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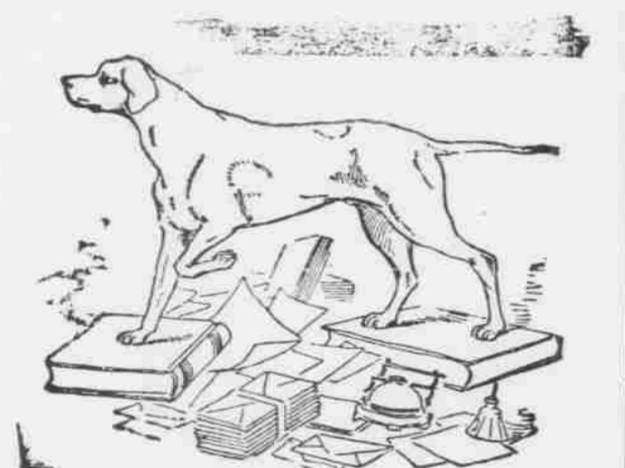
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Two good bay horses and carriage, sold separately or all together. Terms reasonable. Apply to H. M. SHAW, Att'y, Oxford, N. C. Jan 19-41.

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Having removed to the house on the Corner of College Street and Penn Avenue, next to the Episcopal church I am prepared still to continue entertaining transient people as well as boarders Jan 5-1m. MRS T. H. JONES.

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HARDWARE, BUGGIES, WAGONS, CARRIAGES AND ROAD CARTS.

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Sale of Land.
BY VIRTUE OF A DEED IN TRUST to me executed by William Thorp, Jr., on the 20th day of December, 1890, and recorded on page 250, book 33, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Granville county, and by direction of the assignee of the trust, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Oxford, on Monday, the 5th day of February, 1894, that tract of land known as the "Wheeler place," in Whitcomb Grove township, bounded on the north by Peterson Thorp, Jr., on the west by Mrs. I. H. Davis, on the south by William Sherman and Thomas Wood, on the east by Lewis Thorp, containing 30 acres, more or less. Also the interest of the said William Thorp in the estate of the late Benjamin P. Thorp, Sr., including the share Lot No. 5 in the partition of the lands of Peterson Thorp, Sr., dec'd. This January 3, 1894. A. W. GRAHAM, Trustee.

LOCAL LINKS.

Things that Happen in Town and County Boiled Down.

—Read advertisement of horses and carriage for sale at reasonable figures.
—We are gratified to learn that Mrs. John W. Lawrence, of Wilton, who has been sick is much improved.

—Rev. P. L. Herman, who has been quite sick several days is much improved but still confined to the house.
—It is no longer proper to say "he has a jag on." "He has a slant" is the expression the arbiters of slang have decreed is the thing.

—We are glad to see out again Dr. S. H. Cannady, who was confined at home several days last week with an attack of the gripe.

—Dr. P. Booth is now the local surgeon of the Richmond & Danville Railroad. A most excellent selection as he is one of our best physicians.

—We are with the people against Cleveland monopoly rule, and while we shall stand by Democracy we are opposed to ring political rule, such as is now in vogue.

—Democrats, if you are seeking office unless you have surplus bootie to ante up you are in thick mud under the present so-called Democratic administration.

—Read the change in the advertisement of A. Landis & Sons in another column, as it will do you good. Good bargains await you and we advise you to take them in.

Colored people in this State die 50 per cent. faster than the whites in proportion to population. This statement is based on a summary of mortality reports from 24 towns.

—"What are the wild waves saying" to Tammany as to offices? "You are strictly in it." And "what are the wild waves saying to county Democracy?" "You are not in it."

—Do not fail to attend the 5 o'clock tea at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Horner, Saturday afternoon. If you do you will miss one of the most pleasant occasions of the season.

—Mr. Charles M. Wilkinson, a fine looking young man, and Miss Carrie K. Ingram a beautiful young lady, both of Notaway county, Va., were married in Oxford Jan. 12th, 1894. Rev. J. A. Stradley officiating.

—Rev. J. B. Hurley preached two elegant sermons at the Methodist Church on Sunday. We are pleased to note that the Reverend gentleman is well sustaining his reputation as a forcible expounder of the Holy word.

—Up to the hour of going to press no appointment for postmaster of Oxford has been announced. Everybody has been expecting it this week as the time of the present clever incumbent Mr. J. M. Sikes expired on the 8th instant.

Forget petty differences that have divided our people for some time and let us all unite to build up Oxford and our tobacco market. We urge every countyman to stand by and patronize your home people. If you don't do it who will?

—We had some bad weather lately but it has been all fair sailing with the Oxford tobacco market; as prices have been on a regular boom and pockets of the farmers were made heavy thereby. Hurrah for Oxford warehouses and buyers!

—Oh what a slaughter there has been in Democratic principles in the past few months, under the guidance of Grover Cleveland, the Champion of New England Democracy, which is nothing more than Republicanism as compared with Southern Democracy.

—Messrs J. H. and W. J. Long have purchased the stock of goods of M. F. Hart Co. They are exceedingly clever young men and really deserve the patronage of the people. Mr. Tom Lawrence will remain with the Messrs. Long and continue to serve his friends.

—George Rawlins, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Rawlins was sliding down a pole on Tuesday afternoon and stuck a large splinter in one of his thighs. It was very painful and Dr. Baskerville was summoned who cut it out, and George is all right now.

—A 5 o'clock tea will take place at the residence of Mrs. James H. Horner, Saturday afternoon for the benefit of the "Junior Branch of the Womans Auxilliary Society." It will be quite a recherche affair, as a large number of young Misses from 3 to 17 years will be attired in full evening dress entraine, which will present a brilliant and attractive scene. The public are cordially invited to attend. The small sum of 10 cents will be charged for admission including a lunch. Let the young ladies be greeted with a large crowd.

—Major B. S. Royster visited the city of Richmond this week.

—Attention is called to several legal notices which appear for the first time in this issue.

—Messrs. Lawson Knott and J. W. Wilson and son were pleasant visitors to our sanctum Thursday.

—Mr. J. C. Satterwhite, of Satterwhite, dropped in to see the editor Wednesday and renewed his subscription.

—Remember that Dr. J. E. Wyche will leave Oxford the 15th of February and now is the time to make engagements to have your teeth put in good condition.

—Alexander Cooper, col., who on the 4th inst. tried to pass a forged check on Cooper's Bank in the name of W. I. Wilkinson, has been run down by Chief Kenn and is now in jail.

—The legal card of that sterling lawyer, Mr. A. W. Graham, appears in another column. He is so well known to our people as an astute, painstaking lawyer that comment is unnecessary.

—Messrs. R. H. Pleasants and C. F. Thomas, of Pleasant; A. G. Clement, of Culbreth; J. F. Cole, of Sun set; A. P. Overton, Cannady's Mill, and W. A. Parham, of Watkins, visited this office Tuesday.

—During the past week several attempts have been made to enter the residence of Mr. Zack Burnett, but were foiled each time. The report got out that Mr. Burnett had a considerable sum at home is supposed to be the cause of attempted burglary.

—Important changes have been made in the law firm of Mr. H. M. Shaw as will be seen elsewhere. His father, Mr. W. B. Shaw, of Henderson, one of the leading lawyers in the State, is associated with him. All business entrusted to them will meet with prompt attention.

"My friends quit complaining, About the times a being hard, When hog meat is a piling up And there's a flowing of the lard. And the good wife is a turning That sausage all about, And it does make a hungry Man, stout, stout, stout."

—The Oxford Public Ledger began its seventh volume with last week's issue, and has changed its form to a six column folio. It sports a new and attractive head, and shows other improvements in typography. Brother Britt is a hard worker for his town and county, and deserves well of them.

—The Public Ledger, always a bright, newsy local journal, has started the new year by enlarging, putting on a new and neat heading, and getting itself up in good shape. Oxford should feel proud of such a paper, and we wish our Granville neighbor great prosperity throughout the year.—Durham Sun.

—The Oxford Public Ledger came to us last week with a pretty new head and a full dress of fine type. Bro. Britt is a hard puller for Oxford and pure Democracy, and deserves the continued support and patronage of his town and county. Long may he live and improve the PUBLIC LEDGER.—Burlington News.

—The two little sons of Mr. E. T. Rawlins were sailing a kite on Saturday afternoon when the string broke, catching in a tree, and continued to sail. The wind kept it up all night and continued to sail nearly all day Sunday. Quite a number of people going to church Sunday wondered in their minds who was sailing a kite on Sunday.

—Who weeps with you when you are sad, and laughs with you when you are glad? The editor. Who has to be both kind and nay—well, hardly ever lies, and when he does excites surprises? The editor. Who owns a heart as well as cheek, possessed of spirit proud yet meek, and lives for others all the week? The editor.—Durham Sun.

—Mr. Tom Kirk, the gentleman who has charge of the Training Stables of Messrs. Black & Knott, is the right man in the right place. He thoroughly understands his business, and knows just what to do with a horse, either in driving or disease. He is treating the small colt of Dr. Sam Booth and is meeting with gratifying success.

—The Oxford Public Ledger begins the new year by enlarging the size of its pages and donning a neat and attractive heading. Always enterprising, wide-awake to the interests of its town and section, and with a newsy local paper, PUBLIC LEDGER deserves the fullest measure of success and prosperity. The GOLD LEAF hopes 1894 may deal as kindly with Editor Britt as the merits of his journal justly deserve.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

Itch on human, mange on horses, dogs and all stock, cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by J. G. Hall, druggist, Oxford, N. C.

GREAT OFFER.

Two Papers One Year for Only \$1.50 Cash.

We call the attention of our readers to the remarkable clubbing offer in another column by which we can send the PUBLIC LEDGER and the Atlanta Weekly Constitution to the same address for one year for the low sum of \$1.50.

This is the best offer of its kind we have ever been able to make to our readers. The Atlanta Weekly Constitution is too well known to need any introduction here. It has won its place at the firesides of the nation as a model weekly newspaper. It numbers on its staff some of the most famous and brilliant writers of the day, and on all public questions its lance is ever in rest to defend the rights of the people. It is the largest and most widely circulated weekly newspaper published in America, having a circulation of 156,000, and it covers the news of the world every week. It is in itself an education to those who read it. By the clubbing rate which we offer, our readers can get the Weekly Constitution and their home paper at but little more than the cost of one paper, thereby getting the news of their home and the news of the world every week for a year at an insignificant outlay.

In addition to this, every subscriber to this paper and the Constitution, under our clubbing arrangement, will be given an opportunity to win some handsome prizes. Every person who subscribes for this paper and the Constitution for one year will be entitled to a guess at the probable size of the cotton crop for 1893-94, the crop which is now harvested and being marketed \$1,000 in prizes, the first being \$400 in gold, and the others in proportion, will be divided among the five guessers who come nearest guessing the number of bales in this crop. Everyone who takes advantage of our clubbing rate will be entitled to one guess, which will be promptly recorded and filed and the announcement of the winners will be made as soon as the New Orleans Cotton Exchange announces its estimate of the crop.

Another contest to which our clubbing subscribers will have free access is the missing word contest, which is being run in the Constitution every month. Besides making an estimate in the cotton crop contest, every subscriber has a right to enter his guess in the missing word contest for the month in which he subscribes, and is entitled to another guess for every new name that he sends in. At the end of the month, one fourth of the money received in the guessing contest is divided among those who guess correctly the missing word and in this manner the Constitution has distributed already nearly \$10,000.

The sentence from now until Feb. 1st is: "In Prussia a law concerning compulsory education of neglected and—children received the sanction of the crown."

All these matters are explained in another column. We merely call attention to it here to show our readers what a liberal offer we have to make to them. These offers are made by our arrangement with the Constitution, and only those who subscribe for both papers through this office are entitled to take part in the contest.

This is the most liberal clubbing offer we have ever been able to make and we feel sure that it will prove immensely popular with our readers.

Granville Institute.

The examinations preparatory to the closing of the advent term at Granville Institute and the beginning of the work of the Easter term, are now in progress; and the pupils are reaping the rewards of their diligent study in examination marks, which are a source of pride and pleasure to themselves, their parents and their teachers.

The Easter term begins on January twenty-third and, as at this time much of the work of the preceding term is completed, and new work taken up, it is a specially suitable time for the reception of new pupils, who can enter with profit the classes now being formed.

Special features of the school are the chorus class, where every pupil is taught to sing by note at sight; the drawing classes in which all the pupils are taught free hand drawing; the general class in elocution where special attention is paid to purity of tone and correctness of pronunciation; and the classes in gymnastics where both the Swedish and Delsarte systems are taught.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Siftles, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by J. G. Hall, druggist, Oxford, N. C.

MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE.

Coming and Going of Friends and Strangers.

—Mr. Thomas Cozart, of Durham, visited Oxford the past week.

—Messrs Lee Minor, of Providence and J. F. Cannady, of Wilton, were on our streets Monday.

—Miss Young, a prepossessing young lady of Warren county is the guests of the Misses Hughes.

—Miss Lilia Downey, of Buchanan is visiting Miss Mamie Overton, niece of Mr. P. H. Turner, who is keeping house for him.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lyon, of Wilton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Williams, Saturday, and Mr. Lyon called to see us.

—The affable G. B. Hopkins, of Stem, was a pleasant caller at this office on Friday. He could not do without the PUBLIC LEDGER.

—The clever J. R. O'Brian, of Dutchville, was in Oxford on Monday and his genial smile shed its rays in our den. Come again old friend.

—Rev. Edward Benedict spent the past week at Rocky Mount conducting a mission meeting. His pulpit was acceptably filled on Sunday by Rev. J. M. Horner.

—We met in our office on Tuesday Mr. M. T. Clayton, who in conjunction with Mr. S. M. Evans, have opened up a splendid stock of goods at Sunset. We wish them a prosperous business.

—"Dr." H. J. Bobards, the genius in surgery, of Fishing Creek, and Capt. J. L. Suit, of Berea, "Limber Jacks," paid their respects to the "old man of this print shop" on Monday, and their company was enjoyed very much.

—The urbane, Chas. Burnett, the clever merchant of Hesters, shed the rays of his genial countenance in our work shop on Monday. By the way he rode out of town behind one of the nicest horses we have had the pleasure of looking at for some time.

—We had the pleasure of greeting in our office on Friday Messrs G. W. Wright, John Pittard, Wm. Pleasants, J. F. Usury, R. W. Adcock, and J. F. Cole. We are always glad to meet our farmers friends in our sanction regardless of their political views.

—Allen Parham, one of our intelligent colored farmers dropped in to see the editor on Saturday. He said he could not do without his county paper as it gave him all the home news. This is a pointer to many of our own race who are not subscribers.

Two of Granville's tried and true farmers of the old school, honored our office with a visit on Wednesday. They were Mr. W. S. Lyon, of Berea, and Dr. R. W. Hobgood, of Sunset, and dropped in to renew their subscriptions saying the paper was a household necessity.

—We had the pleasure of meeting in our office Tuesday, Mr. John A. Waller, of Knap of Reeds, President of Granville county Farmers Alliance. He is greatly interested in the welfare of the people, and anxious for Congress to do something for their relief. To which we say amen, as the country is sadly in need of reform in many ways, brought on by bad legislation.

—Mr. R. B. Beasley, and his bright little son, of Louisburg, spent Monday in Oxford on a visit to Mr. H. T. Bearley. He reported Louisburg market on a regular move. If he had been in Oxford, on Tuesday he would have declared that our tobacco market was a bonanza on high prices and still a humming. Prices "shot up among the rafters" friend Beasley, and our farmers and warehousemen faces wore broad smiles.

See the World's Fair for Fifteen Cents

Upon receipt of your address and fifteen cents in postage stamps, we will mail you prepaid our Souvenir Portfolio of the World's Columbian Exposition. The regular price is fifty cents, but as we want you to have one we make the price nominal. You will find it a work of art and a thing to be prized. It contains full page views of the great buildings, with descriptions of same, and is executed in the highest style of art. If not satisfied with it, after you get it, we will refund the stamps and let you keep the book. Address H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Miss Ella Worthington wishes to announce to her friends and patrons that for the present she will be at the residence of Mr. Alex. J. Felib, where she will pursue her usual occupation of dress-making, and will be glad to serve them as heretofore. Jan 5-4t.

Scandal in High Life.

On Friday last a prominent young married man of Greensboro, son of the late Judge Gilmer, of that city, went to Raleigh, having left word at home that he would be gone several days. Instead, however, he returned to Greensboro on the same night and shortly before midnight he went home, where he found Frank Holland, of Danville, in a compromising position with his wife in the latter's room. He fired upon Holland, the ball taking effect in one of his thighs.

It turned out that a married sister of the wronged husband, who has for several years been separated from her husband, was also in a compromising position with another young man. The latter, however, made good his escape. Greensboro is said to be in terrible excitement over the deplorable affair, as all parties are very prominent in social circles.

Death of Mrs. Charity Hester.

A writer in the Orphans' Friend in speaking of this good lady says: Mrs. Charity Hester, widow of the late Rev. B. B. Hester, of Granville county, N. C., after a long and eminently useful life, died December 3, 1893, at her home where she had lived fifty-eight years. She was born September 12th, 1813, so she lived to the ripe old age of eighty years, two months and twenty-one days. She was married to B. B. Hester November 11th, 1829, and they lived happily together for more than 62 years. Thirteen children were born unto them of whom ten are still living. She professed faith in Christ when quite young, but doubts disturbed her until a gracious revival at Banks Chapel occurred even after marriage where she and her husband sought and found the assurance of forgiveness and acceptance. From that glad hour she was a happy and devoted christian.

A Remarkable Cure.

"About eight months ago I had the mumps, and just after recovering I commenced to suffer with dyspepsia or indigestion. For three months there was continually a pain or lump in my chest, and my bowels were so constipated I could never have an action without having to take an aperient. After using three bottles of your dyspepsia remedy I was entirely well, and have remained so. I have not taken a single drop of medicine since, and have gained twelve pounds." Yours truly, J. E. McIvies, Atlanta, Ga.

Price 50c. per bottle. For sale by druggists.

Northside Notes.

Old Northside for sugar stews. They are having them every week and the young people are enjoying themselves hugely.

I am somewhat surprised at our Oxford tobacco men, as old Dutchville has got the fine tobacco and the Durham and Henderson boys are taking it in. They are buying it at the barn door and paying good prices for it. Messrs. W. H. Waller, J. G. Hall and many other of our good farmers have been taking in the greenbacks for the last week. The writer saw Mr. J. G. Hall when he arrived from Henderson and he had so much of the where-with-all he had a rejoicing fit when he stepped off the cars.

Mr. A. G. Fleming takes the cake on big hogs. He killed 6 that made him 1824 pounds, three of which were only 104 months old. He killed one last week that weighed 547 pounds. Who can beat that? Mr. Fleming is a hard working, energetic man. He believes in living at home and boarding at the same place. If old Granville was filled up with such men we would have good times. He is a man who has a big heart in him. He believes in looking after the poor and needy as well as the widows and orphans.

Socks.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. J. G. Hall, druggist.

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