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PROPRIETARY MEDICINES.

### A NEW DECEPTION

which the people of the South are presenting, is the efforts of some to sell them imitations for the real Stomach Liver Regulator, because they make more money by the imitation; and they are full that they swindle the people in selling them an inferior article. It's the money they are after, and the people can tell for themselves. Now this is just what the people are doing, and merchants are having a hard time trying to get people to take the stuff they offer them in place of Stomach Liver Regulator, which is the "King of Liver Medicine." Because it never fails to give relief in all liver troubles. Be sure that you get Stomach Liver Regulator. You know it by the same old stamp on the package. It has never failed you, and people who have been persuaded to take something else have always come back again to The Old Friend. Better not take anything else but that made by J. H. Zeigler & Co., Philadelphia.

### TAX SALE!

PERMANENT TO PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 25 of the Laws of 1895, I shall, beginning on Sunday, June 24th, 1895, at 11 o'clock, a. m., sell at the courthouse door in Oxford, S. C., all the below described town lots for Taxes due the year 1895, and unpaid thereon, and cost for bringing the same.

C. S. KASTON, Town Tax Collector.

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OXFORD, N. C.

Attorney-at-Law.

Office over Cooper's Bank.

Administrator's Notice

HAVING BEEN FULLY QUALIFIED BY THE

Court of the Superior Court of Granville

County, North Carolina, as Administrator

of the estate of the late J. H. Slaughter, deceased, I

hereby give notice that all persons indebted to

the estate of the late J. H. Slaughter, deceased, are

to present their claims to me on or before the 7th day

of June, 1895, or they will be forever barred.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 5th

day of May, 1895.

J. H. Slaughter, Administrator.

Attest: J. H. Slaughter, Clerk of Court.

Filed for record May 7th, 1895.

Notary Public for North Carolina.

My commission expires May 7th, 1896.

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### BRIEF MENTIONS.

**Picked up and Put in Shape from the Town and County.**

—Revs. J. E. Thacker and J. S. Hardaway exchanged pulpits on Sunday night last.

—Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr., of New York, is expected to lecture here on the night of June 13th.

—Mrs. J. D. Brinkley, who has been sick some days, we are glad to state is greatly improved.

—Messrs. C. D. Osborn and J. K. Wood were marshals at the unveiling ceremonies at Raleigh Monday.

—Matt Thorp, who was sent to the Asylum at Goldsboro sometime last year, has returned home and seems to be all right.

—We are glad to learn from Prof. Hobgood that Miss Williams, one of the teachers who went home because of a severe attack of erysipelas, is better.

—Capt. Gus Hall, with his company of fishermen, is making war on the finny tribe this week, and of course the scales are falling thick and fast.

—The Local Preachers Conference will meet this year as usual near Connelly Springs, August 14-18. A rich treat will be expected in the way of good speakers.

—A horse attached to a dray created a ripple of excitement on Main street Saturday afternoon by running away. The boy proved to be a good driver and stopped him.

—Try Stedman's "Head Easy" as it does it work well and promptly with no bad effects. It is a splendid preparation and will be manufactured largely by Dr. Stedman.

—At no time in the history of fashion has there been so great a demand for pretty lace and chiffon effects, which altogether change the appearance of a plain frock.

—A conference of officers of the State Medical Examining Boards was held in Baltimore on the 16th at which Dr. J. M. Hays, of Greensboro, N. C., was elected Vice-President.

—The "Flower Queen" will be reproduced at the Opera House this (Thursday) night as it was postponed from Tuesday night. Be sure and attend and encourage the sweet little girls.

—The bright little boys of Mr. E. T. Rawlins, who took in the unveiling ceremonies in Raleigh and escaped the vigilance of their protector, fell in good hands and were well cared for until Mr. Rawlins arrived on Tuesday and brought them home.

—We are very sorry to learn that Mr. J. W. Lyon, and son, Mr. James H. Lyon, of Dutchville township, had their pockets picked in the immense jam of people at the unveiling in Raleigh Monday. The father was relieved of \$14 and the son of about \$100.

—At a meeting of the Town Dads on Tuesday evening ordinances were passed prohibiting the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks, and the tying of stock of any kind on the streets to graze. Look sharp as their is a \$5 fine attached to riding on sidewalk and \$3 for stock.

—A living picture, notable in its way, must be a member of the "noble order" just wrapped in thought sitting on a fence studying out how the Thirties can stick to free silver and at the same time play hide and seek with the Republicans—the real gold-bug party. A nice kettle of fish.

—The United States Supreme Court decides the income tax to be unconstitutional, the court dividing as follows: Against the law—Chief Justice Fuller, Justices Field, Gray, Brewer and Shiras. For the law—Justices Harlan, Brown, Jackson and White. Chief Justice Fuller read the opinion of the court.

—We thank Mrs. Kate Fleming Hays for an invitation to attend the commencement exercises of the most excellent Greensboro Female College, June 5th and 6th, 1895. The class this year numbers 25. Mrs. John W. Hays, of Oxford, will deliver the address to Alumnae on Wednesday evening, June 5th.

—The commencement exercises of Littleton Female College will be the 29th and 30th of May. President Kilgo of Trinity College will preach the Annual Sermon and dedicate the College, and Rev. Sam Small will deliver the Literary Address. It is thought that the attendance will be the largest ever known in the history of the institution.

—The Orphans Friend came out last week in a entire new dress, with a neat and attractive head. It is 8-pages in form, and well gotten up, reflecting great credit upon Mr. E. W. Jones, manager of the Printing Department. The editor displayed great wisdom in the character of matter. He had a most excellent writup including the pictures of the Board of Directors of the Orphan Asylum, along with a history of that Institution.

It's on human, mangle 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.

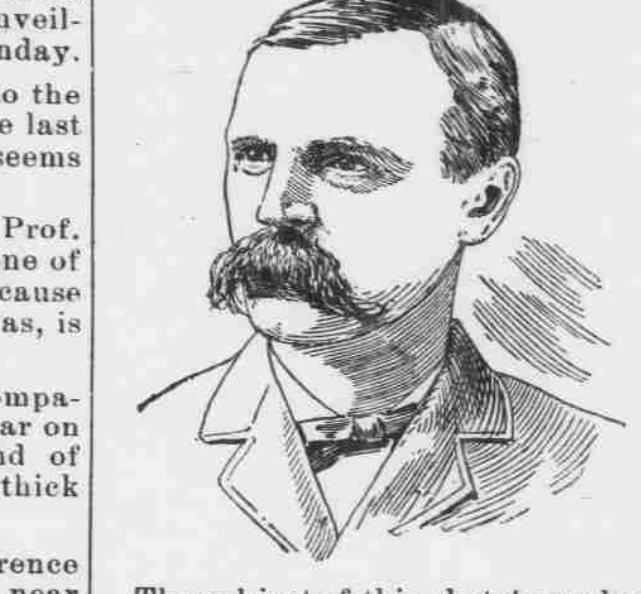
Try Jackson's summer drinks. If you want a good pair of Shoes for a small amount of money go to Brooks & Co. They have all kinds, tans, blacks, low and high cuts, large and small. may 17-21.

Big lot of Flour at Brooks & Co's, bought before the rise. may 17-21.

### TWO PROMINENT CITIZENS.

**Sketches of their Lives--Tobacconist and a Farmer.**

Through the courtesy of the our worthy contemporary, the Orphan's Friend, we give our readers the following sketches of the lives, with likenesses, of Messrs. J. M. Currin and Fielding Knott, who represent Oxford and Granville county on the Board of Directors of the Orphan Asylum, a grand, noble institution: MR. J. M. CURRIN, OF OXFORD.



The subject of this sketch was born in Granville county, Sept. 4, 1846. Towards the end of the war he enlisted in the Junior Reserves, and entered upon active duty in the Confederate States Navy aboard the "Old Savannah," in a few months he was transferred to the flag-ship "Charleston," where he was taken prisoner and confined in historic old "Libby." Returning from the war in the prime of young manhood he settled upon a farm a few miles from Oxford, and commenced his work with that zeal and energy that have distinguished him since then. He was very successful in raising and curing fine, bright tobacco, and his tobacco took first prize wherever entered.

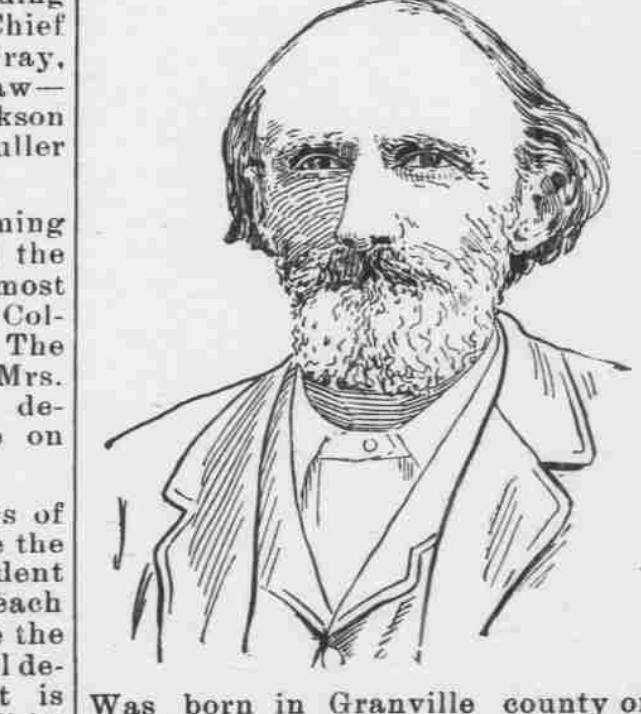
For the past 20 years he has been engaged in the Leaf Tobacco business, and is accounted one of the best judges of tobacco in the State. He was First Vice-President of North Carolina Tobacco Association for several years and always take a deep interest in the upbuilding of this industry. He had charge of the entire business of Wm. S. Kimball & Co., in this State prior to the formation of the American Tobacco Company, and since then has been manager and buyer of the Company on the Oxford market.

Mr. Currin has filled many positions of trust in his native county, and is admired and esteemed by all who know him. In every enterprise for the upbuilding and improvement of his community, he stands in the forefront, and his sound judgment and business experience are most valuable. He is a large stockholder and vice-president of the Bank of Granville.

He is an enthusiastic supporter of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and is always ready to lend a helping hand. Being elected a director of the Asylum by the Grand Lodge of Masons in January, 1895, he at once entered upon a faithful discharge of his duties.

In Granville and adjoining counties the name of "Mat" Currin is synonymous with sterling integrity, honesty of purpose and sincerity of action. He is one of the pillars of the Baptist Church in Oxford and one of the most prominent laymen of that denomination in the State. Mr. Currin is now a member of Oxford Lodge, No. 396, besides the Royal Arch Chapter and Grand Commandery.

MR. FIELDING KNOTT, OF GRANVILLE.



Was born in Granville county on the 25th day of November, 1827, and has always resided in the county of his birth. He became a member of the Baptist Church in his 15th year, and has always been loyal to his early faith, being now one of the most prominent in the denomination. His integrity of character, his high sense of duty and faithfulness to every business engagement brought him into prominence.

Mr. Knott was detailed from the army during the late war to take care of the families of absent soldiers who would otherwise have been without means of support and protection. This was an important task, and entailed grave responsibilities, but Mr. Knott discharged these duties with good faith and eminent success, winning high words of praise from all parties. When the war ended, Mr. Knott, like many others of the best citizens of the South, amid the prevailing desolation had to start from the very beginning to build up his future. He set about this with energy and courage having well learned the lesson of economy which the war had taught. He excelled in judicious management of the farm and

was skilled in the production of fine, bright tobacco. With this his success was assured. Mr. Knott has achieved success by his own efforts and excellent judgment, and is now one of the wealthiest men in the Co., and furnishes an example of what may be accomplished on the farm in North Carolina. He has learned by experience what it is to struggle with adversity, and is prepared to sympathize with young men of merit who are having a like experience.

And now in the evening of his life, while enjoying his well-earned success, there are many who acknowledge his friendly aid and encouragement at times when most needed. Mr. Knott, though not a Mason, has always been a warm and liberal friend of the Oxford Orphan Asylum and since he was appointed a director by the governor in 1893, his sound judgment in the management of its affairs, and diligent attention to its interests have proved of valuable service.

### Death of Two Sisters.

Elizabeth Stewart, an old colored woman, while on the way to see her sick sister who was at the point of death in Oxford, dropped dead on the road near the home of Mr. E. W. Lassiter. Heart disease was the cause of death. The sister, Frances Day, also died about 9 o'clock that night. She had been an invalid for 12 years and bore her affliction with great patience.

### Found Dead.

Lottie Norwood, colored, aged about 60 years, was found dead on the roadside between Oxford and Ragland's store on Wednesday morning. She was an inmate of the poor house, and it is supposed she strayed off Tuesday night in the rain and died from exposure.

Coroner J. W. Brown was notified who summoned a jury and held an inquest, deciding that she died from exposure and old age. Superintendent Allen took charge of the remains and had them buried at the poor house.

### Francis Hilliard School.

The commencement exercises of the Francis Hilliard School will take place on Saturday and Monday, June first and third. On Saturday evening at half past eight o'clock a regatta will be given at the school by the pupils of the primary school and the music pupils, and on Monday morning at eleven o'clock the graduating exercises will be held in the Opera House. These will consist of an address by Dr. J. B. Van Meter, Dean of the Faculty of the Woman's College, of Baltimore, preceded and followed by appropriate musical numbers. All friends of the school are invited to be present on both occasions.

### Death of a Bright Young Man.

We are pained to announce the death of Chas. D. Ward, a nephew of Mr. B. T. Winston, of Adoniram, at Oak Ridge Institute on Monday evening last at 5 o'clock of hemorrhage of the lungs. His remains were brought to Granville for interment on Tuesday. The following resolutions of the Senior Class of 1895 of Oak Ridge attest full well the high esteem in which he was held by his brother students:

Whereas, it has pleased our almighty Heavenly Father to remove from our midst our beloved class-mate, Chas. D. Ward, we feel a great loss in the death of this friend, but at the same time bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, and will ever strive to live up to the noble example that he daily set before his school-mates. Therefore, be it resolved—

1. That in his death the Senior Class of Oak Ridge Institute has lost one of its most faithful and beloved members; that he as a student was always at his post of duty, with a cheerful face and with a well prepared lesson.

2. That we as his class-mates will ever cherish his memory, and will ever strive to live up to the noble example that he daily set before us.

3. That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved relatives and sorrowing friends, and our prayer to Him who is a very present help in times of need, and trouble, is, that he will sustain them in the hour of their affliction.

4. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his relatives, to the Oxford Papers, and to the Oak Leaf with a request to be published.

W. R. LOWDERMILK, Com.  
J. C. SHORE,  
I. W. SASSER.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. G. Hall, may 23.

### Agreeably Surprised.

"I had a very severe cold on my lungs that caused much soreness and gave me considerable uneasiness in regard to the result," says Mr. T. E. Smith, of Billerica, Mass. "A local druggist called my attention to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and on his recommendation I gave the remedy a careful trial. The result surprised me; I recovered entirely in three days." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. G. Hall, druggist.

J. S. Hall's is now recognized headquarters for all grades of Harness and Saddles. He has a large stock on hand which is said to be the prettiest and cheapest Harness ever sold in Oxford. Call and see Hall if you want Harness of any kind. may 10-14.

### GENTLE BE THY SLEEP.

**Sudden Death of Bright Little Florence Cannady.**

We are more than pained to learn just as we are about to go to press that a bursting flower in the very spring of life, with but the sweet fragrance of its promised loveliness has been suddenly plucked from earth to bloom afresh and shed its fragrance in the Garden of Paradise, where Florence, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Cannady will forevermore dwell. She was one of Oxford's bright and winsome little maidens. Her death occurred today (Thursday) about 1 o'clock. She was on our streets yesterday morning cheerful and happy, but today she rests in the peaceful arms of our dear Savior, becoming one of the glittering gems that cluster around the throne.

Wednesday afternoon she was taken with congestion of the lungs and rapidly sunk passing quietly away beneath the shadows at the hour mentioned. She was an unusually bright girl, sweet, good and charming as a child. Her death has cast a gloom over our entire community, and the sympathy of our people go out to the grief-stricken parents in the deep affliction that so suddenly came of our them. May the God of us all comfort them in this their trying hour.

### Compliment to Judge Graham.

The Murphy Scout says: We found Clay county people in good shape. Everything has an air of thrift and prosperity, and rather more business in court than usual, but a small docket even then, Judge A. W. Graham presided with honor to himself and gave satisfaction to the people. In fact we have never heard a judge more highly complimented for his official acts. He is an "all-round" judge for our people, impartial, firm and his judgments are tempered with mercy.

### Closing of Horner Military School.

The exercises next week will be as follows: Competitive Drill Thursday afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock. Society exercises—Address by Mr. Josephus Daniels. Oratorical contest for medals, presentation of medals, &c., 8:30 p. m. Thursday.

Friday, Field Day, beginning at 10 a. m. Athletic contests for prizes in running, bicycle racing, tournament on horse back, baseball match between companies A and B. A general invitation is extended to the public to be present at these exercises.

### Thanks, Thou Noble Youth.

The heart of the editor was made glad on Tuesday morning when the bright and manly little Sam Booth, son of Mr. R. E. Booth, of Shoo Fly, walked into our office and said: "Mr. Britt, I want to make you a present of a nice spring chicken of my own raising, and he is fat too." He walked out with a smile on his face while our thoughts turned in the direction of breakfast the next morning. We really appreciate the gift of this dear little boy, and he shall ever have a special spot in our heart as we have always admired him ever since we had the pleasure of forming his acquaintance.

For the convenience of the sick I have placed a night bell in my store. You pull the knob, we'll attend at once to your wants. 521-4 STEDMAN, Druggist.

### Hol For June 25th.

We understand great preparations are making by our county and town people to have a big time at the Oxford Orphan Asylum June 25th. When the Grand Lodge of Masons will meet to look after the interests of their institution. A large number of Masons will be here than ever before.

Let old Granville and Oxford show our hospitality, and give a hearty welcome to our friends who visit us. The committee having charge of the matter consists of Messrs. B. S. Royster, Dr. R. H. Marsh, Dr. D. C. White, J. M. Currin, Dr. J. G. Hunt, J. G. Hall, S. W. Cooper, S. H. Smith and W. L. Mitchell. These names mean success and a big time.

### Closing Exercises of Oxford Female Seminary.

The sermon before the graduating class of Oxford Female Seminary will be preached in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning by Rev. C. A. G. Thomas, of Greensboro. The sermon before the Missionary Society will be preached in the same church on Sunday evening at 8:30 by Rev. Dr. Mundy, of Wilson.

On Monday evening in the Opera House the Calhoun Society will present "The Song of the Spheres." On Tuesday morning at 10:30 in the Opera House the Graduating Exercises will take place to be followed by the Annual Concert on Tuesday evening in same place.

The Annual Address before the Society will be delivered by Dr. Hume, of Chapel Hill. The Art Reception will take place on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. D. Wiley, ex-postmaster, Black Creek, N. Y., was so badly afflicted with rheumatism that he was only able to hobble around with canes, and even then it caused him great pain. After using Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was so much improved that he threw away his cane, and the balm did him more good than all other medicines and treatment put together. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by J. G. Hall, druggist.

Victor Ranges are strictly good and the Farmer Girl cook stoves are the best. For sale close by S. H. SMITH.

### GOING TO AND FRO.

**Folks You Know and I Know, Who Move Around.**

—Mrs. J. R. Walters, of Tar River, was in Oxford Monday.

—Mr. Stephen Minor, of Stem,