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KNIVES THAT CUT, RAZORS THAT SHAVE AND SCISSORS THAT CUT.

ALL GUARANTEED
If you get a knife, razor or pair scissors that are not perfect return it within 30 days and get a new one free of charge.

Get a Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen, if it does not suit, return it and get one that does without any extra charge.

I have the finest lot of perfumery ever in Oxford, and as for toilet articles I have the largest stock ever in Granville County. Face, toilet and baby powders, complexion creams and cosmetics, mouth washes, tooth powders and pastes all in great variety.

Why let those poor little runt shoats eat all that corn and not improve when Hall's Hog Powder will make big fat hogs of them.

All cakes, crackers, etc. I had on hand during the summer were returned and a fresh supply gotten direct from the factory.

Spectacles and Eye Glasses that fit your eyes. Satisfactory fit everytime or your money back. Prices right 25c to \$10.00.

Hall's Spavin Cure is the best liniment on earth for a horse. Roysters Horse Powder is the best Condition Powder on the market take no other.

The Prescription department is under my special care. Purity, accuracy and 26 years experience is what I offer you. Send your prescription to me and you will get exactly what your doctor wants you to have.

J. G. HALL DRUGGIST.



John D. Rockefeller can sign his name to 1/4 cents worth of paper, and it would be worth \$100,000,000;

That is Capital.

A fine mechanic can take one cents worth of steel and make it into watch springs that would sell for \$8;

That is Skill.

Those who say that they can sell tobacco higher than Z. W. Lyon at the Johnson Warehouse

That is Talk!

Now we claim that we have both skill and capital to protect your tobacco if you will bring it to me

At The Johnson.

I want to say that our market is fully open for the sale of all grades, as all of our buyers are on the market and eager to buy tobacco I am glad to say that tobacco is selling well, and I would advise you to sell the same. Thanking you for your liberal patronage in the past, with the request that you continue it, I am,
Very truly yours
Z. W. LYON.

Live Local Laconics.

BRIEF DASHES OF THINGS HAPPENING.

Policeman Ernest Bragg is now clad in a nice new uniform.
A corporation may not have a soul, but it has a thousand eyes.
Fortune's wheel revolves for the man who puts his shoulder to it.
A man can get fooled holding a girl's hand as he can one in a poker.
See administratrix notice of Mrs. Camilla W. Davis in another column.
The ice man will come be out of it—then will come the coal and wood man.

Tobacco still continues to roll into Oxford daily and prices are advancing.
The Taylor-Cannady Buggy Co. have erected nice new steps to the entrance of their large factory.
In this laconic age hoodie has taken the place of brain and mutton is substituted for merit.
Mr. Ed Atkinson, who was numbered with the sick several days, is much better we are glad to learn.

The County Commissioners have had a telephone put in the Sheriff's office for the convenience of the officers in the Court House.
Tobacco! Tobacco! and higher averages is the daily cry in Oxford now, as the cry of auctioneers are heard from Monday to Saturday.
Mr. J. H. Gooch, of Stem, is receiving many congratulations at the hands of friends on account of the arrival of a bright eyed daughter at his home.

Mr. Garnett A. Ward and Miss Sadie M. Reese, of Mecklenburg county, Va., were married at Bullock Wednesday morning. It was a run away marriage.
The Literary and Book Clubs of Oxford are moving to have a Public Library established in the town, and they should receive the hearty co-operation of our citizens.

The Town Authorities are changing the stalls and otherwise improving the Market House which will make trading at that important centre more pleasant.
Squire S. J. Curran joined Mr. Jas. D. Algood and Miss Nora Reagans in the holy bonds of matrimony at Stovall Sunday, and sent them off their way rejoicing in each others love.

Mr. J. F. Edwards is now fully installed in his new quarters in the large building in the rear of his old stand where he will be much pleased to have his old friends to call and see him.
Mrs. Hannah Pinnix has purchased from Mr. J. B. Knott his residence on College street, occupied by Mr. Thos. W. Winston, and it is her intention to make a number of improvements before moving in.

Messrs. James Elliott and R. A. Adcock, of Oak Hill, were in Oxford Friday and reported the catching of a 165 pound deer Thursday without a single shot being fired. His deer ship was run completely down by the dogs and captured.
Dr. S. H. Cannady equipped himself Monday with a handsome new Columbus Buggy, while Dr. E. B. Meadows rolled out in a new Babcock. These comfortable vehicles were sold by the Parham Bros. Co., sellers of Everything.

Mr. A. J. Colgate and Miss Mary W. Newcombe, of Virginia, arrived in Oxford Monday afternoon, and after license was secured were married at the Exchange Hotel by Rev. F. M. Shambarger. The happy couple left Tuesday morning for their home.
The attention of our many readers directed to the advertisement of Messrs. Council & Upchurch Furniture dealers and up-to-date Undertakers on the 4th page. It is a pleasure to us to say that they cannot deal with a more reliable firm than Council & Upchurch.

Wrappers reached \$50 per hundred the past week at the Johnson Warehouse as Dr. E. T. White, the fine and liberal buyer for the Continental Tobacco Co., is buying all the good wrappers that comes on the market. He is recognized as the best judge of wrappers in the State.
At the drawing of the tickets sold for a buggy at the "Country Store" for the benefit of the Confederate Monument. Tuesday afternoon it was found that the holder of ticket No. 282 captured the buggy, and the lucky holder was Mr. J. F. Edwards. The boys want to know if he intends to get out on the carpet now.

The Woman's Literary Club met with Miss Charlotte Britt Tuesday afternoon. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather almost all of the members were present, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The papers prepared and read by Madams H. O. Furnman, A. A. Hicks, Kate Hays Fleming and Miss Margaret Curran were exceedingly well written and instructive.
The Exchange Hotel continues to be made more inviting to the traveling public, as the whole house is now lit up by electricity and rooms refurnished. The contract has been given out for the erection of nice and convenient sample rooms, and the lumber is now being received. It is the intention of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Smith to make the Exchange Hotel one of the best kept and neatest small hotels in the State.

Letter to E. T. White, Oxford, N. C.
Dear Sir: A man said: Send me 25 cents for a General I use; don't think it'll be enough.
Had 7 left.
Ordered 9 more for another job; 16 for the job.
This came from Messrs. W. A. & F. Bower, Methuen, Mass. They are doing very well. After a little, they learn to guess better.
Yours truly
F. W. Devos & Co.
P. S.—Baird & Chambliss sells our paints.

Lulu Stanhope, St. Louis; "I used to have a horrid complexion. I took Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea and am called the prettiest girl in the city." Tea or tablets, 35 cents. J. G. Hall.

Have your job work done here.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

Jurors for November Term of Court—New Roads, Accounts, etc.
The Board met in their room at 10 o'clock Monday morning and proceeded at once to business.
The handle of the rebate mill was given a few turns and ground out a number of rebates. In settlement with J. R. Walters Superintendent of County Home, there was due him \$170.68, which was ordered paid.
Mrs. Jones, of Oak Hill township, was granted a special allowance of \$3 owing to her helpless condition. Arch Bradsher an outside pauper was granted \$2 per month instead of \$1.00.
Gen. B. S. Royster was appointed to assist chairman Crews in making settlement with county Treasurer Lyon.

In the school election in Providence District Mr. J. D. Allen is appointed Registrar and Messrs. E. C. Allen and G. W. Royster poll holders.
Ordered that a road be opened from L. A. Wilkins to a point on Mun's road where J. C. Fleming and W. L. Clark's line strikes the road over the lands of J. C. Fleming and W. L. Clark, W. H. Daniel, S. N. Goss, A. Wilkins, and possibly W. W. Cozart, provided there is no objection and no expense to the county by reason of the opening of said road.
The following persons were appointed a committee to look into the matter of a change of the public road from a point near W. G. Rean's to Kimball's Mill, thence to intersect the Hillsboro road at a point near the Hudson place now owned by Rev. B. C. Alred, J. T. Cheatham, E. C. Harris, W. S. Gooch, J. L. Haskins and Z. W. Allen. That this committee shall thoroughly investigate the surroundings and report the same at the next meeting of the Board.
Ordered that the road on D. P. Coley land be changed at no expense to the county and B. W. Bullock and D. P. Coley were appointed a committee to lay off said road.
E. C. Harris was appointed to have the bridge over Gibbs' Creek built to the best advantage.
The following persons were drawn as Jurors for November term of Granville Superior court which convene November 20th:
First Week—L. W. Oakley, J. H. Daniel, W. D. Harris, H. R. Daniel, H. S. Hart, J. T. Bobbitt, W. M. Eastwood, N. G. Longmire, J. L. Williams, Thos. Blalock, B. P. Thorp, R. H. Rogers, B. H. Pinnix, J. W. Wilkins, T. B. Daniel, Jr., H. C. Gill, John M. Morris, J. H. Puckett, P. H. Davis, J. W. Floyd, E. M. Pinnix, Charlie Loftis, J. M. Daniel, J. A. Cottrell, I. T. Green, E. F. Curran, Howard Dorsey, A. F. Bredelove, J. S. Jones, W. C. O'Brien, Thos. Woody, R. S. Gray, James Curran, L. T. Buchanan, M. S. Overton, J. Bredelove.
Second week—R. G. Rogers, C. L. Lewis, L. D. Veazey, J. M. Minor, G. B. Royster, A. M. Stovall, S. C. Hogbood, H. J. Roberts, R. G. Stem, E. C. Overton, Alex. Baker, A. S. Clark, W. E. Mulech, W. Y. Jones, W. A. Bragg, C. A. Behlen, J. P. Stovall, I. H. Hogbood.

Ordered that Sheriff Howard summons a jury to assess damages according to the lands of Mr. D. A. Hunt caused by reason of relocating a road from Oxford to Harjburg bridge. The report of Supt. Roberts as to road working condition, etc., was presented and accepted.
The members of the Board smiled when commissioner E. C. Harris smilingly asked to be allowed to list his taxes at single rate.
After allowing a number of claims against the county the Board adjourned Tuesday afternoon.

Compliments Board of Trustees.
The News and Observer in a long article on the Nall Asylum case pays the following compliment to Board of Directors, of which our honored townsman Dr. Graham Hunt, is a member.
"The men who compose the board will not doubt that they would without delay remove any official known to be guilty of 'neglect, insult or cruelty to a patient.' The high standing of John W. Thompson, of Wake; S. O. Middleton, of Duplin; L. J. Pleet, of Warren; W. H. Whitehead, of Nash; J. G. Hunt, of Granville; James M. Parrott, of Lenoir; John D. Biggs, of Martin; R. H. Stancil, of Northampton; Edward Smith, of Harnett—the gentlemen who compose the board is sufficient evidence that no cruelty will be tolerated by them or condoned by their action. They cannot, indeed, know all that transpired in the institution, but they will not fail to do their duty when in possession of facts. If they, or any of them, however, should apologize for or excuse harsh treatment of the people of North Carolina would rise up and demand their redress as was done 18 years ago when other good men, blinded by their faith in an unworthy official, failed to rid the institution of his presence."

Tobacco News.
Below we give some prices just received on the floor of the Farmers Warehouse:
H. Dorsey & Taylor \$90, 140, 40, 15, S. R. Sneed \$90, 170, 370, 90, S. Harris & Duncan \$70, 9, 18, 39, 110, and 70.
Still some improvement in prices. We have orders now for medium as well as common grades and wrappers. Remember we want 1,000,000 pounds. Come to see us.
Respectfully
J. F. MEADOWS & CO.

Coming and Going.

YOU OR YOUR FRIEND MAY BE MENTIONED.

Mrs. W. H. White is visiting friends in Raleigh.
Mr. S. M. Evans, of Oak Hill, was in Oxford Monday.
Mrs. Thos. W. Winston, was in Raleigh Monday.
Mrs. J. B. Mayes, of Stem, was in town Monday.
Miss Lulle Biggs is visiting friends in Raleigh this week.
Mr. S. H. Smith was in town a few days the past week.
Mr. David Parks, of Hillsboro, was in town Saturday.
Mr. H. E. Crews, of Watkins, was on our streets Saturday.
Mr. Geo. B. Harris, of Henderson, was in Oxford Wednesday.
Mr. Geo. Haughtaling, of Henderson, was in town Monday.
Mr. C. D. Caborn was at home this week visiting his family.
Mrs. E. T. White is visiting her daughter Miss Edna, in Richmond.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blacknall, of Kittrell, were Oxford visitors Friday.

Constable J. D. Cannady, of Dutchville township, was in Oxford Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Hewitt Hicks, of Carlton, were on our streets Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. A. B. Kimball, member of the Greensboro bar, was an Oxford visitor Monday.
Dr. H. C. Herndon is visiting his brother, Mr. William Herndon, in Atlanta this week.
Mr. W. D. Vaughan, of Lyon, was in Oxford Monday and called on the Public Ledger.
Mrs. I. B. Gentry and Mrs. R. S. McInnis, of Henderson, visited Mrs. M. H. Allen the past week.
Mr. J. B. Floyd, of Person county, was in town Friday visiting his son, Mr. James Floyd on Main Street.

Mr. Walter Stark, of Farmville, was at the bedside of his daughter, Miss Willie, who has been quite ill, several days the past week.
A. J. Bullock, one of our colored subscribers at Creedmoor, was in town Tuesday and called in to renew his subscription for another year.
Messrs. H. F. Moore, of Stem, Sam Newton and J. H. Newton, of Oak Hill township, were in Oxford Tuesday and called on the Public Ledger.

Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Booth, Misses Annie Cannady, Lizzie Shannon and Col. R. O. Gregory, will take in the Classman at Durham this Thursday night.
Ex-Judge Graham, Gen. B. S. Royster and Mr. W. A. Devin were in Raleigh Wednesday to argue the Gattis-Kilgo case before the Supreme Court.

The editor was pleased to receive a call Monday from his friend Bernard Cozart, of near Stem. He is getting ready to make a fine exhibit of his blooded hogs at the State.

Mr. K. R. Levister and family left Friday for Raleigh where they will make their future home. We are sorry to lose these good people from Oxford. Mr. Levister has accepted a position with the Ellington Lumber Co.
The editor was much pleased to meet in Oxford Monday his old friends Messrs. A. F. Smith and Walt Howard, of Willow Spring. We are gratified to learn that these clever gentlemen are thinking of returning to their home in this county.

A Family Reunion.
A reunion of the family of Rev. J. B. Floyd was held at the old home place near Wilson, near the home of Mr. J. W. Floyd, on the 24th of Sept. There were present at this reunion all of Mr. Floyd's children, two daughters, Mrs. Edgar Crews and Mrs. Lucius Fuller, and six sons, Dr. R. P. Floyd, Messrs. J. W. Floyd, Henry Floyd, J. P. Floyd, Charlie Floyd, and Frank Floyd, of Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. Floyd has 22 grand children many of whom were present at the reunion. The occasion was a joyous and happy one, being at old home-stand which is the dearest spot on earth to the family, where the children had spent so many happy days. Appropriate scripture selections from Deut. 5-27 and 5 Chapter 1 These were read and commented upon by the father, which was followed by prayer, the doxology and benediction. A line was formed by all present according to age and the happy family marched and counter-marched in the yard.
Later a sumptuous dinner was served, the table being full of good things, which was greatly enjoyed.
The day will long be remembered by the family as one of the delightful events of their lives.
We rejoice with Mr. Floyd that he has been spared and that he can gather together so many of his children and grand children who "rise up and call him blessed." He is one of Granville's most excellent men and his children and grand children are among our best people. Mr. Floyd, we regret to say, now resides out of his native land, being now a resident of Person, but we hope he may yet come back to his old home.

Land For Sale.
In a mild climate cheap lands adapted to farming and stock raising. Apply to
JEFFREYS, HESTER & CO.,
Chase City, Va.
2m. pd.

Flue Cured Tobacco. We have on our list of farms some of the very best flue cured tobacco farms in the world. Petersburg is the largest tobacco market in the U. S. All property shown free. Your correspondence solicited.
PERCIVALL BROS.,
Land Brokers, No. 4, Bryc. St. Sept. 22.
Petersburg, Va.

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If you suffer from lung trouble or general debility take Vinol. Nothing else "just as good."

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You always get the best goods, best services and best prices at Hamilton's.

I have a large supply of tooth brushes from 5c up, whisk brooms from 10c up, talcum powder, fine quality 10c up, soaps 5c to 25c per cake. Combs and brushes at bottom prices. The best line of stationery in town at great bargains. A large supply of perfumes at almost your own price.

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Speaking at Providence and Stem.

Prof. R. D. W. Connor, of Raleigh, spent last Friday and Saturday in Granville county in the interest of public education.
Friday afternoon he spoke at Providence school house to a large and appreciative audience and they heard him gladly. Prof. Connor is a strong, impressive and interesting speaker, and the people paid strict attention to his speech, which was an hour and 20 minutes long.
At the close of Professor Connor's able speech Dr. B. K. Hays and E. B. Meadows made short addresses congratulating the people of this section upon the gratifying progress they have made, and urged them to make still greater efforts for the education of the children.
At Stem Saturday Prof. Connor, we are informed, made one of the strongest speeches ever delivered in the county on education. Treating his subject from the several view points he made a strong plea for longer school terms, better schoolhouses, better teachers and better supervisions.
No one who heard his argument can help realizing the great responsibility that rests upon them to give the children of Granville county an equal opportunity to compete with the children of other counties and other States. In order to improve our schools we must have more money as the State and county funds are not sufficient to meet the demands made on them, and consequently the funds must come from elsewhere. It rests with the people to say how this extra money shall be raised.
Prof. Connor closed his address with a strong plea for a local tax to supplement the present school fund.
Dr. B. K. Hays and Dr. Hardee also addressed the meeting in behalf of better schools.
Great Revival at Durham.
I feel impressed that I should give a short sketch of my trip to Durham to hear Rev. Geo. Stewart. We were in Durham last Saturday and Sunday and attended two services Saturday and three Sunday. Saturday morning he preached to the children and a delightful service it was. There were as many as 4,000 at every service. Sunday he preached from Gen. 18-19, his theme being "Home government and Home Authority." He said the home question settles every other question, and that home authority and home example was not worth much without example. It was a plea for parents to train and raise their children.
The sermon at 3 p m Sunday was to the women, but all were admitted. Text, "Who can find a virtuous woman?" The sermon was great and the services fine. At night he preached to men only, and 4,000 heard him. His text was Daniel 1:8: "But Daniel purposed in his heart," etc. This was the grandest service we ever attended, and the sermon was plain, impressive and helpful. He held the vast audience spellbound almost all the while. At times all would laugh and at other times all would weep, then all would cheer. When he called for penitents or requests for prayer there were nearly a thousand to respond, and as many as 200 or more went up to the altar and knelt for prayer. Out of this number nearly all were converted.
The meeting surpasses anything that has happened in this country. The writer has been to Durham twice to hear Sam Jones in the same building this was held in—Parrish Warehouse—but this meeting beats them all. It would have paid any man to walk from Oxford to Durham to be there at one service if he could get there no other way. We wish that all the preachers in this county could hear him, as they could learn much that would be helpful to them.
The question now is when can we get Evangelist Stewart to come to Oxford? His time is engaged for a year ahead. D. N. HUNT.

Wanted—Highest market price paid for green salt or dry hides.
W. L. PEACE.

Warning Not to Hire—This is to forbid any and all persons from hiring Henry Meadows, colored, as he has left my employment without any cause, and all persons so doing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
T. G. TAYLOR.

Trust Department
of the Oxford Savings Bank is a distinct and separate department under the direct supervision of

Dr. J. G. Hunt
as trust officer. It is authorized to act as executor or administrator of estates, as guardian and receiver. It acts as manager of estates for persons advanced in years or from any reason unable to give personal attention to the management of their property or estate or the persons wishing to place the care and management of such property in the hands of a capable, trustworthy and entirely responsible agent, who will

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and who will keep the property insured, the funds invested and will pay taxes and other obligations. Safety boxes for rent—vaults for storage of silver chests.

Administratrix Notice.
Having qualified as administratrix of J. J. Davis, deceased, late of Granville County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present the same to me for payment at Stovall, N. C., before the 6th day of October, 1905, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
CAMILLA W. DAVIS, Adm'x of
J. J. Davis, deceased.
B. S. Royster, Attorney.
This October 4th, 1905.

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