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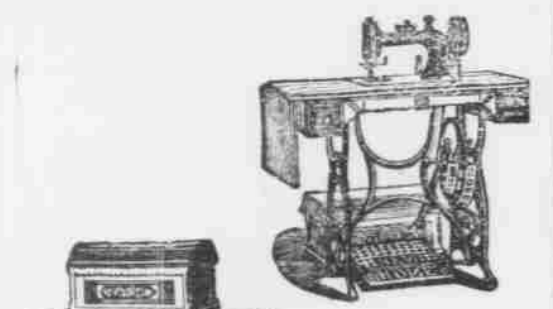
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Just opened in the store lately occupied by the Misses Krabhammer, on Main street, next door to the Public Ledger office. Being familiar with the wants of the public in my line in this section, having for several years past had charge of the millinery department of Messrs. Long Brothers, my stock of

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Reliable persons of a mechanical or inventive mind will be given a free trip to Paris Exposition, with good accommodations, on the 15th of December, 1899. The PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md.

NOVEMBER JOTTINGS.

SHORT-STOPPS IN THE LOCAL LINE

Gathered and Condensed for the Eye of the Reader.

—Dr. J. B. Williams is having his house painted.

—Mrs. John Paris boasts of the handsome chrysanthemums in Oxford.

—Master Josiah Cannady, who has been quite sick for ten days, we are pleased to learn is much better.

—Mr. John M. Meadows, who has been confined at home for several months, is able to be out again to joy of his friends.

—Bishop Cheshire will preach at St. Stephen's Episcopal church on Sunday morning Nov. 26th, and administer the Right of Confirmation.

—Mr. C. D. Osborn has finished remodeling to some extent his residence on Hillsboro street and will be in the hands of the painters next week.

—It was a real pleasure to the editor to see Mrs. Hays, who has been sick for some time, out walking Monday afternoon accompanied by her faithful husband, Mr. John W. Hays.

—Granville Superior Court will convene in Oxford Monday with Judge Brown, the distinguished jurist, presiding. The criminal docket is very light and the civil cases number 18.

—The pretty Miss Gracie Clement now has charge of the organ at the Presbyterian church, and her graceful touch of the keys causes sweet volumes of music to roll out in perfect harmony from the large organ.

—Farmer E. W. Jones came in from Poverty Hill Monday afternoon, and wanted to know the price of cotton. He is the largest cotton farmer of his section and is able to hold his staple until it reaches the 9 cent mark.

—Rev. E. A. Osborne, of Charlotte, who has recently held a series of services in St. Peter's church, Stovall, with great acceptance and success, will preach in St. Paul's church, Goschen, on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd.

—Mr. A. H. Prince, formerly in charge of the Orphan Asylum farm, but now in charge of Col. Beneham Cameron's farm at Stagville, spent Sunday with Farmer E. W. Jones, of Poverty Hill, and was nicely entertained as Mrs. Jones knows how to get up a tempting bill of fare.

—Rev. J. B. Cheshire, D. D., Bishop of North Carolina will preach in St. Peter's church, Stovall, on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 11 A. M., and in St. Paul's church, Goschen, on Thursday, Nov. 23, at the same hour. All persons are cordially invited to attend all these services.

—The latest from the front is that the Cotton Factory has ceased to hum on paper, and that the Shirt Factory has not yet been collared by the moped men of Oxford. The scheme is still being culled around, but not enough warmth has been put into the bosoms to polish it off.

—Oh, that our Town Dads in the goodness of their hearts would remember the poor neglected pedestrians who pay taxes before the bad weather sets in and fill some of the worst holes on the sidewalks! Almost any old thing would be acceptable in order to keep from plowing through mud in getting about town.

—It is now thought Mr. Sid Daniel's chances to be the next Mayor of Bryantown is exceedingly good, despite all the combinations the ring (of course every town has a ring) may form to defeat him. It is said that friend Daniel is referring with great pride to the brilliant record he made as mayor of Scuffletown one term.

—Who says the Oxford Tobacco Market is not a winner on high averages? Listen and read for yourself. At Farmer's Warehouse, run by the wide-away Hunt & Meadows, Friday Nov. 10th, 2,353 pounds averaged \$21.80; one half of break averaged \$12.50, and the entire break from rotten trash up to fine wrappers averaged \$8.48.

—The revival meeting in the Baptist church conducted by the popular pastor, Rev. J. S. Hardaway, in creases in interest daily and will continue in the week. Each service is largely attended and a number have found pardon of their sins, while many lukewarm Christians have renewed their faith in the Great Ruler and will in future no doubt serve Him more faithfully.

—Rufe Knott continues to grow more popular with the farmers, and has in the Owen Warehouse one of the best in the State. D. W. Eakes sold a load of tobacco a few days ago at this house, for \$6,600, 8, 8.75, 29.50, J. F. Dean a load at \$7, 10.25, 24.50, 12.56, 6.90. G. Y. Parham one at \$6, 8.25, 29.50, 12 and 6. C. H. Burnett one at \$5, 7.50, 14, 31, 10.25 and 7. J. B. Hicks a load at \$6, 20, 17.10, 25, 20, 10 and 5.10.

Machinery 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.

Subscribe to the PUBLIC LEDGER.

—W. D. Lynch has received a lot of new jewelry, &c. He will tell you about it next week, so watch for his advertisement.

—We call attention to sale of house and lot in Oxford by Mr. W. L. Taylor, of Bullock, Trustee, in another column.

—Out of 27 new cotton mills chartered in North Carolina since Nov. 1st, 1898, we find not a one in Oxford except on paper.

—Read in another column administrators notice of A. A. Lyon who has administered on the estate of R. A. Lyon, deceased.

—We wish some wind Jerker would turn up just now and jerk some wind in a real factory for Oxford, as the frost has killed all those that have been started on paper.

—James Byrd sold a load of tobacco with Zack Lyon Tuesday and felt quite happy on receiving \$7, 35.50, 12.75, 7.75 and 6. Averaged \$23.30. Who says the Oxford market is not a hummer on high averages?

—All old veterans who are totally blind, has lost both feet or hands in the war between the States can get a pension of \$120 per year by appearing before the county commissioners, Clerk and Sheriff with proper proof.

—Mr. W. L. Mitchell's name is being prominently mentioned in connection with the vacant County Commissionership, and if he should be selected by the magistrates to succeed Mr. Joe Koyster he will certainly make a capital commissioner.

—Mr. D. E. Aycock, of Henderson, was in Oxford Wednesday, and called to see the editor. We were exceedingly sorry to learn that a case of small pox was near the suburbs of the town, but it was thoroughly isolated and no danger of spreading.

—Sol. Cooper moves around in a quiet way but he makes prices at Minor Warehouse sing a song of gladness for all grades. L. D. Hockaday sold a load Tuesday at \$10 50, 27.50, 35.50 and 4.10. W. Alston also received for a load \$6 60, 24.50, 12.50 and 4.60.

—The Greensboro Mutual Insurance Co. has proved a great benefit to the people of the State. This home company did not believe in trying to make it all out of the people at once and gave them a low rate and has become a strong company. They forced the Southeastern Tariff Association a few days ago to reduce their rate 25 per cent. This company should be liberally patronized by North Carolina people.

—You can get ready for the Bazaar at the ladies of the Episcopal church have arranged a very entertaining program. Romeo and Juliet Bazaar scene will be presented under the direction of Miss Bettie Jordan. Choice music under the skillful direction of Mrs. John Booth will prove very entertaining, and after the feast of love and music to thrill the soul, refreshments will be served to supply the wants of the inner man.

—Bullock & Mitchell continues to do business at the same old stand, but has a keen eye always on the lookout for the farmers interest as they were once farmers themselves. They use their very best efforts to realize the highest averages on all kinds of crops placed on their floor. W. E. Suit give them a trial and received \$8.50, 20, 31, 12.75, 7. B. E. Moss did likewise and placed in his inside pocket \$6.70, 10.25, 20.50, 30, 10.75, 6.50.

—Farmers Warehouse is making a fine record, as will be seen from the following sales made last Friday by Messrs. Hunt & Meadows: A. E. Bobbitt sold 502 pounds at \$40.50, 25, 13, 10.50, 6.10. S. Average \$20.781. J. F. Wesver sold 412 pounds at an average of \$12 per hundred. Z. M. Overton stepped up and sold 470 pounds at an average of \$15 per hundred. P. P. Cannady concluded he would see if he could not do a little better and scooped in an average of \$16.31 per hundred on 404 pounds barn round. E. B. Robinson was the next man and Graham Hunt reached \$15 per hundred for his load. Everybody was greatly pleased at the sales.

—As the heavenly meteors did not appear Tuesday night six of the earthly stars did, and were gathered in by Policeman Wheeler. Six of our boys concluded they would not let the watchers be disappointed, in seeing the "shooting" meteors and provided themselves with a lot of sky rockets and between 12 and 1 o'clock commenced to send them up. Policeman Wheeler let them finish the job up in good style and quietly walked up, complimented the boys for the great success they had won, and requested them to report to the Mayor for breaking the law. Of course his appearance was like a brilliant meteor that had struck the earth with great force.

How's This! We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHERNEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TEAL, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKER, KIRKMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

—Rev. J. T. B. Hoover has purchased the Holloway dwelling on Raleigh Street.

—Representative negroes of Georgia memorialize the legislature not to pass the new election bill.

—Supposing flowers have a language they may be said to talk big in the season's chrysanthemum.

—Hanna in words to that effect, says he fought for his country in Ohio, and the postmasters may add that he also "bled" for it.

—Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen were quietly married at St. Paul's Catholic church in Washington City, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

—The Teachers of the Public Schools well remember that Col. F. P. Hobgood, School Examiner, will examine teachers on Saturday, the 18th instant.

—A Christian Science kindergarten has been established in Stamford, Conn. This ought to forestall any scheme to organize a soothing syrup and paregoric trust.

—Prosperity no doubt helped the Republican result in Ohio, and if all accounts are true lots of voters must have the money to show for it, as Hanna's trust barrel was on tap.

—Every day last week the backbone of our country—the farmers—crowded our streets marketing tobacco, and many good averages were realized wherever good tobacco was shown.

—Mr. J. B. Newton, of Hargrove, was among the visitors to town Friday and laid on our table two of the largest turkeys we have seen this season, the largest weighing seven pounds.

—Messrs. A. S. Peace & Co., Real Estate Agents, are having a great war on the part of the State in Illinois and the west who wish to come to North Carolina, and if you have any lands to sell call and see them.

—Three of the boys at the Orphan Asylum got tired of discipline and walked off one evening last week, thinking they would not be missed, but they were and overhauled at Stew, and brought back extremely light diet must have been their fate.

—Messrs. James Powell and C. J. Cooper are really the champion bird hunters this season. On Thursday they went out hunting with Mr. John Henry Meadows as pilot and bagged 96 partridges and one rabbit. The question now arises who can beat it?

—A Kansas lie. Ears of corn as saw logs! Three of them chained to a wagon make a load for two heavy horses; each kernel as large as an ink bottle and five of them would make a meal of mush for a family. This is the story that comes from Kansas.

—Prof. Parkard, of Pine Bluff, Anderson county, visited Raleigh and told of a scrap, in other words, a regular out-and-out battle between an editor and his wife. It appears that it was about a pair of shoes. The wife appears to have won, for she held possession of the premises.

—Mr. Robt Hart, the fine auctioneer at the Owen Warehouse, continues to make a good record, as he uses every effort to secure the last red cent on a pile of tobacco for his farmer friends and seeks their patronage at the Owen Warehouse where Wulfmott will do his level best to satisfy them.

—The fourth class postmasters—of whom there are about 75,000 throughout the country—are supposed to be forming a lobby to secure from the coming Congress a bill giving them better pay. They want the minimum compensation to be \$100 a year instead of an amount based on the number of stamp sold.

—The sales of leaf tobacco at our five large Warehouses since our last issue have been very large, and sales were carried on even Saturday and Monday. We notice that prices have greatly advanced on fine wrappers, and good ones are gobbled up at from \$20 to \$40.50 per hundred by our buyers. The Oxford market continues to sustain its reputation not only as the best bright tobacco market but for all grades in this section of North Carolina.

—Mr. Wetmore, of Fayetteville, who is not only a lawyer, but an inventor of a noted family, is having made at the Agricultural and Mechanical College a model of his latest invention, the purpose of which is to automatically stop a particular spindle the thread of which breaks in a cotton mill. At present the whole machine automatically stops when a thread breaks, but by means of this invention all the other spindles keep on at work and only the one affected stops.

—All of us who write are doubtless guilty of some funny lapses, but we have seen none funnier in a good while than that shown in the following sentence from Representative Linney's letter: "An unconstitution law is the tooth that may pierce and poison the vital spark in the body politic." The idea of a tooth piercing a spark is altogether a new one. The distinguished and usually accurate Representative of the eighth district has mixed his metaphors.—Charlotte Observer.

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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 the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all druggists.

DEATH OF MR. E. N. CREWS.

One of Our Truest and Best Citizens Suddenly Taken Hence.

Many hearts were made sad in Oxford and Granville county Monday when the announcement was made at noon that the most highly esteemed, Mr. Ed N. Crews, of Salem, was no more. He was one of Granville's most substantial citizens, and as a farmer, perhaps had no superior and but few peers, and delighted in giving some of his best service to his church.

He possessed an open, frank, honest disposition and a warm heart, ever striving to do good and benefit mankind, especially those who needed assistance. He was a Methodist in every fibre of his generous heart, and believed in its doctrines and clung to its faith and always contributed largely to the support of the Salem church.

He gave willing service in all church work, and may his example arouse greater zeal among those of his brethren left behind, causing renewed activity in the Master's service.

Mr. Crews was a warm friend of the editor and we shall miss his friendly greeting and encouraging words. We honored and respected him as he was a plain and practical gentleman in every sense of the word, and truly one of the staunchest friends the PUBLIC LEDGER had in the county.

Sleep on, esteemed friend the sunlight of God's everlasting love sent death's shadows which silently crept across your face and your soul has passed upwards through the golden clouds to join the Heavenly Host in the Paradise of God.

He was nearing his 75th mile post in life journey, and had been on the verge of the grave several times during the past year on account of dropsy, and died suddenly setting on the side of the bed. He leaves behind a loving wife, meet, wide in declining health, many relatives, neighbors and friends to whom we sincerely extend our warmest condolences, and beg them to realize that 'tis sin that makes so bitter the thoughts of death, and that our dear friend has passed.

Out of the shadows of sadness, Into the sunshine of gladness, Into the light of the best; Out of a land very dreary, Out of the world very weary Into the rapture of rest. Out of a life ever mournful, Out of a land very mournful, Wherein bleak exile we roam, Into a joy-land above us, Where there's a Father to love him Into his home—"Sweet Home."

On Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock a very large and sad funeral procession wended its way from his hospitable home to Salem church where an immense concourse of friends and neighbors had assembled to pay the last tribute to one whom they loved, admired and esteemed. His greatly beloved pastor, Rev. Kenneth Holmes, after the singing of beautiful hymns, paid a splendid tribute to the memory of the deceased, at the close of which the casket was borne from the church by the pall bearers to the "silent city of the dead" within the shadow of the church, where a new made grave awaited the coming of all that was mortal of the lamented Mr. E. N. Crews, who was quickly hidden by a shower of beautiful flowers and beneath them in peaceful sleep reposed the beloved form of one of Granville's most highly esteemed citizens. There was in attendance upon the sad rites a large number of citizens of Oxford and Henderson, as in both towns Mr. Crews had many warm personal friends.

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 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.—Adolph L. Millett, Manchester, N. H. For sale by J. G. Hall Druggist.

Personal. Mr. J. Corwin Mabey, of Montclair, N. J., who is out at Stephen H. Jones' hunting come to Oxford Sunday to worship in the St. Stephen's Episcopal church, and the large attendance upon the services was glad to come. Mr. Mabey joined the choir, and possessing a highly cultivated and superb baritone voice made the services more beautiful and grand. During the offertory he artistically rendered Shelley's "Resurrection" which was pronounced by competent musical critics to be the best they have had the exquisite pleasure of listening to in years. Mrs. Lassiter played his accompaniments with good taste which characterized all her musical work. On Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. Mabey were in the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams on Hillsboro street.

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. aug 20.

ACROSS THE THRESHOLD.

YOU KNOW SOME, BUT NOT ALL. They Will Come and Go All the Same.

—General B. S. Royster spent Monday in Raleigh.

—Mrs. J. T. Cozart, of Carleton, was on our streets Friday.

—Dr. R. W. Hobgood, of Sunset, was on our streets Monday.

—Col. C. M. Rogers spent last week at his home in Oxford.

—Mrs. C. H. Parham, who has been ill, is rapidly recovering.

—Dr. B. K. Hays and Mr. A. A. Hicks were in Durham Friday.

—Mr. A. A. Lyon, of Lyon, was on our streets Saturday afternoon.

—Mr. John Paris spent Sunday afternoon with his aunt near Clarksville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smith, of Tar River, were Oxford visitors Saturday.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Bryan are on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crews at Tar River.

—Mr. T. D. Waller has gone to Roland again to engage in the lumber business.

—Mr. S. R. Howard, of Sunset, was in town Tuesday and called to see the editor.

—Mr. F. Slate, of Halifax county, Va., visited Mr. J. D. Brooks several days the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hester and two little daughters, of Hester, visited Oxford Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cannady, of Mt. Enery, were among the shoppers in Oxford Friday.

—Mr. Thos. Fleming, the capital young farmer of Creedmore section, was on our streets Tuesday.

—Mr. J. L. Parham, of near Oxford, was in town Saturday and called to see the editor on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Paschall, of Middleburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Carrie Wilder on Raleigh Street.

—Mr. J. M. Sikes, of Greensboro, was in Oxford Friday and Saturday shaking hands with his old friends.

—Mr. W. H. Rogers, of Durham, spent Thursday, with his son, Mr. Winston Rogers, at the Orphan Asylum.

—Mr. T. G. Dean, of Ingleside, was on our streets Monday morning, and we were pleased to meet him in our office.

—Mr. F. W. Hancock has returned from New York where he purchased a choice line of holiday goods.

—Editor Will X. Coley, of the Orphans Friend, returned Friday from visit to the Western part of the State.

—The pleasant Zeb Yeargan, of Mt. Enery, was on the break of tobacco Tuesday, and called on the editor.

—Miss Eva Jones, who has been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lonnie Smith, returned to her home in La Grange Friday.

—Mr. W. A. Parham, of Watkins, spent last week in Greenville and Winston, and reports the Granville boys doing well.

—Prof. Jack Howard, the splendid teacher at Tar River Academy, was an Oxford visitor Saturday and called on the PUBLIC LEDGER.

—Mr. F. H. Hoover, Senator Butler's Secretary, visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. B. Hoover, in Oxford several days the past week.

—Miss Blanche Murcherson, the fine music teacher at the Henderson Female School, was the guest of Mrs. John Paris Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. J. A. Taylor, who has had a hard fight with a case of bilious fever for four weeks, is able to be about the house, we are glad to learn.

—Our talented young lawyer, Mr. Willie Devin, attended the marriage of Miss Douglas in Greensboro Wednesday. He returned to Oxford Saturday.

—Messrs. Hight and Burnett, of Spring Lake, N. J., are at Mr. Willie Thorpe's hunting birds, and we hope their stay in Granville will be very pleasant.

—Messrs. A. F. Smith, of Tar River Academy; E. T. Husketh, of Wilton; J. A. Duncan, of Berea; J. R. Wilson, of Dexter; W. J. Mitchell, of Wilton; W. H. Howard, of Sunset, were in Oxford Friday.

—Mr. W. A. Adams, who is doing well in Darlington, S. C., and who we have always regretted moving his tobacco business away from Oxford, was on a visit to his family Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Dr. Benny Hester, son of Rev. W. S. Hester, of Salem, and Mrs. Hester, left yesterday for Mexico to engage in Missionary work, and the best wishes of numerous friends follow them to their new field of labor.

ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar. Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

—Dr. I. H. Davis was in Roxboro Monday and Tuesday on business.

—Mr. Billman Cannady was in Franklinton Monday on business.

—Miss Nannie Tarry, of Mecklenburg county, Va., is visiting Mrs. E. T. Rawlins on Main street.

—Mrs. Plummer Jones and son, of Vance county, are visiting Mrs. Jno. Paris on College street.

—Mr. W. H. Hunt and children have returned from a months visit to relatives in Bertie county.

—The Editor was much pleased to see in Oxford a few days ago Mr. Edgar Crews, of Hester, who was so badly hurt some two months ago. He is still suffering to some extent, but we hope he will be fully restored in a few weeks.

—Mr. Al Daniel, one of Henderson's clever citizens, is now numbered among our exceedingly clever corps of tobacco buyers, and the PUBLIC LEDGER welcomes him to our market with the hope that he will make money by his coming.

—Our highly esteemed farmer friend Mr. John Cawthorn, of Wilton, was numbered with the visitors to Oxford Tuesday and we had the pleasure of shaking his warm hand. We regretted to learn that his most estimable lady had received a fall hurting her right badly, but happy to hear that she was much better.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa. Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known