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Pineapples!

First of the Season. Large, Fancy Fruit, 25 cents each.

Florida Oranges!

We have secured one more shipment extra large Florida Oranges. Call early, as stock is small.

Apples! Apples!

Five barrels of those fine Ben Davis Apples opened today.

Lemons & Bananas!

We claim to be headquarters for all fruits and candies, and a visit to our place will convince you.

Ice Cold Drinks!

Our Fountain is the newest, our drinks are the coldest, our syrups the freshest, and our place the neatest and cleanest in the city.

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BAKERS, CANDY MAKERS AND FRUITERS,
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FOUNTAINS
In Full Blast!
One For Each Race!
ICE COLD DRINKS
OF ALL THE
POPULAR VARIETIES
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Milk Shakes,
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NOTES OF THE DAY.

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS SERVED IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

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

This is Memorial Day. This is a legal holiday in North Carolina.

Some of the local "gags" gotten off at the Opera House last night were hard hitters.

Messrs Hundley Bros. & Co. are this week burning their first kiln of brick of the season.

Our thanks are due Mrs. Robt. Booth for a hen's egg of unusual size—fully twice as large as an ordinary egg.

A new street will be opened next to the new Farmers' Alliance Warehouse, running from Main street to Herndon Place.

The Hicks Tobacco Company finds it necessary now to run until eleven o'clock at night to keep up with its orders.

There is a meeting of importance called for next Monday night, and it is to be hoped there will be a large attendance.

A meeting of the officers of the Oxford Land, Improvement and Manufacturing Company is being held in city this afternoon.

The Minstrel Performance.

The amateur minstrel performance at the Opera House last night came fully up to the expectations, and was a success from the beginning to the close. All the participants did well, and were generously applauded.

Messrs. A. S. Frank and Dixie Blacknall, as end men, got off "gags" which brought down the house. Messrs. W. T. Meadows and F. O. Landis sang solos with fine effect. Mr. Frank was true to life in his character impersonations, and was recalled again and again. His comic songs were rich. Mr. Blacknall's dancing was worthy of a professional. Mr. F. J. Crews gave a humorous recitation very neatly. The farce "Mesmerism" was well rendered. Mr. C. J. McHenry contributed a full share to the evening's enjoyment with his superb piano playing.

There were some vacant seats in the house, and the audience could have been larger. The receipts at the door were about sixty dollars.

An Oxford Boy the Winner.

The North Carolina Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Association was organized not long since. At present Trinity and Davidson Colleges are the only members, but every college in the State is expected to join.

The first oratorical contests came off Thursday night before a large audience in Charlotte. The contestants were Stonewall Jackson Durham and A. H. White, of Trinity, and W. F. Hollingsworth and Byron C. Clark, of Davidson.

Our young townsman, Mr. Durham, was the winner of the \$25 gold medal, and THE DAY congratulates him upon his triumph. His subject was "Heroism, Past and Present."

Meeting Monday Night.

A meeting of the Oxford citizens will be held at the Opera House Monday night to complete arrangements to entertain the North Carolina Medical Society. Everybody who has the interest of the town at heart is earnestly requested to be present, and particularly the ladies. A full meeting is looked for.

PURELY PERSONAL.

The Doings and Whereabouts of Some People You Know.

Mr. P. M. Wilson, of Raleigh, is in the city today.

Mrs. Perkinson left this morning for Green Mountain, Va.

Messrs J. C. Cooper and Jeff Daniel went to Henderson today.

Mr. W. E. Owen, of South Boston, Va., arrived in the city yesterday afternoon.

Mr. S. L. Miller came back to the city this morning after an absence of several days in the country.

Rev. Jqs. Rennie was in the city yesterday afternoon, and left again for Chase City, Va., this morning.

Mr. H. C. Hulin, of the Durham Marble Works, was in town today, returning from Townsville where he had been to erect a three hundred dollar monument over the grave of Col. T. L. Hargrove.

The Greensboro Patriot gives a list of the young ladies who will graduate at the commencement of Greensboro Female College on the 27th inst., in which appear the names of Misses Hettie Minor and Carrie White, of Oxford. There are twenty one graduates in all.

Cozart's Mineral Spring.

A gallon of water from the mineral spring discovered on Mr. B. H. Cozart's west-end property was sent to the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station for analysis, and the following report was made:

- Solids, 8.99 grains
- consisting principally
- Carbonate of iron
- also
- Carbonate of lime,
- Chloride of sodium,
- Sulphate of magnesia,
- Silica.

We are reliably informed that this quantity of iron, in combination with the alkalis, render this water exceedingly valuable as a tonic. It is especially indicated in cases of convalescence from various diseases. A pint of the water contains an average dose of iron as given by physicians, and in a form readily assimilated by the system. We predict for this water an abundant success, and congratulate our citizens upon having such an excellent spring within our midst.

It is very probable Mr. Cozart will take steps to make its virtues known abroad, and Oxford may become a famous health resort. The spring is splendidly located, at the foot of the hill opposite the O. & C. Railroad depot. On the summit of the hill is Mr. Cozart's large and beautiful Cherry Hill Mansion, which, with the addition of wings on each side, could be converted into one of the best and handsomest hotels in this section of country.

Religious Services Tomorrow.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—9:45 A. M., Sunday school. 11 A. M., sermon by pastor, Rev. J. S. Hardaway; 7:15 P. M. sermon.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—9 A. M., Sunday school.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9 1/2 A. M.; J. W. Hays, Esq., superintendent. 11 A. M., sermon by Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, pastor. 7:15 P. M., sermon.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—9 A. M., Sunday school; 11 A. M., sermon by Rev. W. W. Walker, rector; 7:15, P. M., sermon.

A dwelling house, with garden, for rent at \$5.00 per month. Apply at this office.

THE NEWS BY WIRE

A RAILROAD SMASH-UP OUT WEST WITH FATAL RESULTS.

A Train Wrecked on the Quincy Road near Galesbury, Ill., this Morning, and Three Persons Killed.

[By telegraph to THE DAY.]

GALESBURY, ILL., May 10.—A train on the Quincy railroad was wrecked this morning near this place, and three lives were lost.

Faints Because of Good News.

[By telegraph to THE DAY.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—This morning General Fremont was told that the government owed him twenty one thousand dollars. He was overcome by the good news, and fainted.

Accident to Steamship.

[By telegraph to THE DAY.]

NEW YORK, May 10.—The machinery of the steamship, Allen, broke down at sea, and she was towed in harbor here this morning. The passengers are all safe.

Bishop Keegan Dead.

[By telegraph to THE DAY.]

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 10.—Bishop Keegan, of this city, died this morning.

New Advertisement.

Mr. Samuel L. Adams, general district agent for northeastern North Carolina of the New York Life Insurance Company, makes Oxford his headquarters and has a new advertisement in THE DAY. He represents one of the best insurance concerns of the world—one that is perfectly reliable, and issues most attractive policies. We are pleased to know that he is succeeding admirably here.

The Banking House of J. C. Cooper & Sons has a card in THE DAY. Oxford is proud of this banking institution. It is solid from the ground up; has ample capital, and is managed by safe, progressive and thoroughly-experienced financiers.

Let us Have a Geological Survey.

Henderson Gold Leaf.

North Carolina's mineral wealth is not half known and appreciated. We do not begin to comprehend her vast and inexhaustible resources. Every week some new discovery is made along this line. This development should be more rapid, and right here the necessity of a thorough geological survey is clearly manifest. No money could be spent to a better purpose and the Gold Leaf hopes the next Legislature will make a special appropriation for this object. We repeat, what we have said before, that a thorough geological survey would be worth millions of dollars to North Carolina, and in this position we are sustained by many of the leading papers of the State.

Special Rates to the Cattle Show.

The Richmond & Danville R. R. company will sell parties attending the annual convention of the Wake County Cattle Club round-trip tickets to Raleigh, N. C., and return, at the following rates from points named. Tickets on sale May 14th and 15th, and good returning until and including May 17th:

From Charlotte, \$4.70; Sailsbury, \$4.05; Greensboro, \$2.85; Winston-Salem, \$3.50; Burlington, \$2.15; Durham, \$1.20; Selma, \$1.20; Goldsboro, \$2.00; Oxford \$2.15. Rates from intermediate points in same proportion.

Bring your orders for tobacco flues to J. F. Edwards.

Nice lot fishing tackle at J. F. Edwards'.

A. Landis & Sons, Agents Oak City Steam Laundry. See samples of work.

STATE SIFTINGS.

Items of Interest About North Carolina Culled from Exchanges.

The Wake county cattle show takes place at Raleigh on the 15th inst, and on the same day the cattle show for Wilson county will take place at Wilson.

The executive committee of the North Carolina Press Association met in Raleigh yesterday, and decided to hold the next meeting of the association at Durham, July 23rd. An excursion will be arranged for Morehead, Ocracoke or Wrightsville after the session at Durham is ended.

The News-Observer says that a widow named Mrs. Mary Rigsbee, aged 66, was run over and killed six miles north of Durham on the Oxford and Clarksville Railroad by the train coming toward Raleigh yesterday. She had been to a spring and was returning to her house on the opposite side of the track with a bucket of water in her hand and attempted to cross in front of the engine. Both legs were broken and her head crushed into an unrecognizable mass.

A Ruffin, N. C., special says: David Stokes, a colored man, attempted to drive a house cat from the room and poked her with a stick. The animal became enraged, flew upon Stokes and buried her teeth in his arm. The animal held on with such tenacity it was necessary to sever her head from her body before friends could release the man from the clinched teeth. Stokes was taken ill and though he showed no symptoms of hydrophobia, he died in twenty-four hours.

IN A GENERAL WAY.

Important Happenings in Other States and Countries.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has contributed \$275,000 to the World's Fair.

A 10-months-old colored child drank some spirits turpentine in Reidsville Wednesday, and died in a few minutes.

The Lee statue when erected will face to the south. Lee will face the southwest, while the head of the horse will be turned slightly to the east.

The report issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department of foreign exports from Southern ports is most gratifying and noteworthy. For the nine months ending March 31, 1890, as compared with the same time last year, increase of our exports from eighteen Southern ports is \$68,057,286.

In St. Louis, Henry Kunoll, President of the Singing Society, St. Matthew's Evangelical church, and a director in the Young Men's Christian Association, was shot and killed on Wednesday night while he and a companion were fleeing from a carpenter shop where they had tried to commit burglary.

The Episcopal Diocesan Convention, in session at Charleston, has decided by a large majority to exclude colored members from seats on the floor, but allowing the present colored member to retain his seat until his privileges are lost by resignation or death; the settlement of the negro question is not final, however, as the Convention retains the power to admit colored delegates at any time.

Rubber Belting and Packing at J. F. Edwards'.

Large stock Paints and Oils at J. F. Edwards'.

Large stock of Iron Age Cultivators and Double Shovel Plows for sale by J. F. Edwards.

Wm. Deering's Mowers, Reapers and Binders for sale by J. F. Edwards.

Parties wishing to purchase Iron Safes will save money by calling on J. F. Edwards. He is agent for Macneal & Urband's Iron Safes.

Large stock Wagon and Buggy material for sale at J. F. Edwards'.

Buy the Excelsior Cook Stove. The best in use, at J. F. Edwards'.

Housekeepers are Bothered Just Now About Finding Something to Eat.

- SUGGESTION: Ferris' Hams, Breakfast
- SUGGESTION: Strips, Beef Tongue and
- SUGGESTION: Dried Beef.
- SUGGESTION: New Orleans Molasses—very
- SUGGESTION: finest goods.
- SUGGESTION: Eggs, Potatoes.
- SUGGESTION: Rice, Oatmeal, Hominy.
- SUGGESTION: Canned Fruits and Vegeta-
- SUGGESTION: bles, Pickles, Sauces, &c.

Special attention called to another lot of CHOICE BUTTER.

R. W. Jones & Co.,

SALE OF TOWN LOT.

Default having been made in the payment of a certain bond executed to me by Dr. S. D. Booth, on the 8th September, 1887, and secured by mortgage on real estate, I shall on Monday, the 12th day of May, 1890, at the courthouse door in Oxford, sell at public auction for cash, the land or lot described in the mortgage which is recorded in Register of Deeds' office, book 25, page 407.

HOWARD DORSEY,
Mortgagee.
April 10, 1890.