## Our Motto-Granville County, Her People, Their Progress and Development in Education, Happiness and Prosperity.

ISSUED SEMI-WEEKLY.

A Wagon Factory.

From a manufacturing stand point played well the part of Rip Van Winkle for about a century. It has only been about ten years since he was awakened from her slumbers the blowing of the whistles of the Body, Furniture, Cotton Malls and other manufacturing plants. compare, if you will, her commercial increasing of to-day with that 1900 and 1912 and you will be able, in a measure, to appreciate the important part manufacturing plants play in the

up-building of a town. There have been no development of my consequence for past half dozen years, and so Oxford had gone to sleep mean, to be recently awakened by admitting the Carolina Power Company to our midst, and now the Excelsior Sent Company, a large Columbus, Ohio, cornection has practically taken over the Harris Glenn Buggy Company as a branch of their Columbus factory. They will enlarge this, making it one of the most up-to-date body factories in the South. These two new additions a our manufacturing interests is a arward move for Oxford. household

Now if the monied men of Oxford all put about one handred thousand re-late wagon factory, to manufacture commission. larin wagous, spring delivery wagons and hacks, with a capable man to ducer-a thing that capital has a millinery opening. special fondness for-as well as a big town builder. To my mind I cannot conceive of any manufacturing enterprise that it is possible to secure that offers so much encouragement to the the town as does a modern wagon fac- up some sort of a bluff.

There can be no mistake in the asfor another wagon factory. There has farmers and taxpavers, hear about twenty-five buggy and only three or four wagon factories organized in the South during the past fifteen vents. A well-known manufacturer of both wagons and buggies remarked to larger profit for the manufacture of mence on the 14th of April. wagons than of buggies. I am sure the two assets enumerated above, that at the helm, would guarantee a finan- money for very small labor. cial success. I am writing this with a view that the question may be agitated, and that an up-to-date plant with its manifold interest to the community

will be the outcome. And while we are attating the quesnecessity of street improvements, especially the sidewalks and crossings. It is indeed humiliating for our people to be compelled to wade through mud and water as they go about their business, as has been the case during the past winter. I think the town dads, id which I am one, should do some permanent work this spring and summer ith the rock crusher.

Yours for progress all along the line. B. F. TAYLOR. have weight with the money ing out his feathers. itersts of Oxford. High Point is nown as the "Grand Rappid of the "The acquition of another facity along the line suggested by Mr. aylor, along with the allied industries. ould make Oxford the "Wheel Town" the State. We also agree with Mr. aylor that something should be done or the betterment of our streets. Oxand is known abroad as the "Athens North Carolina," and if something is of done to improve our streets our ur town will be named the "Venice of

## Ien Commandments.

The Public Ledger received the folment, repudiating the audacity of the books as well. oung man in question: When ready to marry thou shall

Thou shall remember that I like on your property. u talk to all pretty girls

with me whatever.

thou shall not kiss other lips than usefulness and health.

/- Thou will treat me with courtesy; It tender-hearted and cannot stand sh freatment.

in my sight. Hou shall permit me to butt into as well as their friends.

private conversations. 1. When ready to part thou shall tute me with a kiss.

oblige the Granville Grays by letting upon Granville county. fact be known to the undersigned. the of this property has been misaced, and it means dollars and cents the Company. Any information by this line will be greatly appreci-

Respectfully, T. G. STEM, Captain Co. E.

the people want it to, tried to put it through.



It takes a man of originality to pose as a successful liar.

Hello, George we continue to be in a drowning condition.

It's his running expenses that keep many a man behind.

All the ladies are ever so anxious for the millinery openings.

Does a thin woman worry because she has such a narrow outlook? At the present rate of the weather

we will be able to thaw out in July.

A little daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. Ira Howard to joy to the

Mud reigned supreme Sunday and Monday, and automobiles were out of are enhanced by a hat exactly suited

run it, it would prove a dividend pro- good looks and winning ways for the

Mr. E. C. Harris, one of the county's best citizens, announces his candidacy for County Treasurer.

avestor and the general interests of let a man kiss her without first putting type of face and figure.

The abuse of good roads is not one of sertion that there is room in the South the ways to make them popular with of the Women's Literary Club are held

> Read sale of land advertised in another column by C. G. Royster and A. A. Hicks, Mortgagee.

A creamery would bring money to of sufficient capital and the right man the farmer's wife and daughters-

> Your attention is directed to service by summons by J. G. Shotwell, Clerk of the Court in, another column.

We are pleased to learn that our popular young friend, Kerr Taylor, who Indian melody. Mrs. Hays illustrated inn of a factory, let us also agitate the has been quite sick, is convalescent.

We call your attention to the administrator's notice of Chas. Howard on the mind the picture so graphically the late Hon. Baldy Williams, and is S. B. Phillips, pastor of the Presbyte- announcing that fact to the citizens of last page as you might be interested.

Keep your light burning, That those gone astray May thank you for showing

Their spirits the way.

Monday morning early after the rain a rendered on the piano by Miss Marv buzzard was sitting on top of a chim- Webb. The above remarks of Mr. Taylor ney amid the smoke warming and dry-

Three setter puppies have been en- Mary Webb at the piano. rolled as students in the University of Kansas by a professor who wants to white, the club colors, matching the Eastern and Central parts of the State learn whether dogs have minds. How lovely decorations of jonquils, the club in which a black majority threatened about the professor's mind?

It's sad to be an oyster, It's worse to be a clam; The best thing really to be Is just a living man.

will deeply regret to learn that she was Bliss in the Upper and Better Kingdom the White Supremacy Campaign of stricken with paralysis a few days ago, after a short illness. Ever since Mrs. 1900, that he stood ready to sacrifice his and little hopes are entertained for her Wright was stricken little hopes were own property and did, we are reliably

It is now believed that a good fruit ten commandments from a season is opening. May there be no Mrs. Sam. C. Averett, surrounded by ounglady. Of course we will not di- disappointment in this regard, as the the her name, but we will vouch for fruits of this section mean so much for ability to draw up a strong docu- health, satisfaction and the pocket-

Your special attention is called to woman, a devoted mother, kind symthe advertisement of Granville Real pathetic neighbor and friend, and ever mitteemen and eighteen negro magis-Estate & Trust Co. on the last page, ready to do a good deed. Thou shall remember me and for- and wake up to the fact that now is Mrs. Mary Brent Wright, widow of negroes actually composed a jury be- the ladies of Oxford and Granville the time to take out tornado insurance the L E. Wright, was born near Oxford

S. D. Booth are glad to know that he educated at Oxford Baptist College sitis much improved after his recent se- uated where the present Stradley will not support Senator Simmons in Thou shall not flirt with other vere illness. May he continue to improve and be spared many years of which is the Orphan Asylum. Early the Democratic party and his worth to

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will hold a sale of cakes and other deserts on Saturday before Easter. They will also take Thou shall not talk to other boys orders for that day in advance and will Meadows, and others. appreciate the patronage of the public

Devin is the choice of the people to thorn and Mrs. M. E. Allen, of Halifax; the light that Senator Simmons had deagain represent them in the Legisla- Mrs. A. P. Overton, of Conway's Mill, CHIZENS: Any citizen having ture. He is conservative, looks closely and Mrs. A. B. Overton, of Durham; release of the whereabouts of any after the interest of his constituency, one daughter, Mrs. Samuel C. Averett; heary property, especially ponchos, and ranked among the able men of the two sons, Cortez and Roy B. Wright;

The State Executive Committee has acted wisely in fixing the Senatorial Primary for election day, the first Tues- Mrs. S. C. Averett, on Broad street, day in November, despite the fears of this Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock some that it will divert attention from the other candidates. The primary Cemetery. will strengthen the whole ticket, as it he right seems slow in getting where will bring out a full vote, and every Democrat who desires to participate a job at Callis' Carriage Shop to be re- past history, debating men and meawill find the politicians haven't must show his colors by voting the painted and a new set of rubber sures, and will be governed accord- MR. W J. HUNT is having his buggy then blame me, for I must collect the straight ticket.

OXFORD, N. C., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1912.

Veterans Crosses of Honor. W. L. Robards, G. P. Stroud, John D. portunity for loyers. By request. Williams, C. R. Thomason, J. P. Cannady, J. B. Currin, Johua Overton, W. B. Royster, C. F. Turner, F. M. Woody.

Oh, That Easter Hat. openings are at hand the affair of the portance, and is quite likely to become taking a short bridal tour they will were in town, Monday. mixed up with that of the young man's make Oxford their home. fancy. Aside from this very alluring seed corn in another part of this paper. figures in the case not all, the choice of the Easter hat is a matter of moment wnich it is well worth while to consider. Any one who has once possessed an unusually becoming hat, has discovered how much her good looks It makes a girl awfully ashamed to gress that there is a shape for every vited to be present.

> The Women's Literary Club. Some of the most pleasant meetings with Mrs R. L. Brown, and the one one on March 19th was no exception to the Mr. and Mrs. William Howerton White

Realizing that "variety is the spice of life" the program committee de-The pastors and layman are getting parted from the prescribed literary the that the future held in store a ready for the revival meeting to com- subject and arranged a musical program for the afternoon.

The papers were "Folk Music in Amerca," by Mrs. J. C. Horner, and "American Composers, with Selections," by Mrs. J. G. Hall.

After a few words on folk-music in the music of the Indians, and gave the ing the inspiration and character of the bright, intelligent and companionable. dist Church Sunday afternoon of three the paper, so to speak, with selections of their weird music, adapted to the womanhood. piano by Alice Fletcher, completing in begun by Mrs. Horner.

most noted composers of America. him. The selections "Claire de Qune" and "The Eagle," by McDonald, America's Senator Simmons Stood Ready Something new above the earth. On greates composers, were artistically

Ice cream and cake in yellow and flower, was served by Misses Jose- our institutions, it was by the wise phee Brown and Mary Webb.

She Sweetly Sleeps.

On Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock the death angel bore the spirit of Mrs. The many friends of Mrs. Routon Mary Brent Wright to the Realms of in our affairs, so vital did he regard entertained for her recovery by the attending physicians. She sweetly fell funds to conduct this campaign. Where on sleep at the home of her daughter, else will you find in the history of her loved ones, to whom we extend our sincere condolence in the hour of Granville County when Senator Simdeep grief.

at the old Allen place, on Raleigh road, home is located and at Mills' College, the primary we recognize his fidelity to in life she devoted her time to teaching our Stateand Nation. school, and among some of her girlhood pupils now living in Oxford are: several of our eastern counties which Mrs. Nannie Yancey, Dr. T. L. Booth, were most seriously threatened prior Oxford and the entire county to call Messrs. John C. Haskins, James B. to the memorable campaign of 1090

She joined the Methodist Church at From what we can learn Mr. W. A. by four sisters, Mrs. Cornelia E. Cawlikets, leggins and shirts, will great- last Legislature reflecting great credit one grandson, Roy Brent Wright Jr., and a number of rieces, nephews and other relatives.

The funeral services will be con-

tire wheels.

Picnic Easter Monday.

The Granville Grays Chapter U. D. There will be a picnic on Route 5 have arranged for the presentation from Oxford, Easter Monday at the of Crosses of Honor on May 10th, at home and store of Mr. W. D. Hicks. which time speeches and a program of This is 3 miles below Dexter and 4 interest will be rendered. The follow- miles east of Stovall. Come and bring ng veterans have applied for crosses, a basket of dinner and join the happy and the occasion will be full of interest: throng. An orderly and well behaved J. J. Allgood, J. P. Currin, Wm. Harp, crowd is expected. A splendid op-D. N. HUNT.

Marriage In South Oxford.

A large crowd of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. J. A. town Saturday. In the spring "a young man's Young in South Oxford last Sunday at fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love," 2:30 p. m. to witness the marriage of while his sisters and and all the rest Mr. Ira Williford and Miss Pauline our streets Monday. of his feminine relations engages itself Young. The words that made the two with spring attire. As the millinery one, were spoken by Squire D. N. Hunt. These young people are popular and Easter hat, especially is of the first im- have many friends here, and after

Read the advertisement of prolific prospect, and even when a young man Notice to Executive Committee was in Oxford Monday. The Democratic Executive Committee of the county is hereby called to her sister in Wilmington. to meet in Oxford on Monday, April 1st, 1912, at 12 o'clock. The meeting of the Committee will be held upstairs in was on our streets a few days ago. the court house and it is hoped that every member will be present at the to her own style in shape, in trimming hour named. The details respecting and coloring. She will ever after give the holding of the primarics and Coun-The ladies will have to get on their the selection of her millinery the right ty Convention will come before this attention; devote thought and time meeting and it is earnestly hoped that town Tuesday and called on the Public thereto, and live up the old axoms of every member of the committee will Ledger. the milliners, which is, that every wo- attend. All persons who have anman should look better in her hat nounced their candidacy for nominathan without. Manufacturers of hat- tion for any of the county offices and Va, spent the week end with home shapes and forms have made such pro- all who may expect to do so are in- folks in Oxford.

D. G. Brummitt, Chairman. T. G. STEM, Secretary.

White-Williams. The following invitation has been

request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Lily Belie

Mr. John Arrington Williams on the morning of Tuesday the sixteenth of April at half after eleven o'clock Presbyterian church Oxford, North Carolina.

general Mrs. Horner chose for her theme | County. Everybody is cordially invited. | fraught with great influence wherever Miss White is one of Oxford's splen- he has conducted evangelistic work. club much literary information regard- did young ladies with a host of friends, A meeting was held in the Methopossessing a sweet and amiable dis- representatives from each of the four position and is a practical type of young | churches of the town, and arrangments |

to Sacrifice His Property.

It is said that the memory of a peo-Mrs. J. G. Hall, Mrs. H. M. Shaw and ple for past benefits is short, but we do Mrs. C. D. Ray closed the program with not think the political history of North "A Bedtime Song," by Nevin, with Miss | Carolina during its past fourteen years

will ever be forgotten Faced in 1898 with a situation in the counsel and masterful leadership of one man above all others that we found a way out of the wilderness, and that man was Hon. F. M. Simmons. So deeply did he feel about this crisis informed, mortgage his realty to secure North Carolina such fidelity to a cause. mons bravely stepped into the arena? you buy or not. She was a most excellent christian Surely we can not forget that there

was in conversation with several gentlemen of prominence and questioned the age of sixteen and lived a conse- them regarding their choice for United crated Christian life. She is survived States Senator. They were surprised that such a question should be asked in livered the State from the dominion of at Cohn & Son. We take pleasure in vampires, recalling, as it were, the inviting you to this Grand Millinery m 27-4t] ducted from the home of her daughter, support." What is true in the eastern able to produce these extraordinary our patron. Murray Milling Co., onpart of North Carolina is equally true beautiful creations for she has had long posite Orpham Asylum Machine Shop. in other sections of the State. The experience in the best stores north. If and the interment will be in Elmwood people are debating the Herculean you want a nifty hat for spring and MR. BUXTON AVERETT has placed they are comparing recent history with you.

Mr. F. W. Hancock was in Raleigh vesterday.

Mr. Ed Pruitt, of Route 1, was in

town Monday. Mr. Joe Clement, of Route 1, was in

Mr. J. M. Phipps, of Route 1, was on

Mr. G. W. Elliott and son, of Route 3 were in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Knott, of Enon,

Mr Tilden Barnett, of Shady Grove, Mrs. A. C. Mellichampe is on a visit

Mr. Sam Howard, of Grassy Creek

Mr. F. L. Currin, of Route 6, was in town Monday and called on the "old

Mr. Ralph Jones, near Stem, was in

Mr. Charley Gregory, of South Hill,

Mr. H. L. Perry, a bright young lawyer of Henderson, was in Oxford Saturday on legal business. Mr. T. P. Curl and his bright and at-

tractive daughter, of Creedmoor, were Oxford visitors Saturday. Our old friend Bob Clark, of Berea. was an Oxford visitor Monday and

called on the Public Ledger. Getting Ready for Revival.

The revival services which will be held in the Methodist Church commencing Sunday April 14th. Rev. Wilson, pastor of the Baptist Church of Portsmouth. Va, is a fine speaker and No invitations issued in Granville his sermons are very impressive and

the combined efforts of the Methodist, gratefully remembered. Baptist, Episcopal and Presbyterian pastors in the interest of the spread of christian influence in the community.

MILLINERY OPENING. Mrs. T. Lanier invites the ladies to attend her Spring and Summer Millinery Opening Friday. March 29th. A large and beautiful display of Pattern line of patterns in both cut glass and Hats in all the latest styles and colors silver. await your coming.

OPENING.

The ladies of Oxford and Granville or write to County are most cordially invited to [m.27.5t.pd) Phone 120A Oxford, N. C. attend our Millinery Opening Friday, March 29th, Miss Katherine Lease still has charge of our millinery depart-What were the actual conditions in ment and wants to show you, whether Respectfully,

PERKINSON-GREEN CO.

were seventeen negro school com- NOTICE OF MILLINERY OPENING. We will display our spring hats Fri- Incubator in good condition, includins trates in this county, and that seven day, March 29th, and we invite all of a Brooder. Apply to Wade H. Britt. fore which a white citizen was arrainged. It was Senator Simmon who est and most artistic creations in mill- bar, belt, bearty and hat pins from 25 more recently occupied by Dr. C. D. H. dispelled the dark cloud that hung so inery that has ever been our pleasure cents up. The host of friends of the good Dr. Fort, on December 18, 1849. She was menacingly over the Old North State. to show. Come, we have a treat in THE LONG CO.

MILLINERY OPENING.

We hereby announce the date of our A gentleman who recently visited Spring Opening Friday, March 29th. and most cordially invite the ladies of and inspect our beautiful display of spring hats of tde latest creations. We buggy repaired and painted at Callis' will have them to suit all. Come, look Carriage Shop. and buy. Very respectfully, LANDIS & EASTON.

GRAND MILLINERY OPENING dark period prior to the sledged-ham- Opening, Friday and Saturday, March mer blows he rendered in welding the 29th and 30th We are displaying a Democratic party in North Carolina. marvelous collection of the handsomest "No, we will not forget," they say, "his hats it is possible to produce. The ter ground. Charge is the eighth and courage in leading us to victory, and very latest styles. Our expert milliner gives patrons meal from his own corn. shall not hesitate to give him our hearty who has just come from Baltimore is task that confronted Senator Simmons summer you can get it at Cohn & Son COHN & SON.

repainted at Callis' Carriage Shop.

S. G. Daniel for Corporation Commissioner.

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A mass meeting of the representative citizens of Warren county was held in the Court House in Warrenton, North Carolina, on the 8th day of February, 1912, for the purpose of presenting the name of Hon. S. G. Daniel to the Democratic party of the State for the position of Corporation Commissioner, to be nominated at the State Convention to be held by said party.

It was unanimously resolved: First-That the Democratic party of Warren county present the name of Hon. L. G. Daniel to the Democratic party of the State as a candidate for the position of State Corporation Commission, and that we put forth every

honorable effort to secure his nomination and election. Second-That we submit to the Democratic party a candidate in all respects qualified to hold this important position. Mr. Daniel has long been an active practicing lawyer in Warren county and before the courts of the State. He secured his license after reading law in the celebrated law school of Dick and Dıllard, at Greensboro, and immediately became closely identified with the people and their interest, both locally and in the State

at large. Mr. Daniel has taken an active part in Democratic politics. He was one of the large factors which overthrew Radicalism in this county and was the first Democratic member of the Legislature from this county elected by white voters after Reconstruction days. For three terms Mr. Daniel faithfully represented this county and boldly and cleanly and courageously stood for those measures which tended to the welfare of the State of North Carolina. Mr. Daniel is no trimmer; he is clean in life and the atmosphere about him and his acts, private and official is

wholesome and pure. Mr. Daniel is now a Director of the State Hospital for Insane and a member of the Executive Committee. He takes a close interest in the affairs of the State and is well posted in every public matter and will make such a Corporation Commissioner that his friends will be proud of his official life and the State of North Carolina will rank him as one of its most faithful officers. The county of Warren, with great pride and with assurance of success, will press Mr. Dantel's candidacy

first, last and all the time.—The Record.

ANNOUNCEMENT. Having decided to become a candiwere consumated for the systematic date for the Democratic nomination Mr. Williams is the youngest son of work of the protracted services. Rey. for Treasurer, I take this method of one of our coming young business men, rian church, was requested to take the county. Always I have been a Mrs. Hall, in a very pleasing mna- of high character, popular with his charge of the singing of the meeting, loyal Democrat, having made the fight ner, gave the club a brief sketch of the friends, and has a bright future before and will fill place of precentor, which for Sheriff for the party at a time when he has very successfully done in the all knew that I could not be elected. management and leading of choruses If nominated and elected I will give in other meetings. Mr. J. C. Robards, my best service to people, not only in of St. Stephen's Church was chosen as the detail of managing the finances of manager of the ushers of the meeting. the county but will give my aid to all Every prelimiary is being arranged to those forces that tend to the bettermake the services attractive, and it is ment and uplift of our people. Any hoped that great good will result from support that may be given me will be E. C. HARRIS.

## BUSINESS BUILDERS.

Montauk's Cream at Hamilton's.

CUT GLASS and Silverware, A new OXFORD JEWELRY CO.

WANTED-Furniture to repair and refinish, antique especially. Call on J. E. ADKINSON,

MR.OSCAR PATTERSON has placed

his buggy at Callis' Carriage Shop to be repainted. Buy your Gasoline at Hamilton's

and get votes. FOR SALE-One 250 Egg Cypherg

NEW JEWELRY:-A new line of OXFORD JEWELRY CO.

Buy a \$1.00 trade book at Hamilton's and get 10,000 votes in the con-SCREEN DOORS and Windows just

arrived. Nice lot. Can put them up L B. TURNER. for you. m 22 4t. MR. JAS. GREENWAY is having his

PIGS FOR SALE.—I have thoroughbred duroc Jersey Pigs, seven weeks

old, for sale. Price \$5 each. RALPH JONES. Route 1, Stem, N. C.

WHAT MURRAY DOES

Grinds corn into meal equal to wa-Bring us a load and you will remain

PAY YOUR TAXES.

All real-estate that the taxes are not in the the days that tried men's souls; and at a price so low that it will astound paid on by April 1st will be advertised and sold. This means trouble for me and cost for you Don't put it off and taxes. S. M. WHEELER, Sheriff.