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We keep a full stock of fresh goods on hand. Give us a trial. W. H. Randolph & Co. HO! A GOOD TIME! XMAS GOODS! Pulling For R. L. Pitchford's. Fireworks, Toys, Baby Dolls, Chinawares, Vases, &c.

JUST THE THING FOR Christmas and New Year Presents! Here is a list of suitable presents which may be of as much service to you as the person you might give them to: Rocking Chairs, OAK, Elegantly Finished, LEATHER, PLUSH, SILK, TAPESTRY, &c, Choice Goods. Ladies' Desks, Hall Racks, beautifully finished Center Tables, Mirrors, Pictures, Parlor and Bed Room Suits. Call and see our display which is equal to any found in cities. J. A. Webb dec 14, LANDIS BLOCK.

Notice. UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER of sale conferred upon me in a mortgage executed on the 28th day of March, 1894, by S. M. Aiken, and duly registered in mortgage book 38, page 336, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Granville county, default having been made in payment of the debt secured thereby, I shall sell for cash, by public auction in Oxford, Granville county, N. C., on the 14th day of January, 1895, the real estate described and conveyed in said mortgage, to-wit: In Dutchville township, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Lizzie Aiken, Ralph Curran, Willis Sutt and R. P. Aiken. For an accurate description of which, reference is hereby made to said mortgage. Time of sale 12 m. Dec. 11th, 1894. W. S. B. CRK, Mortgagee.

NATIONAL CAPITAL. NEWS OF THE WEEK BOILED DOWN. What is Going On In and Around the Capital of the Nation. 613 SIXTH ST., N. E., WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Congress spent a considerable portion of last week in consideration of the "Pooling Bill." This is ostensibly for the purpose of allowing railroads to pool their earnings. Whether it will benefit the country or not I cannot say, but usually when legislation of this kind passes, the railroads get the long end of the rope.

The highest matter of privilege which can come before either the Senate or the House of Representatives is conceded to be the decision of the right of a member to his seat in either house of Congress. The fact that this matter of highest privilege is constantly disregarded in modern times was emphasized by the notification given by Mr. Brown, of Indiana, that on January 15 he will call up the contested case of Williams vs. Settle, of North Carolina. The Fifty-third Congress will expire March 4 next and this contested election case has been set aside again, until now notification is given that within one month and a half of the expiration of the two years' term the case will be brought to the consideration of the house. In the meantime Mr. Settle, whether entitled to the seat or not, has been drawing the salary and emoluments of the office. Secretary Carlisle has made an estimate that it will require something like a million dollars and five hundred new officers to collect the income tax. This will no doubt create a big fight this week, as some Democrats and all the Republicans will oppose the appropriation for this purpose. Men whose incomes range from \$4,000 to hundreds of thousands per year, as a rule do not pay tax, and the more their income the less tax they pay in proportion. Hence they will fight this bill to the death if they can. As long as the Democratic party is dependent on the mugwump element of New York and the East for assistance in legislation that benefits the masses and is against the gold-bugs, just so long it will be sure to be disappointed. The income tax should be collected from these millionaires, if it takes half of the estimated amount of the tax to do it. Every time an effort is made in this direction and fails, it but draws the links closer, and makes it that much harder to accomplish at any future time. In England, the richest country on the globe, the largest tax collected is on incomes, and I think they also have an inheritance tax. This is as it should be, and the law which makes the man of moderate means pay more tax than the rich man, in proportion to his possessions is all wrong, and should be remedied at all hazards.

William R. Morrison's name is being mentioned in connection with the Democratic Presidential nomination in 1896. It is not believed he will willingly oppose Stevenson for it, but he may be pushed forward by his friends. Just now Stevenson is far ahead of all his opponents, and were the convention tomorrow he would be unanimously nominated. But Morrison also is a good man. He is an anti-Cleveland, anti-mugwump Democrat and has long been in favor of lower tariff and better finances. He has never crossed the threshold of the White House since Cleveland has been President. John Randolph Tucker once said to him, "Bill, if you ever get to be President there will be more honesty and less politics there than ever before." Mr. Bland, of Missouri, who was defeated in the last election, says that more Populist orators were imported into his district than ever before; that he could not tell where they came from or who paid them; that the so-called Republican Pops voted the Republican ticket and the so-called Democratic Pops voted the Populist ticket. Mr. Bland is the greatest and best known advocate of free silver. He has been fighting for it for twenty years. Now if the Pops are in earnest in their demands for free silver, they take a poor way of getting it by defeating "Old Dick Bland, the Silverite," as he is familiarly called, and such warm friends of the white metal.

I see that part of the county officers elect are allowed 30 days to complete their bonds. The Democrats should stand with hands off and let them make it by their own efforts and among their own followers. The Democrat who assists them on their bonds in many times worse, as a matter of party principle, than the Republican. He stultifies himself in that he voted the Democrat ticket, and then takes the strongest means of all to nullify his vote—help them make their bond. If he does it as a matter of financial gain, it is ten times worse, in that he lends himself to a thing which his conscience and principles tell him is wrong, in order to reap a paltry gain for himself. Every Democrat should be consistent and stand with hands

off. Any one who helps not only does violence to his own feelings, but sets at naught the efforts of every other Democrat in the country. If the elect do not have their bonds ready in a reasonable time, and after a fair extension of time, the office should be declared vacant, and promptly filled by one who can give the bond. Again I say, hands off and let them work out their own salvation. R. L. B.

Pretty Marriage. The Sunset section enjoyed a pretty home wedding on Wednesday morning. At 10 o'clock a. m. Mr. H. H. Hobgood, son of Dr. R. W. Hobgood, and a prosperous young farmer of Pitt county, and Miss Cornelia Pruitt were joined in holy wedlock at the home of the bride by Rev. Mr. Hill in the presence of many relatives and friends. As soon as congratulations were over the happy couple left for Oxford where they took the 12 o'clock train for the home of the groom near Grimesland, Pitt county. May happiness, peace, contentment and prosperity go with them along the journey of life.

Mary Potter Memorial School. We will close the fall term of our school with a Demorest Contest in the Opera House, Friday night Dec. 21st. The object of this contest is to give the scholars an Elocutionary training and also to kindle a sentiment, not only in their minds, but in the minds of the community against intemperance. The contest will be conducted on the same principle as the one we had at the closing exercises of our school in the Spring. The programme will not be more than an hour and a half long. The white citizens are respectfully invited to attend. G. C. SHAW, Prin.

A Romantic Marriage. The Oxford correspondent writing to the Richmond Dispatch under date of December 14th says: Quite a romantic marriage took place at Wilson last night, in which two prominent young people of Oxford figured as bride and groom. They were Miss Cora Taylor and Mr. William Smith. Miss Taylor, who is only 17, was on a visit to friends in Wilson. Miss Taylor is deservedly one of our most popular young ladies, pretty, bright, and attractive. Young Smith is 20 years old, and a favorite among his many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Smith reached here this morning. Mr. Smith is a nephew of M. T. Smith, of Richmond, and Miss Taylor is a niece of Wiley Grandy, of Norfolk.

All Free. 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.

Remember you can get the very nicest Fruit Cakes at Pendleton's. dec14.

Big Shipment of Tobacco. Oxford is rapidly gaining a wide reputation as a first class tobacco market, and large quantities are being sold here every day. The demand for all grades by our extensive buyers is great and hence they buy largely. One day last week Mr. W. B. Ballou, one of our liberal buyers, shipped seven car loads to fill one five car loads more. Several other buyers are rapidly filling orders and consequently large shipments are being made daily.

Some days ago 300,000 pounds of tobacco changed hands in Oxford and will also be shipped, thus adding largely to the bank account of our most liberal buyers. Farmers, come right along as there is dead oodles of money in Oxford to pay you for the weed.

"It is a pleasure to sell Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Stickney & Dentler, druggists, Republic, Oeol. "Because a customer after once using it is almost certain to call for it when again in need of such a medicine. We sell more of it than of any other cough medicine we handle, and it always gives satisfaction." For coughs, colds and croup, it is without an equal. For sale by J. G. Hall, druggist.

Tobacco Humming. Our market continues to expand and widen out daily, and large breaks are the regular order of the day. Big prices are the ruling spirit and money continues to flow from our two banks into the pockets of the tillers of the soil, and they go home with broad smiles overspreading their faces. Tuesday was a regular field day and all our warehouses had good breaks, but the Minor took the lead in quantity and Knott & Cooper were on their mettle and used every effort to satisfy all. In fact it is the motto of all our splendid warehousemen and their drummers to please their patrons. Our market is steady and reliable, not being up one day and down the next, so come along and reap the benefit of high prices. The market will close after today's sales (Friday) until Tuesday, January 1, 1895. Go to Pendleton's and get your Xmas Fruits, Confectioneries, etc. He has a full line of Xmas Goods. dec14.

OLD NORTH STATE. What Has Taken Place Within Her Borders From Mountains to Sea.

The Rutherford Democrat reports the burning to death of a child of D. M. Westbrooks, of Rutherford, and a child of James Gilbert, of Polk. The safe of W. P. Neal & Co., of Louisburg, was robbed on the night of Dec. 13th of \$1,200 and some valuable papers. There is no clue as yet to the thief.

Rev. Jesse Cunningham, who has been made presiding elder of the Durham district, has decided to make his home in Greensboro for the next year, at least.

The Corpening boy, who accidentally shot and killed his friend, Herbert Barnes, at Statesville, Monday night, has a card in the Landmark this week warning boys to let pistols alone. He is represented as being dreadfully distressed on account of the occurrence.

The Stanly News says that on Wednesday, the 5th inst., Mr. Lum Hall was standing on the doorsteps loading his gun when the gun slipped and the hammer struck against the steps. The entire load was discharged in Mr. Hall's body, inflicting a wound from which he died on Sunday.

The Wilmington Messenger says that in view of the fact that H. K. Ruark, the Populist clerk-elect of the Superior Court of Brunswick county failed to give bond and qualify, Judge James D. McIver has appointed Mr. Samuel P. Thorp in his stead. Mr. Thorp is a Democrat and has been clerk for the past two years. He has given bond and assumed the discharge of his duties.

At Kinston on Tuesday of last week, Mr. N. J. Rouse was attacked by Levi Dawson and his three sons, knocked down and his clothing slashed with knives. The difficulty arose over supplementary proceedings that were being taken in favor of creditors to examine into the business transactions of the Dawson's the examination being by order of the Superior Court, before the clerk and by request of Mr. Dawson his daughter's examination was at the store. Rouse was falsely accused of discourtesy to Miss Dawson. The attack is described as cowardly.

Fayetteville Observer. Marion Gray, the three-year-old son of our townsman, Mr. J. R. Vann, has been suffering for the past three weeks from a severe pain in his left ear, which came on periodically. He would play about the house most of the time and suffer no pain, then suddenly he would put his hand to his ear and scream as if on the verge of spasms, and continue to suffer for an hour or two, when he would get quiet and go to sleep. The family physician was called—diagnosed otitis, and prescribed accordingly. On last Saturday the child began screaming as before, when Mrs. Vann pulled off his hood to examine his ear, and saw protruding therefrom a worm in doubled form. She pulled it out, and found it to be about five inches long, of the ascaris lumbricoides variety. The child immediately got quiet, and has suffered no pain since.

For rheumatism I have found nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It relieves the pain as soon as applied. J. W. Young, West Liberty, W. Va. The prompt relief it affords is alone worth many times the cost, 50 cents. Its continued use will effect a permanent cure. For sale by J. G. Hall, druggist.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Stiles, 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.

If you want to give your friends a nice Christmas present, Landis & Easton have a nice line of Rugs, China Tea Sets, Linen Table Sets, Towels, Napkins and Doylies, Ladies and Gents' Kid Gloves, which make useful as well as ornamental presents.

It is 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.

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.

Drop around and leave an order for your Christmas supply of Oysters at Pendleton's. dec14.

If you want a pretty lamp for a Christmas present call on Landis & Easton.

Everybody wants pretty handkerchiefs for Christmas, and Landis & Easton have them. Just look in the window as you pass by.

Choice line of Fresh Candles always on hand at Pendleton's. dec14.

"IN THE ARMS OF JESUS." Death Robs a Home of a Dear Little Rose Bud.

With much sorrow we chronicle the death of little Hannah, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crews, which occurred Thursday, Dec. 13th. She was 2 years and 7 months old.

Only a few days ago her sweet and beautiful form was the delightful center of a happy home. We can hardly realize that it has been broken so soon, and we see her bright and beautiful little face no more. But that fell and dire disease, membranous croup, so fatal to the ruddy rose buds of so many happy hearthstones, laid its greedy and unyielding talons upon her young and tender form, and in a few hours her gentle spirit took its early flight.

Hannah was a very bright and attractive child, gifted with many little winsome ways that so easily made her a pet and favorite. A taste and talent for music was strikingly manifest in one of so tender years. Often she would sing part of songs that her parents were utterly unaware that she knew. Her favorite song was "Tell it to Jesus alone." On the night before she passed to the realm of bliss her mother began singing "Rocky-by-Baby," and she said "Don't sing that mama," sing "Tell it to Jesus Alone." But while that little voice is now forever hushed to the songs of earth, yet it is not silent; it still sings; it is vocal with sweeter music, and henceforth it will be tuned to the anthems of angels and of the spirits of the just made perfect. No longer will she "Tell it to Jesus alone," but with the happy children that have gone and are going up from every land and every home, she will join to sing his praises in "higher notes above."

Stricken father and mother, weep not; God has your little darling "safe in the arms of his infinite love" and though you know not now you shall know hereafter, why her angelic spirit was no longer permitted to roam the shores of earth. A FRIEND.

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HAS ARRIVED -AT- J. G. HALL'S -WITH- A HEAVY LOAD OF ALL KINDS OF XMAS PRESENTS --FOR THE- Boys and Girls.

Big Display. Be sure to call and see them. dec14.

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We are fully prepared for the Holiday Season in anything and everything in our line of business.

CHRISTMAS 1894! NEW YEAR 1895!

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For fine Corn and Rye Liquors, (Gordon's Perfection,) Pure Apple Brandy, just the thing to make egg nog of. Beer, Choice Wines, etc. Special prices in quantities. dec14 2t.

Executor's Notice. HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTOR OF the Last Will and Testament of N. E. Canady, deceased, late of Granville county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of November, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment on. Oxford, N. C., Nov. 23rd, 1894. PAUL P. CANNADY, Executor.

Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF THE seizure of J. W. Marrow, of Granville county, N. C., on December 26th, 1894, of the following articles of personal property, for violations of various sections of the Internal Revenue Law: Two (2) Copper Stills, Still Fixtures and Twenty two (22) packages of Corn Whiskey, etc. Any person claiming any of the above property must make claim for the same under section 3460, R. S. U. S. within 30 days. J. A. THOMAS, Deputy Collector. dec14 2t.

LIVESTOCK. Do You Want Horse Flesh?

We Can Furnish You From \$25 Up!



Our Mr. E. A. Robe has just returned from the West with a nice lot of horses ranging in price from \$25 up. If you want horse flesh either straight or a trade we are just the men to accommodate you. Remember it will pay you to call and see before you buy or trade horses. BULLOCK & ROBERTS.

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OF JEWELRY!

Having just received a new stock of Jewelry, I am prepared to show you the handsomest lines of Silver Belt Buckles, Solid Silver and Plated Ware, Spectacles, Eyeglasses, etc., ever shown in Oxford before.

Watches From \$4 Up!

Latest styles in Link Cuff Buttons and Scarf Pins. Latest novelties in Neckties and Hair Pins. Handsome line of gold and silver Stud Buttons, Watch Chains, Charms, and Plain and Set Rings. Childrens diamond set Rings. Repairing done on short notice. Respectfully, W. D. LYNCH, College St., Oxford, N. C.

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Remember you can get all kinds of goods suitable for preparing something for Holiday eating. Call and see them. We are headquarters for all kinds of HEAVY AND FANCY GROCERIES. Ballar's best brands of Flour, Bran, Ship Stuff and Hay, Choice Coffees, Sugar, Lard, Hams, Cheese, etc. When you need anything in our line give us a call and we will do our best to send you away satisfied.

J. S. BROWN,

Old Fellows Temple, Oxford, N. C.

Mortgage Sale. BY VIRTUE OF A MORTGAGE DEED executed by J. W. Marrow, I will sell by public auction at the courthouse in Oxford on Monday, the 14th day of January, 1895, all the land of J. W. Marrow in a certain tract of land situated in Sasfras Fork township, Granville county, and Townsville township, York county, adjoining the John Marrow, John Landis, Alex. Sattarwhite and other lands, and also the William Marr w tract, containing about seven hundred acres. This December 26th, 1894. H. C. COFFMAN, Mortgagee. Thos. M. Pittman, Attorney. dec14 2t.

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