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**T. W. JACKSON & CO.,**  
—BAKERS,—  
**Candy Makers and Fruiterers,**  
OXFORD, N. C.

**APPLES!** Apples are very scarce,  
**APPLES!** and hard to get, but  
**APPLES!** our stock has just  
**APPLES!** been replenished  
**APPLES!** with some choice  
**APPLES!** Fruit. Call today  
**APPLES!** and get some for  
**APPLES!** Sunday

**Bananas, Florida Oranges,**  
**Valencia Oranges, Mala-**  
**ga Grapes, Lemons, a**  
**new and complete stock**  
**opened today.**

**THE FINEST FRUIT TO BE HAD!**  
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**FRESH FRUIT CANDY:**  
**Cocoanut Fritters!**  
**Cocoanut Fritters!**

**Peanut Candy!**  
**Peanut Candy!**  
Everybody knows these  
goods. They are our  
own make and are strict-  
ly pure and fresh.

**MAPLE, VANILLA, ALMOND, ORANGE,**  
**COCOANUT, VIOLET, CHOCOLATE,**  
**AND 50 OTHER STYLE BON BONNS,**  
**JUST REC'D. AND PLACED ON SALE.**  
**CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS, "A NO. 1"**  
**CHOCOLATE CREAM AND MARSH**  
**MALLOWES.**

**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  
**FEILD & ROYSTER.**

**VALUABLE LAND SALE.**  
The clerk of Granville Superior Court,  
in a special proceeding pending in said  
court for a sale of the lands of the late Thos.  
Green for partition among his heirs-at-law,  
appointed the undersigned a commissioner  
to sell said lands.  
The sale will be held at his late residence  
on the lands in Tally Ho township, on Sat-  
urday, 1st March, 1890, at 12 o'clock, m.  
Terms, one third cash, residue in one and  
two years.  
The lands have been divided into four  
tracts containing 126 acres, 76 acres, 50  
acres, 50 acres.  
**N. T. GREEN,**  
Commissioner.  
**Graham & Winston, Attorneys.**

**MORTGAGE SALE OF LAND.**  
By virtue of a mortgage executed by John  
H. Averit and wife to Henry Hobgood, now  
deceased, registered in Book of Mortgages  
No. 25, at page 586, I shall on Monday the  
31 day of March, 1890, expose to sale at  
public auction at the court house door in  
Oxford, the tract of land described in said  
mortgage, and situated in Fishing Creek  
township, adjoining the lands of Reuben  
Overton, Moses C. Dean and others, and  
containing 50 acres.  
**HARRIET HOBGOOD,**  
Ex'x of Henry Hobgood, dec'd  
January 29, 1890.

**VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**  
[RE-ADVERTISED.]  
The undersigned gives notice that on the  
30th January, 1885, he was in a deed in trust  
which may be found registered in Mortgage  
Book of Granville county, No. 20, on pages  
314, 315, appointed Trustee to sell the land  
therein described, upon default being made  
in payment of the bond, thereby secured.  
Default having been made he will sell at  
public auction, in Oxford, at the courthouse  
door, on Thursday the 20th of March, 1890,  
the said land for cash, to the highest bidder.  
Land lies in Granville county, North Caro-  
lina, contains 100 acres, is part of the Par-  
ham tract, adjoining Mary A. Hester, Mrs.  
R. O. Gregory and perhaps others. For  
description by metes and bounds, see said  
mortgage deed.  
**ROBT. W. WINSTON, Trustee.**

**COMMISSIONERS' SALE.**  
The undersigned has been appointed  
Commissioner to sell the lands of the late  
Sol Hardin to pay his debts. He hence gives  
notice that as such he will sell at Oxford,  
on Monday, 31 March, 1890, at the court  
house door, fifty acres of land on Bowling's  
Mountain, in Tally Ho township, Granville  
county, adjoining the lands of R. W. Booth,  
L. G. Jones, James Wheeler and others.  
Land is well timbered, has two good cabins  
on it and a curing barn and is abundant in  
minerals and metals. Terms easy. This  
January 30, 1890.  
**R. W. WINSTON, Com'r.**  
**A. W. Graham, Attorney.**

## NOTES OF THE DAY.

### THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS SERVED IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

#### Minor Events, Retrospective and Pro- spective, Gathered About the City By Our Alert Reporters.

The "awkward squad" will be in-  
structed at the Armory tonight.

Another member was added in the  
Oxford Odd Fellows' Lodge last  
night.

The weather bureau gives warning  
that a cold wave will strike this section  
tomorrow.

Mr. R. H. Hobgood has rented the  
Exchange Hotel, and will take charge  
about March the 1st.

It is believed that a valuable depos-  
it of copper has been discovered at  
Indian Grave Hill in the southern  
part of this county.

A young negro woman, Mollie Pel-  
ham, died this morning of consump-  
tion. She had been lingering at  
death's door for some months.

A good deal of the tobacco offered  
on the warehouse floors the past few  
days deserves the name of golden leaf.  
The color is as rich a yellow as the  
precious medal.

The counsel for Jordan Pritchard,  
convicted of murder at the last term of  
court, have just completed the prepara-  
tion of the necessary papers to take  
the case before the Supreme Court.

A number of letters are being re-  
ceived here from people who want  
to invest in Oxford. The reputation for  
thrift and progress which our city en-  
joys covers a wide stretch of country,  
judging from the various parts of the  
Union represented by the correspond-  
ents.

Occasionally there is some talk on  
the streets of the Durham & Northern  
Railroad running a branch into Ox-  
ford. This piece of road, which can  
be constructed at small cost and which  
will give the Seaboard Air Line an  
important and valuable feeder, will be  
ultimately built.

**Some Fine Work.**  
Day's Southern Chronological School  
is progressing very satisfactorily, and  
its success is now assured.

The school is equipped with expen-  
sive and latest improved machinery,  
and can turn out a complete watch.  
THE DAY reporter was shown two dif-  
ficult and finely executed pieces of  
work by the pupils.

Mr. R. L. Moore, of High Point,  
N. C., changed a common key winder  
\$3.50 watch movement to a fifteen  
jewel, sweep second stem winder, and  
Mr. J. T. Shaw, of Mebane, N. C.,  
changed a similar movement to a full-  
jewelled stem winder and setter. Both  
are faultless in construction and keep  
perfect time.

The students have about finished a  
small engine, which will be used to  
drive some of the machinery. It will  
be placed on exhibition in the window  
of Mr. F. N. Day's jewelry store in a  
few days.

It is rumored that a party of English  
capitalists will arrive in Durham the  
latter part of this week for the purpose  
of inspecting the mammoth plant of  
Blackwell's Durham Co-operative To-  
bacco Co. For several weeks, as most  
of our readers know, there has been in  
timinations of a probable sale of these  
works.—*Durham Sun.*

**Johnston's Vegeta-**  
**ble Nolandine, unex-**  
**celled as a tonic, liver**  
**regulator and blood**  
**purifier. For sale by**  
**all druggists. The No-**  
**landine Co., Rich-**  
**mond, Va.**

## PURELY PERSONAL.

### The Doings and Whereabouts of Some People You Know.

Mr. E. H. Crews, of Dabney, is in  
the city today.

Mr. J. M. Norwood went to Hen-  
derson this morning.

Mr. A. J. Feild has returned from  
a visit to Richmond, Va.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs.  
S. W. Cooper, who has been ill for  
several months, is now convalescent.

Miss Sarah Burwell, who has been  
visiting Mrs. L. Thomas, returned to  
her home in Henderson yesterday after-  
noon.

His many friends had the pleasure  
of seeing Mr. J. A. Taylor out on the  
streets again this morning, after his  
long confinement to his bed and room  
with La Grippe.

#### Waterworks for Henderson.

Our neighbor, Henderson, takes a  
step forward, and has decided to put  
in a system of waterworks. A franchise  
has been granted Mr. J. L. Luglow,  
civil engineer of Winston, N. C., and  
associates, and it is stated that the  
contract gives Henderson this great  
improvement at very reasonable cost.

The work of construction is to be-  
gin in sixty days and completed in  
nine months. The town gets sixty-  
eight fire plugs. About eight miles of  
pipe will be laid.

Does Oxford propose to lag behind?  
Water works have been discussed here  
for several years. Isn't it about time  
now that something in this direction  
was done?

#### Just Received.

Fresh lot yeast, Corn Starch, Lau-  
dry Starch, Cooking Soda, Spices,  
Baking Powder of best quality.  
**S. S. HAITHCOCK & Co.**

A fine lot of smoked jowls, sugar cured  
hams and shoulders. Kingan's pure lard.  
**D. A. HUNT & SON.**

Fresh Garden Seed at White's.  
Try a bbl Palace Patent flour from  
White's.

Choice Syrups and Porto Rico Molasses  
at White's.

**Nice Florida Oranges.**  
30 cents per dozen. Picked—extra large  
40 cents per dozen. **J. G. HALL.**

Early Rose Seed Potatoes at White's.  
Full Cream Cheese at White's.

White is selling the best brands of Can  
Goods at reduced prices.

**S. S. Haithcock & Co.** received to-  
day the nicest lot of plain and trench  
candy in town. Quality, the best—  
price as low as any.

#### For Sale.

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

#### Best in the Market.

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

**Nice Florida Oranges.**  
30 cents per dozen. Picked—extra large  
40 cents per dozen. **J. G. HALL.**

Cassard's Fine Pig Hams at White's.  
Best Laguyra, Java, Rio and Roasted  
Coffees at White's.

Cassard's Beef Tongues at White's.

#### "John Drown's Body"

Lies moulding in the ground, but his spirit  
is still marching round." While the same  
can not be said of Lord Christenfield, yet  
Furman & Hays treat all classes with po-  
liteness, and every order sent to their store  
receives accurate attention. Put this in your  
hat for an emergency.

Cassard's Chip Beef at White's.  
Cassard's Breakfast Bacon at White's.

#### Fresh Fish.

Fresh Shad and other Fish at F.  
Schwartz's Stall No. 1, Market House.

**R. W. Jones & Co.** have just received  
a lot of very fine butter.

## THE LATEST NEWS.

### CAREFULLY SIFTED FOR THE BUSY READER.

#### Items of Interest About North Carolina Scissored and Condensed from our Exchanges.

Work has been started on the new  
union passenger depot at Raleigh.

Edgecombe county will go extensiv-  
ely in tobacco raising this year, and  
Tarboro is discussing the erection of a  
sales warehouse.

David Cable, of Stanley, N. C., is  
the father of thirty-two children, of  
whom fourteen boys and eleven girls  
are still living.

The State Sunday School Conven-  
tion met at Wilmington yesterday  
morning, and will continue in session  
three days. Dr. T. H. Pritchard, of  
Wilmington, is presiding.

The Fayetteville Independent Light  
Infantry paid a visit to the Wilming-  
ton Light Infantry on Monday, and  
were handsomely entertained.—The  
new Wilson company has been admit-  
ted to the State Grand and furnished  
with arms by the State.

Revenue Agent S. Kirkpatrick, of  
Greensboro, was shot in the face, los-  
ing one eye, in raiding an illicit dis-  
tillery yesterday seven miles from  
Hillsboro. The man who shot him  
was a negro and was himself killed.  
Mr. Kirkpatrick was appointed under  
Cleveland's administration, and re-  
tained in office because of his efficien-  
cy.

The Salisbury Truth says: Miss  
Maude, 14 year old daughter of Capt.  
John Beard, displayed great presence  
of mind and much courage in driving  
from her father's house in his absence  
a strange, burly negro who was making  
his entrance through the window. She  
was entirely alone at night when she  
discovered the intruder. She ran to  
an adjoining room, seized a pistol with  
which she drove the scoundrel away,  
sending several shots after him to ex-  
pedite his movements.

#### IN A GENERAL WAY.

#### Important Happenings in Other States and Countries.

Rev. Dr. Talmage delivered an elo-  
quent sermon on the late Henry W.  
Grady last Sunday.

The performance of the Passion  
Play at Oberammergau occurs this  
year. Rehearsals are now in pro-  
gress.

The only proceeding of any interest  
in Congress yesterday was the effort of  
Sen. Chandler to have Sen. Call re-  
primanded for characterizing his (Chan-  
dler's) conduct in language which fits  
the case.

On the final ballot for the World's  
Fair, Brower, Cheatham and Ewart  
voted for Chicago, Bunn, Cowles,  
Henderson, McClammy and Row-  
land voted for New York, and Skinner  
for Washington.

A Louisville, Ky., dispatch of yester-  
day says: While the storm was at  
its height, shortly after midnight last  
night, a party of grave robbers, in the  
Northern cemetery at New Albany,  
were surprised in the act of desecrating  
the resting place of the dead and one  
of them was instantly killed. Three  
others were arrested and placed in jail,  
but the fifth escaped. The party con-  
sisted of Louisville physicians.

**S. S. Haithcock & Co.** are daily  
adding to their stock and business is  
improving. No better place to get  
what you want from a drug store.

I will sell very cheap a handsome suit of  
parlor furniture, dining room outfit com-  
plete and handsome parlor carpet.  
**D'ORSEY JONES.**

Sugar coated yeast cakes at White's.

#### Wanted.

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

## THE TRAINS.

### Their Arrivals and Departures Here Per the New Schedule.

**OXFORD & CLARKSVILLE R. R.**  
Northbound trains arrive 10:46 A.  
M., and 8:05 P. M.

Southbound trains arrive 1:50, P. M.,  
and 4:22, P. M.

**OXFORD & HENDERSON R. R.**  
Trains arrive 10:00, A. M., and 3:15,  
P. M.

Trains depart 11:00, A. M., and 4:40  
p. m.

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 7:00, p. m.;  
leaving Raleigh at 8:15, a. m., and ar-  
riving at West Point at 6:10 p. m.—  
making close connections with the  
York River steamers to and from  
Baltimore.

The O. & H. trains make close con-  
nections at Henderson with the Ral-  
eigh & Gaston trains north and south,  
going and coming to Oxford.

**SOUTHERN EXPRESS.**  
Express shipping book will be closed  
promptly as follows:

For matter going North, at 10:20,  
a. m. For matter going South, at  
4:00, 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.

#### Kicking Like Steers.

Greensboro North State.

The selection of Raleigh as a site for  
the Baptist College seems to have  
stirred up a great commotion. Dur-  
ham and Oxford feel particularly hurt,  
and they may be said to kick like  
steers.

Now this is not in good form. To-  
bacco towns are not good localities  
for young ladies' schools. A quiet  
place like Raleigh, which has to live  
and thrive on public crumbs, is a good  
locality for a school. The hum of  
business and commerce will not dis-  
tract the young ladies at Raleigh, and  
there is no danger of them being dis-  
turbed by romantic stories of mer-  
chants and manufacturing princes sud-  
denly growing up from humble Alli-  
ance people.

A State capital or an educational  
centre never becomes a commercial or  
manufacturing mart of any importance.

#### A Novel Duel.

The new mining town of Elkins,  
West Virginia, was the scene of what  
is probable the most remarkable duel  
in history. Sunday night a coal min-  
er named James Nee and a carpenter  
named Archer went on a drunk to-  
gether, and going to a saloon kept by  
Mrs. Wise they drove the woman out  
of doors and wrecked the interior of  
the place. About the time they had  
completed the ruin the two men quar-  
reled and they concluded to fight a  
duel over the wreck of the bar. They  
had but one revolver and decided that  
they should take turn about in shoot-  
ing at each other. They agreed on fifteen  
feet, nearly the length of the room, as  
the distance, and Archer got the first  
shot. His bullet plowed a groove in  
Nee's scalp. He then gave up the  
pistol to Nee, and he fired at Archer  
and missed. Archer then took a second  
shot and missed, and handed the  
weapon over to Nee. This time Nee  
took better aim, and shot Archer  
through the hand. Before any more  
shots could be fired outsiders inter-  
fered and took the revolver away.

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**landine Co., Rich-**  
**mond, Va.**