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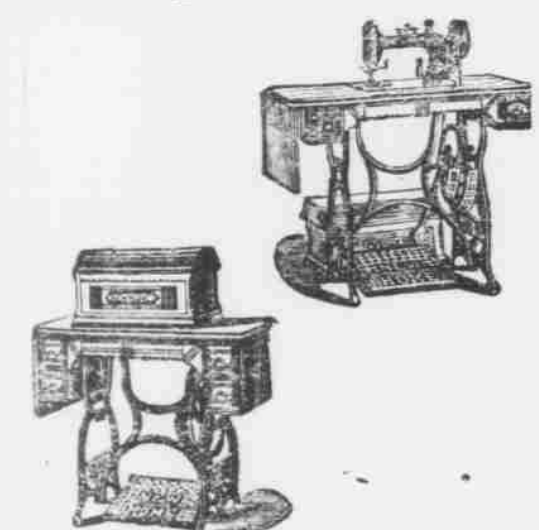
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Just opened in the store lately occupied by the Messrs. Knehrmer, on Main street, next door to Public Ledger office.

Being familiar with the wants of the public in any line in this section, having for several years had charge of the millinery department of Messrs. Long Brothers, my stock of

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And other FASHIONABLE NOVELTIES in all the latest styles were carefully selected in Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York City. My entire stock is new, varied and attractive—all of the latest and includes many beautiful and striking selections in imported and Domestic goods, ready made silk and cloth hats, superior collars, cuffs, and waists, mourning veils and mourning dresses, etc., etc. Also infants' caps and children's caps and jackets, a nice assortment. The ladies are cordially invited to see my fall and winter goods before making their purchases.

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THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.

NOVEMBER JOTTINGS.

SHORT-STOPS IN THE LOCAL LINE

Gathered and Condensed for the Eye of the Reader.

The Raleigh Masons will soon build a \$30,000 Temple.

Some people can inform others of our business better than we can ourselves.

Persons who are on pleasure bent too often find that they are no pleasure broke.

True politeness consists in treating others as you would care to be treated yourself.

With all this interest in foot ball is the query pertinent: What is the chief end of man?

How many good qualities we discover in a person as soon as he dies or comes into money.

The up-to-date schoolboy now gives an excuse for his naughtiness that he was hypnotized.

Eleven counties in Iowa have woman superintendents of public schools, and they fill the bill too.

A contemporary mentions the farmers as the country's best stockholders. As connected with the plow how about their being shareholders?

The world's births amount to 36,792,000 every year, 100,800 every day, 4,300 every hour, 70 every minute and one and a fraction every second.

A man will admit that his pretty child resembles his mother, but a bright one he always claims to take after him. Either way he is throwing bouquets at himself.

There was a notice a few days ago of the death of a physician, his end being suddenly reached by falling into a well. This should be a lesson to the whole medical profession to deal only with the sick and let the well alone.

It seems that the State Farmers' Alliance, which last year nearly ceased to exist, is now gaining rapidly in membership. It is asserted by members that in six months it will be doubled. In 1890 it had 105,000; last year hardly 5,000.

Mr. F. W. Hancock has gone to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York where he expects to buy the largest and most complete selection of toys and Christmas presents he ever had. He will tell you later through the columns of the PUBLIC LEDGER about his purchases.

Rev. Mr. Marsh, Baptist minister of Oxford, preached the funeral sermon of the late Mrs. S. J. Daniel, at Rock Springs church, on Sunday last. He also preached in the Baptist church here Sunday night. We have heard his sermon at night highly complimented.—Louisburg Times.

The High Point Enterprise mentions that in one township live four brothers, named Spencer, all over 80, and the elder in his 90th year. These four are useful citizens and in good health. The Asheboro Courier says there are many old people in Randolph. At a funeral in that county recently, it is said that all the pall bearers were 80 years old.

The Farmers Warehouse is still making a good record for its patrons. Ralph Carrin sold a load a few days ago for \$10, 7.75, 15.75, 32, 11, 7.75. Moses Robinson rolled in and walked off with \$50, 9, 25, 15, 37, 13.50, 5.80, which averaged \$16.50 net. Hester & Cobb scooped in \$6.30, 15.50, 30, 10, 7.25, 5.10. How does these prices strike you?

Sol Cooper and the old Minor Warehouse continues to make a fine record. Daniel Hughes captured there a few days ago \$17, 8, 37 and 30 E. Wheeler pocketed \$40, 35, 25, 10 and went home rejoicing. Skinner & Co. received \$32.50, 24.50, 16 and 7. There is nothing the matter with the above prices and shows what good tobacco will bring on the Oxford market.

While Mr. W. A. Parham Jr., on Thursday was feeding his gin he accidentally put his left hand in too far and got his fingers badly sawed, most of them to the bone. The wound was quite painful and received prompt medical attention. It is thought he will possibly lose one of his fingers, but his physician is using every means to save it. Mr. Parham is out attending to his business.

Dr. C. D. H. Fort and family left Tuesday for Wilson, and Mr. James Sharkey moved into the house and has become a citizen of Southerland. It is said there is already a movement on foot to defeat Mayor Bryant at the next election as Mr. Sharkey, Mr. Pete Bullock and Mr. Henry Roberts are quite anxious for pie and have formed a combination to choke Mayor Bryant off from the mayoralty pie counter.

The University Reserve Foot Ball Team and the Horner Military School played a very exciting game of ball Tuesday afternoon in Oxford on the grounds at the Barracks. The score was 10 to 6 in favor of the gallant Horner Team, and the game was pronounced to be the finest ever played in Oxford. It is said that Prof. Kenna made a fine record as a player. The PUBLIC LEDGER congratulates the boys upon winning such a glorious victory.

If you want to see the prettiest and finest boxed paper you ever saw, call in and see it at Hancock's Drug Store.

Mr. C. D. Osborn continues to add improvements to his home on Hillsboro street.

What is the matter with "Get There," of Oak Hill Township, as we have not heard from him lately?

Several of our boys went out possum hunting Monday night and put five of the tails of the grinning varmints in split sticks.

Dr. A. S. Atwater, of Knap of Reeds, was on Monday summoned to the bedside of his father, Congressman Atwater, in Chatham county.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Jones, of Culbreth, have sent out invitations in honor of the 20th anniversary of their marriage, Saturday, Nov. 11th, at 12 m.

We much regret to learn of the death of Mr. W. J. Walker at his home, near Green's, on the 6th inst., after a few days illness of typhoid pneumonia. He leaves a devoted wife, loving children, relatives and friends to mourn his death.

Rev. J. S. Hardaway, the much beloved pastor of the Baptist Church who delights in spreading the gospel, commenced a series of meeting Sunday night, and we trust he will be able to gather many sinners into the folds of Christ ere the meeting comes to an end.

Mr. Settle tells his Republican friends that the amendment will not disfranchise white men unless it is done by the Republicans themselves, and pertinently asks them if they intend to endeavor to bring this about. Neither Butler nor Pritchard have replied, says the Raleigh Post.

We hear the name of Dr. R. W. Hobgood, of Walnut Grove Township, prominently mentioned as a suitable man to succeed Mr. Joseph S. Royster as County Commissioner, who has recently become a citizen of Vance county. Of course we deeply regret to lose Mr. Royster as a Commissioner and citizen of Granville, and our loss is Vance's gain.

Dr. J. T. Gibbs, presiding elder of this district, held quarterly meeting with Bethel Church, Saturday and Sunday morning. Sunday night the distinguished divine occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church in Oxford and gave the congregation the benefit of one of his best sermons. Dr. Gibbs is quite popular in Oxford and Granville and we love to have him with us.

Oxford enjoyed good breaks of tobacco Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and the highest possible prices were reached by our warehousemen, the equal of any in the State. Our market continues to sustain its well earned reputation for highest averages all the year round and it is money in our farmers pocket to sell their tobacco on the Oxford market.

News reached this city Monday night of a tragedy that occurred at Roxboro that afternoon about 4 o'clock. John Bowes, white, and Daniel Lee, colored, had been wrestling. Bowes threw Lee, at which the latter, it seems, became incensed, for Lee pulled a pistol and fired at Bowes, the ball taking effect in his side and lodging near the surface of the back.—Durham Sun.

Hunt & Meadows, of the Farmers' Warehouse, never slack up in their efforts to reach the goal in high averages for their patrons as will be seen by the following: Hester & M. on Tuesday gobbled up \$5, 7.75, 15, 32, 36, 23, 11.50, 9.25, 9.50, 7.75, 7.25, and 5.80. H. O. Overton received \$6.10, 8.75, 22.50, 35, 10, 7.75, and 6.20. W. C. Daniel was on deck and captured \$4, 6.50, 5.90, 6.40, 8, 14.50, 34.50, 8.50, 5.10.

A weather prophet predicts that the coming winter will be a mild one for the following reasons: "The husks on the corn are thinner than usual, and this is taken as a sure indication of warm weather until late in the winter. Birds that go south with the first approach of winter have begun repairing their nests built this spring, showing they will stay in this region until late in the fall. The fur of the chipmunk and squirrel, which is heavy just previous to hard winter is found to be thin."

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction has received another amusing letter regarding a public school. It is the teacher who writes it. He says the boys who are pupils refuse to leave the wood for the fire in the school house, and that the trustees uphold the boys and say it is the duty of a teacher to cut the wood. The teacher wants to know if this is so. The State Superintendent assures him that it is a new requirement, one of which no one in North Carolina has ever before heard. The times must surely be "out of joint."

It is to be hoped that our capitalists have at last concluded to stop building a factory on paper, and stop chasing phantoms and do something to build up and push Oxford forward. Simply because some of them are making tremendous dividends in bank stock they should remember that if Oxford decreases in population and trade that their bank profits will also decrease, and hence it is to the interest of all and all ought to foster and encourage any and all enterprises that tend to build up Oxford instead of throwing cold water on them as indicated by Mr. de Lacroix in last week's PUBLIC LEDGER.

Rheumacide is not recommended for the cure of every ill; it does not cure everything. But it is a certain cure for rheumatism, and is a fine blood purifier and laxative; try it.

Mrs. Currin of the Osborn House is now running her own hack from the depot.

The walls of the new Methodist church have assumed good proportions, and the trimmings are of white marble.

Register of Deeds John B. Mayes issued only 137 marriage licenses up to the first of November, which shows that people of Granville are not keeping up with doubled blessedness.

We call attention to the advertisements of Dr. G. T. Sikes, administrator, F. P. Hobgood, Jr., commissioner and T. G. Boddie Mortgagee, in this issue of the PUBLIC LEDGER.

Hon. George W. Sanderlin, formerly State Auditor, died at a Sanatorium in Baltimore, Nov. 8th, and the remains taken to Raleigh for interment. He was at one time one of the ablest Baptist divines in North Carolina.

The largest break of tobacco known in this State occurred at Wilson Nov. 2nd, when 400,000 pounds were sold and brought \$30,000. That was a great day for our Granville boys in the warehouse business in that thriving town.

The law requires that the bonds of county officers shall be filed with the State Auditor; that of the register of deeds by the clerk, and those of the clerk and sheriff by the register of deeds. The Auditor is asked whether there is any compensation allowed for such filing and says no.

Chief Clerk Denmark, of the State Treasury, has prepared a statement showing the receipts for the eleven months ending October 1st to have been \$1,350,670. The balance on hand November 1st last was \$185,799. Disbursements during the eleven months were \$1,473,391. The balance on hand is \$85,559, of which \$58,485 is from the proceeds of the sale of bonds to pay the old debts of the penitentiary, leaving a net balance of \$40,074. From the sale of the penitentiary debt bonds \$120,202 was realized and \$61,712 of debts are paid to date.

The Chatham Record well says: "Of course an editor or paper may oppose or advocate the suffrage amendment without being bribed or bought, but it is openly charged and generally believed that the editor of the Asheville Gazette and his paper have been bought to oppose it. This is the only instance that we can recall in North Carolina where an editor and his paper have been publicly charged with being bought to oppose or advocate any proposition that is to be voted on." And yet such a paper is being extensively circulated throughout the State for the purpose of influencing honest men!

A very sensational divorce case has just closed in Raleigh, and the details have made much matter, disgusting matter, for the press. It is a shocking state of affairs when the depravity and inhumanity of a man is spread before the public, and a modest, refined, confiding woman has to go through the ordeal of such a proceeding. We agree with the Raleigh Post that "there should be adopted in this State a method different from the present in hearing and determining divorce cases." The public, and many private reputations would be saved the shame and possible injury attendant upon trials as now conducted in this State.—Durham Sun.

One of the Democratic leaders in the Legislature speaking of the decision in the railroad tax assessment case, says the Legislature will certainly meet next June and that he supposes the act creating the corporation commission will be so amended as to give the commission authority to assess railroad property for taxation, independent of any provision in the machinery act. Of course railroads can even then appeal to the Federal Court for an injunction, but in granting it the court will have to reflect upon the wisdom of sincerity of the corporation commission. There will then be no room to decide that the commission has not the power to assess such property.

Mr. Joseph S. Royster, of Bullock, who has served the people of the county with much credit as a member of the Board of County Commissioners, has resigned as he has recently become a citizen of Vance, having located at Townsville. On account of his resignation the Magistrates of Granville county are called to meet in the Court House in the town of Oxford, Monday Dec. 4th, to elect his successor. The PUBLIC LEDGER thinks his successor should be chosen from Walnut Grove or Oak Hill townships as the other townships are represented in the county government, provided suitable gentlemen for commissioner are not under the awful band of being "too strong a Democrat" to hold office regardless of the unceasing work they have done to perpetuate Democracy and a white man's government in dear old North Carolina.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm Cures Others Why Not You?

My wife has been using Chamberlain's Pain Balm, with good results, for a lame shoulder that has pained me continually for nine years. We have tried all kinds of medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit from any of them. One day we saw an advertisement of the medicine and thought of trying it, which we did with the best satisfaction. She has used only one bottle and her shoulder is almost well.—Addie L. Millett, Manchester, N. H. For sale by J. G. Hall Druggist.

THE COUNTY DADS.

They Met Monday and Transacted Routine Business.

Chairman C. F. Crews, J. A. Bullock, L. H. Moss and W. H. Waller were around the table in the Commissioners room, with the pleasant and agreeable John Mayes, recording the proceedings while Capt. T. D. Clement, his valuable assistant, held down the Register of Deeds office with his usual care and ability.

Chairman Crews at once started the rebate mill and several dropped into the slot with rebates allowed.

It was ordered that Hamp Mitchell be allowed to go to the Poor House.

Ordered that Janie Crews and Bettie Evans be placed on the outside paper list at \$1.00 per month.

Mr. F. M. Blackley, of Brassfield Township, presented his official bond for Constable and the same was approved and ordered recorded and filed.

In settlement with J. R. Buchanan, Superintendent of Aged Home and Infirmary it was found that the county was due him for October \$137.50, and ordered that the clerk issue an order for the same.

Mr. J. S. Royster having removed from the county tenders his resignation as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Granville county the same is accepted, and the clerk of the Board is directed to notify the Justice of the Peace to meet in Oxford on the first Monday in December, 1899, for the purpose of electing a member of said Board of Commissioners to succeed J. S. Royster resigned.

Sheriff S. A. Fleming reported the following taxes collected for month of October: Unlisted taxes \$17.15; State \$18.98; Listed \$992.50; General county \$1,370.96; Railroad, \$182; School \$1,480.08.

After allowing quite a number of claims against the county the Board adjourned.

AN IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE.

To make it apparent to thousands, who think themselves ill that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort home to their hearts, as a costive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by Dr. J. C. Williams, Co. only, and sold by all druggists.

Thanksgiving.

Governor Russell has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation. In it he says that "Whereas, The people of the republic have long been accustomed to set apart one day in each year as a day for public thanksgiving and rejoicing for the blessings of liberty and the gracious care of divine Providence, and, Whereas, The year through which we have just passed has been one characterized by great industrial and civic prosperity; and,

"Whereas, It is fitting and proper that the people should turn aside from their usual employment and render thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God, for His manifold blessings to them," he appoints November 30th as a day of public and general thanksgiving, and recommends that at the services held upon that day thus set apart, the people endeavor to remember their less fortunate fellow citizens who are dependent for the comforts of life upon the benefactions of public and private charity, by contributing of their means for the assistance of those unfortunates.

High Averages Made at Farmers Warehouse, Durham.

The following sales were made at the Farm rs warehouse, Durham, N. C.: T. Pool, 60 pounds at \$9, 24 lbs \$20.50, 46 lbs \$18.75, 62 lbs \$19, 84 lbs \$20.25, 78 lbs at \$6.75; average \$12.35.

Post & Lyon 160 lbs \$9, 84 lbs \$11.25, 88 lbs \$7.75, 28 lbs \$20, 120 lbs \$12.75, 120 lbs at \$8, 24 lbs at \$4, 70 lbs at \$4.50; average \$9.40.

Mitchell & Lyon sold 52 lbs at \$35, 94 lbs at \$30, 158 lbs at \$11, 76 lbs at \$5, 40 lbs at \$5, 90 lbs at \$6, 110 lbs at \$10, 100 at \$12.25, 66 lbs at \$6.25; average \$13.02.

W. B. Wagstaff sold 14 lbs at \$5, 26 lbs at \$5, 58 lbs at \$10, 104 lbs at \$20, 218 lbs at \$35, 126 lbs at \$11, 102 lbs at \$7.50, 66 lbs at \$7; average \$18.16.

Sam Batchelor 33 lbs at \$12, 52 lbs \$35, 46 lbs \$40, 46 lbs \$15, 110 lbs at \$10, 56 lbs at \$17.50, 50 lbs at \$9.50, 64 lbs at \$6, 50, 140 lbs at \$6; average \$14.65.

L. J. Council sold 30 lbs at \$5, 44 lbs at \$2.84, 34 lbs at \$22.50, 30 lbs at \$27.50, 73 lbs at \$8, 76 lbs at \$6; average \$12.77.

Duncan & Howard sold 478 lbs for \$75. These are top averages and it is money in your pocket to try the Farmers Warehouse, Durham, with your next load.

If you don't try you never will learn promises you top market prices and their personal attention for your to bacco.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters'; and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of an other victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed, at J. G. Hall's Drug Store.

Turnip, Clover, Grass and other seeds at Hancock Drug Store.

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ACROSS THE THRESHOLD.

YOU KNOW SOME, BUT NOT ALL.

They Will Come and Go All the Same.

Mrs. B. F. Hester, of near Berea, was on our streets Friday.

Mr. Daniel Marrow, of Townsville, was in Oxford Friday.

Mrs. John Paris enjoyed Sunday with relatives in Henderson.

Mr. J. W. Winston, of Adoniram, visited Oxford Tuesday.

Mr. George Collins, of Hillsboro, was an Oxford visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parham, of near Oxford, were in town Thursday.

Capt. Wade H. Britt spent Saturday and Sunday in Washington City.

Mr. John D. Williams, of Fairport, was our streets Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Edward Cannady has gone to Baltimore and entered a business college.

Mr. R. Broughton spent Monday and Tuesday at his farm near Chase City, Va.

The handsome J. W. Whitfield, of Creedmoor, was on our streets Wednesday.

Miss Olive Joyner, of Baltimore, is visiting Misses Mary and Nellie Currin on High Street.

Mr. H. O. Furman, the veteran drug tourist, spent a few days with his family the past week.

The pleasant W. P. Lyon, of Wilton, was in Oxford Wednesday and called to see the editor.

Miss Dorethea Coggeshall left yesterday for Washington City to spend the winter with her aunt.

Mr. T. W. Winston returned Friday from a visit to his aged and greatly beloved mother at Selma.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Sanderford, of Creedmoor, were among the numerous visitors to Oxford Monday.

Messrs. T. C. Rogers and J. W. Lawrence, of Wilton; L. Elliott, of Cornwell, were on the large break of tobacco Friday.

Mrs. R. V. Wade and Miss Lela Thomasson, of Stem, were in Oxford Monday, and the editor enjoyed a visit from them.

Mrs. Thos. H. Briggs, of Raleigh, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove, on the corner of High and Raleigh streets.

The editor had the great pleasure of meeting in town Monday Miss Hettie Woody, one of the bright little gems of the Dexter section.

Mr. Eugene Morris, of Wilton, who has been quite sick for some days is much pleased to learn is much better today, Wednesday.

Messrs. J. S. Eakes, of Cornwell, James Walters, of Stem, and W. C. Peed and Vick W. Allen, of Hargrove, visited Oxford Monday.

Mr. T. D. Waller was in Chase City, Va., Wednesday. He will leave in a few days for Roland, Robeson county, to engage in the lumber business again.

The editor was much pleased, to meet in his office Monday Messrs. J. E. Duncan, of Stem, and A. S. Carrington, Jr., of Hampton, and F. M. Blackley, of Wilton.

The pleasant and agreeable Dr. G. T. Sikes, the popular physician of Grissom, joined the throng in Oxford Monday, and the editor was glad to receive a visit from him.

Miss Carrie Skinner, the attractive young lady of the Telephone Exchange, is taking a vacation, and will visit Weldon, Wilson and Smithfield before she returns home.

Mr. W. W. Adeock, of Buchanan, was in town Monday on business and called on the editor who bears the distinguished honor of being "too strong a Democrat" for Democrats he has advocated as fit representatives of the people.

Mr. Charley Gregory, of Kinston, enjoyed Sunday in Oxford, and his friends were glad to clasp his fingers. It was a pleasure to the editor to learn that the Oxford Colony were still sustaining their high reputation and were numbered among the progressive citizens of that wide-awake eastern town.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Alken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, and organ of the body. It weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by J. G. Hall, Druggist.

Machine and Stock for Sale.

All the farming utensils, machinery and stock belonging to the late John F. Cannady will be sold at the home place, near Wilton, on Saturday, Nov. 25th, 1899. This will be a good opportunity for those in need of anything of the kind to secure them.

MARY C. CANNADY.

The Farmers Warehouse in Durham is making things lively and ask you to read a few averages made Thursday and Friday in another column.

Meadows, Council and Cozart, Durham are remodeling their friends of old times when they sell tobacco on their warehouse floor.

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Growing and join in and help build up your town and county. All we need is to pull together, and success will be our reward.

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Safeguards the food against alum.
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Oxford Flourish the Death of Estimable Woman.

The editor of the Durham Sun writes tenderly of the death of Mrs. Hundley as follows:

"The passing away from earth of the sweet and noble soul that many hundreds loved, as Mrs. Bettie Spencer Hundley, wife of Wm. Shields Hundley, of Oxford, on Wednesday morning from the effects of a carbuncle, leaves a gap that will not