OXFORD, N.C. THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1904.

\$1 PER ANNUM

A FULL LOT OF

# New Garden Seeds

Just Received

## AT HALL'S DRUG STORE.

When we say NEW we mean seeds were BURNED and went up fine jersey cow.

Here you will find A GREAT VARIETY OF GARDEN SEEDS 25, 35 and 50 cents, —all kinds

A large lot of Stationery just received-beautiful paper and envel opes. New styles in box papers, ranging in price from 5c, to 5oc, The 10, 15 and 250 boxes paper

are SPECIAL bargains. When you see them you want to write to your sweetheart at once. A new lot Typewriter paper. Nice tablets with envelopes to

match. crayons and pencils for map drawing - 1 and 5c. boxes. Blackboard crayons and erasers Pens and pencils in great varieties.

and purses, wrist bags and skirt

books - Ledgers, Journals, Day Books and Records.

A fresh lot of plain and fancy candies. When you taste them you say: 'Go way sugar you lost Who wastes to-day, prepares him your sweetness.

Crackers, cakes, peanuts, bananas, oranges, lemons, figs, &c., &c. Send your order here for everything,

## The Prescription Department

prescriptions to me and you will fatally injuring the other. Your friend, you to have,

# J. G. HALL,

Druggist.

# "We Hold Thee Safe."



## Solid as a Rock.

UNCLE SAM'S credit.

OXFORD, N. C.

Would be pleased to have your business, and offers absolute security and safety.

## R. BROWN

## Sale of Land

By virtue of anthority conferred upon me by a

MONDAY, APRIL 25TH, 1904. sell to the highest bidder at the court house door in Oxford the following tracts of land in Oak liver and bewel troubles. Easy pleasant, and an analysis of land in Oak liver and bewel troubles. Easy pleasant, expels malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists. Hill township, said county, viz.:
First tract: Adjoining the lands of W. J. Norwood, Mrs Rosa E. Wilkerson and others, containing 214.56 acres (for description by met s and bounds see Book of Orders and Decrees No. for your spring cleanings. There's 3, page 418, in the office of the Cl rk of the Su-

Second tract: Adjoining the above, containing drug store.

102 28 acres, subject to the dower interest therein of Mrs. Rosa E. Wilkerson (for description by metes and bounds see Book of Orders and Decrees No. 3, page 418, et seq., in the office of the Clerk Superior Court)

## little Pick-ups.

Some Interesting ※ News Items in This Column.

-Dunn Guide: We haven't seen a this paper. man yet who will plant tobacco this

leaf buds are putting forth-summer | health of our community.

-Edsall Winthrope Stock Co. three nights commencing March 31st. from Dr. B. K. Hays that his friend

-Mr. Lock Erwin now rides behind quite a nice horse he purchased on his visit to Norfolk.

-Lookout! Lookout! Remember If you don't pay your poll tax before the first of May you cannot vote.

-While there were no invitations sent out to the Moorefield-Brooks nuptial in Oxford and Granville yet all friends are cordially invited to attend the marriage.

-Those in search of bargains in p. m. pring goods along with many other All kinds school supplies. Inks things would do well to read the in ALL COLORS. Colored box change in the advertisement of the Crenshaw Co. on the 4th page.

send us an order for your next job. pays 4 per cent. interest. A beautiful line pocket books Prompt attention given all orders.

Who sayes to-day, makes glad to-SOFFOW

of Granville.

Is under my special care. Purity, were playing in a log yard at a mill

get exactly what your doctor wants your doctor wants you to have. Your friend —Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks, of New Yo country home near town a few days ago, after spending some time at Pinehurst for the benefit of Mr. Hicks who is recovering from a severe at tack of typhoid fever. We hope he will continue to improve and will ford is one of the most prominent of the State Guard, attending in a body. We are informed that the sermon delivered by Mr. Wool was a ford is one of the most prominent.

while the postoffice appropriation interest in politics. He has recently bill was under consideration, resulted in the appropriation going Commission of Virginia. through by a vote of 88 to 80. Of the North Carolina members Kluttz and Gudger voted for the appropriation, the two Kitchins, Page, Webb and Thomas against it. Pou, Small and Patterson were not present.

tion. His stock of spring goods have and is a most capable young man. arrived which is attractive, and you are most cordially invited to call and are most cordially invited to call and promotion he has received. see them and supply your spring and summer wants at the lowest possible prices. If you are a lover of music be ed a handsome music box.

When you deposit your money you want it where it's as safe as days ago that he was "living 10 days of the death of Dr. W. E. to the week as his woman had stopped working in tobacco and was now cooking out." And yet the THE FIRST & Northern writers and orators pretend curred March 17th. Dr. Griffith was to understand this burden of the

-Our market is abundantly supplied with fine shad daily and the Executive Committee, Superintendent fresh meats as the Beef Trust is of deep sorrow. long standing. Rev. Sam Slaughter is at the head of both these combinations but still insists that he is as poor as a church mouse. But nevertheless he is the healthiest looking colored man in town and wears a broad smile on his face daily.

Sell You a New Bicycle,
Repair Your Old Bicycle,
Repair Your Guns or Locks.

Three-in One Oil, best in the world for bicycles, sewing machines, etc.

Remember he can be found in the old Grandy store on Main street.

—The following good sales are a few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the Many such made at the Johnson warehouse in the last few of the State to support him.

Capt. Glenn will no doubt make a trong frorce and beautiful, completely covering the mound beneath which he sweetly sleeps all that is mortal of a profuse and orator of power and has done good work for the party to which he state to support him.

Capt. Glenn will no doubt make a man of force and beautiful, completely covering the mound beneath which he sweetly sleeps all that is mortal of a profuse and orator of power and has done good work for the party to which he state to support him.

Capt. Glenn will no doubt make a man of force and beautiful, completely covering the interment was in Elmwood Cemetery and the floratofferings were profuse and orator of power and has done good work

#### 000 pounds. Working Overtime.

By virtue of authority conferred upon me by a decree of the Superior court of Granville county in the special proceeding entitled Octavins W. less, little workers—Dr. Kings New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night exparte, I will on the special proceeding entitled Octavins W. Pills. Millions are always at work, night exparte, I will on the special proceeding entitled Octavins W. Bitters It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nervine and the greatest all around medical proceeding entitled Octavins W. Bitters It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nervine and the greatest all around medical proceeding entitled Octavins W. Bitters It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nervine and the greatest all around medical proceeding entitled Octavins W. Pills. Millions are always at work, night tive nervine and the greatest all around medical proceeding entitled Octavins W. Pills. Millions are always at work, night to the world. Cure guaranteed, Only 25cts. and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, icine for run down systems. It dispels Sold by all druggists. constipation, sick headache and all stomach, nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and

> Don't forget to use "Bug-I-Clde" none other so good. At Hamilton's

## Take Notice.

If you want your watches, clocks Ober's as they are at the head of the Clerk Superior Court).
Terms of sale, one third cash, one-third in six months, balance in twelve months, with interest them to my old stand with the Paris and make you prices on our fertilizers on deferred payments. Time of sale 12 m. This March 25, 1904.

W. A. DEVIN, Commissioner, W. D. STIMSON, Jeweler, 3-31-4. BULLOCK & MITCHELL.

sioners will meet next Monday.

-Miss Lillian Williams who has been numbered with the sick, is out again to the joy of her friends.

-Your attention is directed to the advertisement of sale of land by T. T. Hicks, trustee, in another part of

 Owing to the very large break of -Last Wednesday night Mr. R. S. | tobacco on our market Tuesday there NEW seeds. All the old garden Usry had the misfortune to lose his was an unusually large number of the backbone of our county in town. -The editor is pleased to learn

> -We are glad to learn that Mr. J. R. Day, who has been sick for several

hope to see him out when the weather gets warm. Saturday, April 2, and Sunday, April | were numerous. 3, (Easter Day) at 11 a. m. and 7:30 | At Miss Mary

-Money often lies idle awaiting opportunities for Investment; but these opportunities do not come every week, month or year. In the mean--We do not try to do printing be- time, the money should be earning low cost, but we strive to please and something; and it can be if you place at a reasonable rate for our work; It in the First National Bank which

lives were lost.

-The news of the racial troubles in Arkansas county, in the State of Oxford Savings Bank in the Bank Arkansas, is distressing and discouraging to the friends of law and -if people would manage to have order. Two negroes knocked two some chickens to sell along at this white men in the head with a stick time of the year, they would get and defied arrest. Other negroes fancy prices for them. Frying size chickens would go like hot cakes in Oxford now.

aided and protected the criminals. Result: Four negroes shot and killed, seven lynched.

nity the Easter Exercises Chapel has been called off. Miss Pearl. Fig.

-A criminal term of Person Suother day two children of Richard Sparrow, aged seven and four years, were playing in a law and four years, dered a negro woman and her child accuracy and 25 years experience when the logs rolled on them, killing and tried to kill another child, the syoungest child and severely if not evidence against him being very clear, the other case being that of George

-The News and Observer in its ordil continue to improve and will ford, is one of the most prominent young attorneys in Virginia. He has been prominent in the State well as by others who heard it. fast mail appropriation, brought up Guard of Virginia and has taken great

-Mr. John Paris has a message to Osborn, who has for nearly two and among them was Mr. T. B. our readers in another part of this years been with Mr. Frank Spencer Reade, of Mt. Tirzah, who pocketed paper to which we call their atten- in the Telegraph and Express office, for a large load the following Rienmond.

-A freight train on the Durham & Northern Railroad went through the sure and take a guess at the number high trestle near Henderson Tuesday of eylets in the jar in the window as piling a large number of cars on top the fortunate guesser will be award- of each other. The engine had gotten across when the trestle gave way. est to the finest. We are glad to learn that no one -Oxford has numerous colored was killed or seriously injured. The loafers of the male kind who are Oxford train had to go on through

-The editor deeply regrets to learn of the death of Dr. W. E. Griffith, son of Rev. J. R. Griffith, at his home at Amelia Court House, Va., which ocpartly raised in Oxford and learned the drug business here. He was a progressive citizen of his county and 'Scaly Trust" allows no cutting of of Public Instruction and a leading

## Capt. Glenn a Candidate.

In another column appear resolu--The following good sales are a and calling upon the Democracy of

sion will be followed by utter collapse, un-less a reliable remedy is immediately em-

"Head-A-Cura" cures headache and

neuralgia.

pays to get the best, so see Bullock liver by the tenth of April. & Mitchell and get some Baugh's or

-The Board of County Commis- ARRAY OF BEAUTIFUL PRODUCTIONS

#### The Bewitching Art of Making Headwear for Women.

-Mr. W. A. Devin, commissioner, advertises for sale in another column and the streets were throughd with two tracts of land in Oak Hill town- the ladies from both town and country who were attracted by the millinery openings. The stores were Bazaars of Fashion and beauty, and an exquisite display of up-to-date millinery greeted and charmed them. The editor visited the different arrayed -There has been only one death departments which were charming among the white people in Oxford to the eye, but paralyzing to the -The fruit trees are blooming, and this year, which speaks well for the pocket book. The styles, materials and shapes make an interesting study for those feminine minds who have to solve the problem of what to get

At Long Bros. the popular Miss Wellman displayed an elaborate array of pretty creations of rare beauty which caught and charmed the eye H. H. Hicks, of Dickerson, who has and won the admiration of the ladies, been quite ill with pneumonia is get- who could not help buying beautiful Easter hats which add so much to their good looks.

The millinery department of Landis & Easton, the oldest in Oxford, months, is gradually improving and was another very attractive place and was thronged with the fair ones, and Miss Willis, the new milliner, -Rev. F. W. Hilliard will hold ser- was highly pleased with the complivice in St. Peter's church, Stovall, on ments of a high order regarding her Friday next, April I, (Good Friday) attractive display, and her sales

At Miss Mary Belle Gregory's there urday. was another exquisite display of hats for all feminine wearers and all feminine fancies, from the simplest affair for a child to the most elaborate production for the proudest bride, and were greatly admired which resulted in many sales being made.

The new Millinery Parlor of Miss Bettle Smith was another centre of attraction for the ladies. Her open-The milliner now dictateth to all of Michigan the loss has been great. In growing the popularity of this womankind, and womankind com- In Indiana the loss is estimated at new place was attested by the large A large lot of all kinds of blank mandeth husbandkind, and husband- \$8,000,000. In Indianapolis 1,200 fam- number who attended the opening on Main street kind foots the bills; yea, verily it is illes were driven from their homes, and enjoyed the display as well as the season of man's troubles.-Tar At Grand Rapids, Michigan, it is es- made purchases, as Miss Smith and timated that 14,000 people are in distress. In two days in Indiana eight wood, know so well how to cater to the wants of the ladies.

All did well and the millinery departments and stores of Oxford are well up with those of much larger places in display and originality.

#### No Easter Exercises.

Owing to smallpox in the community the Easter Exercises at Banks

MISS PEARL FLOYD, MISS MAY TURNER, E T. HUSKETH,

E. MITCHELL. Committee.

A Sermon to the Granville Grays, Rev. John E. Wool, the much beloved pastor of the Presbyterian them on Sunday morning last, the Stem, were among the throng of officers and men, together with the Adjutant General and other officers splendid write up of Richmond and of the State Guard, attending in a

## Tobacco Selling Higher.

continue to hold up well and large Oxford. -Mr. J. A. Taylor who has served quantities were sold Friday and so efficiently as assistant agent of the Tuesday. The sales were largely at-Seaboard Railroad in Oxford resigned tended and the sellers were much Tuesday and will take the road as pleased with the high averages. On salesman for a wholesale firm. He Friday there were a number of Peris succeeded by our young friend Roy son county farmers on the breaks,

Farmers will make no mistake by selling the balance of their crop on the Oxford market as they will be certain to reap the cream of the market on all grades, from the common-

## A Sweet Little Girl Gone up Higher.

The shadows fall across a happy never known to strike a lick of work to Durham Tuesday as passengers home in Oxford, and the light and who are supported by "cat hole and baggage was transferred at the grub," at the direct expense of the trestle. The accident was caused by out forever, and the spirit of a pure, sweet and lovely little girl has gone back to God who gave it.

5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

John H. Bullock, died on Thursday night after two weeks illness and closed on earth her beautiful life, and sent the keen arrow of sorrow into the hearts of the family and friends.

She was a beautiful little girl of lovely character and held the admiration of all who knew her to a remarkable of the house.

She was a beautiful life, and son, and sister Miss Holman, of New York where I purchased a line of millinery goods in the very latest spring styles. Labure of the hearts of the family and friends.

She was a beautiful little girl of love-to heart of the hearts of the family and friends.

She was a beautiful little girl of love-to heart of the heart of back to God who gave it. Alice, the prices this season, hence it is useless to go from one dealer to another to see if you can get them cheaper. You and other members of his family we are to go from the cheaper. You are to go from the cheaper of the condolence in the hour of the cheaper. You are the condolence in the hour of the cheaper. his deepest sympathies. But words are so cold "when the heart bleeds

in the valley of death." The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home on tions from the Executive Committee Broad street conducted by Rev. F. of Forsythe county signed by the M. Shamburger in a solemn and pachairman, endorsing the candidacy thetic manner, and largely attended of Capt. R. B. Glenn for Governor and calling upon the Democracy of the State to support him.

The interment was in Elmwood Cemetery and the floral offerings were

ployed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidney as Electric

## For Sale,

I have a pair of fine young mules, 3 years old this spring, ready for work. Eight fresh cows at interval from ed sad havoc with him and a terrible cough now until the middle of May. Twen- settin besides. Doctors treated him, but If you are going to use fertilizer it ty nice pigs that will be ready to de- he grew worse every day. At length we G. W. WATKINS. Cornwall, N. C.

# Friends & Strangers.

An Interesting List ※ Of Those Who Came & Went,

in Oxford Friday. -Miss Sue Hall left Thursday on a visit to New York City.

-Ex-Judge Graham was in Ral eigh Tuesday on business. -Mr. H. O. Furman was at home a few days the past week.

an Oxford visitor Tuesday. -Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moss, of Creed moor, were in Oxford Fri 'ay.

-Dr. Monroe, of Americus, Ga., was in Oxford Tuesday afternoon. -Mr. C. W. Bryan returned Thursday from a business trip to Norfolk. -Dr. F. R. Harris, of Henderson,

section, was an Oxford visitor Sat- last night, presenting the beautiful drug store articles

was on our streets Tuesday after

Railway, was at home Sunday and -Mr. R. L. Mulchi, of Nelson, Va., was in Oxford Saturday and called

-Mr. Will Day, of the Southern

at this office. -Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith and Misses Smith, of Tar River, were in

Oxford Friday. -Mlss Ida Gillespie, of Morganton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Baird

-Mr. James Webb, of Tally Ho, was in town Friday and called on the Public Ledger.

-Mr. E. E. Hughes, the large buggy manufacturer of Lynchburg, Va., was in Oxford Friday. -Mr. Faulkner, a prominent lawyer of Boydton, Va., was in Oxford

Thursday on business.

-Miss Charlotte Britt left yester- panies. day for a visit to Mrs. R, G, Shannonhouse at Statesville.

Wilton, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hunt Tuesday. -Messrs. J. P. Thomas, of Hampton, and J. R. Hart of Cornwall,

were on our streets Friday.

-Mr. R. T. Slaughter, of Berea, was on the tobacco market Friday and called to see the editor. -Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gooch, of

shoppers in Oxford Friday. -Mr. C. C. Currin, of Nunn, Va., was an Oxford visitor Tuesday and called at The Public Ledger office. -Messrs, T. R. Goss and A. J. Parrott, of Lyon, were in Oxford Monday and called on The Public Ledger.

-Mr. Joe Turner, who has been so-journing in Darlington, S. C., for sev-The breaks on the Oxford market eral months, has joined his family in -Mrs. W. A. Bobbitt, of Kinston, is visiting Mrs. J. G. Hunt, and her

many Oxford friends are glad to see -Mr. W. A. McFarland, of Berea, passed through town Tuesday on his return from a business trip to

-Mr. C. W. Knight and son, of Fishing Creek Township, were in town Saturday and called on the Public Ledger. -Mr. Hillman Cannady, the hus-tling road representative of the Tay-

lor-Cannady Buggy Co., was in Oxford Tuesday. -Mr. J. B. Byrd, of Creedmoor, and ployed an expert and experi- Stylish, Symmetrical, Superior. ford visitors Thursday and called on enced the Public Ledger.

-Mr. Andrew J. Harris, of Henderson, was in Oxford Monday on legal business. He is an exceedingly clever

The Durham Herald of the 26th says: Superior court, which was a two week's term, came to a sudden and unexpected end yesterday. At least Judge Cooke announced that the court would adjourn with the ending of the day but said that he ending of the day but said that he IT IS MY BUSINESS OXFORD SAVINGS BANK. short time this morning in order to sign the minute docket and make such orders as the lawyers wanted. Yesterday morning he noticed that one of the jurors, Mr Geo. E. Booth, had some kind of a breaking out on his forehead and began to enquire after his health at once. Mr. Booth said that he was not feeling well and this caused Judge Cooke to order him from the jury and the room. He then announced that the court would come to an end with the ending of the day.

decision Judge Cooke said that he would come back here immediately after the Granville court in May and P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered hold a week's term to make up for With the freshest com- with railroad irons. Latest

In making the announcement of his

#### Tragedy Averted. "Just in the nick of time our little boy

tried Dr. Kings New Discovery for Con sumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Everybody ought "Head-A-Cura" positively cures colds and all lung diseases Guaranteed by headache and neuralgia. At Hamil- all druggists. Price 50c and \$1, Trial bot-

#### Beautiful Easter.

Next Sunday closes the Lenten season, and the christian world will again commemorate the most significant of all the world's events—the resurrection of Jesus Christ. We should not forget its import and its meaning. It should not be a season of gaity and festivity or display but one of joyous thanksgiving and worship. To the christian it means much-indeed it means all; for upon -Miss Annie Webb, of Stem, was our only hope of life hereafter; for if Christ was not raised then is our

preaching and our faith vain. Easter will be celebrated in Oxford with appropriate services. At St. Stephens church the services will be conducted by the able Rector, Rev. Geo. M. Tolson, and as usual will be of an unusually interesting character as the choir has arranged for some -Mr. John Gooch, of Dunn, was excellent music under the leadership of the highly accomplished Mrs. R. W. Lassiter.

At the Methodist church there will be an Easter entertainment by the children of the Sunday School Sunday evening which promises to be of much interest, as an attractive program has been arranged.

#### Edsall-Winthrop Company.

The Edsall-Winthrope Stock Co. opened a week's engagement in the and just the kind to suit you. Give us the -Mr. C. H. Parham, of the Carlton Messenger Opera House in this city pleasure of supplying you with these dainty sensational comedy drama, "The

Power of Man." The company came to Goldsboro heralded by the press and public alike as presenting meritorious attractions and being worthy of the support of the theatre-going public, and they fully sustained the reputation which preceded them in the opening performance.

The performance throughout was peculiarly interesting, the climaxes thrilling and cleverly executed, and the entire complement of players upheld the standard of clever acting and deft execution of the minutest particularization.

articularization. The specialties were clean and entertaining, the jokes new, and the performance throughout was peculiarly prominent for the absence of anything said or done to cause even the tint of a blush to the most timid or fastidious. The costumes were a distinct feature and far above the average displayed by repertoire com-

The entire company are so evenly balanced and each member so cleverly sustained the role assigned that

-Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rogers, of we refrain from particularizing.
The audience was evidently well pleased with the performance in its entirety last night, and the company will no doubt be greeted with crowded houses throughout the week .-

At Oxford Opera House three nights commencing Thursday, March 31st.

# CAPUDINE CURES Also sea sickness and Travelers Nauses, diz-ALL HEADACHES theadache, neu-ralgia. Has no

NEW

# NEW HATS and

MILLINERY GOODS BUT NOT NEW AT THE BUSI-NESS, because I know the business, and besides I have em-

## Milliner from New York.

By the way I am just from New York where I purchased CHAS. A. BEHLEN, a line of millinery goods in the INVENTOR, OXFORD, N. C.

The judge has the smallpox scare. To cater to the wants

Smokers, Drinkers of Soft Drinks. Eaters of Gandies, Nuts and Confections, Oranges, Apples, Bananas,

# modities,

And to users of Stationery with the latest styles, to Readers with the magazines and

AND I DO IT! to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, O. W. HAWLEY.

Next to the Bank of Granville.

## Easter Egg Dyes.



EASTER EGGS, when dyed with our specially prepared dyes, can easily be colored in the most brilliant hues. Price per

#### package 5 cents. Perfumes for Easter.

The time of bursting buds and fragrant blossoms and joyous new life is comingalmost here now. Surely for Easter you will want some nice extracts or toilet water, or sachet powder, or fragrant soad, or something of the kind. We have them all

# DRUGGIST.



10, 15 and 35 a Bottle.

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BEHLEN SPRING VEHICLES

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ADAPTED ESPECIALLY FOR Young and Fastidious Folks.

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Fire-proof Vault, interwoven improved burglar-proof time lock safe with banker's steel

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