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TIMELY HITS.

Points Scored in a Week's Game of Seek and Find.

—The Oxford Female Seminary now has a nice Tennis Court.

—The number ot bicycle riders in Oxford are rapidly increasing.

—Lookout ye Democrats! By all means do not forget to Register.

—Mr. H. H. Eatman is now assisting Mr. John Gooch in selling groceries.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pittard have removed to the Ferebee residence on High street.

—The fine looking Miss Susie Gooch, of near Oxford, was on our streets Thursday.

—Let the people know what you have to sell through the columns of the PUBLIC LEDGER.

—Sunday has gotten to be the day in which the Republicans and Populists do their caucusing.

—If you want to catch on to real bargains read the change in Crenshaws & Co., big advertisement.

—In spite of the rain Tuesday Oxford enjoyed a large break of tobacco, and the boys were happy.

—Tobacco continues to pour into Oxford, and our buyers pay the highest market prices for the weed.

—New registration in Oxford and Brassfield townships! Be sure that every Democrat registers promptly.

—Dr. de Lacroix is a regular gold fish Republican and it is impossible for him to hide his gills by swimming with the Hannacrats.

—J. S. T. Mitchell, of Dutchville, informs us that he is not among the colored aspirants for the Legislature on the Republican ticket.

—It will pay the merchants, warehousemen and other business men to advertise in the PUBLIC LEDGER, as it has over 3,000 readers in Granville alone.

—Dr. Stedman says Head-Easy continues to do its work to perfection, and the demand for this popular headache medicine is increasing rapidly.

—Although Dr. Dalby is a candidate for Congress he seems to move along in the even tenor of his way. He has not as yet entered upon his canvass.

—Friday was a great day in tobacco circles as our warehouses were full to overflowing. Farmers cannot do better than sell their crops on the Oxford market.

—Gov. O'Ferrell, of Virginia, has bolted the Democratic ticket, and allied himself with the Hannacrats, but that will cut no figure in old Virginia, as the people will be true to free silver in November.

—Mr. W. W. Jones will occupy the residence of Capt. J. A. White, on College street, and Mr. W. D. Lynch has rented the cottage of Dr J. M. Hays, on the same street, just vacated by W. B. Tarkinton.

—The new telephone system will be well equipped, as everything about it will be substantial, and the line is admirably constructed. The central office will be on the third flood of the Granville Bank building.

—The editor extends his warmest thanks to Grant T. Foster, our worthy butcher, for a fine quarter of lamb. It is always a pleasure to him to serve his customers with choice meats and he deserves the patronage of our people.

—Farmers and laboring men, the thing to do with the gold conspiracy backed up by Col. J. C. Tipton and Dr. de Lacroix with trust money is to bury it deep beside its twin, the McKinley high protective tariff, in this State in November.

—Dr. D. C. White, of Oxford, and Col. H. A. London, of the Chatham Record, were among the victims of the pickpockets at Durham. It is a rare thing for a country editor to have money enough ahead for a pickpocket to trouble with.

—We ask our business men to stand by and sustain the PUBLIC LEDGER, as it is one of the enterprises of the town, by giving us their job printing and advertising. We will do our best to please you, and give you value received.

—Two of our bright young lawyers, Messrs. A. J. Feild and J. Crawford Biggs, are candidates for the nomination for the Legislature before the Democratic convention Saturday. Either one of them would make a true representative of the people.

—Candidate W. J. Bryan is rapidly becoming the greatest living man in America today, and will lead the great masses into the fields of prosperity. Let every true man, who wants to be a freeman once more, vote and work for the grand patriot.

—Rev. Dr. Tyre, the energetic agent of Trinity College, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church on Sunday. He is an able, logical and forcible preacher. His sermon at night was an exceptional good one highly complimented by many of his bearers.

—The Public Schools in Oxford Township for whites, will commence the first Monday in October. The teachers for the respective districts are as follows: Ragland School House, Miss Carrie Howell, teacher, North Oxford, Mrs. Julia Minor, teacher, South Oxford, Miss Mozella Perry.

—The immense roof of the Minor warehouse is being repaired.

—Mr. R. B. Hines has removed to the Young residence on Spring street.

—As we go to press today, Thursday, the Populist executive committee of the county is holding a meeting in Oxford.

—Col. J. C. Tipton, arrived from Rutherfordton Thursday, and will edit Dr. de Lacroix's Hannacrat State organ in the interest of McKinley. Good luck to you personally Colonol.

—Rev. James Plummer, the faithful Rector of St. Stephen's Church, returned one day last week from a months stay in New Jersey for his health. We are glad to know he is himself again. He occupied his pulpit on Sunday last to the pleasure of his flock.

—Oxford is still in the swim for highest market prices for tobacco. Mr. Lee Caviness, of Hester, sold Friday a load with Hunt & Williams for $15.50, 28.50, 15.50, and Gilliam and Rogers, of Brassfield, walked off with $27, 18 and 15. Stand by your home market and you will be better off in the end.

—We welcome back to the journalistic field, Mr. W. H. Gregory who some years ago was one of the editors of the Torchlight. He has become the editor of Orphans Friend, and we congratulate Supt. Lawrence and the Board of Directors upon securing the services of this most excellent gentleman.

—Mr. J. M. Sikes, who looks after the interest of Mr. Settle in Granville, ably assisted by the Billy Big 4's, accompanied his dummy candidate for Congress to Durham Friday night, where it is said they had a conference with goldbug Slippery Tommie Settle. We wonder if Dr. de Lacroix was along?

—Mayor A. A. Bryan, of Scuffleton, was among the pleasant visitors to our sanctum Thursday, and says there is not a single Hannacrat within his domain as they take no stock in mugwumps. It is his opinion that the P. P.'s will be found on the side of silver instead of the American Tobacco Co., trusts and combines.

—We have always been "stuck" on Joe Caldwell, as he is an ideal Tar Heel, but his beautiful tribute to candidate Bryan in the splendid Sunday edition of the Charlotte Observer makes us admire him all the more. It is the finest article we ever read on any public man. Here are our congratulations, friend Caldwell.

—The pleasant Will Landis, of the wide-awake firm of Landis and Easton, is home from New York, where he purchased for his trade a splendid line of fall goods. They are arriving daily, and the ladies are cordially invited to call and inspect them, along with the latest effects in millinery and dress goods. Look for their advertisement in our next issue.

—Whenever a Congressional district, like the Fifth, is in doubt and a third ticket impedes the great free silver cause, even if our friend Capt. A. S. Peace, a Populist, did say that a free silver Congress would imperil the country, it is the duty of free silver forces to unite on Kitchin and defeat Slippery Tommie Settle as he is the American Tobacco Company's candidate and a gold bug.

—Monday night Durham was all enthusiasm as the silver champion of this district, W. W. Kitchin, and Slippery Tommie Settle, the American Tobacco Co.'s pet and gold standard Republican, spoke in Parrish's warehouse to 2,500 people. We hear that the noble Kitchin is giving the trust candidate all he wants, and more too. He has the true silver people behind him and is bound to win his election.

A Correction.

We learn through one of our friends that Dr. de Lacroix says that we did him an injustice in saying in our last issue that he had "only been a Democrat since 1892" but instead had voted the ticket for 12 years. It is a pleasure to us to make the correction as we have no desire to do him an injustice. But its strikes us that 12 years ago was the time the mugwump Republicans of New England took up Grover Cleveland and succeeded at last in winning him over to the ranks of Republicanism as his record clearly proves him to be a warm friend of monopolists and gold kings of this country and England, of which our esteemed friend Dr. de Lacroix is an ardent supporter.

Rev. Shorter Caldwell.

Our Presbyterian friends are to be greatly congratulated on getting so able and useful a pastor as Rev. Shortor Caldwell. He was employed for a short time by the church here some time ago and proved himself to be a most acceptable and attractive minister. That he will please his congregation and build up the interest of Presbyterianism in Oxford may be considered as beyond doubt. He entered on his duties last Sunday and his sermons on that day are said to have been very good indeed. His wife and children will arrive soon and move into the parsonage.

A poorly-cut pair of trousers will detract from the appearance of the best-dressed man. Style, material and finish must all be right to ensure a satisfactory garment. Messrs. Noell Bros., of Roxboro, N. C., make a specialty of trousers at $2.68. These goods are guaranteed as well as tailor made trousers, and to be all the most exacting could desire as to fabric, finish and fit. Sold by Long Bros.

PASSED AWAY.

Death of Mr. S. W. Dickerson and Mr. C. J. Bobbitt.

It is with feelings of deep sorrow that we record the death of an old citizen, Mr. Samuel W. Dickerson, of Fishing Creek township, who has been going about in this community for over four score years—a man of high character, of modest disposition and greatly esteemed. Up to the very day of his death his mental faculties were good and his health too has been good up to the time when he was summoned to the world beyond. He was a man who was of agreeable disposition, kind and neighborly. He was never disposed to put himself forward. He was a farmer of industrious habits and raised his family in a quiet, unpretentious manner and taught his boys by precept and example how to work. He was our friend. He was always a subscriber to the PUBLIC LEDGER, and indeed as long as we have carried on the newspaper business in Oxford he has always been a subscriber, and another thing be it said to his credit he always paid the printer. His dealings with everybody were just and honorable. He was a remarkable man in the strength of his constitution and apparently looked as if he might have been spared to live many years longer, but Providence in His wisdom ordered otherwise. He was found dead in his bed early Monday morning. The day before he had complained a little of colic but no alarm was felt for his safety. He was married twice and leaves behind a large circle of children and grand children. He often called at the PUBLIC LEDGER office and was always a welcome visitor whom we delighted to greet under the familiar name of "Uncle Sammie."

We sorrow with the members of his bereaved family almost as if we were allied to him by a family tie and together with them we will ever recall his long career with emotions of respect and affection. The burial took place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at his late home, where he lived 50 years, witnessed by a large concourse of friends and neighbors.

DEATH OF MR. BOBBITT.

Again the sad duty of publishing the death of a true and tried friend of the PUBLIC LEDGER falls to our lot though not a resident of this county since Vance county was established. Mr. C. J. Bobbitt died on Saturday last at his home in Vance county in the 64th year of his age after an illness of some weeks. Mr. Bobbitt is of the well known Bobbitt family of Granville and a cousin of our esteemed friend, Capt. W. O. Bobbitt.

The deceased was a man of much kindness of heart, had many warm friends in both Vance and Granville. He was successful as a farmer and in the management of his affairs, and out of his ability he often did acts of kindness for those less fortunate. He will be greatly missed by his neighbors and his county as he was a useful and prominent citizen. To the bereaved family we extend our condolence.

The Hannacrat Organ.

Dr. de Lacroix gives it that his Hannacrat organ, to be published in Oxford, will start out with a guaranteed circulation of 10,000 in the State. It is no doubt guaranteed by the money of the monopolists put in the hands of Dr. de Lacroix to spread the gold doctrine throughout North Carolina to help elect McKinley and trust men to Congress.

No doubt he will put the following notice, which we find in a religious paper published in New York in the interest of the gold standard, in his columns: "This paper is forwarded to you for a number of weeks. No bill will be sent. Please read, digest" and vote for a Hannacrat which is a vote for McKinley.

They Will Sell It.

The warehouse firm of Cooper & Wilkinson is proving one of the strougest teams that has been in the trade in Oxford for years. They are unceasing in their efforts to secure the highest prices on all grades of tobacco for their large trade, and hence their great popularity.

Bear in mind, farmers, that the old Minor is numbered with the best houses in the State, and you cannot do better than sell your crop on its well lighted floors. Read Cooper & Wilkinson's advertisement elsewhere and load up and try them if you wish to secure the highest market prices.

Shook His Hand.

Judge A. W. Graham, Dr. E. T. White, Messrs. N. B. Cannady, E. T. Rawlins, H. G. Cooper, J. C. Biggs and the editor enjoyed the privilege of boarding the Bryan special train at Durham for Raleigh and had the honor of meeting and shaking hands with the great Bryan. We accompanied the escort to Goldsboro and heard his great speech in the city of the East. We would be glad if it was possible for us to print every word we heard fall from the lips of the noble people's candidate for President of the United States, but we cannot.

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SILVER FORCES UNITED.

Insures the Vote of Our Good Old State for Bryan.

The State Executive Committees of the Democratic, Populist and Silver parties have arranged an electoral ticket that insures the vote of our good old State for Bryan. On this ticket there are five Democrats, five Populists and one member of the Silver party. For this ticket all the silver forces will vote. According to this arrangement the elector for this district is William Merritt whose name we put at the head of our editorial column.

It is encouraging to see that when a great crisis is upon us the great body of the people can lay aside their petty differences, their party pride and their prejudices and fight together for their common good. It shows a spirit of tolerance that is commendable in the extreme. They sacrifice no principle, because they are all striving to attain the same end.

It was Mark Hanna's fondest hope that the forces should be kept apart, but his hopes are dashed to pieces. The people have at last realized that about 100 men headed by Hanna control the finances of this country and are trying to make slaves of those who toil. In order to hold their grip on the government they are spending their money in every possible way to thwart the will of the people. They are the men that run free excursions for the laboring men to hear McKinley, that flood the country with deceptive gold literature, and that "compass land and sea to make one prosylite."

And now comes the news that Dr. de Lacroix has gone off and gotten Col. Tipton to come here and run a gold paper to teach us patriotism and national honor. We serve notice on him now that our people desire no instruction in that code of honor that teaches that trusts should be formed to increase the price of what the people buy and to depress the price of labor, and that they desire no patriotism that forms a co-partnership with the money changers of Europe, and that will not act at home without foreign consent.

No, our people are made of sterner stuff. The co-operation on the electoral ticket shows it, and when Hanna counts up the cost of his North Carolina gold paper and divide it by the votes it makes him, he will find to his sorrow that his bargain is a bad one indeed.

And in order that we may save our county and Legislature from Republican and negro rule, we think it highly desirable that the Democrats and Populists should get together in the county.

Creedmoor Croppings.

Mr. Jesse Jones is now happy—it's a fine girl.

Misses Mary Jones and Mary Holland, of Mt. Energy, spent Saturday night at Rev. M. L. Winston's.

A match game of ball was played at this place Saturday afternoon which resulted in some of the boys getting seriously hurt.

Mr. James Hughes' pack house was struck by lightning Saturday night, setting it on fire and his entire crop was burned to ashes.

Rev. J. E. Smith who has been a citizen of this place two years, left Monday for Louisville, Ky., to attend school. We hope him much success.

Mr. Wyatt Walters says he will speak at Wilton Saturday at 3 p. m. and those wishing to hear the gold standard discussed would do well to attend.

Politics are now most all the go with nearly every one. Shall we have another mess to preside in office as did two years ago? Now is the time to correct your error and come back to the rescue. Is it right to abuse a man because he supported Cleveland in the campaign 4 years ago? Why not stand at the polls this election like a man and vote for Kitchin for Congress that this district may have a better representative in Congress or one that will not dodge the roll call as did Slippery Tommie Settle? A LAD.

Something Beautiful.

If you want to behold something beautiful just walk into the racket store, run by the affable J. J. Medford, and take in his elaborate display of fall goods. You will catch on to great bargains to buy besides, as he is selling them below the lowest water mark. There is another thing, for every dollars' worth of goods you buy you will be presented with a handsome present that sells for 50 cents. His store is now headquarters for dress patterns. Read his advertisement elsewhere.

—Our esteemed friend, Mr. F. B. Blalock, of Culbreth, has cast his lot in Wilson, and the best wishes of the PUBLIC LEDGER go with him to his new home. He will prove an honored member of the Granville colony in that progressive Eastern town.

Administrator's Sale of Personal Property.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7TH NEXT AT the late residence of L. E. Amis, deceased I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the personal property of his estate consisting of the usual articles of household and kitchen furniture and plantation tools, a good horse, three extra fine cows, 10 hogs, 8 sheep, crop of corn, fodder, etc., one two horse wagon, 2 carryalls, (one new) and other articles usually found at an old homestead. J. S. AMIS, sep18-4t. Adm'r of L. E. Amis, dec'd.

THE TIDE OF TRAVEL.

People Coming or Going in All Directions--A Record.

—Mr. J. T. Ragan, who has been sick is out again.

—Mr. L. E. Wright, spent Wednesday in Norfolk, Va.

—Mrs. Sarah Elliott returned home from Louisburg Tuesday.

—Mrs. Cynthia Skinner is on a visit to relatives in Warren.

—Col. J. S. Amis is spending sometime on his farm near Stovall.

—Mrs. Sam Jones, of Culbreth, was on our streets Wednesday.

—Mr. J. T. Meadows, of Berea, called to see the editor Tuesday.

—Mrs. Susan Williams, of Panacea, Springs, was in Oxford this week.

—The veteran John H. Webb, of Stem, was on our streets Monday.

—Miss Leonard, of Lexington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Hurley.

—Mr. W. T. Adams, of Northside, dropped into see the editor Wednesday.

—Mr. W. H. Davis, of Vance, spent a few hours in Oxford Wednesday.

—Our old friend Mr. J. F. Usry, of Corinth section, was on our streets Monday.

—Capt. C. G. Elliott, of Norfolk, Va., spent a few days in Oxford the past week.

—Miss Lucy Webb, of Stem, was a visitor to Oxford Monday and Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Downey, and son, of Wilton, were on our streets Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer returned from their bridal tour on Wednesday.

—Misses Susie and Annie Gooch, of near Oxford, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gooch.

—Drs. Tucker and Cheatham, of Henderson, were on our streets Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. T. H. Collins, and children, of Washington, D. C., are visiting Col. R. J. Mitchell.

—Mr. S. B. Currin, a promising young man, of Berea, called to see the editor Thursday.

—Mr. Lee Caviness, of Hester, was a pleasant visitor to our office Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Eliza Pool, of Raleigh, was the guest of Mrs. R. W. Lassiter, several days this week.

—Misses Annie Taylor and Lottie Britt leave to-day for Raleigh to attend St. Mary's School.

—We were glad to meet on our streets yesterday our friend, Mr. J. A. Waller, of Knap of Reeds.

—Mr. E. A. Tunstall, of Fishing Creek, passed through Oxford Tuesday on his way to Pitt county.

—Our old friend, W. H. Ellis, of the Dexter section, dropped in to see this pencil pusher Monday.

—Capt. A. S. Peace attended a meeting of the State Populist Executive Committee in Raleigh Monday.

—Rev. J. S. Hardaway is assisting Rev. J. A. Stradley this week in a revival meeting at Island Creek church

—The family of Dr. N. M. Ferabee, after spending the summer in Oxford returned to Portsmouth, Va., Saturday.

—Mr. T. M. Emerson, one of the officials of the Atlantic Coast Line at Wilmington was a visitor to Oxford this week.

—Mrs. W. R. Walker, of Leaksville, spent a few days the past week with her sister, Mrs. Crawford Cooper on Gilliam street.

—Mrs. Wilson, of Asheville, who has been on a visit to her daughter Mrs. T. W. Jackson, returned to her home Wednesday.

—Messrs. S. D. Tippett, of Glenview, N. C., and A. J. Yancey, of Adoniram, were among the visitors to our office Thursday.

—Mr. Thomas Smith left on Monday to enter the A. and M. College. We wish him the best of luck in storing his head with knowledge.

—Miss Carrie Kronheimer arrived home Wednesday from a month's stay in New York and Baltimore, selecting a fine stock of winter millinery.

—Messrs. C. L. Wheeler, of Wilkins, who has been on a visit to Nash, and W. A. McFarland, of Trinity, dropped in to see the "old man" on Thursday.

—Dr. S. D. Booth, who is still on the sick list, will leave for Baltimore Monday for treatment. We, with a host of friends, wish him an early restoration to health.

—Mr. Dutch Fleming, of Mecklenburg county, Va., accompanied by his two daughters, was on our streets Tuesday. He was on his way home from a visit to relatives in Dutchville.

Registration Days.

Voters will please bear in mind that there will have to be a new registration this year in Oxford and Brassfield townships. The days for registration all over the county are Saturday, Sept. 26th, Saturday Oct. 3, Saturday Oct 10th, and 17th, between the hours of 9 a m and 4 p m. October 24th is challenge day.

Don't neglect this all important matter.

CARRYING OUT THE TRADE.

Otho Wilson Working the Sell-out to the Gold-bugs.

"Well, I see by your skillful action at Durham yesterday you are carrying out the bargain made with the Republican," said a reporter to Commissioner S. Otho Wilson yesterday. Mr. Wilson is chairman of his precinct, township, county, Senatorial, judicial and Congressional Populist committees, is a member of the Populist State Central committee and a middle-of the-roader.

"Yes, when they make a bargain the Populists always carry it out to the letter. It will be carried out as we always carry out our promises," he said. "The thing that hurts you Democrats is that you don't like the contract."

Now the contract or agreement entered into by the Republican and Populist committees regarding fusion on Congressmen was this: The Populists candidates are to receive the vote of the Republicans in the First. Third, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh districts; the Populists are to support Linney in the 8th. In the 2nd, 5th and 9th the Populists are to support the Republican nominees. And in case it is found that the gold bug Republican nominee cannot be elected, except by a division of the silver vote, the Populists will in these three last named districts put up a nominee to divide the silver vote. In the Fifth district the only way on earth to re-elect Tom Settle is to divide the silver vote. Mr. Otho Wilson was on hand at Durham to see that the contract with the gold bugs was carried out. Mr. Wilson is endeavoring to carry out the terms of the sell out to the gold bugs.—News & Observer.

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Creedmoor Contents.

As we are making our home in Creedmoor for the present, we will by request send in a few items from here occasionally.

Mrs. Stem, of Hester, has made quite an addition to our town by moving in with her family, including her attractive daughter, Miss Lillie.

Ye invalids of Granville! come to our town and be cured for here we have recently discovered a splendid mineral water. It has been analyzed and is said to stand at the head of the list.

Mr. I. W. Mangum, of Horner School, was in Creedmoor Sunday, and rode back to Oxford after 9:30 p. m. We think there must be a magnetic force here to draw him so far for so short a while.

Miss Mary Taylor is in Creedmoor again and can be seen quite frequently riding around town on her wheel. Miss Taylor is a very graceful 'cyclist as well as an excellent teacher. We wish her a most pleasant term in Creedmoor.

Quite a number of our people went to Durham last week to see and hear our President-elect, Hon. William J. Bryan. Ever so many of the school boys got left by the train and had to stay over in Durham all night, and we hear one got to crying for his "papa."

The school at Creedmoor Academy is being taught by Prof. L. T. Buchanan and his assistants. A large number of names have been enrolled and new ones are coming in each week. The old building was much too small to accommodate so many hence a large new room is being added. Between 30 and 40 young men are here including one from Durham and two who went to Horner last year. This is indeed a splendid school for both male and female and we ask all parents to send your children here. Prof. Buchanan has had long experience in teaching and is a most excellent teacher, while Miss Taylor manages her room to perfection and Miss Emya Buchanan who won a medal in a large class of 48 taught by that "Princess" of teachers, Miss Willie Smoot, cannot be otherwise than qualified to teach music to all who care to learn. Mr. Buchanan has quite a number of boarding students and some others board in the neighborhood. We wish him and family a most prosperous school and a happy home in Creedmoor. ELM JAY.

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