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PROPRIETARY MEDICINES.

THE KING
SIMPSON'S
REGULATOR

you taking SIMPSON'S LIVER REGULATOR, the "KING OF LIVER MEDICINES" that is what our readers are getting and nothing but that. It is the only friend to which the old folks and their faith and never were dissatisfied. But another good recommendation for it is, that it is BETTER than any other pills, never weakens, but works in such an easy and natural way, just like nature itself, that it comes all over. It never fails, especially needs take a liver remedy, everyone should take only SIMPSON'S LIVER REGULATOR.

Be sure you get it. The Red Z is the wrapper. J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia.

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THE HARTFORD
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BRIEF MENTIONS.

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

—Let every citizen talk for his town and help to build up the town.

—The condition of Miss Nannie Gregory, who has been quite sick, is greatly improved.

The world is sadly in need of an intention that will warn people when they have talked enough.

—A large number of Oxford people are attending the Baptist Association at Creedmoor this week.

—We are very sorry to learn of the sickness of Mr. Henry Knott, of Sunset, and trust he will soon recover.

—Mr. Abner Overton, of Cannadys Mill section, remembered the editor Monday, presenting him with a fine watermelon.

—It's among the fruits of courtship that by the time a girl begins to think a young fellow is a peach, a pair is not far distant.

—Mr. R. T. Smith, is building a residence on his farm near Stovall, and will, as soon as completed, remove to his family thereto.

—It is reported that Mr. C. F. Kingsbury will open up on the first of October the Copter Warehouse for the sale of leaf tobacco.

—Mr. J. K. Clement, of Brownsville, this county, had a Jersey cow to drop two heifer calves some days ago, and they are doing well.

—Mr. L. Thomas has about completed his dwelling on his farm, and will soon leave Oxford and take up his abode in the country.

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—The third heated term of the summer prevailed the past week, bringing intense heat. The thermometer reached as high as 100 in the shade in Oxford.

—Rev. Mr. Edwards, preached at the Baptist church on Sunday night, and Rev. J. S. Hardaway that night discoursed to the colored people at the First Baptist Church.

—The Baptists are calling earnestly for funds with which to press the work on their woman's college at Raleigh and are determined that the halt shall not be a long one.

—We are gratified to learn that "Uncle D." Meadows will cast his lot with us again after October 1. He will auctioneer at the Farmers Warehouse, and Wilkerson Warehouse.

—The capital good tobacco drummer, Tom Ragan, who will be with the Wilkerson Warehouse after Oct. 1, was in Oxford Tuesday. He will remove his family from Berea to Oxford in October.

—We are much pleased to learn that the clever Hugh Skinner will remain as bookkeeper for Messrs. J. G. Hunt and R. S. Williams, who will run the Farmers Warehouse, formerly the Alliance.

—It is not likely that many young people follow the suggestion of a prominent physician that as a preventive against microbe infection kissers should carry a little carbolyzed rose water and moisten their lips before osculation.

—As many of the active Republicans in the State favor the nomination of Reed for President we take it that he would be acceptable to the Pops as they would reap the benefits of the money barrel, which is the prime object of fusion.

—While all the other towns in the State are moving to build cotton factories Oxford is still behind. Even Mayor Bryant, of Seuffleton, says that his wide-awake village is talking cotton factory and are enthusiastic in the movement.

—Messrs. B. I. Broadbent and W. T. Blackwell, of Dexter, called to see us on Monday. Mr. Blackwell tells us that he had a Guinea hen to come up a few days ago with six little partridges following her. It is thought that a partridge layed in the Guinea's nest and that the eggs hatched before the Guinea eggs did.

—The National League of Democratic Clubs have been captured by the gold men and will be used to divide the Democratic party more than ever. They will go to work early, and mark you, and it is of extreme importance, they will seek to control conventions and to elect

STARVATION BILL FAILED

To Handle the Money and was Cast Down.

It has recently leaked out through the bugle of Starvation Bill in one of his talks on the great benefits of fusion with the negro, that pending the contested election between A. A. Lyon and Bill Crews, which finally terminated by a fusion combine giving the seat in the late Legislature that Lyon was justly entitled to Crews of Douglass notoriety, there was an organization with Starvation Bill as Secretary and Treasurer for the purpose of raising funds to aid Crews in his contest. The Hon. S. J. H. Mayes, who is noted for saying when making one of his political harangues that he understands science and etymology, was furnished with a list and did collect some money from some of the Rep-Pops in the Belltown and Baldy's Junction section, but the Hon. Sam came to town very thirsty and went direct for some corn juice which made him very generous and liberal and the money that he had collected to go to the Crews contest fund was otherwise disposed of, and it is said that the immaculate Bill, who is living in ease and comfort by starving prisoners in jail, has spent many restless and sleepless nights bemoaning the sad fate that prevented the money that the Hon Sam had collected from passing through his hands.

Such is the political status of Granville that it is high time the Democrats, upon whom the salvation, fair name and best interests rest, began to bestir themselves and see to it that in the future men of ability and fitness shall be sent to legislate for them—men who will uphold the dignity and good name of the county instead of those who take delight in pulling down and disgracing her. Nothing good can come from the Rep-Pops for their leaders are not prompted to action by patriotic motives, but are what is a curse to any country—a lot of demagogues, spoils-hunters and office grabbers.

Can it be possible that the many good farmers in Granville, who identified themselves with the Republican party last year by fusion, will consent to have a miserable black diamond that sheds such a confusion of wisdom and bald-headed egotism around Rep-Pop headquarters, as one of the principal leaders of the party in Granville simply because he is a pet of Sheriff Cozart? For the sake of humanity, let alone any other reason, it seems to us he would turn a man out of office who was rascal enough to starve poor prisoners in jail complained of by grand juries.

Sudden Death.

Monday about 11 o'clock Eva Smith, an old colored woman, while walking near the home of Mr. T. W. Jackson, on the corner of College street and Penn avenue, sank to the sidewalk with hemorrhage of the lungs. Her brother saw her fall and ran to her assistance but by the time he secured a doctor she was dead. The hemorrhage was a severe one and about two quarts of blood covered the ground. The body was taken up and conveyed to her home. The burial took place on Tuesday.

GOING TO AND FRO.

Folks You Know and I Know, Who Move Around.

—Miss Lelia Usry is visiting friends near Wilton this week.

—Mr. C. J. Bobbitt, of Vance, was on our streets Saturday.

—Mr. Geo. Harrison spent a few days in Oxford this week.

—Mrs. W. B. Glenn is visiting relatives at Portsmouth, Va.

—Mr. L. A. Royster, of Adoniram, was on our streets Monday.

—Mr. C. F. Kingsbury has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

—Miss Lottie Young, of Henderson, is visiting Miss Lula Biggs.

—Mrs. Z. W. Lyon, and children, are visiting relatives near Berea.

—Mrs. J. W. Brown is on a visit to her mother at Weightman, Va.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cutts, of Stovall, were on our streets Monday.

—We more than regret to learn of the sickness of Miss Willie Skinner.

—Mr. E. T. Rawlins returned Saturday night from a trip to Norfolk, Va.

—Mr. W. S. Beck, of Creedmoor, dropped in to see the editor Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, and children, have returned from Chase City.

—Dr. T. L. Booth is spending a few days at Stovall with Mr. J. J. Davis.

—The Misses Landis, of Henderson, are the guest of Miss Fannie Landis.

—Mr. C. D. Ray has joined Mrs. Ray, and children, in their visit to Oxford.

—Messrs. Josh King and W. J. Long spent a few days at Chase City this week.

—Mr. G. W. Martin has returned from a pleasant sojourn of a few weeks at Stem.

—Miss Hattie Hicks, spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Brogdon.

—Mrs. Henry Briggs and daughter, of Raleigh, are on a visit to Mrs. Mary Hargrove.

—Mrs. J. B. Roller and children have returned from an extended visit to Virginia.

—Capt. Sidney Minor and Mr. Willie Gulick returned Monday from a visit to Washington City.

—Mrs. E. T. White, and children, returned last week from a protracted stay at Chase City Lithia Springs.

—Miss Nannie Moye, who has been visiting Messrs. Mary and Nellie Curran, returned to her home on Monday.

—Mr. Jim Brogdon, who has charge of a warehouse in Sumpter, S. C., spent Sunday with his mother in Oxford.

—Mr. Roger Smith, brother of Mr. S. H. Smith, who has been very sick at his home in Va., has about recovered.

—Miss Lula Barham, of Newsom's, Va., who has been the guest of the Misses Curran, returned home on Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Oestriecher, have returned from their bridal trip and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. Kronheimer.

—Among the pleasant visitors to the PUBLIC LEDGER office on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morton, of Satterwhite.

—The attractive Miss Barnes, who spent some days in Oxford with her uncle Major B. S. Royster, has returned to her home in Tennessee.

—Mrs. Lucy Cooper, and Miss Belle Cooper, returned a few days ago from a pleasant sojourn at one of the favorite springs in Virginia.

—Capt. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, of Crystal Hill, Va., are on a visit to their sons Messrs. S. H. and Thos. Smith. Mrs. Smith will remain for some time.

—Rev. Dr. L. L. Nash and wife, of Newbern, spent Tuesday night in Oxford the guests of Capt. R. H. Powell. They left Wednesday morning for Buffalo Springs.

—Prof. F. P. Hobgood, after attending the Flat River Association at Creedmoor two days, left for Red Springs, Robison county, to attend the Sunday School Chautauqua.

—Gen. W. R. Cox, Secretary of the United States Senate, was in our town Tuesday and Wednesday. He was here to see the Messrs. Horner in regard to entering his sons for the coming session of this most excellent school. He was accompanied by his son Albert a very bright young lad. We were glad indeed to see the General looking so well.

Encouraging Signs.

From all over the county reports are encouraging in that they tell of a general desire on the part of all good citizens as well as Democrats to begin early the crusade which must end in the reapture of every county office as well as the Legislative ticket next year. We can do it as the Democratic majority is not a myth, and if the leadership of the party is placed in the hands of such an astute politician as Col. W. A. Bobbitt at an early date. If the lines are kept up and enthusiasm prevails all along the line the battle next year will be won.

Death of a Worthy Colored Citizen.

On Friday morning the home of one of our best colored citizens was rendered desolate by the death of the head of the family. Lee Pool, so well known in Oxford and Granville county, died after a year's illness of consumption. He was truly a good citizen and had many friends among both white and colored. He was a consistent member of the First Baptist church and was no doubt ready when the summons came.

The funeral services were held on Saturday morning and were largely attended.

They Want All They Can Get.

The old reliable firm of Bullock & Mitchell, owners and proprietors of the Banner Warehouse, are ready and anxious to sell primings and all new tobacco. They say so in an advertisement elsewhere in this paper. Some one has given it out that they do not want to sell primings, which was an awful slip of the tongue to say the least of it, as they are selling them daily at the highest market prices, as well as all grades of new tobacco.

This firm is well "heeled" with the money and propose to sell all the tobacco that can be crowded on their floors daily, and at "high rafter" figures.

The Oxford market stands deservedly at the head of the list as the best all round tobacco market in the State, and our buyers always pay the top of the market on all grades. When you get your tobacco ready come to Oxford and sell it with Bullock & Mitchell and go home well pleased.

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Mr. S. M. Bobbitt's Narrow Escape in Going to the Rescue.

We learn from the Wilmington Star that while some 20 persons were bathing in this surf at Ocean View, below Wilmington, on Saturday, Mr. L. E. Evans, of Wilmington, was drowned. He ventured out too far and not knowing how to swim he called for help, and Mr. W. A. Dick, who was near him, seeing his peril, gave the alarm and went to Mr. Evans' assistance. As he approached, he said: "Evans, keep your head and I'll save you." As soon as Mr. Dick reached Mr. Evans the latter put both arms around his neck and they sank together, but were torn loose by the swell.

Mr. S. M. Bobbitt, of Wilson, went to the aid of Mr. Dick and called for a life line. Mr. Bobbitt then tried to save Mr. Evans, but was torn from him by the waves, and Mr. Evans sank. Mr. W. W. Merrell swam out with a life line but it was too late to save Mr. Evans. Mr. Dick took the life line and swam to Mr. Bobbitt who was nearly exhausted, passed the line around his waist and with the assistance of Mr. Merrell pulled him to the shore. The tide was then coming in and shortly afterwards the body of Mr. Evans was thrown upon the beach by the waves.

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