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WHY IS IT?

Democrats.

At the close of this year of vary-

few pertinent queries at our county

and its party service admitted, Dem-

Why is it that a man that is pro

Moriah Mixtures.

has entered our town again.

sioners as town clerk?

Granville Grays Attended.

ing in each others embrace.

ship and Hospitality.

joys of the occasion.

It is seldom our good fortune to

enjoy such royal hospitality as was ing fortunes-or shall we say, mis-

accorded us on last Monday evening fortunes? it occurs to us to fire a

There was a re-union of the Vance Democracy. There are some things

Guard, and one of the most enjoy- that we are desirous of knowing, and

Company. This was complete in anyone who will turn on the light,

every appointment. The menu was as we need light in the days of

"All went merry as a marriage power for the success of the party

It is just such occasions as this ocratic leaders join the political

The Granville Grays, thirty-eight Why is it that, in addition to our

strong, in command of Capt. H. L. gratitious work for the party. Go-

Ellington and W. H. Britt attended is even withheld from us for election

writer of this faint description of the gift to receive the amount due.

-The child who does not believe Re-Union of the Vance Guard--The Some Questions Propounded to Local People Coming or Going in All Di-

-The crop of 1896 girls is a pretty one. What do you think about it boys?

-This is the season when the -Read notice of land for sale in charitably inclined open wide their

> ed music teacher at the Deaf and vice excellent. In the midst of the party in Granville. Dumb Asylum at Raleigh, has join- arms and the accourtrements of war | Why is it that the Public Ledger. ed the home circle, and will remain sat Peace and Plenty and Joy smil- which is a Democratic paper straight during the holidays.

who extended him their support and bell" 'till the happy company sepa- during the last campaigns, is denied encouraged him in his battle for rated close to the small hours of the the support it might reasonably ex- day. good government and the rights of night. people, and the building up of our

The people of Oxford were fortunate enough to hear on last Friday evening an address from the Hon. W. W. Kitchin, delivered before the brighter,

He was introduced by Mr. H. M. Skinner and his Lieutenants, J. O. ing practically unappreciated, pay and when he arose he was greeted -The elever Robert Wood is in with prolonged applause. (It must in a body. Among the other guests tickets printed by order of the Exe charge of the grocery department of have reminded him of some of his from Oxford were Capt. Sid W. Mi- cutive Committee more than two of near Oxford, was in town Satur- our town.

> the subject of Odd Fellowship, and ed attention. At times his remarks

by Mr. J. H. Bridges in a happy ed that he voted the Republican manner and the response was made ticket last month, is retained by a -If you intend to have something in store for those who attended. Both by Maj. Royster, of Oxford, in the Democratic board of town commisto make eggnog out of Christmas, we before and after the address very same vein. Mr. Pryce Jones, the popular Cap- The foregoing are some little mattisement of Usry and Pool in another music was rendered by Mrs. Sted- tain of the Vance Guard, with his ters in which we are especially in man, Mrs. Wooding, Misses Lizzie able Lieutenants, J H. Goodrich and terested. There are others. We do Hilliard and May Hundley. Mrs. H. Charles J. Smith, were especially at not mind bearing our share of the Wa., and Mr. Henry Strause, of following officers were elected for Handerson were on our large breaks the coming years S. H. Smith, W. M. Lanier and Miss Nina Horner tentive to the wishes of their guests, burdens, but we look for reasonable Henderson, were on our large breaks the coming year: S. H. Smith, W. making improvements right along in their new factory. They have also erected a new outside building and fence.

M. Danier and Miss Find the decompaniments in their usual artistic style. After this any wishes who have every desire in the armory just under the hall gratified almost before they are ourselves or any imposition upon Holyoke oysters, coffee, etc., were served to formed. But these by no means had the party. -Hon. Jno. R. Webster, editor of those in attendance. Over this de- a monopoly of the hospitality, bethe Reidsville Weekly, and Miss Lil- partment of the entertainment the cause every member of the Company lie A. Merrison, of Reidsville, N. C., following ladies precided in a most stood ever ready to add to the pleaswere married in that town Tuesday admirable manner: Mrs. R. O. Greg- ure of the evening.

There too was that whole-souled gentleman, the Rey. Mr. Hix, and Female Seminary Tuesday evening ment was highly enjoyable and re- that genial and accomplished gen was a splendid affair. The program | flects great credit on those in charge. | tleman Mr. Thad. R. Manning, whe though he writes on the "Leaf of Gold," does it with a gifted Silver days with his aunt, Mrs. Melissa pen. These added no little to the Denny. pleasure and success of the evening. But it will not do to begin to indi-

At a late hour the Oxford party

Cannot be Found.

vidualize, because all of the many Knap of Reeds, spent last 2nd Sunday with Miss Cora Malone. was our pleasure to meet there, en-Miss Lucy Stem, of Stem, who has been visiting Miss Cora Malone, returned home a few days ago. Some of the young men are looking very ing from the wheels of time. sad since her departure.

returned on a special train; and Rev. J. A. Stradley spent last sec-"Long live the Vance Guard," was ond Saturday night with Mr. R. J. Day. We believe Mr. Stradley is truly a good man and the Bethany

people are always glad to have him Hill, S. C., and Miss Blanche Mar Miss Cora Malone closed her school

at Moriah Academy last Wednesday. Quite crowd attended the closing exercises. The students acted their re- from Richmond, Va., to spend the spective parts well, showing that joyous season in their happy home. friend and his wife sent an elegant party and dares to maintain its prin- they had been well trained. After suit of clothes—happiness never kills ciples in the face of the fact that his the recitations W. A. Malone, Esq., Caldwell, Jr., sons of Rev. A. S. -We are exceedingly gratified to -I still live. The Ladies' Aid So- own party leaders will not even pay and Mr. Johnson, of Hampton, made Caldwell, are home from Hampden learn that Judge Graham, after his ciety sent cash, hard cash, soft cash, him for legitimate work done; sub- very excellent talks which were en- Sidney College for the Christmas

Christmas will soon be here, ans his elevation to the bench he was my wife—and I have the privilege ing a hide as thick as a government other year will have passed away, M. College, arrived from Raleigh mule to stand the many sledge ham- and we will be one year "Nearer Tuesday evening. He came on his This is a true story. I know it to mer blows aimed at his miserable Home." We have much to be thank- wheel, and will remain until after be so, for I am the pastor, and to carcass; be a potent factor in giving ful for, and yet I am afraid many of Christmas. Ragan was awakened by stifling one and all of the kind friends I ex- all the free advertising that can be us have much to regret. Let us squeezed out of him to advance others interests and at the same time live on wind; have to contend with a live on wind; have to contend with a beginning of the year? Have we tor Friday, as they are numbered Our young people started the holi- class who think we publish a paper done all we might have done to send with our subscribers. day festivities with a German at Ar- free for their especial benefit as they sunshine into poor suffering souls? mory Hall Tuesday night, and the read it regular every week, must Have we performed our duty in every young ladies looked their sweetest have in his make up a quality that respect? If not let us resolve to do and were graceful, while the gallant is not equalled by any human being better next year, and keep the resoyoung men were all attention. It ever heard of or will ever trod this lutions. Let us endavor to so live to see him looking so well that when our work is finished bere, and we are ushered into Eternity the Master will say: "Well done, Taylor, students at St. Mary's School

Buggies and Buggy Harness at lowest

There was a little whisper in accompanied his father, Mr. Sandy Raleigh a few days ago that Hon. Moss, of Fishing Creek, to town Ruff Henderson got \$500 for his Friday, and we formed his acquainjudiciously-timed "withdrawal." His tance.

friends deny that he got a cent. One extra bargain for X mas in a S. H. SMITH,

many things, among them the ville's best young men, called to see abundance of rabbits. A few days ago there were shipped from Moncure station, on one train, by express, in future he would make Virginia north-bound, 7,250 pounds of rab- his home.

Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Children, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It turned to Concord Wednesday, and is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. G. Hall,

made, and for prices and best terms, notes payable to S. P. Henderson see S. H. Smith, Oxford, N. C. 1t.

I have the agency for Santa Claus in ing feet. He has a brother, Mr. J. J. P. STEDMAN. T. Standfield, who is 6 feet 4 inches.

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

the cheap brands.

rections -- A Record. -Col. Buck Meadows was on our streets Wednesday.

THE TIDE OF TRAVEL.

-Mr. John Hall returned Thursday from Panacea Springs. -Mr. Louis de Lacroix was in

able features of the occasion was a banquet served at the Armory of the explained. We shall be obliged to -Mrs. C. D. Ray and son, of Roxboro, are home for the holiday's. -Our old friend W. P. Lyon, of Wilton, called to see us Tuesday.

> -Mr. J. R. Day has returned from Kinston, and will remain sometime. and true, and did everything in its -Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lvon, of Creedmoor, were on our streets Fripect from Democ.atic leaders, and -Mr. and Mrs. - Breedlove,

The departing guests carried the patronage it should receive is given of Wilton, were on our streets Tuesscene as a picture in their minds to papers inimical to the Democrat- day.

with which to gladden memory; and in their hearts they carried a new fire lighted at the altars of Friend--Col. and Mrs. W. A. Bobbitt, of Kinston, will spend Christmas in alumand all forms of adulteration common to Oxford. -Mr. J. F. Rogers, of Goldsboro,

that make life longer and the days enemy in adversely criticising this is expected to join the boys here Christmas. -Gen W. R. Cox will spent a few days here with his two sons, during

the holidays.

nor, Capt. C. J. Biggs, Maj. B. S. years ago? As but few people eyer day and Sunday. Royster and "Grandma" (W. L.) think of the editor during the fes--Miss Mary E. Gregory, of Sto-

vall, is on a visit to her sister Mrs. J. B. Powell this week. The address of welcome was made fessedly a Republican, having stat--Messrs. W. A. Hester, of Hester, and W. A. Gooch, of Stem, dropped

in to see us Wednesday. -Mr. Clem Daniel, of Charlotte, joined his better half in Oxford Tuesday to enjoy the festive season.

-Miss Annie de Lacroix now a

pupil at Stanton, Va., joined the old folks at home Wednesday, and is quite happy. We are very sorry to say measles -Mr. D. M. Loyd, of Hester, called Tuesday and renewed his allegi-

Mr. R. R. Moore is spending a few ance to the PUBLIC LEDGER until Jan. 1, 1898. -Mr. J. W. Watkins, of Law-Mr. John Waller and Miss Corina renceville, Va., spent a few days in

Bowling, who is teaching school at Oxford last week visiting his sister, Mrs. E. W. Jones. -Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meadows, of Wilson, arrived Friday to spend

Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Holloway. -Messrs. John A. Waller and Charley Roberts, of Knap of Reeds,

Wednesday and paid us a visit. -Miss Mary H. Caldwell, of Rock row, of Charlotte, N. C., are visiting the family of Rev. A. S. Caldwell.

-Misses Mary and Nellie Currin reached Oxford Thursday evening

holidays. -Cadet Thomas Smith, of A and

-Prof. F. P. Hobgood, Jr., of Columbian College, Washington

City, is spending the holiday's with | 6.23 p. m. from Keysville, Danville and Richto see him looking so well. -Misses Charlotte Britt and Annie

Raleigh, arrived home Tuesday evening to join the happy throng in Oxford during the holidays. -Master David Bennett Hill

Moss, a real handsome little fellow,

-Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hurley and children, accompanied by Miss Leonard, left Monday for Lexington to spend the holidays. Mr. Hurley will be with us a short time next week.

Chatham county is noted for \_Mr. J. J. Davis, one of Gran-

-Messrs. W. T. Adams, of Northler, of Berea, and our greatly esteemed friend, Mr. J. H. House, of Gaston, were welcome visitors to our

-Mrs. Gowan Duserbery, who has

was accompanied by Miss Annie, who will no doubt have a most enjoyable time in the city of factories. -Mr. C. S. Standfield, of Person, was among the visitors to Oxford

Friday. He is a high minded man as he stands 6 feet 7 inches his stock-

and healthfulness. Assures the food against

-Rev. M. H. Tuttle and family, have arrived and taken up their home at the Methodist Parsonage on Collega street. We, in the name of our community, tender to the divine -The attractive Miss Susie Gooch, and his family a hearty welcome to

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK,

-The many warm friends of Col. Henry Wilkerson, who is running successfully a warehouse at La Grange, are glad to know that he reached town Tuesday evening. He was kept busy Wednesday shaking hands with them.

### New Officers Elected.

At the regular communication of Oxford Lodge No. 396, A. F. and A. M.; J. F. Royster, S. W.; W. B. Bal--Mr. and Mrs. James Lassiter, of lou, J. W.; W. L. Mitchell, Treas-Holyoke, Mass., are visiting Mrs. urer; E. W. Jones, Secretary. These Lassiter, and will remain during the officers will be installed on the 28th.

> John Bigelow, in a recently published book entitled the Mystery of Sleep, resents the popular notion that the sole object of "tired Nature's sweet restorer" is the repair the waste tissues of the body. In his view it has a far higher function in furthering the spiritual development; and in general he contends that it is upon the duration and quality of the sleep that the spiritual well-being depends. Carried out to its logical conclusion the theory must proclaim that he who sleeps through the sermon is the recipient

were among the shoppers in Oxford your toys and Christmas presents. dec. Of course you will visit Stedman's for

of more grace than he who tried to

follow its elucidation.

(PIEDMONT AIR-LINE.)

IN EFFECT NOVEMBER 22, 1806.

This condensed schedule is published as infor-ation and is subject to change without notice

TRAINS LEAVE OXFORD. 12.17 p. m. No 14, for Keysville, Danville, Rich-

3.45 p. m. No. 44, for Key-ville, Danville, Rich-mond, intermediate stations and all points North. North. 0 05 a.m. No. 62, Tuesday's, Thursday's and Sat-urday's for Keysville and intermediate sta-23 p. m. No. 13 for Durham and intermediate Golasboro, Norfolk and all points East, 55 p. m. No. 61, Monday's: Wednesday's and Friday's for Durham, Greensboro, Salisbury, Asheville, Charlotte and all points South and

Prains leave for Henderson 12,25 p. m., and 6,30 p. TRAINS ARRIVE AT OXFORD

mond, 2 40 a, m, from Keysville, 1.55 p. m, Monday's, Wednesday's and Friday's from Keysville. 12.17 p m, from Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Greensboro and all points South 8 45 p m, from Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro. Greensboro and all points South, 0.05 a.m. Tuesday's, Thur-day's and Saturday's from Burham. rains arrive from Henderson 10.00 a. m. and

# Christmas Goods in Great

Profusion at STEDMAN'S Drug Store, Oxford, N. C. Call and In-

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pounded from purest & drugs at all hours, Fancy Goods, Perfumery and Toilet Articles. Cigars, Tobac-

co and Snuff. Confectioneries, Foreign and Domestic (\* Fruits, Eyeglasses and

Spectacles. Christmas Presents, (\* Novelties, Toys, etc. We are headquarters for Santa Claus. Everything sold under a positive guarantee. Largest stock in the county. Call and and look over my stock before buying, it will ) save you money. Pub-( lie School Books at •) contract prices. School • & Books and Stationery ( priced to suit the hard times. Your friend,

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We are determined with low prices fair dealing to maintain our position

irs and many oter things. e have opened a first-claes Harness addlery shop up stairs. Be sure to ur Mr. L. F. Day before buying here. He will please you,

softeners and money savers.

Respectfully, BROOKS & CO.

Land Sale. DER AND BY VIRTUR OF THE POW sale conferred upon the undersigned are executed by Walter R. Hockadsy, day of January, 1896, to L. Woodlief, egistered in Book 43, Page 301, in the Register of Deeds of Granville Co. all having been made in payment of ared thereby, I shall sell for cash to bidder at the courthouse door in

UNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1897,

L. WOODLIEF, Mortgagee. at once.

### TIMELY HITS.

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

paper next week. -Our streets were thronged with your money and buy it yourself.

shoppers Wednesday.

this issue for the first time. -Read advertisement of bar-room and fixtures for sale in another col-

-David W. Satterwhite, of Cornwall, killed a porker that weighed 560 pounds.

-The tobacco market closed Wednesday and will open again for business Monday Jan. 4, 1897. -Messrs. Billy Brown and Robt. town and county.

ships in the next Legislature.

John Gooch, who was real sick last week, is now well and happy. -Contentment is an endowment

single gift.

-Mr. B. F. Hobgood and family are now numbered with the citizens was listened to with the most mark of Oxford. They are occupying the residence lately 7acated by Mr. Cam

direct your attention to the adver- beautiful and highly enjoyable vocal column.

-Messrs. Taylor & Cannady are

-The recital given at the Oxford Broughton. The whole entertain

-A few nights ago Chief Renn put a man in the lock-up and next the Baptist church has been contin morning found him missing. A brace | uously pounded. Friend after friend and bit had been left in the room, has shared with him the good things and he found it and proceeded to of this life. It would make my note good people of Henderson, whom it use it with good effect. He has not too long to speak of each gift. We

been apprehended. Sunday School will enjoy their bone, souse, butter, flour, sugar, cof- hours seem but sparks of light fly-Christmas tree Thursday night in fee, tea, dried fruit, soap, starch, the church. Those of the Episcopal cauned fruits and tomatoes, pota church will have theirs at the resid. toes, celery, chickens, &c., &c. Oh! ence of Mr. G. T. Patton. We could and a barrel of apples! One friend

able to be numbered with the happy all town, you being allow ple because he dares to be true to his ed to except your boy. Another ple because he dares to be true to his

news to his host of admirers. Refore stores. But then they sent that to them; the heavy responsibity of havthe leading member of our bar and of viewing it from afar.

-On Saturday night Mrs. J. T. found that a fire was burning briskly in the closet. The members of the family joined in and put out the flames without giving the alarm. Nearly all the clothing in the closet was burned up, along with many fire was caused by rats cutting a

He attended the funeral services, and Willie Skinner with Prof. Shannon-

mand of Mr. J. H. Shelburn, of Dur. C. L. Smith; Mrs. Gowan Dusenbery on December 9. Loss \$150,000; inp lite Messrs. H. J. Roberts and ham, destroyed a fine 80-gallon still, with Henry Strause, of Henderson; surance, \$85,000. Besides the fact-Oakley will be glad to see their cap and worm, twelve beer stands of We are still in the McGuire about 100 gallons canacity each 30 Cannady: Miss Mary Belle Gregory We are still in the McGuire stands of Stands, 2 doors from Bullock & or 40 gallons of low wines, about 3 with T. Lanier. Stags—H. L. Skin-or 40 gallons of low wines, about 3 bushels of meal and other articles ner, W. E. Massenburg, W. H. Britt. The origin of the fire is unknown. buying elsewhere, and save your Monday morning on Meadows' mounmey for we are the admitted hard tain. The same day they struck another somewhere in the neighbor- ful solution of the puzzling problemhood of Trinity, and found an old how to give honest goods at low prices- Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your ting for dear life. Of course the

of land described in said mortgage and se follows. Iying in Brassfield town holder, testified that he voted the straight Republican ticket. This straight Republican ticket. This same man is still clerk to a Democratished by the lands of C. M. Rogers, and orth side by land of C. M. Rogers, a ar, Peace, containing 138 acres more eig 1 of No — in the land division board and voted the Democratic R. Hocksday. Time of sale 12 m, ticket he would have been bounced Goods.

- The Democrat will not be issued

umn.

Daiby are both seekers after clerk--The little son of Mr. and Mrs.

that will make Christmas day joyful

capital young man.

was exceedingly well rendered and greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

not learn as to the Baptist and Pres- gave the boys Roman candles—the the wish deep down in every heart. -If some few of our patrons who owe us were to fulfil their oftrepeated promises, the much abused editor, They are all good shots. Another rarty, town or county, would be friend sent a cloak and a cap for the

term expires will resume the practice | "free silver" under the "gold standof law in Oxford, which will be good ard," with "equal privileges" at the

enjoyed a lucrative practice. smoke that filled her room. She tend my sincere thanks. PASTOR. other things. It is thought that the

match. -We join the Orphan's Friend in in honor of Mrs. Gowan Dusenbery, terrestial globe. extending to Mr. E. W. Jones - Man- of Concord, formerly of Oxford, who ager of the Printing Department- is greatly esteemed by our young ten make mistakes as all men do, good and faithful servant." our kindest sympathy, on account people. The chaperones were Mrs. but are always ready and willing to of the death of his brother which Cynthia Skinner, Mrs. Henry Hunt, perform any duty that may be reoccured Tuesday at his home, in Mrs. A. A. Chapman and Mrs. Payne. quired of us to advance party, town Mecklenburg County Va. May God in his loving kindness and tender the floor: Miss Fannie Gregory with ever shirked any responsibility, and We keep nearly everything, Groceries, mercy comfort Mr. Jones in this Leak Landis; Miss Annis Hughes all we ask is just and fair treatment. Goods and Notions, Shoes, Hats, deep affliction, and enable him to with P. C. Graham; Miss Mary E. kery and Tin Ware, Tobacco and bear it with Christian resignation. Gregory with Harry Williams; Miss

> returned home Thursday. -The revenue officers under com | I. H. Dayis; Miss Annie Booth with ton, N. C., was burned at 3 o'clock still, stands, &c., were destroyed.

-Taking testimony in the contes ted election of Mr. A. J. Feild vs. the negro Bill Crews has been going on before Mr. W. H. Hunt this week. Messrs. J. C. Biggs and T. Lanier appear for Mr. Feild and Colonel L. C. Edwards for Crews. Mr. Frank Wimbish, whom the Democrats had ers at Edwards & Winston's. dec17 dec17.

-The people have Christmas in their bones.

in Santa Claus is to be pitied.

-There will be no issue of this -Do not be disappointed if you do in our sister town, Hendersou. not get what you want. Save up

> hearts and remember the orphans. -Miss Eva Minor, the accomplish- | bountiful and elegant and the ser- | abuse and criticism of the organ of |

-The editor warmly thanks all

Hon. W. W. Kitchin's Address.

Odd Fellows in their hall. even though you do not receive a Shaw in a few well chosen remarks,

He spoke for an hour or more on Mitchell, Mr. C. H. Easton and the tive eyent, it would be a pleasant

were truly beautiful and eloquent. But this was not all the pleasure ory, Mrs. S. W. Cooper and Mrs. R.

A Pastor Pounded. For some time past the pastor of have received turkeys, hams (new tered fully into the spirit of the oc--The children of the Methodist and old) sausage, spare-rib, back- casion, and helped to make the way to a boy's heart. One friend sent birds several times. He is the best shot in town. Now I come to think of it! he had friends with him. finest boy in town, you being allow- be boycotted by small calibred peo-

German Tuesday Night. was a most delightful occasion, given

. An interesting example of the success-

Mrs. H. M. Lanier will be glad to get eight or ten music scholars. Terms \$3 per month. Oxford, N. C., Dec. 17th,

Don't fail to see our line of Xmas EDWARDS & WINSTON. | them to this office.

A man who can run a county paper, be true to the exacting demands of his party without hope of reward;

mit to be ridiculed and criticised by joyed by all present.

We know we have faults and of-Cynthia Skinner, Mrs. Henry Hunt, perform any duty that may be re-The following were the couples on and county, and no man can say we

The manufacturing plant of the house; Miss Fannie Skinner with Dr. Brown Tobacco Company at Wins-

## Did Yon Ever

lady keeping up the fires and knit- is found in the advertisement of Noell troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get Bros., of Roxboro, N. C. Their trousers rel ef. This medicine has been found to be are faultless in cut, workmanship, and peculiarly adapted to the cure and relief of bits, Taking the average weight of are faultless in cut, workmanship, and placed in all that goes to make up a satistactory garment, and are sold at the remarkably low price of \$2.68. They will bear comparison with any five-dollar pants in the market. Sold by Long Bros.

The faultless in cut, workmanship, and placed to the cure and relief of all female complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the o.gans. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells, or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells,

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> 897—both years for 10 cents J. P. STEDMAN. Lost on the streets of Oxford five and endorsed to O. F. Busee. The

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finder will be rewarded by returning dec24 2t. i this section.

prices at Edwards & Winston's. dec17.

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spect them.