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T. W. JACKSON & CO'S
To-Day.

- 10 CASES Sweet Florida Oranges just opened. This fruit is thoroughly ripe and sweet.
- 2 CASES Extra Fancy Aspenwall Bananas. One of the best shipments we have received this season.
- 1 BBL. Fancy Malaga Grapes. Large bunches, and Fine, Plump Fruit.
- 1 CASE Extra Fancy Messina Lemons. Something nice and will give satisfaction.
- 6 BBLs. Ben Davis' Apples. The finest we ever saw. Try them. They will suit you.
- 26 CASES Milward-Cliff Cracker Co.'s Lunch-Milk, Graham, Cream Spray, Mushroom, Kilo Knac and XX Soda crackers opened to day.
- 100 LBS. Fancy Layer Figs, Raisins, Dates, Nuts, etc.

Oxford Bakery and Candy Factory.

Hendon Block 3. Oxford, N. C.

—GRANVILLE—

Female Institute!

OXFORD, N. C.

Spring session will begin Jan. 22, 1890. Instruction thorough in every department. The Director of Music is a graduate of the New England Conservatory, Boston. Special attention is given to voice culture and sight singing. Pianos and Organs are new and are kept in good order by yearly contracts with the best tuner with Huger, Mitchell & Co., Richmond, Va.

No paper received for less than a term, and no reductions made except for sickle fees. Terms lower than those of most schools offering same advantages. For further information, apply to

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

10 town lots.—Very desirable building sites.

27 Acres of Land.—Within less than one mile from the courthouse. This land is partially in original growth, the balance good farming land. This is a rare chance for a bargain. Call on

FIELD & ROYSTER.

SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT IN OXFORD.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court, I shall, on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1890, offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction at the courthouse door in Oxford, the house and lot of land owned by the late Mrs. Mary B. Taylor at the time of her death, and formerly owned by Rufus Knott. It is situated in Oxford, on the street leading towards Kittrell, adjoining the lots of R. R. Best, Thos. G. Taylor and D. A. Hunt, is 51 feet front on said street, 99 feet wide at the rear, and runs back from said street 150 feet. The dwelling is a neat cottage of four rooms, in good condition, with all necessary outbuildings.

Terms: One-third cash, the balance in twelve months, with eight per cent. interest from date.

JOHN W. HAYS,
Ex'r. of Mrs. Mary B. Taylor.
December 25, 1889.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Charles Turner and wife, registered in Book 28, Page 307, I shall on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1890, expose to sale at public auction, at the courthouse door in Oxford, the two lots of land described in said deed, situated near the town of Oxford, on the south side of the road to Kittrell, adjoining the lands of Dr. C. D. H. F. R. Payton Brandon, Davis & Gregory and others, containing eleven acres, it being the lot of land purchased by said C. J. Turner of R. W. Lassiter, Jr., and wife. Terms cash.

J. M. CURRIN, Trustee.
Dec. 25, 1889.

NORTH CAROLINA, SUPERIOR COURT.

Granville County, Dec. 16, 1889.

Henderson Smith:

Will take notice that he is sued for divorce in the above court from the bonds of matrimony. He will appear at Oxford, at Court House, on 5th Monday before 1st Monday in March, 1890, and answer complaint of Annie Smith, his wife.

R. W. LASSITER, C. S. C.
GRAHAM & WINSTON, ATTYS.

NOTICE.

It has been ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Granville county that no orders for money be issued to any person who has been returned as insolvent tax payer, and those who buy such claims do so at their own risk.

T. D. WALLER,
Chairman Bd. Co. Com'rs.

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS SERVED IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

Minor Events, Retrospective and Prospective, Gathered About the City By Our Alert Reporters.

The tobacco market is very active this week.

The wind has changed again, and warm weather will resume its sway.

The electric lights went out in the early part of last night, and were not turned on again in several hours.

There was a light snow fall at a late hour last night, but no trace was to be seen this morning.

Mr. E. Damsburg, of Smithfield, N. C., has opened a branch store here in Hendon Block No. 2, on College street.

Mr. Job Osborn, merchandise broker, has removed to the building on Williamson street three doors west of the Osborn Hotel.

Messrs. N. Chapman & Co., of Clarksville, Va., have bought out the hardware business of Messrs. J. A. Norwood & Co., on College street.

Messrs. Hoadley Bros. & Co. have opened a down town office in the Banner Warehouse, which will be connection with their sash and blind factory by telephone.

This winter has been so warm that the fly has not found it necessary to seek winter quarters. He is with us and has improved his sticking qualities with some kind of glue.

Mr. Thos. G. Taylor showed us today a new Irish potato as large as a baseball which he raised in his garden. A bushel of this vegetable in just northern markets.

The following decision was rendered by the Supreme of North Carolina yesterday: Railroad vs. Trustees of Ballou's Church; error, a judgment must be entered in court below in favor of defendant.

It is requested of the merchants of the city to close their stores Friday night, and attend the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the Opera House. Prominent gentlemen will deliver speeches in reference to getting the Baptist Female University located in Oxford, and important action taken in the matter. Every business man is interested in the result of this meeting, and all should attend.

THE TRAINS.

Their Arrivals and Departures Here Per the New Schedule.

OXFORD & CLARKSVILLE R. R.
Northbound trains arrive 10:41 A. M., and 8:05 P. M.
Southbound trains arrive 11:45, P. M., and 3:42, P. M.

OXFORD & HENDERSON R. R.
Trains arrive 10:20, A. M., and 3:15 P. M.
Trains depart 11:00, A. M., and 4:00 P. M.

The O. & H. trains make close connections at Henderson with the Raleigh & Gaston trains north and south, going and coming to Oxford.

The O. & C. trains now run through from West Point, Va., to Raleigh, N. C., leaving West Point at 8, a. m., and arriving at Raleigh at 6:18, p. m.; leaving Raleigh at 8:10, a. m., and arriving at West Point at 6, p. m.—making close connections with the York River steamers to and from Baltimore.

SOUTHERN EXPRESS.

Express shipping book will be closed promptly as follows:
For matter going North, at 10:15, a. m. For matter going South, at 3:15, p. m.
This rule will be strictly carried out.

THE MAILS.

The mails are closed at the post-office a half hour before the arrival of the trains.

PURELY PERSONAL.

The Doings and Whereabouts of Some People You Know.

Mr. Jas. Herring, of Pender county, is in the city.

Mr. A. W. Graham left on the morning train for Raleigh.

Mr. Jas. M. Leach, a former Oxonian, is in the city today.

Miss Mamie Wyche, of Henderson, is spending the day in Oxford.

Dr. J. G. Hunt went to E-field this morning to be gone a few days.

Mr. Geo. B. Reavis has removed from the city to his farm near the corporate limits.

Rev. C. A. Jenkins is moving his family and household goods to the Oxford Female Seminary.

Dr. B. F. Dixon went to Raleigh yesterday to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge now in session there.

Mrs. Sam H. Allen and Miss Reavis, of Henderson, sister and daughter of Mr. Geo. B. Reavis, are paying him a visit.

Mr. J. K. Wood, revenue gauger and storekeeper, left today to take charge of a whiskey distillery at Gibsonville, N. C.

Judge Gilmer Resigns.

The Hon. John A. Gilmer tendered his resignation as Judge of this district yesterday.

Granville and many other counties present the name of R. W. Winston, Esq., of Oxford, to Gov. Fowle as his successor.

This appointment would do more to popularize his administration than any of his official acts.

Mr. Winston is not only endorsed by the entire bar of Granville and Person, but also by such men as Maj. J. W. Graham, Manning & Son, W. W. Fulier, Esq., and others.

The appointment will likely be made tomorrow. Of Mr. Winston's qualifications for the office it is not necessary to speak. He is one of the ablest lawyers in the State.

Visit of Masonic Grand Lodge.

The Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina, now meeting in Raleigh, is expected to come to Oxford in a body—about sixty strong—tomorrow to visit the Orphan Asylum.

Buffalo Lithia Water

At Furman & Hays'.
Use Smiley's North Carolina Rheumatic cure for all aches and pains.

Cheap Harness.

One hundred sets of harness, usual price \$10. Will sell for only \$7.50 for thirty days. Call at J. S. Hall's.

For Sale or Rent.

Store house on Raleigh street now occupied by W. M. Herbert.
DR. J. B. WILLIAMS.

If you want to have successful gardens, plant Wood's Seeds. Your merchants will supply them. T. W. Wood & Sons, Seedsmen, Richmond, Va.

The undersigned is prepared to do a limited amount of copying; either legal, manuscript or letter. Satisfaction guaranteed; charges moderate. Address G. C., care of THE DAY.

For Information of the Public.

The office hours of the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Southern Express Company are from 8, a. m. to 8, p. m.

H. D. WHITE.

For Rent.

A first-class Ten Pin Alley, complete. Address or apply to R. S. Usry.
My doors are now thrown wide open for the reception of all kinds of buggy and wagon work. Satisfaction guaranteed.
B. F. TAYLOR.

Best in the Market.

"Black Prince," "May Apple" and "Matinee," Chewing Tobacco at Davis, Thomas & Co's.

OXFORD THE PLACE

CHOSEN 30 YEARS AGO AS SEAT OF BAPTIST FEMALE COLLEGE.

Origin and Progress of Female Education Among the Baptists of the State. Oxford's Prominent Part.

When Wake Forest College was projected for boys it was the aim of our fathers to establish a school for girls, and this place (Oxford) seems to have been talked of for Dr. Watt came here and started a school of high grade which, with some little interval, has been in existence all these years.—*Biblical Recorder.*

Rev. J. J. James, of Yanceyville, in the *Biblical Recorder* this week, quotes the above, and after remarking that the State convention in 1838 adopted a report in favor of establishing a Female Seminary in Raleigh, but the resolutions, like many others, was still born and nothing more was done, goes on to say:

The writer must beg the indulgence of his readers for what may seem undue reference to his own efforts, as he can give the facts in no other way. After forming a somewhat extended acquaintance in the State, he was impressed when visiting families of means at the disparity in the education of the sons and that of the daughters; and when he met with a family where the daughters were well educated and asked to what school they had gone, the answer was, most invariably "S. I. M." Wake Forest, Davidson, Trinity and Chapel Hill supplied education for the boys of the State, but where were similar institutions for the girls? The subject so weighed on the writer's mind that he made it a matter of conversation with the heads of families and with his brethren of the ministry, and a few years later he introduced it in the Convention, and when that body met in Louisburg (1850 or '51) with the co-operation of some other brethren, induced the Convention to appoint a committee to nominate a board of trustees for the establishment of a female college in the town of Oxford. This the Convention did, and it was the first decided action of a public character taken by the Baptists for the advancement of female education.

The newly appointed trustees called a meeting and fixed on the writer as their agent to get up the institution. He went to work and devoted an entire year to the subject, travelling almost incessantly among the Baptists, and pleading not only for the necessary funds with which to start the college, but urging on parents the importance of patronizing it, thus giving their daughters proper literary advantages under Baptist instructors. The writer found it a pretty hard up hill business. He succeeded, however, in raising an amount sufficient for the purchase of an eligible location and house for the opening of the institution. He waited on the Legislature, then in session, and obtained for it a charter. The trustees then proceeded to select the faculty of the institution, placing Dr. Samuel Wait, ex-president of Wake Forest College, at the head and this explains Dr. Wait's going to Oxford to start a school of high grade. Dr. Wait was no doubt in favor of female education of high grade, for he was a school man all his life, and a great blessing in that respect to the Baptists of North Carolina, but that he took any special interest or made any particular sacrifice in this effort to get up a female institution till appointed its president, writer does not know. The school opened favorably, and continued to grow in number of pupils and in influence. The writer, though living forty miles from it, as chairman of the board of trustees, attended its meetings regularly, and did what he could to arouse and increase the public interest in this important department of education.

While, he was called to the office of the *Recorder*, Murfreesboro,

Female Institute had been established and was in successful operation, and wishing as editor to sustain the same relation to both schools, he resigned as trustee at Oxford, after which he knew nothing of its internal management. Both institutions received at his hands the friendship and aid which he as editor could give. After a successful run of some years he learned that the Oxford College was financially so embarrassed that it would have to be sold, which afterwards was done, and Bro. J. H. Mills became the purchaser, and for some time continued the school. How long, the writer does not now remember.

News has been received from Africa announcing the death of Rev. C. L. Powell, the North Carolina missionary, who recently killed his little daughter in a fit of insanity. He died in the hospital at Agiers.

Rev. Sam Jones writes that he will meet his engagement in Charlotte in April, provided a tabernacle sufficiently large enough to seat 5,000 people be erected. A committee to secure site and attend to building has been appointed.

A young man from Caldwell and a young lady from Lincoln, went up to Lenoir to get married a few days ago. She cautioned him of the danger of her changing her mind if she found out that he drank. On Sunday he got fool drunk. Monday she took the train for home, he going along trying to persuade her to reconsider.

IN A GENERAL WAY.

Important Happenings in Other States and Countries.

A genuine blizzard is reported in the Northwest.

Hon. John Marshal Stone was inaugurated Governor of Mississippi yesterday.

Hon. E. K. Wilson, Democrat, was elected United States Senator from Maryland yesterday.

The largest legal execution that ever occurred in the United States is billed for Fort Smith, Tex.; next Thursday, when nine men are to be hanged at one time—seven Indians and two negroes.

Elevator No. 3 of the north-side of the Patapsco River, Baltimore, belonging to the Baltimore Elevator Company, and used by the Northern Central Railroad Company, was burned Sunday night, with all its contents. The total loss is about seven hundred thousand dollars. The British steamship *Sacramento*, lying alongside, was also totally destroyed, involving a loss of \$150,000.

A Cleveland, O., special says that a morning paper publishes a statement submitted by an expert bookkeeper, showing irregularities in the accounts of the city of Cleveland aggregating \$3,000,000. Nearly all of this money was paid out by the city without the approval of the council, although the laws of Ohio distinctly require that every claim be included in the regular claim ordinance. The publication creates a great sensation.

Wanted.

Position as book-keeper or salesman by a young man, full graduate of the Virginia Business College. Is now employed as telegraph operator, and desires change of work. Please address, stating terms, at once. Best reference given.
P. B. GIBSON, Stuart, Va.

Use Smiley's North Carolina Rheumatic cure for all aches and pains.

Lost.

On Sunday morning a small pointer pup, yellow, with white feet and breast. Any information concerning his whereabouts will be thankfully received.
C. H. PARKHAM.

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