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Goods than I have ever carried before.
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NOTES OF THE DAY.

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS SERVED IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

**The Minor Events About the City as
Gathered by the Alert Reporters of
The Day.**

The weather has moderated a little.
Tomorrow ushers in the first of Nov-
ember.

Capt. A. H. A. Williams will speak
at Stem tomorrow.

A number of Oxford people went to
the speaking at Stovall today.

The election excitement operates
against the tobacco market. Breaks
are expected to be light until the latter
part of next week.

It was reported yesterday afternoon
that Hon. J. M. Brower would speak
in the courthouse last night, but if he
had any such intention he changed
his mind after reaching the city.

A colored woman yesterday gather-
ed some loose cotton about the depot,
thrown from the box car destroyed by
fire the night previous. She carried
it home in a bag, and storing the bag
under her bed, left the house. Some
time after neighbors saw smoke com-
ing from her room, and rushing in
found the cotton in a light blaze.
They easily put the fire out.

PURELY PERSONAL.

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

Dr. S. D. Booth went to Chase
City, Va., this morning.

J. Y. Paris returned this morning
from a visit to Tarboro, his old home.

Capt. W. H. White came home this
morning from a visit to the Weldon
Fair.

W. M. Herbert, of Chase City, Va.,
arrived in the city yesterday afternoon
and left again on the morning train.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hicks and lit-
tle daughter, Miss Joy, are guests of
Capt. A. Landis until their new resi-
dence is completed.

Miss Maggie Kingsbury, who was
here several weeks on a visit to rela-
tives and friends, took her departure
this morning for her home in Wil-
mington, N. C.

Ex-Speaker J. R. Webster, of Reids-
ville, and Hon. J. M. Brower spent
last night in Oxford. They went to
Stovall on the morning train and will
return here this afternoon.

Capt. A. F. Spencer, who is super-
intending the building of the new
Presbyterian church, says his father
built the old church just torn down,
and that he is relaying brick laid by
his father fifty-eight years ago.

Make a Note of This.

No tedious waits at Hi. Henry's
minstrels.

No "mouldy chesnuts."

No objectionable features.

No postponement on account of the
weather.

No personal allusions.

No cutting of acts.

No breach of faith with their pat-
rons.

No delay in beginning; curtain rises
at 8.

Performance ends at 10:30.

Encouraged by a long brilliant suc-
cess, Hi. Henry has for the
present season enlarged his popular
minstrel company to thirty stars, com-
posed of the brightest lights on the
minstrel stage. They give an enter-
tainment that is in every way a grati-
fying success, a bright, clean, witty,
talented and artistic program, re-
plete with every feature known to the
minstrel world.

At Oxford Opera House Wednesday
night, Nov. 5. Admission, 25, 50
and 75 cents. Reserved seats at J. G.
Hall's drugstore.

PROF. C. N. GRANDISON.

**A Good Speech in the Opera House Last
Night--Severe on Brower.**

Prof. C. N. Grandison, the colored
orator from Greensboro, made a two
hours' speech in the Opera House last
night. There were about fifty whites
and several hundred colored people to
hear him. He was introduced by E.
W. Cannady.

Grandison is a pure negro, but he is
well educated, a good speaker and be-
lieves in the future of his race. He
gave the negroes good advice, and said
the solution of the Southern problem
was for them to educate themselves,
acquire refinement and they would
command respect. Intelligent, think-
ing men do the ruling and always will
rule. It was natural that the white
people of the South should rule and
combine to prevent the domination of
the ignorant.

Bad white men joined the Republican
party, and by appealing to the preju-
dices and passions of the negroes, drove
them solidly to the polls. He thanked
God that that time has passed and his
people will never again vote for any
one party. They are beginning to
think and when they think they sepa-
rate.

He is a Republican, but he is for
C. H. Moore, the colored man, for
Congress. He was very severe on J.
M. Brower. The little, corrupt boss,
he said, insulted his race, consigning
them to hades. Brower remarked if
some of the negroes don't vote for
him he will get more white votes.
Grandison brought down the house by
saying he didn't know so much about
that—Democrats don't usually swal-
low a man after the negroes spew him
him up; only buzzards would pick up
the dirty little fellow.

He pronounced the statement cir-
culated by Brower, that Moore was paid
to run by the Democrats, a lie.
He knew it to be a lie; he knew what
he was talking about. White Repub-
licans in Forsyth and Guilford coun-
ties are paying Moore's expenses, and
if the negroes stick to Moore as they
should he will be elected.

Grandison was frequently interrup-
ted by Brower's henchmen, but he
answered them sharply and silenced
them. At a signal from one of the
boss' men, in the midst of the speech,
half of the colored people arose in their
seats and left the hall, shouting "hur-
rah for Brower." Grandison says he
was threatened with a whipping when
he came out; but the threat was an
idle one, for he departed unmolested.

Services at Baptist Church.

The services at the Baptist church
increase in interest and earnestness
each night. "My Son, Give Me
Thine Heart," was Mr. White's text
last night, and so earnest and pathetic
were his pleadings for the Master that
twenty professed to give their souls to
God, while a large number were
asking, "what must I do to be saved?"

The congregations are large each
night, and if the interest continues to
increase, the people of the town will
be stirred on the subject of religion as
they never were before.

Pastor Hardaway is anxious for
everybody to attend, and extends a
most cordial invitation to all.

For Sale.

A beautiful chestnut sorrel mare, eight
years old, gentle, sound, any body can drive
her; with a good harness and phaeton; for
sale cheap for cash. Apply to Rev. Joseph
Rennie, Chase City, Va.

THE CAMPAIGN,

COUNTY AND CONGRESSIONAL WILL CLOSE TOMORROW.

**Brower, Webster and the Democratic
County Candidates Will Speak Here--
Williams Will be in Stem.**

The campaign, county and congres-
sional, will come to a close tomorrow.
Capt. A. H. A. Williams will make
his last speech before the election in
Stem.

Hon. John M. Brower will have a
joint debate with Ex-Speaker J. R.
Webster in Oxford. The Democratic
county and legislative candidates will
also speak here.

Large crowds are expected at both
places.

Oxonians who were at Wilton yester-
day say Mr. Webster went for Mr.
Brower in a style beautiful to behold.
The little Republican boss talked in
his usual reckless strain, and was pulled
up short on several statements which
Mr. Webster pronounced false and
proved they were false.

Mr. Brower had the unblushing ef-
frontery to say the reason Capt. Wil-
iams was not at Wilton was because
he was afraid to come. Hon. A. W.
Graham replied to this, saying that
Capt. Williams fought bravely in the
late war and that there was men in the
crowd who were in battles with him,
who knew that he wasn't afraid of Mr.
Brower or any other man. Voices
yelled "that's so!" and a great cheer
went up for the gallant and beloved
Democratic standard bearer.

Mr. Webster, the county candidates
and Mr. Brower are at Stovall today.

Meeting Postponed.

The president has again found it
necessary to postpone the meeting of
the Oxford Literary Society. The
next meeting will take place at the
residence of J. W. Hays, on Nov.
7th. The following is the program
for the evening.

Play—"King Lear."

Epitome of play, Mrs. H. G. Cooper.

Reading from play, Miss Mattie
Rountree.

Music (inst.) Mrs. H. O. Furman.

Reading from play, A. J. Feild.

Music, (vocal) Miss Annie Powell.

Reading from play, Miss Martha
Wyche.

Vocal duet, Dr. J. E. Wyche and
F. P. Hobgood, Jr.

Essay: Subject, "Lear," B. S.
Royster.

Essay: Subject, "Cordelia," A. A.
Hicks.

Unique Drop Charm.

We had a call today from Prof. H.
H. Bell, proprietor of the Eureka
Scalp Cleaner and Hair Purifier. He
has been in Oxford several months,
and has been liberally patronized by
our people.

The professor is a progressive and
intelligent colored man, and has made
a study of hair. Besides selling and
applying his remedy, he is an expert
maker of hair jewelry. He has just
completed a drop charm made of a
piece of hair from Gen. Robert E.
Lee's war horse. It is a beautiful and
artistic piece of work. The hair was
given to him by an Oxford lady,
whose father secured it in the '60's.
He has also a piece of jewelry made
from the tail of Stonewall Jackson's
"Old Sorrel."

Prof. Bell deserves much credit and
is deservedly successful. He sets a
good example for his race.

If you want a frame made for a crayon,
oil painting, or any kind of picture, go to
Brinkley's Photograph Gallery.

Guns, rifles and pistols at J. F. Edwards'

FRESH FROM THE PRESS.

**Happenings in North Carolina and
Elsewhere from Today's Papers.**

The Greensboro Daily *Workman*
says: Associate Justice Avery, whose
opinion should command the highest
respect, having heard the preaching of
Evangelist Fife, thinks Mr. Fife will
yet surpass the celebrated Moody as a
revivalist.

The Asheville *Citizen* says: It now
begins to look as if the murder of Mrs.
Rhoda Morrison by her husband,
Henry T. Morrison, was a story manu-
factured out of the whole cloth. The
woman, it seems, is still alive. Henry
T. Morrison, who was arrested, has
been discharged by the prosecuting
attorney.

A syndicate of capitalists from
Washington, D. C., Roanoke and
Petersburg, representing a capital of
over one million dollars, has purchased
several hundred acres of land in Chest-
field county, just across the river from
Petersburg, Va., and will build a new
town. A good deal of this land is on
the river flats, where mills and factories
of all kinds are to be erected. The
new town will be connected with
Petersburg by a handsome bridge over
the Appomattox river, and a line of
electrical cars.

The postmaster of New York makes
the announcement that the act of
Congress excluding lottery matter
from the mails prohibits not only the
mailing of lottery tickets, circulars,
etc., but also newspapers or other
publications containing any advertise-
ment of any lottery or gift enterprise
of any kind offering prizes, dependent
upon choice; and, furthermore, that the
law offices of the postoffice has decid-
ed that advertisements of European
government bonds are held to come
within the provisions of the new law.

A Louisville, Ky., telegram of the
28th says: Incorporation papers for a
tobacco company which embraces
nearly all leading warehouses in this
city and Cincinnati, and of which
of much has already been published,
were filed to-day. Its business em-
braces storing and selling leaf tobacco
and everything that usually belongs to
warehouseing. The capital stock is
\$4,000,000, one half preferred. The
preferred stock is to have dividends of
8 per cent per annum out of the earn-
ings, but nothing more. The corpora-
tion may issue \$1,000,000 in bonds.
The principal places of business are
Louisville and Cincinnati, and the di-
rectory which holds until January in-
cludes the best warehousemen in the
two cities. It is claimed by the in-
corporators that the organization will
be of great benefit to tobacco growers.
There will be fewer agents, and the
agents pay, they assert, comes finally
from the grower. The organization
will control nine-tenths of the leaf to-
bacco of this region.

Kalamazoo celery at Couch's.
Aspinwall bananas at Couch's.
Baldwin apples at Couch's.
Cataba grapes at Couch's.
Fine oranges at Couch's

Chewing Tobacco.

"Matinee"—You all know the brand.
Five boxes received today at
The Oxford Drug Store.
JOHN P. STEDMAN.

Norwood Cigars, all brands, at J. R.
Couch's drugstore.

Parties wishing to purchase Iron Safe
will save money by calling on J. F. Ed-
wards. He is agent for Macneal & Ur-
band's Iron Safes.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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

Mrs. Wood's Infallible Salve at J. R.
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wards'

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ply to
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