler, of Push, Va. He is an intelligent and promising young farmer, and from his looks would take him door in Oxford, Granville county, N. C., a part of the land described in said Deed of Trust, which to be a courting man.

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Trustee's Sale.

Trust executed on the 24th of November, 1880, by John H. Averett and wife, Sarah F. Averett, I shall on Monday, the 18 h December, 1893, sell for cash to the highest bidder at the courthouse is recorded in Book 11, Page 522, Granville County Register's office. The said tract of land being the land on which John H. Averett now resides and contains about fifty acres. Terms of sale cash. Time of sa e 12 o'clock, m, GEO. B. HARRIS, Trustee. November 14, 1893.

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of Frank B. Howard, deceased, I hereby notity all persons indebted to him to make immediate payment to me; and all persons holding claims against him are notified to present the same to me on or before the 16th of Nov. 1894,

B D. HOWARD, nov.17-6t. Admr. of Frank B. Howard, dec'd,