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We want to announce that we are anxious to sell goods and our stock is complete embracing: The largest and most complete line of Hardware of every description.

LOCAL LINKS.

Things that Happen in Town and County Boiled Down.

-We learn from the Durham Sun that a negro girl fifteen years old stole some clothes to be baptized in.

-The ball game between the Oxford and Clarksville teams took place Wednesday afternoon and our boys won by a score of 8 to 3.

-Durham will give Gus Graham a royal reception today. The Democratic Club alone with 500 members will turn out to hear him skin "Dodging Tommie."

-Colonel John R. Webster will speak at Wilton Saturday October 14th and at Oxford Friday night October 13th.

-Fanny Philpot, who lives on the land of Mr. Wilkins Stovall, showed in Stovall on last Saturday a living chicken which had four complete legs and feet, with five toes on each foot.

-Mr. S. H. Curran requests us to announce that he is a candidate for the nomination of Register of Deeds before the Democratic Convention which meets in Oxford on Monday next.

-Every member of the Granville Grays is requested to be at the Army Monday night as it is regular drill night of the Company.

-Cards are out announcing the marriage of our greatly esteemed townsman, Mr. John B. Booth, of the firm of Booth & Hunt, to the accomplished Miss Annie Shepard, at Suffolk, Va., on the 10th of October.

-At a meeting of the Granville Grays, Dr. S. H. Cannady, was elected Surgeon of that Company in place of the lamented Dr. Pat Booth.

-Money is the hard cold stuff that the farmers work day and night to get, and when your pockets get light just load your wagon with tobacco and drive under the shed of the Minor warehouse and Knott & Cooper will see that you get big money for it.

-The editor had the great pleasure of entertaining seven of the excellent corps of correspondents of the PUBLIC LEDGER at the Osborn House on Saturday last.

-Our talented young friend, J. C. Biggs, was last week granted license to practice law by the Supreme court and has located among his own people.

-We have always had quite a high opinion of our friend J. L. Adcock, of Tar River, and must say that he says he would vote for "Faircloth, Furehes, or anybody else to beat a Democrat."

-At the Minor Warehouse Knott & Cooper are regular winners on high averages, and it is said when a good sale is made for a farmer Sol. Cooper and Alf. Hobgood congratulate each other.

-The largest and most complete line of Farming Implements.

-The largest and most complete line of House ke per's Goods.

-The largest and most complete line of Wood and Willow Ware.

-The largest and most complete line of Crockery and Glassware.

-The largest and most complete line of Guns, Pistols, Shot and Caps.

-The largest and most complete line of Hubs, Rims and Spokes.

-The largest and most complete line of Steel Tires and Iron Tires.

-The largest and most complete line of Buggy and Cart Wheels.

-The largest and most complete line of Cane Mills and Reapers.

-The largest and most complete line of Paints, Oils, Turpentine, &c.

-The largest and most complete line of Brushes and all kind of Art's material.

-The largest and most complete line of Lime, Plaster, Cement and Cow Hair.

-The largest and most complete line of Excelsior and New Lee Cook Stoves.

-Our stock of Buggies are the prettiest styles ever shown in Granville Co. Latest styles, lowest prices—consisting of makes, such as Tyson & Jones, Columbus, Carolina and Randolph Buggies, Nissen, White Hickory Wagons, Tin Roofing, Guttering, &c., done.

-A great storm is prevailing all over the South and we are feeling the effects of it here.

-Senator David B. Hill is nominated for Governor by the Democratic Convention of New York by acclamation amid great applause.

-On the 26th inst. Lyon, Thomas & Co., Proprietors Meadows warehouse, made an average of \$15.50 per 100 pounds for everything sold on their floor.

-Elder Ballou will preach in the Opera House Saturday at 8 p. m. and Sunday at 3 p. m. and 8 p. m.

-Nat Woodlief, a leading Republican in Granville, says his party has not moved one jot from their faith, and that the Thirties in coming to the Republican party, has of course embraced Republicanism, and are received with open arms.

-Mr. A. S. Peace, who edits the Granville Reformer, is very much stirred up because we insist that only Republicans and Democrats should be appointed poll-holders as the law says they shall be appointed from the two political parties.

-We learn from the News and Observer that on Monday, at Ridge-way, the little son and namesake of Dr. T. B. Williams, of Ridgeway, was struck by a piece of falling timber.

-The funeral services took place from the St. Stephens church of which the deceased was a consistent member, on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Edward Benedict.

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ON THE OTHER SHORE.

Death of Mrs. C. J. Ward on Sunday Morning.

The dread reaper, death, again invaded our midst on Sunday morning at 6 o'clock and claimed as its own the spirit of Mrs. C. J. Ward. In the death of Mrs. Ward the community has lost one of its sweetest and gentlest women.

A dear one has gone to the grave, and were wrong to deplore her, When God was her ransom, her guardian and guide; He gave her, and took her, and soon will restore her, When death has no sting, since the Saviour has died.

The funeral services took place from the St. Stephens church of which the deceased was a consistent member, on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Edward Benedict.

Entertainment at Opera House.

The young lady teachers at the Orphan Asylum, assisted by a number of our town young ladies, will give a splendid entertainment at the Opera House Friday night for the benefit of the Asylum.

Joined the Band.

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Resolutions of Respect and Sympathy.

GRANVILLE GRAY'S ARMORY, OXFORD, N. C., Sept. 24, 1894.

Our beloved surgeon Dr. Patrick Booth has been called to his reward. We mourn the loss of this just and good man. Faithful in the discharge of his official duties, kind and considerate in his attentions to all who needed his services, with a gentle and sympathetic nature, he was universally popular.

Death of a Bright Boy.

Charley Brooks, the 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooks, was gathered to rest on Sunday morning last at 1 o'clock.

The Heavy End of a Match.

"Mary," said Farmer Flint at the breakfast table as he asked for a second cup of coffee, "I've made a discovery."

"Well, Cyrus, you're about the last one I'd expect of such a thing, but what is it?"

"I have found that the heavy end of a match is its light end," responded Cyrus with a grin that would have adorned a skull.

Mary looked disgusted, but with an air of triumph quickly retorted, "I've got a discovery too, Cyrus. It was made by Dr. R. V. Pierce, and is called a 'Golden Medical Discovery.' It drives away blotches and pimples, purifies the blood, tones up the system and makes one feel brand new. Why, it cured Cousin Ben who had consumption and was almost reduced to a skeleton. Before his wife began to use it she was a pale, sickly thing, but look at her; she's rosy-cheeked and healthy, and weighs 165 pounds. That, Cyrus, is a discovery that's worth mentioning."

Young or middle-aged men, suffering from premature decline of power, however induced, speedily and radically cured. Illustrated book sent securely sealed for 10 cents in stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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.

Mrs. W. I. Wilkinson has a lot of high bred Plymouth Rock chickens for sale. Call early. Sep14

MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE.

Coming and Going of Friends and Strangers.

-Mr. John Webb spent Friday in Durham.

-Mr. A. J. Feild spent Tuesday in Durham.

-Carl Beasley, of Clarksville, Va., was in Oxford Wednesday.

-Mr. A. P. Hill, of Lynchburg, Va., spent Friday in Oxford.

-Mr. Thorn Ballard has resumed his old place at the depot in Oxford.

-Miss Effie Gregory, of Richmond, Va., is on a visit to relatives in Oxford.

-Mr. C. F. Kingsbury has returned from spending the summer in Baltimore.

-Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bullock, of Wake, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bullock this week.

-We are very glad to see our friend Col. R. O. Gregory out, after three weeks sickness.

-We are sorry to learn that Mr. J. D. Brooks, is confined to his home on account of sickness.

-Misses Fannie and Lonie Kronheimer are on a visit to Miss Sadie Levy, of Richmond, Va.

-Mrs. H. O. Furmn and daughter left Thursday for a visit of a few weeks to Louisville, Ky.

-Mrs. Emma Lynch, after a pleasant visit of two weeks to relatives in Hillsboro, is at home again.

-Mrs. H. M. Lanier returned to Oxford the past week from spending the summer at Waynesboro, Va.

-Miss Percy Beasley, who has been visiting Mrs. Meadows, has returned to her home in Dutchville.

-Miss Lula Biggs, one of our prepossessing young ladies, left last Friday for St. Mary's school, Raleigh.

-Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rouk, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Osborn at the Osborn House.

-Dr. T. L. Booth, of Stem, has joined the noble band of physicians in Oxford, and already feels at home among our people.

-Messrs. L. E. Wright, J. E. Howell and E. T. Rawlins returned from New York on Saturday from purchasing their fall goods.

-We had the pleasure of meeting in our office Saturday Messrs. J. L. Coley, of Wilkins, J. C. Usry, of Wilton, and M. H. Suit, of Hesters.

-The many friends of Mrs. Gordon are glad to meet her in Oxford after nearly a year's absence. She is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Stedman.

-Mr. W. T. Clark, of Lynchburg, Va., was on our big all day break of tobacco Friday. His old friends were glad to shake his big hand once more.

-Mr. W. W. Brummitt has removed to Oxford and is occupying Mrs. J. N. Lyon's house on Raleigh street. He will be connected with the Minor warehouse.

-Messrs. H. R. Gooch, of Hester, H. A. Stem and David Milton, of Stem, and W. R. Buchanan, of Fishing Creek, were pleasant visitors at this office on Tuesday.

-Mr. J. H. Cheatham, of this county, who has been in the U. S. Navy for 6 years, is at home, to the great pleasure of his many friends. He visited Oxford Tuesday.

-Mr. J. M. Curran left on Monday for Richmond, Va., accompanied by his two charming daughters, Misses Nelie and Mary. These young ladies will enter a leading seminary in that city.

-Major B. S. Royster and Col. W. A. Bobbitt have returned from attending the Sovereign Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. at Chattanooga, Tenn. They were highly pleased with their trip and report a royal time.

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RETURN, OH WANDERERS!

Your friends in the Democratic Party Gladly Welcome you Back.

It is a settled fact that the Third party in Granville is on the wane as many of our good citizens who espoused the cause of that party 2 years ago are placing themselves on the side of a white man's government and against ignorant negro rule.

Since the leaders of the Third party have forsaken the principles which they espoused three years ago and openly allied themselves with the Republicans for spoils only, the end of the party is at hand, as the people are fast finding out that they have been deceived and led astray by demagogues and the day of reckoning is at hand.

It is evident that fusion doesn't fuse and that the "sell out" has broken the back bone and destroyed the enthusiasm of the Third party. It has at last dawn upon many of them that they are being used as stepping stones to office by their designing leaders, and they are going to rebel. Many of them have already rebelled, and others are getting very lukewarm. It is becoming more and more evident to the honest men among them that they are in the wrong pew, and already they are beginning to face about.

We want to see all our good Third party friends back into our ranks, and we urge them to lay aside their prejudices and come back. We assure them they will meet with a warm reception by their old party friends. Come back and help us elect honest Gus Graham as we need such a man in Congress, and help us save our county from spoil hunters and negro rule.

Remember, that if you will drink, you should always drink the purest liquors, and R. Broughton's is just the place to get it. jly27-ff.

No discount on the pure and unadulterated corn whiskey at R. Broughton's at \$1.50 a gallon. Try it. jly27-ff.

I have a first-class line of driving harness. Bought too much. Will sell low. sep7 S. H. SMITH.

A Request of Col. Harrell.

Editor of the Observer—In Col. Harrell's reply to Mr. Galloway's inquiry, he says that his books show how much was collected out of the World's Fair party as Assembly fees and how applied. If his statement is true then the more than two hundred members of this party, who paid this fee to Col. Harrell, call upon the auditing committee, Messrs. Denson, Noble and Howell to explain why they certify to the correctness as per books, vouchers, etc., of a report which does not mention one cent collected out of this party.

Let him who doubts turn to the report. The members of the World's Fair party paid the fee direct to Col. Harrell and not through any railroad. In the face of these facts it appears that Mr. Galloway's inquiry was not only not "malicious and misleading" but eminently pertinent and proper. It behooves Col. Harrell to rise and explain to the members of his party who are directly interested and to the teachers and friends of education throughout North Carolina, who are indirectly interested, No evasions, no dodging, no bluff, no bluster, no applying harsh terms or epithets, but a simple straightforward, truthful statement of facts and figures that a plain, blunt man like myself can understand, is what is wanted.

W. T. LYON. Oxford, N. C., Sept 21, '94.

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