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If your chickens are troubled with lice call at this office and get a can of "Lice Killer" and relieve your fowls. Price 25cts a quart. Dealers and Brooders are everywhere. Write for particulars. H. Brill, Agent.

WANTED—At Oxford Furniture Factory 6 young men that are willing to work. Apply to B. M. Hubbard, Superintendent.

The Satisfied Smile

that comes over a man's face when he smokes one of our cigars is a sufficient endorsement of the judgment and care which enters into the selection of our stock.

Let's here, because the stock is large enough to embrace the preference of every particular smoker.

We have pipes too, very large assortment for any kind of money. Come to see us.

J. G. HALL, Druggist. Phone 72.

B. F. Kronheimer

Holiday Shopping.

HOW NEAR

are the holidays and to merely remind you of the fact we mention it.

Our stock was never so complete as right now because our buyer just returned from his second trip to New York and filled in all the weak places besides purchasing an immense lot of merchandise suitable for Christmas presents.

2000 yards of all wool 38 inch Venetian cloth a elegant material for suits and waists, this is 75c article but will go at 49c per yard.

3000 yards of black chevrots, serges, granite cloth and mohairs for dresses and skirts, worth 60c at 49c.

Beautiful Belts worth 50 cents at only 29c.

Flannel waists in latest colors and styles at 98c worth 1 25, 27 inch tan colored coats worth 5 00 at 3 48, 27 inch Black coats worth 1 00 at 7 24 each.

Childrens Automobile coats 6 to 14 sizes at 1.98.

You can easily save 1-4 by buying here.

B. F. KRONHEIMER, 113 W Main Street, DURHAM, N. C.

E. T. White, Pres. J. M. Currin, Vice-Pres. H. G. Cooper, Cashier.

THE BANK OF GRANVILLE

solicits the accounts of every body and offers every Banking accommodation. Security and safety guaranteed to all.

Capital Stock Paid Up \$30,000
Reserve and Undivided Profits 30,000
Security to Depositors \$85,000

The Savings Department

pays 4 per cent. interest on time deposits. Security to depositors more than One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS.

Short Items Dealing With the News of a Week.

Material is being hauled for the erection of another dwelling on Broad street.

New back porch has been added to the girls building at Colored Orphan Asylum.

Capt. A. S. Peace has made some needed improvements to his store out on Raleigh road.

Mr. Wallace White has received his stock of goods and opened up quite neat store in the White building.

Bullock & Mitchell averaged on Nov. 15 for all grades of tobacco on their floor, including scrap, \$18.21.

Holiday goods, toys and Christmas presents of every description, confectioneries, fruits etc., at Hall's drug store.

Mr. B. T. Hunt and Miss Mary E. Willford were married in Brassfield Township Sunday evening, Squire A. P. Overton performing the ceremony.

Rev. J. B. Hurley, the agent of the Methodist Orphanage had great success at Durham Sunday. Main Street Methodist church gave him \$2,000 for the Orphanage.

The sale of the personal property of the late Fielding Knott took place Thursday at the home place. There was a large crowd present and the sale amounted to about \$4,000.

Rev. T. J. Gattis, of Charlotte arrived in Oxford Wednesday morning to attend a contingent of the Methodist Conference transferred to Oxford in Gattis-Kilgo case.

Mr. T. T. Bobbitt, of Baltimore, the old reliable hat drummer of 25 years standing, was in Oxford Monday. No truer or better man ever sold goods on the road.

How is this? Last week Messrs. Bullock & Mitchell averaged for everything sold on the Banner Warehouse floor \$17.48. Farmers Oxford is undoubtedly the place to sell your tobacco.

Mr. T. W. Jackson is still a seeker after your trade and you cannot deal with a better man. He carries a splendid stock and you are invited to call and see him. Read change in advertisement.

There was a large break of tobacco on the market Tuesday and continues to sell high. "Pungo" was again well represented and the farmers continue to ride off with big money for their tobacco.

Mrs. E. W. Hancock, while engaged Friday in hanging some curtains the chair slipped throwing her to the floor hurting her quite badly, but glad to say not seriously, and has almost recovered from the shock.

The people will find Mr. B. F. Kronheimer, of Durham, one of the safest men to buy dry goods from in that city, and they should be certain to call on him when they go to Durham shopping. Read change in advertisement.

Watch out don't miss Sevengala, the noted Hynotist, who will be at the Opera House December 2, 3 and 4 as you will have lots of fun. Variety is the spice of life and the pleasant managers of the Opera House are doing their best to furnish you with it.

Mr. F. W. Hancock is again on deck with Thanksgiving goods, of the best variety, and housekeepers should not fail to call on him as he knows what they need and is anxious to supply them at the least money. Read his message in another column.

Ye hunters are asked to bear in mind that Mr. E. T. Rawlins, the old reliable fur and hide man is again in the market and wants to buy all the furs and hides that can be had in Granville at spot cash prices. Read his advertisement in another column.

Mr. J. J. Medford has rented the room under Long Bros. store and gone into the wholesale Grocery business, and all merchants who need goods at bottom figures should call on him. Read his card and be certain to call on him as it will probably put money in your pocket.

Mr. Wallace White, quite a clever and upright gentleman of Henderson has located in Oxford and is doing a general merchandise business next door to Landis & Easton, and seeks the trade of our people and you are cordially invited to read his advertisement in another column.

Mr. Wash Lynch, the old reliable jeweller, is keeping up with the demands of the people and has just received a beautiful and attractive line of the latest fads in jewelry and you cordially invited to call and see them. They will be sold at bed rock prices and we ask you to read his advertisement in another column.

Modern Surgery Surpassed.

While suffering from a bad case of piles I consulted a physician who advised me to try a box of DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve," says G. F. Carter, Atlanta, Ga. "I procured a box and was entirely cured. DeWitts Hazel Salve is a splendid cure for piles giving relief instantly, and I heartily recommend it to all sufferers." Surgery is unnecessary to cure piles, DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve will cure any case. Cuts, burns, bruises and all other wounds are also quickly cured by it. Beware of counterfeits, J. G. Hall.

THE EPISCOPALIANS HAPPY.

They Occupied their Beautiful Church on Sunday Last.

The services at St. Stephen's church last Sunday morning and Sunday evening were beautiful and impressive. The services in the morning were commenced in the old church and concluded in the beautiful new church. After part of the services in the old church the congregation, led by the beloved Rector, filed out of the old church and entered the new, after which the very beautiful and impressive services were concluded.

The music was grand and the choir never sang better and sweeter, while the really accomplished Mrs. J. C. Horner presided at the large organ with ease and grace, and we add the church is to be congratulated on the acquisition of so valuable a member.

The services Sunday evening were conducted by Bishop Cheshire, assisted by the Rector, Rev. R. B. Owens and Rev. Francis Hilliard, but the Bishop did not preach, as expected, owing to the fact that he was suffering from a throat trouble. After the services Bishop Cheshire confirmed a class of 22, most of whom were Horner Cadets and pupils of the Sunday school.

The new church, which we have previously described, is indeed beautiful when lighted up. A large congregation was present and everybody was delighted with the new church.

This magnificent edifice stands as a monument to the noble efforts of the zealous and effective lady workers in the church, who with the true devotion to religion and every good cause which distinguishes their sex, have worked assiduously and indelibly by every means possible to complete their church. We, with the whole of Oxford, rejoice with them that their church is so far completed as to be occupied.

Special praise is also due Rev. R. B. Owens, the capable and efficient Rector, who has rendered such excellent service in the building of this church a cause which has been very dear to his heart. The exquisite altar table and the Credence are the work of his own hands and are artistic and dainty.

Long live the Rector of St. Stephen's to faithfully minister at the sacred font!

Quo Vadis a Signal Success.

Carpenter's "Quo Vadis" presented here on last Saturday evening was in every way the greatest success of the season. All who have read the book know the absorbing interest which pervades its every page. Dramatized it is far more interesting.

The play as presented here was one of the best we have ever seen. The entire cast was strong, there was not a weak player among all the characters. The leading character, Mr. James A. Young, was recognized as best player, but all were good.

The scenery and costumes were fine and all the effects pleasing. Of course the stage here was not sufficient for the best display, but taken as a whole the production was admirable.

Our young friends Peace & Hobgood are to be congratulated on their selection of so many excellent attractions.

A Physician Testifies.

"I have taken Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have never anything in my life that did me the good that did," says County Physician Geo. W. Scroggins of Hall County Ga. "Being a physician I have prescribed it and found it to give the best results." If the food you eat remains undigested in your stomach it deays there and poisons the system. You can prevent this by dieting but that means starvation. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. You need suffer from neither dyspepsia nor starvation. The worst cases quickly cured. Never fails. J. G. Hall.

Two thousand bushels winter seed oats wanted at 60c in trade at Crenshaw's.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box 25c.

It Saved Her Life

Gooch's Mexican Syrup has accomplished a cure in this neighborhood which has astonished the people. Miss Davis was given up to die by her attending physician. She had lung fever. The doctor said she would die before morning, and advised to discontinue his medicine, as it was doing her no good. Her parents had a bottle of Gooch's Mexican Syrup and Gooch's Quick Relief in the house. They at once began to give the Syrup in doses one hour apart, and frequently bathed her chest with the Quick Relief. Before morning she was better and after using a few bottles of each, she is almost as well as ever. It was almost like rising from the dead, and has established the reputation of Gooch's Mexican Syrup here as a cough remedy; we can well not hold it cheap.

Gooch's Mexican Syrup cures a simple cough as if by magic and is the best remedy for whooping cough. Price 25c.

Healthy Children are Happy.

Mothers Worm Syrup makes children healthy by expelling the worms that make them ill. Children eat it on bread.

Pile-Ine Cures Piles!

Money refunded if it ever fails.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure's cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25c cent.

THE OLD MAIDS IN THEIR GLORY.

They Hold a Rousing Conventon In the Opera House Monday Night.

One of the most amusing and enjoyable entertainments ever given in Oxford was the Old Maids' Conventon, which assembled in the Opera House Monday evening in the presence of a large and appreciative audience, under the skillful direction of Miss Dunkle. There were about 25 young ladies and 3 or 4 married ladies who were dressed in quaint, old-fashioned costumes and made typical old maids and was cheered as they marched in the Opera House and took their seats on the stage.

Miss Katherine Hilliard presided over the Convention and Miss Fannie Gregory were Treasurers. Miss Kate de Lacroix was Secretary and made a very efficient officer. Very interesting reports on the matrimonial market were read, but as a whole, was not sufficient to the demand, which was active. The dominant, burning desire of the Convention was for men—more men. The soothing "watchword" of the Convention was "As long as there is life there is hope."

If the sentiments of the Convention as expressed Monday night is indicative of the attitude of the men of the town towards the fairer sex, then the young men of the town are not equal to the duty imposed on them. Tho' this, of course, was all a joke the young men should give the matter their consideration.

Captain Willie Devin as "Mr. Makeover" was the right man in the right place as the operator of the "Remedioscope," which converted old back numbers into beautiful young girls arrayed in dainty costumes, and was the chief delight of the Convention.

Mr. Edward Outlaw as Assistant Profession turned the crank which ran the "Remedioscope" to the great amusement of the audience.

The singing by Mrs. John Booth and Misses Lizzie Hilliard, Bettie Hunt and Lena Taylor was greatly enjoyed by the audience and loudly applauded, as also the singing of "My Hannah Lady" by little Frank Rice.

Mrs. J. C. Horner presided at the piano and delighted the audience with her delightful rendition of the excellent musical selections for the evening.

The Tableau by a large number of sweet maidens fair and lovely little girls were indeed beautiful. The young ladies composing these tableaux were among Oxford's fairest young girls. They presented one of the brightest galaxies of beauty we have ever seen on the stage.

Altogether the Convention was one of the most enjoyable ever given in Oxford. The public, and especially the young men of our progressive town, hope to again meet the "Old Maids" "individually" and collectively.

Had we the space we would describe, if we could do so, the unique and curious costumes which adorned the attractive delegates to the memorable Convention. The costumes were of very fine quality such as were worn in the long ago. Some of them were worn probably a hundred years ago. Two things were conspicuous for their absence, hoop-skirts and bustles.

The Convention was held for the benefit of the Episcopal Church and netted \$47.

Solicitor Brooks to the Magistrates.

We are gratified that a large majority of Magistrates met Solicitor Brooks in the Court House Tuesday noon after adjournment of Court and listened to him explain their duties as officers of the law. He said in many instances they had done things that they ought not to have done, and left undone those things they ought to have done, and urged them to be more careful and particular in the future. The meeting will result in much good to the county.

The Baptist Convention.

The Baptist Convention of North Carolina will meet in Winston, December 4th. Dr. R. H. Marsh, of Oxford, is president. Rev. Dr. W. C. Tyree, pastor of the First Baptist church, Durham will preach the sermon. The Baptist of Winston, under the leadership of Dr. H. A. Brown, have recently erected a handsome house of worship. This will be a most important gathering, not only because the convention represents 100,000 Baptists, but because of the efforts which will be made to complete the collection of \$100,000, as a twentieth century fund. It is proposed to raise this fund for the benefit of the Female University of Raleigh and Wake Forest College.

The Children's Friend.

You'll have a cold this winter, maybe you have one now. Your children will suffer too. For coughs, croup, bronchitis, grip and other winter complaints One Minute Cough Cure never fails. Acts promptly. It is very pleasant in the taste and perfectly harmless. C. B. George, Winchester, Ky., writes our little girls attacked with croup late one night and was so hoarse she could hardly speak. We gave her a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. It relieved her immediately and she went to sleep. When she awoke next morning she had no signs of hoarseness or croup." J. G. Hall.

GRANVILLE SUPERIOR COURT.

The way of the Transgressor is Hard and Has to Pay for It.

Granville Superior Court convened Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Court was to have convened in the morning, but Judge Shaw missed connection at Durham went round by Raleigh. All the officers were on hand, with Mr. D. N. Hunt as clerk.

The following grand jurymen were drawn: J. J. Davis, Foreman, N. G. Longmire, W. B. Hobgood, H. T. Hobgood, S. P. Hobgood, S. T. Parrott, L. C. Wilkerson, R. I. Mulch, H. F. Holman, J. W. Stem, W. B. Ballou, W. E. Massenburg, Sam. V. Morton, Durell Mangum, Z. W. Allen, A. A. Lumpkins, W. B. Lawson, with J. R. Day as officer.

Only the organization of the Court was perfected on Monday afternoon. No cases were tried until Tuesday, when a number of small cases were disposed of. Judge Shaw's charge to the grand jury was comprehensive, strong and impressive. After giving to the jury a general survey of the criminal law he proceeded to pay special attention to certain criminal offenses, among them being lynchings, escapes, drunkenness and rape.

In speaking of escapes Judge Shaw administered some very timely suggestions to the jury and some remarks which some of our deputies and constables would do well to heed. He spoke of the crime of escaping from an officer as adding another crime to the one of which an offender had been charged; and also of the crime of allowing an escape of or of an officer negligently permitting an escape, and warned officers in regard to their solemn duty.

Court will likely last all through the two weeks term. It will take most of the week to dispose of the criminal docket, although the Gattis-Kilgo case is set for today, and if tried, in the language of Dr. Nowitzky who is on the ground this week, "the Methodist Conference" will be session three or four days with His Honor Judge Shaw as Bishop, and he is a good one. Besides this there are other civil cases set for the latter part of the week. Most of the criminal cases are unimportant and a number are very trivial.

There is only one capital case, which is for the murder of a colored man in the Northern part of the county.

Judge Shaw is presiding with his usual stern sense of justice. Though we think he holds the scales of justice fairly, yet he makes "the way of the transgressor hard," and "gives him all that's comin' to him." His Honor is still inclined to the opinion that the "hurricane," although some of the best people in the county live in that section, is not the Eden of America and is anxious that its disloyal citizens shall be brought to justice.

Solicitor Brooks is making it very warm for the offenders against the law and the State has in him a valuable, earnest and true officer.

APOSTLE OF SUNSHINE.

Manufacturer of Laughter—Dealer in Fun and Merriment.

The gifted and elegant Henry Blount will deliver his famous Lecture of Chow-Chow at the Opera House Friday night and if you want to enjoy a delightful evening and split your side laughing why be certain to go and hear him. Read the following excellent notice of his lecture:

It will be seen from the following high tributes that our friend Mr. Henry Blount is winning much praise on his new Monologue "A Bottle of Chow-Chow" as he has upon that now famous "Beyond the Alps lies Italy." Prof. Joyner, who fills the chair of English Literature at the Greensboro Normal College, says "Henry Blount gave his famous 'Chow-Chow' to the people of Warrenton last night. A large and cultured audience assembled in the spacious auditorium of Warrenton academy to hear him. Many of the teachers that have been attending the Teachers' Institute here this week were present. 'Chow-Chow' is an appropriate name for Mr. Blount's delightful mixture of many of the rarest gems of thought and feeling. The speaker took up the harp of life and struck on all its cords with might every cord vibrated and his audience were responsive in mind and heart. Laughter holding both his sides was there to drive away dull care. Tragedy in her sable robes was there to break open in human hearts the fountains of feeling. Beauty in her white-robed splendor dazzled and delighted the eye of imagination and soothed the soul as the gifted and thrilling speaker spoke. The entertainment was under the management of the ladies who are raising funds for the erection of a monument to Warren's Confederate dead, and so the speaker appropriately closed with a thrilling tribute to the matchless courage of Confederate soldiers and the undying devotion of Southern women.—Warrenton Record.

For winter shoes, mens, women and childrens, we are headquarters at Crenshaw's.

ON THE WING.

YOU KNOW SOME, BUT NOT ALL.

The Varied Movements of a Number of People.

—Mr. Walter Stark spent Monday at his farm near Townsville.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moss, of Wilton, were Oxford visitors Monday.

—Dr. S. H. Cannady is on a business trip to New York City this week.

—Ex-Judge R. W. Winston, of Durham, is in attendance upon our court.

—Miss Bettie Hundley and Miss Blackall, of Kittrell, were in Oxford Sunday.

—Miss Annie Williams is visiting the family of Mr. R. H. McGuire at Smithfield.

—Miss Annie de Lacroix returned Friday from a visit to relatives in Massachusetts.

—Mr. John S. Royster, of Townsville, visited his brother, Gen. B. S. Royster Friday.

—Miss Ethel Dorsey, of Henderson, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Charlotte Britt.

—Mr. R. H. Cowan, of Norfolk Va., was on our streets Tuesday and dropped in to see the editor.

—Mr. J. H. Thomasson, of Skipwith Va., was in Oxford Monday and called to see the editor.

Mrs. W. C. Tyree, of Durham, spent Sunday in Oxford with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curria.

—Mrs. J. M. Curria, spent a few days the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Bailey Owen, in Henderson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hillman (Cannady and daughter have returned to Oxford from Charlotte and will remain during the winter.

—Messrs. W. P. Wilkerson and W. W. Hart, two of the sterling Democrats of Oak Hill township, were on our streets Friday.

—Mr. J. L. Clay, of Church Roads, Va., who has been visiting relatives in Granville for a week, was in Oxford Monday and called on the Public Ledger.

—Messrs. R. W. Harris, of Wilton, R. G. Stem, of Hester, T. E. Bobbitt, of Clay, E. W. Morgan, of Berea, were in Oxford Friday and called on the Public Ledger.

—Messrs. I. T. Green, of Dexter, M. S. Daniel, of Oak Hill, Stephen Minor, of Stem, C. L. Lewis, of Stallard, R. H. Pleasant, Pleasants and W. J. Overton, of Creedmoor, were in Oxford Tuesday and called to see the editor.

Outing 6% worth 8c at Crenshaw's.

CRANBERRIES and CELERY,

For THANKSGIVING, At JACKSON'S

Malaga Grapes, Concord Grapes, Oranges, Apples, Bannas, Lemons.

New Nuts, Raisins, Currents, Citron.

25 kinds of Holmes, Coutts and Larrobes Cakes and Crackers.

Lowney's Candies

Nothing so good. 15 kinds received every week.

STATIONERY

always the best in Oxford.

JACKSON'S,

Next to Bank of Granville.

A Great Opportunity.

The burned district of Jacksonville, Fla., is to be rebuilt at once, offering an opportunity of employment to workmen, and excellent prospect to contractors and capitalists. Jacksonville is reached from all directions by the Seaboard Air Line Railway System, which offers unexcelled facilities in the way of schedules and through car service to that point.

To The Public.

Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlains Cough Remedy. I had a very severe cough and cold and feared I would get pneumonia, but after taking the second dose of this medicine I felt better, three bottles of it cured my cold and the pains in my chest disappeared entirely. I am most respectfully yours for health, Ralph S. Meyers, 64-1 thirty-seventh St., Wheeling, W. Va. For sale by J. G. Hall

Lee Nance's son about ten years old at Hunting Creek postoffice, was badly hooked by an ox last week. When discovered the boy was lifted in the air by the horn which had penetrated to the hollow. The boy is hardly expected to life.—Wadesboro Chronicle.

L. B. Turner has a nice line of flooring, ceiling, and heart fencing, for sale. Nov. 14th, dt.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

In preparing your thanking dinner don't forget that you can find at

HANCOCK'S DRUG STORE

Seeded and Layer Raisins, Seeded Currents, Citron, Figs, Gelatine and Chocolate.

English Walnuts, Almonds, Pecans, Filberts and Brazilian nuts.

Lemons, Oranges, Banner, Coco-nuts and Appes.

Allspice, Nutmegs, Mace, Cinnamon, Ginger, Cloves, Celery seed and Turkey dressing.

Flavoring extracts. Lemon, Vanilla, Pineapple, Banana, Strawberry.

Crown Chocolates.

Roysters and all kinds of nice fresh candies.

The most complete and best selected assortment of Toys and Xmas Presents ever in Oxford will be found at our store during the Holidays,

F. W. HANCOCK, Druggist and Seedman.

Next to Post Office. Oxford, N. C.

NEW GOODS

At Lynch's Jewelry STORE.

Give me a call if you need anything. We are receiving and opening up a fine line of goods.

Yours Respectfully.

W. D. LYNCH.

J. J. MEDFORD

WHOLESALE GROCER, OXFORD, N. C.

Merchants of the town and county will save money by seeing me before they place their orders.

For Sale.

One 6 horse Portable engine on wheels. One No. 3 Separator. One No. 16 Ohio Cutter and Shredder.

All in good order and nearly new Machinery can be seen at my home Wilton; N. C. Reference as to this machinery J. F. Edwards, Oxford, N. C. R. W. Harris, 2mpd. Wilton, N. C.