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WEEK OF SHORT ACCOUNTS. Few Appreciate the EDUCATE YOUR BOYS. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. A BEAUTIFUL CHURCH MARRIAGE GOING AND COMING RECORD. -Col. Henry Wilkinson took his To Transcribe Them is but the Work They in Time Take the Places of the Synopsis of Business Transacted First Granville and Green Counties United Those who are On the Go and in the departure Tuesday for La Grange where he proposes to buy tobacco on of a Minute some Folks Think Old Men. a large scale. Monday. in Bonds of Love. Whirl of Time. - Mayor Biggs is now the local at--Messrs. W. A. Hester and son, L. We congratulate the farmers on The Board met Monday, second A beautiful marriage took place -Miss Belle Cooper returned from C. Daniel and son, took in Oxford torney for the Southern Railroad. the prospects of good crops thus far day of August, with Major J. A. at St. Barnabus Episcopal church, Norfolk Friday. Thursday and shed the rays of their the present season, and although it Bullock, Chairman, who seemed to Snow Hill, on Thursday evening, -Mr. J. O. Bunn has removed to countenance in this print shop. is possible that some disaster may be in fine trim as he had dispensed 9:30 o'clock, July 29th. The con--Mr. J. G. Bowling returned to the cottage next to Capt. W. H overtake them yet, it may be set with some of his snow white hair tracting parties were Dr. Thomas White. Greenville Friday. -Mr. D. J. Gooch, the great down beyond per-adventure that and beard, and his colleagues, Col. L. Booth, of Oxford, and Miss Irene basket manufacturer, of near Oxford, -Read sale of lot by Mr. John over an average yield will reward C. M. Rogers and Mr. Duncan Ferra- Grimsley, of near Snow Hill. -Miss Lessie Royster, of Bullock was in town Wednesday morning W. Hays commissioner in another the labor of the husbandmen. is visiting the Misses Usry. and dropped in to see the editor. bow, were in their seats. We can The solemn marriage ceremony of column. Though even were there a failure certainly put it down as an old board the Episcopal church was performed -Miss Crump, of Virginia, is the -Miss Warren, of Lynchburg, guest of Mrs. W. A. Adams. in the crop our people ought to edu- as to looks as each one has the frost by Rev. Edwin Wooten, of Wilming--The wife of Mr. Thos. Speed. who Va., arrived in Oxford Tuesday on cate their boys, and as to that the of year gathered upon their brow, as ton. ives near Cannady's mill, died Tues-- Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Strong are a visit to Rey. and Mrs. J. F. Plumgirls, too, yet as they get good pecu- all three, including the venerable day evening. Dr. T. L. Booth is a prominent on a visit to Mrs. J. H. Horner. mer, and will remain for some time. niary returns for their toil in the clerk, Dr. L. C. Taylor, are quite physician of Oxford, and is well -Every day Oxford is full of cata field, the merchant, mechanic, law gray. -Mrs. Holleman and children -Mrs. Jennette Wimberly and known to the medical profession oupe and watermelons and the small yer, doctors, preachers and all oth-"Mother's Friend" left Wednesday for Roanoke, Va. two children and Miss Emily Austin. It was ordered that L. Coley & Co., throughout the State. His merit boys are happy. ers share in their good fortune. of Tarboro, are visiting Mrs. Crews -Mrs. George Strong, Jr., of Ralbe allowed to take out retail liquor justly entitles him to his high stand That is pronouncedly the case in license if approved by the Town in the profession, and his genial -The front of the store next to eigh, is visiting Mrs. J. H. Horner. on College street. allays Nervousness, and so assists the agricultural districts like North Commissioners until January 1, manner and loving disposition have Landis & Easton's occupied by Mr. Nature that the change goes for--The many friends of Mr. C. J. -Miss Nellie Currin is on a visit Thos. Smith has been nicely painted. Carolina and most all the Southern 1898. It was also ordered that W. won for him a host of friends. Ward, were glad to shake his hand to Miss Lula Barham at Newsom's ward in an easy manner, without States. It is true that it is not im- N. Hicks be allowed to take out Miss Grimsley is a daughter of the -This weeks edition of the PUBLIC possible for any boy in the State to license to retail liquor at Dexter, in Oxford Tuesday. He has got to be such violent protest in the way of late Wm. P. Grimsley, and has been LEDGFR is over 9.000, and will be get a liberal education, but thous- Granville county until January 1st an up-to-date hotel keeper at Bur. -Mrs. E. T. White and children lington, Nausea, Headache, Etc. Gloomy connected as teacher of a large form read in every State in the Union and ands of young men are now without 1898. forebodings, yield to cheerful and have returned from a visit to Chase of boys, with the Orphan Asylum at in Cuba. -Mr. H. J. Council has returned a good education who might have hopeful anticipations-she passes City. Ordered that Ira Kimball be ex. Oxford for several years. Attentive from a visit to his old home in Wake-- As to the expense accounts of obtained one, and who would have empted from working public roads and especially tender to her "form -Dr. Melville Dorsey, of Hender- He accompanied his sister who has through the ordeal quickly and of boys," it cost them many tears son, was in Oxford a few hours Frithe town, when the Railroad Att- profited largely thereby had they for 1897. without pain-is left strong and been staying with him for some neys are pulling the towns leg, why have put forth a little extra effort or and regrets to give her up. It is a day. The rebate mill was at this juncrigorous and enabled to joyously had their parents put forth an extra ture put in motion and several were months. shouldn't it kick. matter of sincere congratulation with perform the high and holy duties -Miss Julia Winston has returned effort to educate them. the good citizens of Oxford that she -Mr. Alf Hobgood will give his allowed rebates on taxes. Mrs. E. H. Sholer, who has been from a visit to her grandmother at annual Barbacue at Mr. Joe Currin's now devolved upon her. Safety The States and communities in Ordered that Susan Weaver and will make this her home in future. quite sick for some days, we are which they live have lost by this Simeon Wilson be put on the outto life of both is assured by the Selma. Flower girl, little Miss Annie today and a good time is expected gratified to learn is some better. neglect. Some of these too who side pauper list at one dollar per use of "Mother's Friend," and -Mr. J. M. Carrington, of South as several champion eaters will be Lyman Grimsley Page, Master Wil-Mr. Sholer is at her bed side. have missed getting a liberal educa- month each. Bucker Burton was the time of recovery shortened. Boston, Va., was on our streets Sat- on hand. lie Suggs. -We are requested by Tax Collec. tion are among the brightest minds. allowed to go to the Poor House. Waiters: Mr. E. W. Pace, of Snow -I know oue lady, the mother of three children. urday. -Judge W. T. Clement, left yes-With such schools as we have in Ordered that Sam Aiken be allowreatly in the birth of each, who the of 'Mother's Friend' of me tor, CLas. Easton, to say to those Hill, with Miss Ruth Sutton, of Kin--Mr. Sam Hobgood and Miss terday for Goldsboro where he will owing town taxes for 1896, that they North Carolina, possessing the high- ed to keep David Hobgood feed and ston; Mr. E. C. Galloway, of Snow th confinement, and was relieved Lula Knott are at Buffalo Springs enter the tobacco business, Oxford quickly. All arree that their labor was shorter and less painful.⁹ Join G. POLHILL, Macon, Ga. must come forward and settle up at est order of merit, no boy of superior clothe him and pay the county \$25 Hill, with Miss Bettie Grimsley: Dr. is furnishing some of the best tobacthis week. intellect ought to fail to avail him- for keeping Miss Quintina Hobgood Robert Carr, of Greenville, with Miss once. co men on the Eastern markets. Seni by Mail, on receipt of price, \$1.00 PER BOTTLE, Book "TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS" self of such advantages as now can at the Poor House as payment of Linda Hoskins, Oxford; Mr. Seymour -Mrs. Geo. Knott and children re--Remember that the Oxford to- be had at very moderate costat some rent of Hobgood land from Nov. 1, Hargrove, of Snow Hill, with Miss -Dr. Sanderford, and Professor turned Tuesday from a weeks visit bacco market is the steadest and of the very best schools anywhere to 1887 to Nov. 1, 1898. mailed free, containing valuable information Luther Buchanan, principal of Dora Carr, of Castoria; Mr. Haywood most reliable market in the State, be found, and equal in real merit to Ordered that the PUBLIC LEDGER to Sunset. Creedmoor Academy, were on our streets Saturday. Prof. Buchanan Dail, Jr., with Miss Stella Grimsley. THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA and hence it is to your advantage to any in the whole country. One of be instructed to print 3,000 tickets -Miss Annie Booth is enjoying a OLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Maid of Honor, Miss Mary Stoude visit to Mrs. Gowan Dusenbery at was a welcome visitor to the PUBLIC the most notable schools in the Old each for and against schools to be Grimsley. Concord. -While the editor of this paper is North State is the Davis Military delivered to the Sheriff to be distrib-Bride was tastefully and becoming-LEDGER. VEW LIOD taking a course at the Greensboro School, located in the thriving city uted to the various precincts. Mr. C. M. Busbee and little daughly arrayed in a charming robe of Institute, if there be any short- of Winston-Salem, one of the nicest Ordered that account of Dr. S. H. white satin, with Tulle Veil, which ters, of Raleigh, were in Oxford Henry Cooper, Dr. J. G. Hunt, Prof. -Mayor Crawford Biggs, Col. comings in the paper, wait until he localities in the world for salubrity Cannady be allowed \$5 and deducted threw around her a halo of beauty Tuesday.

-Tobacco raisers just keep your of the market for the farmers tobacco. J.G. Hall

watermelon.

Turnip Seeds We call attention to advertisement of Col. T. J. Drewry, principal of Fayetteville Military Academy. This school has attained in a short time quite an excellent reputation, and we congratulate the Colonel on the success he has achieved.

office both of whom he killed. Pistols are found at the forefront as the How about Your boy? Do you want and shot gun were used on both sides. result of the unsurpassed system of Amden came out without a scratch. Instruction that has characterized

-Rev. A. S. Caldwell occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday night and preached a sermon on tax for education, which from all we can learn did not meet with a very warm reception, as it was on at the Orphan Asylum on the 24th qualities to the highest degrees of ture of that son who now stands at of June.

-Mrs. Susan Williams and her in-Oxford to the great pleasure of their Winston, N. C. many friends in Oxford and Granville county. Mrs. Williams sucs ceeds Mrs. W. L. Meadows in the Boarding House on Main street, and we truly hope she will be liberally patronized.

Notice of Dissolution of next Tuesday is the price that will unjust 1st, dissolved coconsent, Jefferson D

J. D. BROOKS, G. W. BROOKS, or go to jail.



and are determined to pay the cream Peidmont section of North Carolina outside pauper. community. -It is pleasant to think you are As a North Carolinian we are remembered. Mr. Mat Loonan sent proud of the Davis Military Classical tender him our thanks. We also been built up by brains and enterthank Mr. John Pleasants for a fine prise on a broad guage, and the very

Spanish tyranny and oppression.

- Messrs. Benj. and W. W. Kivett, walls every year young men who Total, \$857.77. who several years ago, were residents take high honors at colleges or uniof Oxford for a while, were killed in versities, and who when they em-Waco, Texas, Friday of last week. bark in farming, business, the law, They attacked a Mr. Auden in his medicine or any other occupation

the Davis Military School. The

success.

information as to this school, write at best must enlist in the ever rests wives of that hospitable section had relatives in Virginia Friday. teresting family have returned to for catalogue to Col. J. Davis, at less army of workers, and enter the

The Mission at Goshen,

Notice has been given in the PUB-LIC LEDGER for two weeks past of a

-Eternal vigilance at the polls beginning next Sunday. ext Thesday is the price that will It has been asked "what is this ically; send him to a school where next Tuesday is the price that will it has been asked what is that is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that will it has been asked what is the price that price the pri Worth can carry out their scheme, the awakening of the ungodly and find particulars of a school which whirl of the dance, which turned out which the people will have to give all they the strengthening and helping of the ungodly and fully meets these requirements. This to be one of the crowning pleasures to be one of the crowning pleasures to be one of the crowning pleasures and helping of the strengthening and helping and helping of the strengthening and helping an have to the pie hunting demagogues those who bear the name of Christ. School has turned out many success-

-Amanda Green, a well known call it so, but all attempts to stir up colored woman and most excellent excitement and to induce persons to servant who so faithfully served in make professions at the time that the family of Col. L. C. Edwards, they may regret afterwards will be died on Friday with consumption. sedulously avoided. The truth will

gets sober and he will make up for of climate and the longevity of those from account of Dr. T. L. Booth, lost time.-Al Fairbrother Farrago, residing in that favored section. Superintendent of Health.

Parents are sometimes too careless Ordered that J. W. Beal be allowed as to the climate and sanitary con- \$1 per month so long as his grand silk and carried "American Beaueye on Oxford this season, as our ditions of the school at which they children stay with him. Charles ties." buyers are already loaded down with send their children. The school re- Cozart, of Tally Ho, was allowed an money and large orders for all grades, ferred to is situated in the grand increase of 50 cents per month as an in, clad in pure white Organdy, white Thursday.

and in an intelligent and orderly Ordered that J. I. Peace be ex-

empted from working on the public roads for the year 1897. Ordered that Col. C. M. Rogers

to the home of the editor some fine School. It is indeed an institution and F. B. Wimbish be a committee and Dr. Sugg. cantaloupes a few days ago, and we that is an honor to the State. It has to settle with the Sheriff.

list be continued at the same pay as fully through the church as the hapextensive patronage it has received heretofore for the next 6 months. from nearly every State in the Union, Ordered that J. W. Jones be ex- ment out into the beautiful Summer

and what ought to be the State of empted from poll tax and working twilight, which seemed to loiter for Cuba attest its reputation. There the roads for 1897. Sheriff Cozart reported the follow- country home, to meet many other were several boys there last session from that pugnacious Island that is ing taxes collected for month cf friends and enjoy the proverbial del engaged in a serious resistance to July:

State, \$106.82; School, \$371.95; the social pleasure of a "Reception." tobacco this season. This school sends out from its County, \$347.56; Railroad, \$31.55;

Quite a large number of accounts voking a life-long benediction on were allowed for various and sundry Dr. Booth and his elect bride. purposes.

Him to succeed in Life?

Now the editor of this paper tries faculty under the superintendency of to say just what he believes is true, Col. J. Davis, the able and efficient and we started out with a question head, always devises and carry out about your boy. Do you want him wise discipline such as guards the to succeed in life? How promptly health of the Cadets, and at the your heart responds in the earnest, same time developes their mental longing, yearning desire for the fu-

the door of the busy, pushing, cold, Parents or guardians for authentic calculating world, and in a few years be asked for, as the splendid house-

battle in a fight for a living. This What are we going to do about it? they are always could be and was in re-The common going to do about it? The common sense reply is, prepare makes the "old man's" mouth water him for the conflict; give him an education; send him to a school where Mission that is to be held at St. he will be thoroughly taught; send heavily laden, and everybody seemed Paul's Episcopal Church, Goshen, him to a school where he will be de-

and hundreds of others?

During these hot, dull August days when the old chronic kick about

and grace. She carried white carnations and maiden-hair fern. Maid of Honor wore soft sky blue ousiness. Bridesmaids all swept gracefully

ribbons and white and pink roses. -Mr. Howard Jones, of Waren-

Gentlemen in full dress. Dr. B. K. Hays, of Oxford, was ford Friday. best man." -Mr. Ira Kimball, of Hargrove, Ushers, Messrs. Harper, Albritton

was on our streets Monday and called Wedding March by Miss Exum, at this office.

Ordered that the outside pauper and "Love's Sweet Story" stole joyson, was among the visitors to Ox-

py party filed in most graceful moye- ford Tuesday. -Mrs. J. S. Hall and son are vis-

ting friends and relatives in Currithe occasion, on to Miss Grimsley's tuck county. -Mr. C. H. Parham left Tuesday

At 12:30 the charmed circle broke away to their several homes each in-

MID SUMMER PIC-NIC.

Large Crowd, Plenty to Eat and

Good Time.

The old men, young men, boys -The editor enjoyed a visit Mon and girls along with the dear mothday from Mr. J. R Hart, one of ers enjoyed a mid summer pic-nic at Oak Hill's good farmers. Mr. Simpson Adcock's, near Berea -Miss Emily Usry returned home Friday. There were in attentance over 300 people, who fished, danced, Friday evening from a visit to the and engaged in pleasant conversa- Misses Royster of Bullock. tions. The dinner was all that could -Mrs. Geo. Patton and daughter, returned from a protracted visit to

everything prepared that would tempt the appetite, and was in rethey are always good, in fact it C., is the guest of the editor. to think about one.

The table was a long one, and Clarksville, Va., Tuesday night. to be too full for utterance after dinville, Va., is visiting her son, Mr. G. ner was over. But it did not in the

of the day. It is said even our old consciously patting his foot to the

F. P. Hobgood, Jr., and Messrs. S. -Mr. Frank Meadows left for Wil- H. Smith, Thos. Smith, Willie Curson Friday to engage in the tobacco rin and James Osborn left Friday for a visit to Buffalo Springs on their

for a visit to her old home in Ches-

-Mr. A. P. Harris, of Buchanan,

was in town Friday and peeped in

Road, Va., spent a few days in

-Col. J. Davis, Superintendent of

did german at the Grace Hotel,

-Mrs. J. A. G. Wooding, of Dan

terfield county, Va.

on the ugly "old man."

Granville the past week.

wheels where they spent several -Ex Judge Winston and family days. The trip was a pleasant one returned to their home in Durham and all report a good time.

Mrs. H. M. Lanier will begin her music ton, was among the visitors to Oxclass September 1st. She will be glad to have eight or ten pupils. Terms \$3.00 per month. Eight lessons. july-29-tf.

"ASLEEP IN JESUS."

-Mr. D. E. Aycock, of Hender- Death of Miss Belle Williams in Harnett County last Wednesday.

The very sad news reached Oxford Wednesday July 28th that Miss Belle Williams, the sweet and idolized daughter of our greatly esteemed friend, Mr. R. S. Williams, was no icacies of a "Wedding Supper," and for Washington where he will buy more having passed away after three days illness, at the home of Mr. Wil--Mrs. J. K. Wood leaves today liams' mother in Harnett county, where she and her father were on a visit.

Indeed her almost sudden death was a shock to the many dear friends of the sweet girl in Oxford, who had learned to love her so tenderly. She -Mr. W. W. Knott, of Church was 13 years of age and attractive in person, and the ties which bound the the unity between father and daughter are now broken and her eyes that so often looked in tenderness and love upon her now heart broken father are now dim and closed in death, and her musical voice is

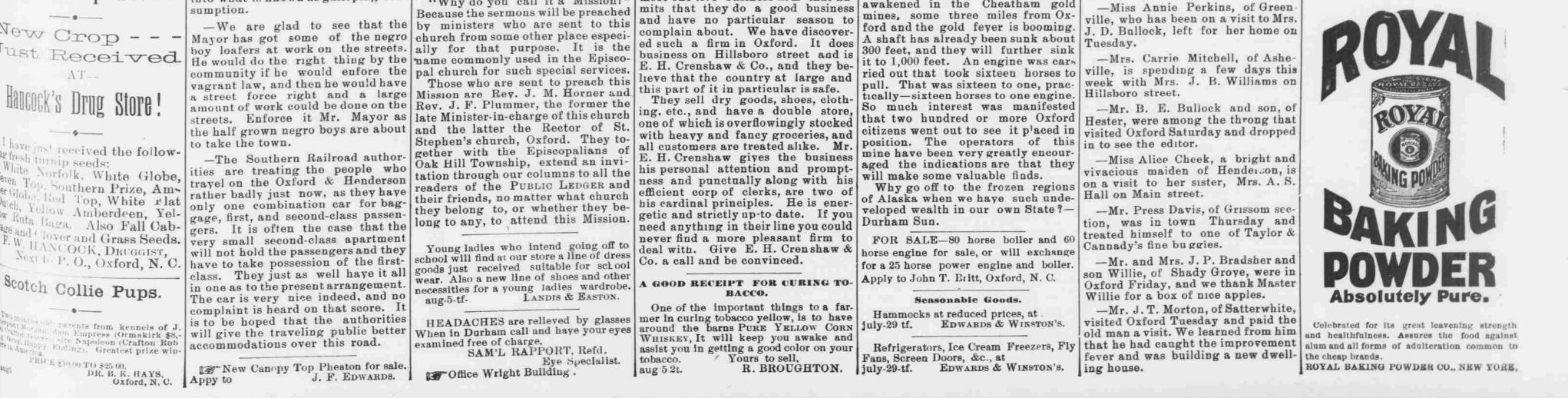
hushed till the resurrection morn. She was a member of the Metho-

dist church, and from the time of her conversion her life was that of a thoughtful, devout servant of her Lord and Savior, and loved to "Tell the story of Jesus and his love."

We learn she was always an obedient, faithful child, tender and companionable, and we must believe she -Wade H. Britt took in the splenis now nestling close by the side of her sainted mother in the Beautiful City, and roaming the Eden fields of Paradise with the dear Savior whom she loved with all the redeemed of Israel.

The remains reached Oxford Thursday evening and were taken next morning to Bank's, some 12 miles from Oxford, where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. H. a place with W. S. Clary of Rocky Tuttle in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends from Oxford and that section

of the county. The warmest sympathies of our people go out to the grief-stricken father and relatives in the great affliction which they have been called



A Busy Firm.

vival, then?" Yes, if you choose to boy what it has done for hundreds

time of the fiddle.

been present.

-Mr. J. A. Osborn has accepted Mount and left for that place Tuesday.

-Miss Sallie Davis, one of the ac-It was all in all a joyous affair and complished teachers at the Asylum is the editor would have liked to have on a visit to her mother at Greenshoro.

"It is a Protracted Meeting or Re- ful men. Can it not do for your friend, W. S. Lyon, was seen un