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Broke his Leg.

Walmaday afternoon Toos Wilthe Kronheimer Clothing and another boy were in the at the store playing circus with to stand up on the barrel and roll it, Hall's. and when it came Williams' time the barrel suddenly rolled from uns der him, throwing him violently to the ground, breaking one of his legs. In Cannady was called in the taken, and set and bandaged the Sunday night. broken limb in a skillful manner as he ranks among our best physicians. The boy was taken home and at last accounts was doing well.

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U. S. Official Postal Guide, 1896, Just Issued.

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Malaria is always about, and the only preventive and relief is to keep the ever active. You must help the Liver a bit, and the best helper is the Old Friend, SIM-MONS LIVER REGULATOR, the RED Z. Mr. C. Himrod, of Lancaster, Ohio,

Says: "SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR broke a case of Malarial Fever of three years' standing for me, and less than me bottle did the business. I shall use it when in need, and recommend it." Be sure that you get it. Always look for

the RED Z on the package. And don't forget the word REGULATOR. It is SIM-MONS LIVER REGULATOR, and there is only one, and every one who takes it is sure to be benefited. THE BENEFIT IS ALL IN THE REMEDY. Take it also for Billiousness and Sick Headache; both are aused-by a sluggish Liver.

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ALSO full Line Tenney's Fine Canandnas, Apples, Oranges, Lemons. he Snoking and Chewing Tobacco, gars and Cigarettes.

Hot Chocolate and Cocoa Cola, -AT-

JACKSON'S

the Bank of Granville, Oxford N. C

We are selling goods for cash, it cut prices so that people call s "Cheap John.

A full stock of Fresh Garden cert just received.

JOHN P. STEDMAN, Manufacturing Druggist.

Do you

Want the Best? -IF SO, GO TO---

Brinkley's

graphs are the best in North If keeps the best line of Pic-Oxford, N. C. | State? A FEW BITES.

the colored boy who waits Little Minnows of News Caught in the Stream of a Week's Happenings

-More harness, better harness and harrel. Both of them were try ng cheaper harness can be found at Joe

> -Long Bros. have had nicely fixed up the windows on the inside red to the N. C. Division. of their store.

-Rev. J. B. Hurley occupied the

of the court house on Monday. -The Southern Railroad will

build a \$350,000 shop at Salisbury and will be completed by Sept. 1st. -Mr. John Hall is now the owner of the old Cooper store on the cor- tax collector. ner of Hillsboro and College streets.

-Large quantities of tobacco coninues to be sold in Oxford, and our buyers are paying the highest mar- him in his fight against Major H. L. must certainly look for. My ket prices for all grades.

- Melville Oakley is now quite rules and regulations, money order among the boys Tuesday evening.

-It is said one of our girls started out the first of the year with a resolve to say nothing, but always

-Remember the sale of personal property of the late Mrs. Louisa Blacknall by I. N. Day, Executor, Saturday at 10 o'clock. Be on hand as something may be sold that you

Congress has passed resolutions in favor of the Insurgents of Cuba, as

complete their edifice by April 1st. schools for such a purpose? This is indeed gratifying news to the entire community.

-Rev. Moses L. Winston, of Creedmoor, is again supremely happy. He was in Oxford Wednesday. and Mr. J. M. Sikes appointed him a magistrate in Dutchville township in place of Col. Booker Beasley.

-Mr. N. B. Cannady has removed his law office from over Edwards & Winston's store, to the old Harris office on corner of Herndon Avenue. His sign swings out in the March winds and you can't miss the place.

-Two of the young people in colored circles at Fairport eluded the watchful eye of the old man and married on Sunday night. They were Aron Beard and Ida Harris, and the old man has become recon-

-The many friends of Mr F. W. Hancock will be glad to learn that in room lately occupied by Mr. J. S. Brown, about the first of April.

Herndon the store room formerly occupied by Mr. J. C. Davis on Hills boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street, and will open up during boro street. Dowden boro street is a street of said line to go to the public bite an old jolly fellow like you, who has faced many a storm, I am fully as the Academy and those west of as the Academy and those west of as the Academy and those west of the public bite an old jolly fellow like you, who has faced many a storm, I am fully boro street. us well recommended by some of have been made. the prominent citizens of Hender

-The Public Ledger is one of Wiley's to-day. the enterprises of Oxford, and is doing everything within its power to advance the interest of the town, and we cannot see why every mer- Trinity College Historical Society, cannot extend to us their hearty co- read a paper on the career of the operation and support? The paper gifted Dr. T. B. Kingsbury, the edicannot subsist on wind alone, the tor of the Wilmington Messenger. bellows needs the handle of patron-

age to keep the fire burning. -The robins will soon nest again, and spring time is near at hand, so Landis & Easton is ready to catch the Spring trade with a handsome line of beautiful goods. For further information on this important subject in which your pockets are vitally interested, we ask you to keep your yes open and watch for their adare regular trade winners.

very successful. He spoke of the of all. splendid reputation that Miss Mary Horner had achieved in the Northern States as a hard worker in the great cause of Missions, which proved to be a great aid to him in securing contributions.

party.-Progressive Farmer. It has to been equal to the old union league in the days of reconstruction in its scope. Why was it that Senator Butler said a few weeks ago that he litical machine? If it is not a political machine why was it the noble order boycotted the Public Ledger? If it is not a political machine why If it is not a political machine why de to order. No stairs to is it the Progressive Farmer has and down on the ground floor, been the rankest and most bitter ad- made shoes, or repairing done be sure to 5 years old can be bought low down by

-Messrs Overby & Worsham are building a blacksmith shop on the

Hunter lot on Hillsboro street. -Rev. R. I. Devin is out again after a regular round with the gripp to the pleasure of his many friends.

-Engineer May, who has been pulling the throttle some time on the O. & C. Road has been transfer-

store where Williams had been pulpit at the Presbyterian church on in a handsome pheaton purchased of hospitality. Messrs, Edwards & Winston.

-Mr. Amos Jones, who for years

dose of medicine since he was grown.

-Chairman Holton, of the State

Grant, of Goldsboro. common lists of Post Offices in the happy, as he was fortunate enough the colored Methodist church, de- should be awakened during the good, Thomas Morris, B. H. Peed, S. arranged alphabetically, all to capture a bicycle in the round up livered the annual sermon to the night." colored Odd Fellows Sunday after-

large audience. ook sympathetic. And the other broke into the Railroad Warehouse night or just before day and hear Wilson, J. M. Ellington, R. Amis, girls wonder at her sudden populari- at Tar River and appropriated to your companion gritting his teeth E. A. Hunt, Sidney M. Harris, C. E. Sunday and arrested.

curred a few days ago.

-Madam Rumor says that at least they are preparing for war with a 3 or 4 teachers of the Public Schools very hard several time and you can't E. T. Pittard, Wm. Harris, Sr., T. in Graville are to join cupids hosts scare this chicken ... -We understand that the con- ere many months. Can it be that tractors of the new Baptist church horried men are capable of keeping have promised our Baptist friends to down the salaries of women in the

-There seems to be a great deof the Commissioners passes without an application for a bridge.

whose hands it happens to fall.

the coming Legislative tickets. Not awake. only is it demanded because of political interests, but it is especially demanded by the grave questions of he has decided to remain in Oxford State policy enacted by the Dougand enter the drug business. He is an lass Legislature that should be re- him it was all right, admitting that

York, has rented from Dr. H. C. first degree Thursday. The trial took with. I must say if I really was shoes. Mr. Austern comes among the meantime, as threats of lynching piece of rubber.

-For fresh Bock beer call at J.T.

Trinity Historical Society. At a meeting Saturday night of He spoke especially of the man as a journalist and as a literary critic, saying that in each capacity he had been one of North Carolina's greatest benefactors. Mr. Sparger expressed the highest appreciation of Dr. Kingsbury's efforts to encourage and de-

Death of Mr. C. A. Tuck,

velop the literature of the State.

in Spring and Summer effects which | time, but was confined to his bed Watanga county, delivered a most entertaining lecture at St. Stephen's Carolina Halifax Co., The price of admission will be 35 The speakers were seven in numreturning from the North where he known man in this part of the State, aside for next Thursday night. had been in the interest of his Mis- and his many acts of charity and be-

> Blue Wing, conducted by Rev. Mr. drew a large audience. From the mon to the colored race. Williams. Peace to his ashes.

F. H. GREGORY. March 4, 96.

PEAS FOR SALE.

When you need a new pair of hand- good Mules and two good Horses, 4 and J. D. BRINKLEY, State? State? State?

JUMPED HIS MAN.

OXFORD, N. C., FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1896.

who Gritted his teeth while Asleep.

There is a good story being told on

pieces of property were sold in front was postmaster of Oxford, is now 76 drove up who weighed over 200 lbs. at \$1 per month. years of age, and has not taken a and was also taken in by the good A large number of persons were man of the house. Everything run allowed to list taxes at single rates. along smoothly and pleasantly until It was ordered that the contract -Look out, you may be in the bed time when the host took friend to build the abutment at the new arrears for your town taxes, and if Hobgood aside and told him, that as bridge over Coon creek be given to so your property is advertised in he only had one company room he H. C. Gill at \$25, and Messrs. J. B. another column by Mr. C. S. Easton, and the other gentleman would have Parham and J. W. Wilson were apto sleep together.

> Republican Committee, states that said the host, "I wish to put you on The following jurors for the April a majority of the committee are with your guard, and tell you what you term of court were drawn: friend has a peculiar trouble, and I want you to understand it so you -Rev. R. C. Campbell, pastor of will not become alarmed in case you Rogers, E. T. Smith, L. W. Hob-

> Alf chipped in and said: "Dig it, Daniel, E. J. Nance, S. P. Washingnoon in the Opera House to a very what ails him anyhow?" "I will ton, David Burchett, Rowland Goss, tell you," said the host. "If you Ed Buchanan. W. H. Gregory, A J -Saturday night two colored men should happen to wake up in the Dickerson, J. E Howell, Goodridge their own use a lot of flour and you just look out as he will turn over Gooch, W. G. Mangum. Paul P. other goods. They were traced up and commence biting you like a mad Cannady, Frank B. Blalock, John

The old veteran soldier and tobac Burchett, R. C. Jones, T. B. Wheel -Our warmest sympathies go out co drummer did not take much stock us, W. T. Allen, T. B. Parham, John to our most highly esteemed friends in his yarn and said: "Look hear, S. Eakes, S. F. Coley, Sr. and old time neighbors, Mr. and don't you come here trying to play Mrs. S. C. Anderson-and no one your pranks on me; I've sleep with -The Spaniards have blood in ever had better-of Durham, in the snoring, kicking and gritting teeth their eyes for Uncle Sam because death of their son Percy, which oc- men before that weighed over 200 Parrott, J. S. Pool, L. R. Hunt, W. R. O'Brien, of Dutchville, was an and honored the "Old Man" with a balls and hit the rafters of old Minor Mize, M. S. Overton, E. L. Roberts, urday.

> over the gentlemen were shown to ham, W. J. Royster. their room, and Alf and his large | Ordered that a bridge be built wrapped in the gentle arms of sweet | with R. T. Pittard as contractor. mand for bridges across streams in the trouble began, and Alf's nerves ett's run near the old George place Cooper. the county that have heretofore were run up to rather a high tension. was refused. rarely ever been past fording. The In his dreams he heard a sharp gratbridge bill in the county is rapidly ing sound, and resulted in his beling taxes collected for February, on the increase, as hardly a meeting coming wide awake. The sharp, 1896: State, \$754 75; school, \$712 59; grating noise penetrating his ears county, \$826.37; railroad, \$202.37; in rapid succession. He raised up total, \$2,496.08. -A newspaper with evidences of on one elbow as the sound become substantial support in its columns louder and louder, and to his horror against the county were allowed. speaks volumes of the community in his 200 pound companion was meets which it is published. The fact that | ing him half way. Alf thought he every trade seeker has an advertise- was going right to work on his carment in its columns proves that the cass sure enough. In the twinkle of people are up with the times and fa- an eye he leap square on top of him vorably impresses the stranger in and then commenced the great battle of strength between the two men. One asleep and the other awake, but -It is of vital importance that it is said that Alf proved to be the men of the most capable intelligence best man and held a firm grip until should be selected as candidates for his partner for the night was fully

Of course Mr. Hobgood had to make an explanation as to his warning and his attack, and no doubt felt relieved when his companion told

man, tobacco or no tobacco, sleep or portioned to said district to be apthat he will never sleep with another no sleep.

He is Billed for Oxford March 12th, and will Put in a Bill for Fun.

There is undoubedly fun ahead for to said district shall be divided. the people of Oxford as several members of the different churches have come together and succeeded in securing the humorous lecturer, Mr. Geo. A. Carter, of Richmond, Va., Mr. Cornelius A. Tuck died at his his famous and side-splitting pro- of the contest, stating that a silver vertisement which will appear next home at Blue Wing Sunday morning duction on "The Mosquito in His- medal would be awarded on the ocweek. They will offer you bargains at 1:37. He had been sick for some tory, Science, Literature and Art." only about five days. The end came vided among the different churches, -Rev. Milner Jones, who has peacefully in the presence of his and feel sure a large audience will Pattillo in an earnest and excellent charge of the Episcopal Mission in family and friends. Mr. Tuck was greet the humorous lecturer and be prayer for the educating and up-

FOR SALE LOW DOWN .-- One pair

R. L. PITCHFORD,

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Alf Hobgood's Experience With a man Proceedings of the Board on Monday People That Move with the Times---Jurors, etc.

The Board met at 10 o'clock on genial Alf Hobgood, the vigilant and Monday with Messrs. T. D. Waller, wide-awake hustler for the Minor chairman, B. I. Breedlove, Graham Warehouse. Last Thursday even- Royster, J. P. Thomas and W. H. ing he was unable to reach his home Garner, County Attorney N. B. Canand concluded to spend the night nady and Clerk C. F. Crews present. -Mr. Brodie Jeffreys, of Mt. with a good old warm hearted far- Ordered that Dudley Downey, Energy, rolled out of town Friday mer friend, no doubt meeting with Nappa Hester, Barbara Watkins, Wiley Cousins, Louisa Tillotson, While friend Hobgood was enter- Frankie Bullock and Gran Norman taining his host another gentleman be placed on the outside pauper list

pointed a committee to receive the "That's all right," said Alf. But abutment when completed.

D. C. Hunt, W. R. Bullock, T. C. B. D Umstead, L. Meadows, S. T. W. Fuller, J. A. Sandford, J. F.

SECOND WEEK.

H. C. Rogers, E. B Parrott, Wm. C. Blackley, W. C. Peed, Joe H. After the little private talk was Bullock, W. J. Long, John D. Par-

friend went to bed, and were soon over Aaron's creek near Amis' mill, slumbers. About an hour before day | A petition for a bridge over Hatch- ping with her daughter, Mrs. C. J.

Sheriff Cozart reported the follow-

BOARD OF EDUCATION. The Board met on Tuesday with all home on account of the sickness of business trip South.

his aged mother. Ordered that Phil Bullock be appointed a committeeman in district No. 27 in place of W. E. Taylor, resigned, and also Lewis Gregory appointed in district No. 31 in place of district.

Ordered that district No. 36 be allowed two schools, divided as follows: Begin at the point on Grassy old druggist and will open up a pealed by the incoming Legislature. he was in the habit, so he had been he was in the habit, so he had been w. Watkins' and Ruben Daniel's, nance in our office Saturday aftercreek so as to run just east of Geo. Vance, shed his pleasant counte- was over. After he had gotten thro -Henry Dowden, the negro who told, of gritting his teeth while thence in a direct line to Johnston's noon. shot and killed Engineer Matthew asleep, but so far as he knew had www. Dodd at Weldon some days ago never been charged of trying to make the never been charged of the never he clerk. -Mr. S. P. Austern, of New was found guilty of murder in the mince meat of the person he slept road, thence west up the road to the market Tuesday tobacco as a present to the liberal line of district No 25. All children with a load of tobacco. He is not buyer that reached the top notch bid. the coming week a full line of ready- was sentenced to be hanged March pursuaded you would have been a said line to go to school at the school grocery tourist, was among his made clothing, furnishing goods and 17. He will be strongly guarded in tough case; just as soon tackle a house to be hereafter secured at a customers in Oxford Tuesday, and The boys say that Alf was on his point near the center of the half of we enjoyed a visit from this popular way to Oxford before sun up as he was white children on the lands of Mr. said west side of said line, and the anxious to put space and time between himself and the biting and the western half of district No. 36; gritting man, and solemnly vows and the school money hereafter apportioned to each division of the district pro rata to the number of chilchant and business man in Oxford says the Durham Sun, Mr. Sparger THE FESTIVE MOSQUITO COMING. dren in each portion of the district, provided however, that the cost of to their son and daughter, Dr. J. B. securing a school house for the west- Williams, Jr., and Miss Tempe, in ern half of said district shall be paid | Washington City. out of the funds of the whole district before the money next apportioned

A Creditable Entertainment. A "Demorest Contest" was held in the Opera House on Friday night by to hold the boards at the Opera the Mary Potter Memorial School, House, Thursday evening March 12. and was witnessed by a large crowd. On this occasion he will deliver Rev. G. C. Shaw outlined the object casion and a gold one at a contest The proceeds are to be equally di. to be held early in April. Singing by the school was followed by Rev. Virginia was the guest of Col. R. him kindly for that privilege.

Church on Tuesday night. He was Derhaps the best and 25 cents, so put these amounts ber; they made a very creditable ap- daughter, Mrs. Sholar, in Chattpearance and gave evidence of thor- anooga, Tenn., has returned home The Danville Times has the fol- ough training received at the hands to the joy of many friends. sion Work, in which he had been nevolence will live long in the minds lowing to say of the lecture: "The of Rev. G. C. Shaw: their enuncialecture of Mr. George A. Carter on tion was particularly distinct and The burial took place Monday near 'The Mosquito' last Thursday night free from the mispronunciation com-

Williams. Peace to his ashes.

W. H. P.

LOST.—Plain gold band ring with intals and Jan. 8th, '92, Inside. Finder bloomed the individual of the individual o itials and Jan. 8th, '92, Inside. Finder ble, and the individual who can and we congratulate them upon their tion, and Mr. W. H. Washington, a The Alliance is not a political will be suitably rewarded by returning amuse people, make them laugh gallant efforts. Rev. R. C. Camp- wide awake tiller of the soil of Stem, heartily, is a public benefactor. Such | bell made some appropriate remarks | spent a few hours in Oxford Saturis our young friend, Geo. A. Carter." on the interest he felt in the contest, day. and turning to (No. 4) Edmond The base of Ayer's Hair Vigor is a re. Rogers presented him the medal Mr. Leak Landis, left on Thursday I have for sale 40 bushels of the Won; fined and de icate fluid, which does not amidst great applause. Vocal and for Raleigh where he will make his intended to do all his work through derful Peas. They are very pro ific, soil or become rancid by exposure to the instrumental music played an imthe Alliance if it is not a regular pothe ordinary Pag. They are also even! tainment which closed with a song pleasant places. entitled "Good Night."

Bones Wanted.

THE TRAVELLERS.

They go Forward, of Course,

-Capt. Rufus Amis, of Virgilina, was in Oxford Monday. -Mr. W. H. Osborn, of Greensboro, was in Oxford Tuesday.

-Mr. Monroe Ellington, of Rolesville, was in Oxford Saturday. -Mrs. J. W. Floyd, of Wilton,

Enon section, were on our streets of Fishing Creek, visited Oxford Sat-

Monday. -Mrs. J. O. Bunn and son reo Wilton.

-Col. W. B. Ballou returned Monday from short visits to Danville and Lynchburg.

-Mr. Addieus Morris, prominent farmer of Wilton section, was on our streets Saturday. -Mr. Joe Warker, of Green's, left

on Friday for Ennis, Texas, where he will make his home. -Mrs. H. M. Shaw and beautiful

little daughter returned Saturday from a visit to Henderson. -Mrs. Cam Burnett, and Miss Bettie Burnett, of Enon section, were in Ox. ord Wednesday.

-Messrs. E. D. Lyon and W. M. Rogers, of Dutchville township, spent a few hours in Oxford Friday.

-Our esteemed old friend, Mr. J. daughter, was in Oxford Thursday, pounds; faced bullets and canon S. Overby, W. H. Waller, J. P. agreeable visitor to this office Sat- visit.

county, dropped in to see us Mon-

returned from Richmond on Tues prominent young lawyers, are atday to the pleasure of her host of ad- tending Supreme Court at Raleigh -Mrs. T. U. Faucett returned

Monday. We are glad to see this able young divine out after his

severe illness. -Col. Buck Meadows, of Rock The usual number of claims Hill, S. C., and Mr. W. H. Waller, of Dutchville Township, were on our

streets Saturday. -Mr. John Bullock the progresthe members present except Mr. W. sive lumber man of Bullock, passed H. Garner who was detained at through Oxford Saturday from a

Energy, was an agreeable visitor to this office Tuesday. So was Capt.

Archie Gregory, of Stovall. -Messrs. Sam Crews, of Dabney, Richmond Royster, moved out of J. D. Williams, of Fairport, H. A. Hart, of Dexter, and Ben Elliott, of morning and under the shed at the

> -Mr. Ruffin Fuller, the great Ma son and all-round good citizen of in his inside pocket when the sale

gentleman. Louisburg, who has established a backed up nobly by his patriotic silfine record as a revenue official in ver brigade that has won many a

Oxford Tuesday. -Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams returned a few days ago from a visit

panied his father, Mr. W. H. Gar- hero. ner of Grissom, to Oxford Monday,

bright young man.

-Messrs. Scott and MacFarland, editors and proprietors of the Clarksville Chronicle spent a few hours in Oxford Wednesday, and we enjoyed and walked off the crowd yelled and a visit from them.

one of the boundary line Com-O. Gregory the past week. -Mrs. C. P. Powell, who has been spending several mouths with her

-Mr. E. C. Allen, one of the energetic young farmers of the Gris som section, who has been seriously ill, we are glad to learn from Master

Claude Garner, is slowly improving. -Mr. Hal Hester, one of the progressive farmers of the Hester sec-

-Dr. F. R. Harris and Mr. Geo.

-Our handsome young friend,

B. Harris, of Henderson and Mr. E. C. Harris, of Fishing Creek, pht low down by Pitchford, Oxford, N. C.

10,000 pounds of BONES WANTED by Davis & Hunt, next door to Postoffice. Highest Cash Prices Paid.

10,000 pounds of BONES WANTED Were among the visitors to Oxford Monday. They were pleasant callers at the Public Ledger office.

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

-Dr. J. J. Bryan, of Stem, was in

Oxford Thursday afternoon. -Mr. Allen Latta, of Clay, drop-

ped in to see us Thursday. -Messrs. Paris Bros. are putting up a handsome awning in front of

their store. - Col. R. J. Mitchell is on a visit to his nephew, Mr. John Mitchell, at

Weightman, Va. -Mrs. W. B. Glenn and daughter, Miss Nettie, are the guests of Rev.

was the guest of Mrs. E. T. White and Mrs. R. I. Devin on High St. -Mr. and Mrs. James Ellington -Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Royster, of and J. P. Bradsher and son, Willie,

-Mr. and Mrs. R. Broughton and urned Sunday from a week's visit daughter spent several days the past week visiting relativos at Scott's X Roads, Va.

-Mr. Wiley D. Bowling, of Red Mountain, Durham county, was an Oxford visitor Saturday and paid us pleasant call.

"Uncle Sammie" Dickerson, of Fishing Creek, who has reached 82 years, was a most welcome visitor to our sanctum Saturday.

-Mr. Sam Couch and family, who have been residents of Oxford for several years, returned Thursday to their old home in Virginia.

-Messrs. E. T. York, and C. W. York, of Grissom, were among the visitors to Oxford Thursday, and we had the pleasure of meeting them.

-Oh! ye merchants and business men, don't forget the meeting of -Capt. Wilkins Stoyall, of Stoys the Chamber of Commerce this all, and Mr. W. K. Jenkins, of Pitt Thursday night, at the Opera House. -Mr. A. G. Clemont, of Culbreth.

accompanied by his handsome

-Messrs. Alex. J. Feild and J. -The popular Miss Nellie Currin Crawford Biggs, two of Oxford's

this week. -Messrs. D. N. Hunt, J. W. Wilfrom Durham Friday, and is stopson and Coley Gill, of Fishing Creek, M. L. Coley, of Green's, J. D. Allen, of Hester, B. T. Winston, of Adoni--Rev. T. B. Hill was in Oxford ram, D. W. Wheeler, of Hargrove, David Crews, R. T. Crews, J. P. Bradsher, Albert Crews and C. W. Bryan, of Fishing Creek, and Herbert Faucett, of Bullock, were on

> our streets Monday. People with hair that is continually falling out, or those that are hald, can stop the falling, and get a good growth of hair

by using Hali's Hair Renewer. THE HICKORY NUT CONTEST.

-Mr. J. T. Chappell, of Mt. Col. Ballou the Winner and the "Old Man" Captures the Prize.

A farmer of the Berea section, and of course a staunch friend of Zack Lyon, rolled into town on Friday Cornwall, called to see us Tuesday. Meadows Warehouse with a load of tobacco, wanting of course the highest notch on all grades which he put unloading he went to his wagon and got a bushel of nice hickory nu's -Sheriff W. S. Cozart. of Hamp- and placed them on his best pile of

When the gallant brigade of buyers, of which any market might be proud of, struck that pile a lively time ensued, as each one seemed anxious to capture the hickory nuts along with the good tobacco to enjoy eating the kernels Sunday afternoons. After a hard fought battle -The pleasant J. A. Thomas, of of bids the brave Col. W. B. Ballou, this district, spent a few hours in hard fought contest even with Pop, Democratic and Republican politicians, was declared the triumphant winner of the battle of Hickory Nut Ridge on whose summit he placed the yellow flag of victory, and his name will ever be emblazen upon the hearts of the people of the State -Master Claude Garner, accom of Walnut Grove as a conquering

The editor came in for a share of and we enjoyed a visit from this the honors on this eventful occasion, on account of the many cheers he gave the distinguished Colonel while the hand to hand conflict was ranging, as he was awarded the bickory nuts. As we shouldered the trophy guyed the "old man", but he suc--Col. R. B. Alston, of Warren, ceeded in getting home with them if Col. Ballou did leave us with the bag missioners between this State and to hold. But nevertheless we thank



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength,—Latest U. S. Government Food Report, Royal Baking Powder Co.,