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Fruits! Fruits! NOTES OF THE DAY.

— AT —
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 Mitward-Cliff Cracker Co.'s Lunch Milk, Graham, Cream spray, Mushroom, Knic Knac and XX Soda crackers opened to day.
- 100 LBS. Fancy Layer Figs, Raisins, Dates, Nuts, etc.

Oxford Bakery and Candy Factory.

Herdon 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. Piano and Organ are new and are kept in good order by yearly contract with the best tuner with Hume, Milton & Co., Richmond, Va.
No pupil received for less than a term, and no reductions made except for sickness. Terms lower than those of most schools offering some advantages. For further information, apply to
MISS B. CLARKE, PRINCIPAL.

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 G. Taylor at the time of her death, and formerly owned by Rufus Knott. It is situated in Oxford, on the street leading towards Kirtrell, adjoining the lots of R. R. Best, Thos. G. Taylor and D. A. Hunt, is 81 feet front on said street, 99 feet wide at the rear, and runs back from said street 135 feet. The dwelling is a neat cottage of four rooms, in good condition, with all necessary outhouses.
Terms: One-third cash, the balance in twelve months, with eight per cent. interest from date.
JOHN W. HAYS,
Ex'r. of Mrs. Mary G. Taylor.
December 26, 1889.

MORTGAGE SALE.
By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Charles Turner and wife, registered in Book 28, Page 397, 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 Kirtrell, 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.

Oxford is having a season of comparative quiet just now. Bad colds are common enough, but La Grippe is scarce. The thermometer got the drop on cold weather, and compelled it to show its hand. The Opera House will be comfortable heated to-night. Be sure to go to this meeting. The sound of the axe is heard pretty lively about the city today. The cold weather caught many of our people without sufficient wood cut.

Mr. B. H. Cozart has discovered a mineral spring on his property west of the R & D. R. R. depot, and he believes it possesses fine medicinal qualities.

Mr. C. F. Kingsbury has bought of Mr. C. H. Landis the building lot 125 feet front by 150 feet deep on Graham street, opposite the Central Warehouse.

The Day is pleased to announce that its subscription list is steadily growing, and its value as an advertisement improving accordingly. Our rates remain the same as before.

A white man from the country employed profane language on the streets today aimed at Mayor Smith. He was taken before Magistrate Whitfield, and was fined five dollars and cost.

The Orphan Asylum sets Oxford a good example. It believes in factories and a diversity of factories, and will start this summer a cotton mill and a trouser manufactory. What is Oxford going to do in the same line?

Mr. W. T. Brogden, merchandise broker, has thirteen solid carloads of corn, hay and ship-stuff, with a little flour, enroute to Oxford. Our farmers are in the old ruts, depending upon the West and North for the food supplies for themselves and horses.

We have not yet heard of any contract being given out for small dwelling houses to rent to laboring people. These buildings—and a large number of them, too—are much needed in Oxford. They should not be overlooked in the building boom of the coming summer.

Choir practise, for the special Odd Fellows services at the Opera House Sunday night, is being held in the Lodge rooms this afternoon. In addition to the members of the order, who will attend in a body in regalia, there will no doubt be many other present to hear Rev. W. L. Cunningham's sermon.

The Board of Trade.

The Oxford Board of Trade held a special meeting today, and passed some important resolutions, which we will publish in THE DAY tomorrow. We will also have in the same issue other interesting and timely matter concerning our tobacco market.

Several hundred extra copies will be printed for circulation through the country.

For Rent.
A Room in rear of our store, about 22 ft. square, opening on public square on Wall Street. Apply at once Furman & Hay's.

Lost.
The second volume of "Stories and Lessons on the Catechism." Person having the same will please return without delay.
R. W. LASSITER, Sr.

Boys, let us start off the New Year fair square and even with the world. I have your accounts ready, and will be glad to see you.
R. BROUGHTON

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.

MEETING TO-NIGHT.

The Location of The Baptist Female University To Be Considered.

There will be a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at the Opera House tonight at 7:30 o'clock, and the public generally and the ladies especially are invited to attend.

The question of locating the Baptist Female University at Oxford will be considered, and ably and thoroughly discussed by Rev. C. A. Jenkins, Rev. Dr. R. H. Marsh, Hon. A. H. A. Williams, R. W. Winston, Esq., and others.

A large crowd is expected. Enthusiasm, determination and liberality on the part of our people are looked for. Decisive and triumphant action is anticipated.

It has been requested of the merchants to close their stores and be present at the meeting, and it is to be hoped every one of them will comply with the request. Every citizen who has Oxford's interest at heart should be there. The question is one of paramount importance.

The chances of securing the University for our city are far from being discouraging.

When They've Got It.

EDITOR OF THE DAY.—A gentleman caller of last evening took from his vest pocket a short clipping from "the Lyons Press" which he said he kept as a warning to his inexperienced friends. (He has just recovered from an attack of "grippe.") There may be a few left who would not know the "grippe" if they should see it coming. When their head aches as if it would split, when they have a raging fever; when their appetite flies and they do not want a thing to eat or drink or smoke; when they grow as weak as babies in less than twelve hours; when every one of the 204 bones in their anatomy aches each on its own accord and conjointly with the rest, and every muscle feels as if it had been pounded with a club, drawn through a keyhole, tied into a hard knot and then used as a sandbag; when finally every mucus membrane in their bodies is in a state of greater or less inflammation and all the serous membranes are dried up and their joints creak, when every incoming breath is likely to produce a stitch in the side, and every outgoing breath turns to a sneeze on the slightest provocation—then they've got it.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 16. H.

Baptist Female College.

EDITOR OF THE DAY.—If our Baptist brethren desire to select a healthy location for the Baptist Female College, we recommend to their consideration the village of Stovall, ten miles north of Oxford on the O. & C. railroad. The water is pure, atmosphere salubrious, community quiet, orderly and refined. And we claim to have here the banner Baptist church of North Carolina. After diligent enquiry, the oldest inhabitants can call to mind only one death amongst the residents for the past thirty years, and that of an elderly lady past 75, having been an invalid for the last twenty years of her life.

Festive youths of 80 summers and lively maidens long past four score years gladden our streets with their joyous presence.
Stovall, Jan. 17.

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, a cue. Best reference given.
P. B. GIBSON, Stuart, Va.

For Sale.
Three Hundred Acres of land near the town of Oxford. It is good grain and tobacco land and is well timbered. Will be divided to suit purchaser. Apply to this office.

A FEW PERSONALS.

GATHERED HERE AND THERE BY THE "CHIEF AMANG YE."

The Doings and Whereabouts of Some People You Know—the Arrivals and Departures.

Mr. J. M. Currin was in Durham yesterday.

Mr. A. W. Graham went to Stovall this morning.

Mr. Henry Edmunds, of Chase City, Va., is in the city.

Mr. A. S. Davis returned from a visit to Raleigh last night.

Mr. W. R. Kivett, of Louisburg, was in the city this morning.

Mr. Henry Fields, who was in Raleigh a few days, came home last night.

Dr. T. L. Booth and Mr. Wm. Mitchell, of Stem, are in Oxford today.

Mr. L. Thomas was among the passengers this morning on the Henderson train.

Rev. Dr. Wm. B. Royall, of Wake Forest, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. P. Hobgood.

Chief of Police Renn is back again from Warrenton, where he was a witness in a larceny case.

Messrs. J. C. Hundley and R. V. Minor returned to the city on the northbound train this morning.

Mr. J. J. Paris returned this afternoon from his trip to the north, where he went to purchase stock for the new firm of Paris Bros.

Mr. Sam Strause, of Burlington, Iowa, and Mr. N. P. Strause, of Henderson, brothers of our townsman, Mr. Abe Strause, are in the city today.

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 1:45, 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.

At the Academy of Sciences in San Francisco two horned rattlesnakes from the Mojave desert were exhibited recently. The venomous creatures are yellow, like the sand they live in, and have over each eye a scaly horn. They never move straight forward, but with a sinuous side motion, so that it is impossible to tell in which direction they intend to strike. In Palestine and in the Sahara Desert there is a horned viper which in many characteristics resembles the horned rattlesnake of the Mojave. The use of the horns is not known. They are not to shield the eyes from the glare of the sun, because other snakes in the desert have no horns.

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.

STATE SIFTINGS.

North Carolina Items of Interest Clipped and Condensed from Exchanges.

The Wilson Mirror says five thousand negroes have left that place.

Rev. C. T. Bailey, D. D., of Raleigh, was re-elected Director of Oxford Orphan Asylum for a term of five years.

It was reported on our streets this morning that the Durham Bull Tobacco Factory had been sold to an English syndicate for \$3,000,000. We are authorized by Mr. Carr, the president, to say that the report is not true.—Durham Sun.

North Carolina has appealed to Congress to erect a couple of Revolutionary monuments on her soil, one in honor of Gen. Nathaniel Greene, the Rhode Islander, and the other also in honor of a Northerner, by birth, Gen. William Davidson, a native of Pennsylvania.

The Salisbury Truth is informed that a Miss Shuping, of China Grove township, Rowan county, now 84 years old, has not been off her plantation and rarely out of her house since she was sixteen years of age. She was disappointed in the consummation of a marriage she had arranged for herself at that time, and resolved to exclude herself from the world, which resolution she has sacredly kept.

In the yard of Mr. C. M. Busbee, of this city, there is a magnolia tree in full and glorious bloom. There are hundreds of these rich, white, beautiful blossoms in their full and fragrant glory, having burst their buds to clothe the tree in a robe of grand beauty long before its leaves are ready to hide its nakedness. The blossoming of the tree at this season is phenomenal; but everything appears to be yielding its glories to the influence of this weather.—Raleigh Call.

IN A GENERAL WAY.

Important Happenings in Other States and Countries.

Senator Butler yesterday made a speech in favor of his negro emigration bill in the Senate.

Under the decision of the United States Supreme Court the Government will be compelled to refund the silk importers about \$7,000,000 for overcharged duties. This large amount will go into the pockets of the importers and not into the pockets of the people who purchased the goods with the duties added.

A Danville, Va., telegram says: The somewhat celebrated case of Pickelsimer against the R. & D. R. R. was decided here today in favor of the plaintiff, giving him \$13,000 damages for injuries received while on the train. He was travelling on a freight train with a car load of cattle, and fell from the car, receiving serious injuries.

Rev. J. W. Johnston, pastor of the Methodist Church South, died at the parsonage, in Huntington, W. Va., yesterday, from injuries received on Friday evening last, when, in company with Rev. W. F. Marshall, of the Episcopal Church, he was passing through the initiation ceremonies of the Royal Arch Degree in the Huntington Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons.

The following has been published by the Secretary of the Commercial Telegraph Company addressed to the stockholders: The Commercial Telegraph Company is compelled to announce that the property heretofore operated by it has been sold at the sheriff's sale to ratify judgment against the company, and now finds itself unable to continue to distribute, after this date, the quotations which have heretofore been supplied to its customers.

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.