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BAKERS,
Candy Makers and Fruiters,
OFFER TO-DAY!

10 Pails of Atwater's Mince
Best on the market, 15c.
1 pound, 2 pounds for 25c.
5 Cases London Layer Raisins.
10 Cases Sultana Seedless Raisins.
5 Cases Valencia Raisins, 15c.
2 pounds for 25 cents.
10 lbs. Figs. 1 lb. boxes.
Vanilla, Flavoring Extracts,
Essences, &c.

Candy! Candy! Candy!
Over 100 Styles Fine French
Candies.
Plain Candy, Coconut
Candy, Fruit Candy, Taffy, etc.,
made fresh daily.

Gum Drops! Gum Drops!
10c. POUND.
Malaga Grapes, Bananas,
Apples, Lemons, etc.

All Kinds of Nuts!
Have orders for Fruit Cakes
made it is too late.

W. JACKSON & CO.,
HERNDON BLOCK NO. 3,
Oxford, N. C.

HOLIDAY SWEETS!

Malaga Grapes 25 cents pound
Oranges, finest on the
market at Couch's.

Swiss and other varieties of
Candy at Couch's.
Best Cocoanuts in town at
Couch's.
Cigars at Couch's.
Lemons at Couch's.

Vanilla, Citron, Currants, Fla-
voring Extracts of all kinds and
necessary for the
holiday trade at

COUCH'S,
Oxford, N. C.

DOOR TO POSTOFFICE.

SAUSAGE!

MECKLER'S
Pork Sausage

RECEIVED DAILY AT

M. OVERTON'S

GROCERY.

Class Groceries, Fancy
Candy, always on hand.

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.

Wagon loads of turkeys are seen on
the streets.

As for the weather, it looks like it
has snow on tap.

Meeting of Oxford Lodge, No. 103,
I. O. O. F., tonight.

W. Z. Mitchell's residence on Broad
street is about completed.

The framing of A. P. Fleming's
new residence, on Broad street, is up.

The Oxford Female Seminary will
give a two weeks' holiday, beginning
tomorrow.

C. F. Kingsbury is having the Old
Granville Warehouse remodeled, and
will change it into a leaf factory.

A white baby, dead, was found yester-
day in the woods near Lewis' Sta-
tion. Coroner Renn was summoned,
and is holding an inquest today.

Hall's Christmas advertisement on
the second page of THE DAY points
out to holiday shoppers the way they
should go to make their purchases.

One of Oxford's most prominent to-
barconists and an accomplished young
lady of the county will be married
December 24. Invitations were is-
sued today.

The marriage of W. W. Jones and
Miss Mary Walker will be solemnized
in the Orphan Asylum chapel at 8:30
o'clock tomorrow evening. Rev. Dr.
B. F. Dixon will officiate. The cere-
mony will be public.

Arthur Pleasants, general agent for
Virginia and North Carolina of the
Agricultural Insurance Co., went with
J. B. Roller yesterday to adjust the
loss on the house destroyed by fire
last week on Zack Hampton's planta-
tion, in this county.

PURELY PERSONAL.

The Doings and Whereabouts of Some
People You Know.

M. F. Hart went to Weldon this
morning.

Henry Strause, of Durham, is in
the city today.

A. J. Feild was a passenger on the
Henderson train this morning.

Miss Maggie Wood, of Person coun-
ty, is visiting Mrs. Dr. P. Booth.

R. A. East returned yesterday after-
noon from a visit to his family at Hous-
ton, Va.

Rev. W. L. Cuninggim and Rev. J.
H. Hall returned from Wilson this
morning.

Misses Annie Lockhart and Effie
Gregory went to Albin on the morn-
ing train.

Miss Ella Thomas, who is a teacher
at the Thomasville Orphanage, is home
to spend the Christmas.

We are pleased to learn that Jim
Meadows is up and nearly recovered
from his spell of sickness.

Miss Ella Holt, who had been visit-
ing Mrs. O. J. Hayes, left this morn-
ing for her home in Chase City, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Dalby arrived
home last night from Ocala, Fla. The
doctor was a delegate to the Farmers'
Alliance convention.

Misses Annie Lockhart and Effie
Gregory and J. F. Rogers and W. T.
Clement returned last evening from a
visit of several days to Cuninggim,
N. C.

J. Y. Paris and W. T. Lawrence
came back yesterday afternoon from
their trip to Richmond, Va. They
looked happy and evidently had a pleas-
ant visit.

C. H. Pearson left this morning for
Mecklenburg county, Va., to attend
the marriage of Mrs. Pearson's sister,
Miss Henrietta Goode, to June Alston,
of Townesville, N. C., which will
take place tomorrow morning at the
residence of the bride's father, Hon.
E. B. Goode.

THE RIGHT WAY.

Mr. Kittrell to Furnish Plan and
Specification for Waterworks.

The city fathers are for waterworks
and are going to contract for water-
works. But they intend going about
it in a business way, and secure a first-
class system, and get it as cheap as
possible. All of which is right.

At a special meeting held yesterday
afternoon they decided to employ J.
W. Kittrell, of the Stanwix Engineer-
ing Company, to make a survey of the
town, and furnish plan and specifica-
tions, which will be submitted to a
number of waterworks companies for
bids.

Mayor Smith was appointed a com-
mittee of one to rent out the Opera
House after the expiration, January 1,
of the contract with Kronheimer,
Hall & Smoot.

A rock culvert was ordered to be
built across the new part of McClan-
nahan street recently extended to the
new cemetery. The name of McClan-
nahan street is to be changed to Penn
Avenue.

The Vance Debt Matter.

A Henderson correspondent of the
Raleigh News and Observer writes:

Upon the creation of Vance county
the legislature provided that the citi-
zens and taxable property taken from
the county of Granville should not be
released from their proportion of the
outstanding public debt of Granville.
The matter has been in the courts since
1881, and has just been determined by
the Supreme Court, by which the
Vance county proportion of Gran-
ville's debt with interest is \$5,534-
29, something less than half the amount
claimed by Granville. It is a matter
of consolation that the commissioners
of Vance are prepared to pay the
amount in full as soon as proper orders
can be made in the case.

If it is only five and a half thousand
dollars we are to get from Vance
county, there is nothing to hinder the
magistrates and county commissioners
adding to that sum enough to make
ten thousand dollars, and fix up our
courthouse as it should be fixed.

Horner School Entertainment.

Dr. G. A. Wauchope's elocution
class will give an entertainment under
his direction in the hall of the Hor-
ner School next Thursday evening.

The cadets will amuse and enter-
tain the audience with several features
rather unique, such as college songs,
original poems, class prophet, histo-
rian, etc.

The public are cordially invited to
attend. No other invitations will be
issued.

Cold Facts.

'A young man in Oxford told this
story.

He says one winter night, some
years back, the kerosene oil froze in
his lamp while the wick was burning.
"That is nothing," said another
very veracious gentleman. "I lived in
the West for a while, and the weather
was so cold out there that you could
milk a cow by a red hot stove and
get ice cream!"

Hotel Arrivals.

OSBORN HOUSE.—W. J. Adams,
R. W. Adams, C. H. Butler, W. P.
Tally, G. H. Faucett, N. C.; Wm.
H. C. Moss, Boston; H. P. Robinson,
Littleton, N. C.; Sam M. Pritchett,
C. H. Nesbitt, Louis Stern, Balti-
more.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—S. G. Ring,
Kernersville; W. H. Horton, Beck.

Bananas at Couch's only 25c. doz.

N. C. CONFERENCE.

REV. R. F. BUMPASS APPOINTED
TO THE OXFORD STATION.

Rev. W. L. Cuninggim Will Go to
Henderson—Rev. J. H. Hall Return-
ed to Oxford Circuit—Interesting
Figures.

The North Carolina Conference,
M. E. Church, South, in session at
Wilson, yesterday announced the ap-
pointments for the next year.

Rev. R. F. Bumpass will succeed
Rev. W. L. Cuninggim as pastor of
Oxford station. Mr. Bumpass was
at Durham last year. Mr. Cuning-
gim goes to Henderson. Rev. J. H.
Hall was returned to Oxford circuit.

Rev. J. A. Cuninggim was made
presiding elder of the Raleigh dis-
trict, and Dr. E. A. Yates of the Dur-
ham district.

The Conference passed a resolution
recommending that the preachers take
collections in every church in the con-
ference on Thanksgiving Day for the
benefit of the Orphan Asylum at Ox-
ford; and requesting that the Bishop
set aside Dr. Black to the work to
which he has been called by the
Board of Directors at the Oxford Or-
phan Asylum.

The following is the report of the
treasurer of the Board of Missions:
Amount raised the past year for fore-
ign missions \$9,777.97, being a gain
over last year of \$4,946.90; for domes-
tic missions \$5,350.73, being a gain
of \$707.79. This does not include
amounts raised by the Western North
Carolina Conference, by the Woman's
Missionary Society and the Bright
Jewels.

The amount raised for superannuated
preachers, widows and orphans of de-
ceased preachers, \$4,549.55.

The amount raised for support of
Bishop, \$1,477.94; for foreign mis-
sions, \$10,344.34; domestic missions,
\$5,520.25; church extension, \$2,272-
22; number of members, 52,923, in-
crease of more than 2,000; infants bap-
tized, 1,112; adults, 2,438; number of
Sunday schools, 564; Sunday school
scholars, 34,288; number of churches
in the Conference, 537; value of
churches, \$650,240; number of par-
sonages, 84; value, \$107,435.

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

K. R. G. at Couch's.

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

TUETONIC—the best 5c. Cigar. Try
it, at J. P. Stedman's.

Mrs. Woods salve will cure any skin
disease for sale by J. R. Couch & Co.

For Rent.

Three nice dwellings. Apply to
W. C. BIGGS.

We will give big bargains in millinery for
thirty days. HART & LAWRENCE.

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

Florida oranges at Couch's 40 and 50c. a
doz.

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.

Bronze Busts, Urns, Pitchers, &c., at the
Oxford Book Store.

Wood.

We are prepared to furnish good oak
and hickory wood in any quantity, delivered
at our shops or elsewhere in the city. We
bring it in on the R. R. and will have a
supply in all kinds of weather.
HUNDLEY BROS. & Co.

A Big Bargain.

One hundred acres of land within a mile
of the corporate limits will be sold at a
bargain. For particulars, apply to this
office.

Beautiful new line of Antique Oak,
Plush Rockers; Willow Rockers and high
art furniture at
Jos. A. WEBB'S.

Baldwin apples at Couch's—best apple on
the market.

FRESH FROM THE PRESS.

Happenings in North Carolina and
Elsewhere From Today's Papers.

It is reported that Sitting Bull, the
Indiap chief, has been killed.

Senator Zeb Vance took part in the
force bill debate yesterday, and made
a ringing speech.

King Kalakaua's visit to the Unit-
ed States is surmised to have for its
object the sale of his island dominion to
Secretary Blaine.

Raleigh has raised and forwarded
\$113 for placing headstones over the
graves of North Carolina soldiers bur-
ied at Fredricksburg, Va.

A dispatch from Dakota says that
the Indians who belonged to Buffalo
Bill's Wild West show are doing good
work among the unruly redskins, and
that to their efforts as much as to any
one thing the prevention of an out-
break may be attributed.

The Wilmington Messenger says
that Wm. and J. A. Bonitz, of Wil-
mington, are distantly related to the
celebrated Dr. Koch, and that his
father, their father, and the father of
the Rev. F. W. E. Peschau were as-
sociated together in operations of the
silver and copper mines of the Harz
mountains in Hanover.

Marcellus Dawson, Tom Lane and
another man were hunting rabbits near
Greenville recently, and as they were
returning home and when out near the
road stopping to rest, suddenly Daw-
son called, "there goes a rabbit," and
in whirling to shoot it the whole load
of his gun struck Lane, who was a few
yards away. Sunday Dawson offered
to surrender to the sheriff, but the
killing being purely accidental, the
officer would not hold him.

A Charlotte dispatch of yesterday
says: Capt. John G. Potts, of the
Confederate war, and a well known
citizen, committed suicide by shooting
himself through the head with a 38-
calibre pistol, at 6 o'clock this morn-
ing. He had just gotten out of bed
and kindled a fire in the kitchen, when
his family was aroused by the report of
the shot, and rushing in the room
found him lying on the floor, with his
pistol by his side, and blood and brains
oozing from his head. Potts was a
bookkeeper, fifty years old, and why
he committed the rash act is not known.
He was a devout church member, and
for years had been an elder in the
Presbyterian Church.

Christmas Holiday Rates.

The Richmond & Danville R. R.
will sell tickets between all points on
its line in North Carolina on account
of the Christmas holidays, at rate four
(4) cents per mile one way, for the
roundtrip. Tickets on sale December
20 to 25 inclusive, good returning un-
til and including January 2; and
December 29 to 31 inclusive, good
returning until and including January
5, 1891.

Tickets will also be sold Inter-State
and to points on other roads as fol-
lows: From Charlotte, Greensboro,
Winston-Salem, Durham, Raleigh,
Goldsboro, to Washington, D. C.,
Lynchburg, Richmond, Va., Wil-
mington, Fayetteville, N. C.; Chester,
Columbia, S. C., and Augusta, Ga.

Reduced Rates.

The Richmond & Danville Rail-
road will sell tickets to the Southern
Inter State Immigration Association,
at Asheville, N. C., and return from
coupon ticket stations on its lines at
rate of one first class limited or un-
limited fare for the round trip.

Tickets on sale December 13th to
and including trains scheduled to ar-
rive at Asheville forenoon of Decem-
ber 17th, 1890, good returning until
and including December 24th, 1890.

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.

Jewels and Pin Cases in Oxddized Silver
and Plush at the Oxford Book Store.