Mrs. Thales Turner
Feb. 2,06

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Garden Seed

When you go to the trouble and expense of preparing your garden and planting seeds you want reliable seed. Some of your neighbors who have been getting them for over a Quarter of a Gentury from J. G. Hall know that is the place.

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 Gounty. Face, toilet and baby powders, complexion creams and cosmetiss, 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.

Do you ever cut yourself when you shave if so go to J. G. Halls and get a guaranteed Safety Razor that you can't cut yourself with. If not perfectly satisfactory carry it back in 30 days and get your money.

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

Hall's Spavin Gure is the best liniment on earth for a horse. Roysters Horse Powder is the best Gondition 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 you prescription to me and you will get eactly what your doctor wants you to have.

J. G. HALL.
DRUGGIST.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Bank of Creedmoor

At Creedmoor, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on April 6, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 36,620.33
Overdrafts unsecured	1,232
Furniture and fixtures	859.27
All other real estate owned	906.38
Due from banks and bankers	11,289.68
Cash items	136.47
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	491.56
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	4,099.00
Total	$ 54,402 69

LIABILITES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 7,500.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	1,858.19
Dividend unpaid	690.00
Time certificates of deposit	19,872.52
Deposits subject to check	24,935.85
Cashier's checks outstanding	220.13
Total Deposits	45,038 50
Total	$ 54,402 69

State of North Carolina, County of Granville, ss:

I, W. R. Fleming, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. R. FLEMING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of April 1906.

C. E. LYON, Mayor.

Correct—Attest:
L. V. PEACE.
A. G. FLEMING,
J. F. SANDERFORD.
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the

BANK OF STOVALL

At Stovall, N. C., at close of business April 6th, 1906.
(From report of N. C Corportion Commission.)

RESOURCES.

Discounts	$2,386.39
Overdrafts none	
Office Furniture & Fixtures	404.95
Expenses	238.89
Cash and due from Banks	7,129.14
Total	$ 10,159.37

LIABILITES.

Capital Stock	5,000.00
Undivided Profits	117.39
Deposits	5,041.98
Total	$ 10,159.37

I, C. L. Lewis, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. L. LEWIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April 1906.

W. T. YANCEY, Notary Public.
W. H. GREGORY,
WM. L. TAYLOR,
J. G. HUNT,
Directors.

WANTED.—Steady and able men to learn the trade of beveling and silvering glass for mirrors. Excellent opportunity for quick advancement. Good wages and steady work guaranteed to non-union men. Apply at once to the

STANDARD MIRROR CO.
3t. High Point, N C.

Live Local Laconics.

BRIEF DASHES OF THINGS HAPPENING.

—Col. R. O. Gregory is out again after several days sickness.

—Monday being a holiday there was a very large crowd in town.

—Parham Bros. Co. have fitted up a nice clothing departed in front part of store No. 1.

—We call attention to sale of land by A. A. Hicks, commissioner, advertised in another part of this paper.

—We call attention to the statement of Stovall's New Bank in another column, and bids fair to do a good business.

—If you want to buy land consult the advertisement of Real Estate Exchange and Trust Co., Durham, in another column.

—It will be seen by a notice in another column that Mr. B. F. Dean has qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Mary A. Dean.

—Three box cars attached to the morning freight over the Southern Railway Tuesday jumped the track at Stovall delaying the passenger train several hours.

—An earthquake Wednesday morning occurred at San Francisco destroying a large part of the city and it is some 2,000 people lost their lives. This is a great calamity.

—Miss Helen White will give a reception this Thursday night in honor her attractive guest, Miss Rountree, of Richmond, Va., at her elegant home on Main street and a delightful evening will be spent.

—The Bank of Creedmoor, under the safe direction of Cashier W. R. Fleming, makes a most excellent showing in the statement published in another part of this paper, and has become a strong lever in Creedmoor's rapid growth.

—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mims after a lingering illness was gathered into the arms of Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," Wednesday night about eleven o'clock, and the deep sympathy of our people go out to the sorely bereaved parents.

—Messrs. C. F. Crews and E. C. Harris and General B. S. Royster, committee appointed by Board of Commissioners to have the court house repainted and repaired, met Monday and awarded the contract to Mr. C. H. Landis who was the lowest bidder. Mr. Landis says he will commence the work in a few days.

—We deeply regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Oscar Yancey as we are going to press this Thursday morning, which occured 6 o'clock from pneumonia. Mrs. Yancey was the daughter of the late Fielding Knott and was a most excellent christian woman and greatly esteemed by all who knew her. May the God of Love be with and sustain the loved ones in the trying hour.

—Miss Annie Lee Currin gave a reception Wednesday afternoon from 5 to 6:30 o'clock at her pretty home on College street in honor of her guest, Miss Louise Lewis, of Richmond, Va. Those who assisted her in receiving were: Misses Annie Furman, Isabel Parham, Gertrude Landis, Jannett Gregory, Willie Grimsley and Augusta Landis. An elegant lunch was served and a joyous time was had.

—The members of Berea Lodge held quite an enthusiastic meeting at Tar River Academy Saturday, and were addressed by District Deputy Grand Master W. B. Ballou. There was a large crowd in attendance and a sumptuous dinner was served, and it is said there were some of the champion eaters on hand. We learn that our old friend, Mr. Milton Blalock, won the championship with another old friend, Mr. J. C. Cozart as a close second.

—Cashier I. E. Harris by strict attention to business is pushing the Citizens' Bank at Creedmoor rapidly forward as it continues to increase in deposits as it pays 4 per cent interest on time deposits. This well conducted institution seeks the patronage of all classes of people and extends every accommodation consistent with safe banking. We ask you to read both the fine statement of this admirably conducted bank as well as the advertisement in another column and extend it your patronage.

—Three prisoners, Kid Handy, Lester Burwell and Norman Royster, sawed out of Black Maria, Saturday night at the camp near the old Hudson place, on Tally Ho road, and left for parts unknown. It is not known whether any one assisted them in escaping or not, and Superintendent Roberts was very much surprised to find them gone Sunday morning. The county commissioners have offered a reward of $25 a piece for their capture, and all law abiding citizens should aid in their recapture.

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar and as a throat and lung remedy and on account of the great merit and popuity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuino. These worthless imitations similar sounding names. Beware of them The genuine Foleys Honey And Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds.

Letter to H. J. Council, Oxford, N. C

Dear Sir: There are two sorts of furniture. You know both; for you sell 'em both. One sort looks better than it is, and the other is better that it looks. There isn't any other sort.

The same, two sorts of paint, no more; and we make 'em—we make tons of stuff that isn't worth its freight. Belongs to the business—have to. Belongs to your business—have to.

But this is aside. We put into cans, with our name on, the very best paint there is in the world: Devoe lead and zinc. It takes fewer gallons than mixed paints and it wears twice as long as lead and oil.

Mr. C. O. Brown, Columbia, S. C. painted his house with Devoe lead and zinc. The painter, on seeing the quantity sent to the house, said there wasn't enough There were ten gallons left, when the job was done.

Yours truly
F. W. Devoe & Co.

P. S.—Baird & Chamblee sells our paint.

BEAUTIFUL EASTER SERVICES.

Elegant Music Heard in the Oxford Churches Sunday.

Last Sunday was Easter, the memory which is made glorious by the triumphant resurrection of a Risen Christ. In all Chrisendom it is the most glorious of all mornings. It is commemorative of triumph, of victory, of peace, of joy, and of freedom and deliverance. It is the only victory ever gained over death and sin and the grave. To the christian it should be the sweetest of all days.

In Oxford the day was celebrated with appropriate services in three of our churches. The day was an ideal one for opening of Spring, the air was balmy and all nature was beginning to unfold her robes of richest beauty beyond the power of art to paint.

At St. Stephen's Episcopal Church the preparations were elaborate and the service most impressive and beautiful. The chancel was adorned with lovely zallas, roses, palms, and other plants. The vested choir, 20 in number, entered from the front door followed by Rev. Francis Hilliard who officiated at the services. The renditions by the well trained choir were beautiful and the music throughout the service was among the best ever heard in Oxford. The violins played by Masters James Taylor and Marsh Ray and Miss Lillie White and Miss Humphries added to the splendid music furnished by Mrs. R. W. Lassiter who presided at the large organ.

After the impressive Easter service Rev. Francis Hilliard preached an appropriate sermon on the resurrection at the close of which he administered Holy Communion.

Special Easter services were also held at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. Some special music had been prepared by the choir which was well rendered with Mrs Kate Hays Fleming at the organ. Rev. F. M. Shamburger afterwards delivered an impressive and eloquent sermon to an appreciative congregation.

Services were also held at the Baptist Church morning and night. Rev. Mr. Love, of Atlanta, Assistant Secretary of the Home Mission Board, delivered an effective sermon on home missions both at the morning and night services. The special Easter services held at night, and many beautiful selections were given. Mr Hubert Poteat, of Wake Forest, presided at the organ to the pleasure of all who heard him. He also rendered a beautiful violin solo to the great delight of the large congregation. Mr. Poteat is an excellent musician and seems able to perform on organ, violin or almost any instrument with equal skill. He is always gladly welcomed to Oxford. Mr. Darius Eatman was at home from Wake Forest and assisted in the music.

A large contribution for home mission was taken.

Compliments Bill Kitchin and A. W. Graham, True Men of the People.

Editor of News & Observer.—I have just read that great speech of my young friend, Will Kitchin, in opposition to the subsidy for the Southern Railroad. Ninety-five out of every hundred of North Carolina Democrats are with him in this matter. He is the type of lawyer that I have so much admiration for. I have no doubt he could have gotten ten thousand or more to have espoused the other side of this bill; but thank God he is not made that way. How different I have seen it in the Legislature of North Carolina. In the Legislature of 1903 I was on a visit to Raleigh and was invited by an old farmer friend who was a member of the House to go over to the Senate, to witness a contest over a bill introduced by Durham county's representative to compel the railroad to build a suitable depot in Durham. In that fight I found three of the brightest lawyers in the eastern part of our State pleading with all the power they could muster to defeat this most righteous measure. I said to my old friend: "What does it mean that our eastern attorneys here as Senators are fighting for the railroad against the interest of the people?" His reply was "They are retained by the railroad; that Senators here often get more from the railroad fighting one bill than the State pays them for the whole term. Now we have only 50 members in our Senate. The 7 or 8 Republican Senators are always on the side of railroad and corporations. The railroads generally succeed in electing ten or twelve of their own attorneys as Senators, so you can readily see that they have only to retain 7 or 8 to defeat any measure that may be passed by that more representative body called the House."

We had in both branches of the last Legislature some splendid lawyers—men of the highest type, but they were in the minority and not admired by the class that can be retained by the railroads after they have been elected to the Legislature. I was asked by one of the latter class if I did not think Judge A. W. Graham was "a great obstructionist." My reply was, "Your diagnosis is incorrect. I consider him a destructionist of more bad legislation than any other member of the House; that he is always on the people's side, and his great legal ability and long experience enables him to detect the evil trend of bad bills and fight them from the beginning. The people of Granville county can do the State no greater service than to keep him in the Legislature as long as they can get him to serve."

I trust you will continue to keep this matter of who will represent us in the Senate before the people, and that the next Senate will not be under the control of railroads.

J. J. LAUGHINGHOUSE.
Greenville, N. C., April 14.

—The annual Easter picnic at Providence is always an enjoyable affair, and looked for with a great deal of pleasure by the good people of that section. As usual the one Monday was largely attended, and the fishing on dry land was exceedingly good. The dinner was sumptuous and most heartily enjoyed by all who attended.

This is the season of listlessness, headache and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative Makes you strong and vigorous. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. G. Hall.

☞BAIRD & CHAMBLEE will prew that they givz the best valuz on the market kevaletz and survus considered kutz auf awl unesesary profitz Spestils in belding supllz,

You feel the life giving current the minute you take it. A gentle soothing warmth, fills the nerves and blood with life. It's a real pleasure to take Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea. 35cts, Tea or Tablets. J. G. Hall.

☞WANTED—25,000 pounds of Wheat Straw at 50c per hundred delivered at Factory (Ballou old factory on Hillsboro street).
ap20 4t. VEAZEY MATTRESS CO., OXFORD, N. C.

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.

Lillian Sizemore Rnn Over by a Train and Badly Wounded.

A heart-rending accident occurred here Friday afternoon in which Lillian Sizemore, a nine year old girl, was seriously wounded.

With her little cousin, Mamie Moore, eleven years old, she was walking across the trestle on the Seaboard railroad in East Oxford just as the engine and two coaches were backing from the Seaboard depot to cross the trestle.

Mamie Moore saw the danger they were in and leaped to the ground, distance of twenty feet and was hurt about her hip. Lillian Sizemore remained on the trestle and was knocked down by the rear coach and both coaches and engine passed over her prostrate form. One hand was out stretched across the rail and was completely crushed; the right arm broken, right leg broken and skull fractured above the right eye.

The wounded girl was taken in the arms of the fireman to the nearest residence where medical assistance was summoned. Dr. B. K. Hays quickly reached the sufferer and Dr. T. L. Booth and Dr. Williams also attended. The child was carried to the office of Dr. Hays where the wounds were treated and hand amputated.

Though seriously hurt she has been conscious all the time and is doing well and will recover.

The flagman on the train as soon as he discovered the girls on the trestle did all he could to signal the engineer to stop the train and applied the emergency brake but the grade is so steep over the trestle it proved of no avail and the little Moore girl leaped to the ground 20 feet below while Lillian Sizemore was knocked down and run over with the above results.

Engineer Allen says he has had a hard time to keep the children off the trestle in spite of the posted warning.

It was a wonder that she was not killed out right and great sympathy is expressed on all sides for the brave little girl, and the warm hearted Mr. Lonnie Smith, Oxford's splendid day policeman soon raised about $100 and and turned over to the widowed mother to aid her in watching over and careing for her dear little daughter.

The Seaboard people are doing all they can for the badly wounded girl and the officials of the road deeply regret the accident.

Durham-Cole Nuptials.

Another love story will reach its culmination this month. The following invitation has been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson Cole
request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Lucy
to
The Reverend Plato Tracy Durham
on the
evening of Tuesday April the twenty-fourth
nineteen hundred and six
at eight o'clock
Methodist Episcopal Church South,
Rockingham, North Carolina.

The Company for the People.

We take much pleasure in calling special attention to the advertisement of the Southern Life Insurance Company of Fayetteville on 4th page of this paper. Now, when it is remembered that the Southern Life is breaking the world's record of life insurance in economy, and giving four fifth of the profits to its policy holders, it goes without saying that the wise men and women will give their life insurance to the strong, progressive Southern Company, whose entire assets are invested in the building up of our long neglected Southland, the fairest domain on earth. This fine Company is now represented in the county by Colonel McDuffie, quite a pleasant gentleman, who will take pleasure in writing you the best life policy that can be written.

Kitchin Almost Defeated Subsidy.

The News and Observer says the vote of Messrs. Small, Pou and Gudger, of North Carolina, gives J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. by their votes for the Southern Railroad subsidy a gift of $142,728 per year. That sum would establish 198 free rural delivery routes that are badly needed. Is it best to give the money to the transportation monopoly or to establish rural delivery routes that help the people? The money spent in free rural delivery would help the South; the money voted to J. Pierpont Morgan will never get South of New York city.

And so it turns out that the subsidy of the Southern Railway gets only one majority, after the record is made straight. If Mr. Pou had not changed his position from anti-subsidy to for subsidy, the grab would have failed. If the Democrats had elected an anti-subsidy Democrat instead of Blackburn it would have falled.

All smart up-to date woman of today,
Know how to bake, wash, sing and to play;
Without these talents a wife is N. C.
Unless she takes Rocky Mountain Tea.
J. G. Hall.

Lewis' Laconics.

Miss Pleasant, of Kittrell, visited the Misses Pleasant the past week.

Mr. Charles Lewis, who has been in poor in health all the winter, is much improved.

The hunters did not get all the deer the past season as we frequently run up on one in the woods.

Mrs. Martha Chewning, of Woodlawn, is enjoying the holiday season in Oxford this week.

There is a rumor of another rail road which will pass through Dexter and cross the Southern at this point.

Real estate in this neighborhood is looking up. Mr. Rufus Puckett has sold his fine farm to Mr. L. D. Veazey for a good price.

Owing to the open winter farmers are ahead with their preparations for a crop. Tobacco plants are up and growing nicely.

There has been some prospecting for gold and much for timber, which is high, and there are several large tracts in the neighborhood.

The Public Schools in this neighborhood closed some time ago for want of funds. Something must be wrong as we pay big school tax and our children have no advantages.

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Stomach and Liver Trouble Cured.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures stomach and liver trouble as it aids digestion, and stimulates the liver and bowels without irritating these organs like pills and ordinary cathartics. It cures indigestion and sick headache and chronic constipation. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. J. G. Hall.

VILLEFORD CLUB RECEPTION.

The Social Event of the Season and Largely Attended—The German.

The Annual Easter Reception of the Villeford Club was held in the Club Parlors Monday night from 9 to 12 o'clock and proved the great social event of the joyous season.

Very elaborate preparations had been made for the reception. The arrangement in every detail was excellent, and the decorations were profuse and beautiful; and it is not too high praise for the management to say the reception was the leading social event of the season in Oxford.

The excellent Durham Band furnished music for the reception and for the german which followed in the Armory.

About 300 persons were in attendance and we believe every one present had a good time. The good ladies had kindly aided the Reception Committee in the arrangements. decorations, etc., and the effect produced showed the work of their deft hands.

Dainty refreshments were served which were in charge of Mrs. E. T. Rawlins. Misses Gertrude Landis and Kate Horner presided gracefully at the punch bowl.

The Easter Club Reception is an event looked forward to with pleasure in Oxford, and is now regarded as a fixed social event.

Large numbers of people from other towns and several from other States attended.

The following persons composed the reception committees: Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hunt, Capt and Mrs. S H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cooper, Mr. Frank Pinnix with Miss Charlotte Britt, General Bev. S. Royster, Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Devin, Col. and Mrs. W. B. Ballou, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hick, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. White, Capt. and Mrs. J. L. Erwin, Mr and Mrs. B. M. Haubold, Capt. and Mrs. J. Cliff Robards, Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Cannady, Dr. L. C. Taylor, W. H. Harrison, R. P. Taylor, Mrs. Ed. T. Rawlins, Colonel and Mrs. W. E. Massenburg, Major and Mrs. Wm. Landis, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Niles, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harris, and the Misses. Sophia Taylor, Josephine Brown, Irene Hines, Augusta Landis, Lucy Smith, Lillian Minor, Louie Mitchell, Mamie Royster, Maud Parham, Edna White, Willie Grimsley, Janett Gregory, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Booth, Capt. Brooks Parham, Sam Clark and W. T. Minor.

Among those from out of town in attendance we noticed the following: Colonel S. W. Minor, of Durham; Dr. J. E. Wyche, of Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kent, of Fon du Lac, Michigan; H B. Bryan, of Chase City; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgers, of Henderson; J. M. Harris, of Stovall; Mrs. E. H. Hicks, of New York; Miss Nan Jordan, of Durham; Miss Bessie Prapler, of Raleigh; W. W. Boddie, of Louisburg; E. N. Walsh, of Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Edward McKethan, of Fayetteville; Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham; W. W. Devin, of South Boston, Va.; Hubert Poteat, of Wake Forest; Miss Bessie Rountree, of Richmond, Va.; Miss Florence Lyon, of Stem; W. R. Fleming, of Creedmoor; Emeron Harris, Creemoor; H. Coleman of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Hill Parham, of Henderson,

THE GERMAN.

The German following the reception, which was given by the young men of the town, was largely attended and was one of the nicest germans ever held in Oxford, and reflected much credit on the management. We are sorry to say that we failed to get the list of the couples dancing.

Managers were Messrs. Brooks Parham, Willie Minor, Eugene Lewellyn, Frank Pinnix, Crawford Cooper, Mott Pinnix, Tommie Howell, Marion Taylor.

The German was gracefully lead by Mr. Ben. K. Lassiter and Miss Alene Cooper.

Besides the large number of pretty young ladies in town there were a number present from out of town, and several were here from Virginia. All present pronounced it one of the greatest social successes of the season. The large number of beautiful young ladies elegantly attired presented a scene of loveliness and a galaxy of beauty which could hardly be surpassed.

The chaprones were: Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hunt, Mrs. R. O. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Britt, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robard and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stark.

Is the Moon Inhabited.

Science has proven that the moon has atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who con't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, billiousness, Malaria, chills and fever, jaundice, dyspepsia, dizzin ss. torpid liver, kidney complaints. general debility and female weaknesses. Unequalled as a general tonic and appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by R. L. Hamilton druggist. Price only, 50c.

Special Offer.

We are now making our usual April Special Combination offer for visiting cards and monogram paper with envelopes to match. Both for the price of the cards—box monogram paper and envelopes free. This offer expires April 25th. J. G. HALL.

A LITTLE AHEAD OF THEM ALL.

This is what can be said of Ober's Fertilizers. By actual test in this county for the past 20 years Ober's has produced Tobacco that has sold for more money than anything since the Peruvian of twenty-five years ago. We give below some expressions used by men of judgment, some from those who have used it by other Fertilizers.

"I used Ober's Fertilizers continuously until six years ago and then for personal reasons stopped using it. I am confident that I lost five thousand dollars during the five years I used other brands. I used it again last year and made a fine crop and will use it again this year.

H. E. CREWS, Watkins, N. C."

"Tobacco sold on my floor made with Ober's Fertilizer sells for more money than any other tobacco I sell.

Z. W. LYON, Oxford, N. C."

"I have lost money every year I used anything but Ober's Guano we have tried other brands of Fertilizer but have found nothing the equal of Ober's Special Compound for producing fine tobacco.

T. G. CURRIN,
FRED CURRIN,
D. H. CURRIN.

We could give thousand expression along this line, all testify the merit of this celebrated brand of Guano.

Have Ober's, nothing is just as good.

PARHAM BROS. CO. Agents,
Oxford, N. C.

Coming and Going.

YOU OR YOUR FRIEND MAY BE MENTIONED.

—Mr. B. I. Breedlove, of Dexter, was in town Monday.

—Mr. John Hall is on a business trip to New York City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Currin, of Enon, were in town Monday.

—Mr. J. S. Watkins, of Cornwall, was on our streets Wednesday.

—Mrs. Niles, of Boston, Mass., is visiting her son Mr. J. A. Niles.

—Miss Elanora Williams, of St. Marys, come home to enjoy Easter.

—Miss Eliza Pool, of Raleigh, visited Mrs. J. A. Taylor the past week.

—Miss Julia Winston joined her mother and sister at Selma Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Currin, of Northside, were Oxford visitors Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Floyd, of Wilton, were in Oxford Wednesday shopping.

—Miss Rountree, of Richmond, is visiting Miss Helen White on Main street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Norwood, of Williamsboro, were on our streets Friday.

—Mr. C. L. Lewis, cashier of Stovall Bank, was on our streets Monday morning.

—Dr. J. B. Williams, Jr., of East Durham, was in Oxford Sunday and Monday.

—Miss Edna White returned from school in Richmond to enjoy Easter at home.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parham, of Oxford Township, were on our streets Wednesday.

—Mrs. Lillie Gibson, of Wilton, visited Mrs. J. G. Hunt several days the past week.

—Mr. W. R. Fleming, cashier of Bank of Creedmoor, was an Oxford visitor Monday.

Messrs. S. W. Minor and Willie Minor, of Durham, spent Sunday and Monday in Oxford.

—Messrs. W. A. Hester and son and C. F. Burnett, of Hester, were in Oxford Tuesday.

—Mr. G. W. Hart, of Route 7, was in town Friday and dropped in on the Public Ledger.

—Messrs. Darius Eatman and Herbert Poteat, of Wake Forest, enjoyed Eastertide in Oxford.

—Mr. Hillman Cannady came in from the South and enjoyed the happy season with his familiy.

—Messrs. R. W. Hobgood and J. G. Shotwell, of Walnut Grove Township, were in Oxford Wednesday.

—Mr. Nick Cannady, of the State University, arrived home Friday to enjoy the holidays at home.

—Miss Nan Jordan, of Durham, was the pleasant guest of Miss Jennette Biggs several days the past week.

—Mrs. Maupin, of Salisbury, is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. T. D. Clement, near Tar River Academy.

—Mrs. W M. Gulick, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dorsey near town.

—Miss Florence Lyon returned to her home Wednesday after a pleasant visit to Miss Hettie Lyon on College street.

—Mr. John M. Morris, who has been in a hospital at Richmond for treatment, is at home much improved in health.

—Mrs. C. J. Roberts, of Knap of Reeds, was in Oxford Friday visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Bullock on Broad street.

—Messrs. John N. Watkins and James Elliott, two of Oak Hill Township's clever citizens, were on our streets Tuesday.

—Miss Louise Lewis, of Richmond, Va., and Miss Izabell Parham, near town, is visiting Miss Annie Lee Currin on College street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rollins and daughter, of Durham, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Steed on Broad street several days the past week.

—The editor had the pleasure of meeting in Oxford Monday night editor Joe King, of the Durham Herald, who is fat and jolly as ever.

—Misses Bessie Morris and Bessie and Pearl Floyd, three of Wilton sections' attractive young ladies, were on our streets Wednesday.

—Miss Hallie Powers, of Wake Forest, is the guest of Miss Mary Webb on Main street and attended the reception and dance Monday night.

—Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. White several days the past week and enjoyed meeting many of our Oxford people.

—Mr. J. Crawford Biggs, prominent candidate for the judgeship, came over from Durham Tuesday and accompanied Mrs. Biggs home Wednesday evening.

—Messrs. C. W. Knight, of Dement, Yancey Oakley, of Walnut Grove Township, and J. B. Riggan, of Route 7, were in town Saturday and called on the Public Ledger,

—Our old friends R. L. Clark, of Berea, D. G. Crews, of Tar River, and Rev. W. S. Hester, of Salem, were Oxford visitors Friday and called on the editor. The editor is always glad to receive visits from his friends.

☞Gilt Edge Fertilizer for sale by Parker & Hunt. 3t.

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"And he gave it as his opinion that whosoever could make two blades of grass to grow where only one grew before did more for humanity than all the professional men combined." POCOMOKE GUANO will give this result.

It has been used extensively throughout the State of North Carolina and has given excellent results; the following are the Brands and Analysis Guaranteed:

Pamlico Super Phosphate 8-2-2.
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We will gladly furnish indorsements upon request as to the field tests of above goods. We have on hand a good many Almanacs with testimonials as to their merit.

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Is Disease a Crime?

Not very long ago, a popular magazine published an editorial article in which the writer asserted, in substance, that all disease should be regarded as criminal. Certain it is, that much of the sickness and suffering of mankind is due to the violation of certain of Nature's laws. But to say that all sickness should be regarded as criminal, must appeal to every reasonable individual as radically wrong.

It would be harsh, unsympathetic, cruel, yes criminal, to condemn the poor, weak, over-worked housewife who sinks under the heavy load of household cares and burdens, and suffers from weaknesses, various displacements of pelvic organs and other derangements peculiar to her sex.

Frequent bearing of children, with its exacting demands upon the system, coupled with the care, worry and labor of rearing a large family, is often the cause of weaknesses, derangements and debility which are aggravated by the many household cares, and the hard, and never-ending work which the mother is called upon to perform. Dr. Pierce, the maker of that world-famed remedy for woman's peculiar weaknesses and ills—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—says that one of the greatest obstacles to the cure of this class of maladies is the fact that the poor, over-worked housewife can not get the needed rest from her many household cares and labor to enable her to secure from the use of his "Prescription" its full benefits. It is a matter of frequent experience, he says, in his extensive practice in these cases, to meet with those in which his treatment fails by reason of the patient's inability to abstain from hard work long enough to be cured. With those suffering from prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion of the uterus or other displacement of the womanly organs, it is very necessary that, in addition to taking his "Favorite Prescription" they abstain from being very much, or for long periods, on their feet. All heavy lifting or straining of any kind should also be avoided. As much out-door air as possible, with moderate, light exercise is also very important. Let the patient observe these rules and the "Favorite Prescription" will do the rest.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent *free* on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound.

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☞Car load of wire just received at Baird & Chamblees.

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☞For Sale—Family horse, Trap and Buggy. C. D. Ray.

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☞MILCH COWS FOR SALE—I have 3 good milch cows for sale.
2t C. W. BRYAN.

☞Car load of hard clinch wall plaster, see this new article before you plaster your house, just received at Baird & Chamblees.

☞Wanted—3,000 Loads of Negro Head Rock delivered at Rock Crusher. For further information see John P. Stedman or Chief of Police. mch23 4t

☞Some people say that never in their lives did they save any money until they secured a home auxliary steel Bank. Loaned free by the Oxford Savings Bank.

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☞If your watch has gone on a strike and your clock has quit striking bring them to W. D. Stimson and he will adjust the matter promptly and properly. Located at Paris Dry Goods Store. oct.13.

☞Wanted—Lady or gentlemen of fair education to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. G. Glows, Oxford, N. C.

☞WANTED—Good Machine men at good wages and steady employment. Union men need not apply.
COLUMBIA FURNITURE CO.,
1t High Point, N. C.

Warning Not to Hire.

You are hereby warned not to hire Florence Brandon, under the penalty of the law as she has left my employment without cause.

E. C. HARRIS.

April 17th, 1906.

☞TO THOSE IN NEED OF TREATMENT—Dr. Tucker, of the firm of Drs. Tucker & Tucker, Osteopathic Physicians of Durham, N. C., will be in Oxford Tuesday and Friday of each week. Office at the Exchange Hotel. Hours from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. Consultation and examination free. april 20

Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me by a certain order and decree of the Superior court of Granville county, rendered by the clerk of said court on the tenth day of April, 1906, in a special proceeding pending in said court, wherein Minerva Harris and others were plaintiffs and Haywood Tate and others were defendants, I will sell by public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door at Oxford on

MONDAY, MAY 14th, 1906,

at twelve M. the tract of land described in the petition in said proceeding to-wit:

That tract of land in Dutchville township Granville county, adjoining the land of Pervis Tilley, Henry Dixon, Martha Holloway, Anderson Day and perhaps others, and known as the John Harris place, said tract contains eighty acres more or less Terms 1-2 cash balance in eight months.

A. A. HICKS, Commissioner.
This April 13th, 1906.

NEW GOODS.

We have just received a nice line of side and back combs, sash pins and cuff pins from 35 cts per pair to $2 and $3 per pair. Brooches, bracelets, waist sets, and signet rings in equally as good variety.

We have also a nice line of ladies neck chains and beads. Gentlemans watch chains and fobs. Scarf pins and cuff buttons.

Call in and see them we can make the price interesting.

F. N. DAY, Jeweler,
John H. Waller, Manager.

The Label That Libels No One.

Why I feel better already, for when I see a package or bottle of medicine with R. L. HAMILTON'S label on it I rest easy. I know it is carefully prepared, neat, clean and of the purest and best material that can be had.

Say Mr. ——, do you send your prescriptions to HAMILTON'S?

Well Mam, we used to when we had Dr. —— in our family but now we have changed doctors, and our new doctor just takes them down town & sends up the medicine. I noticed the difference decidedly. Well we changed doctors too and he did us the same way but we just called him down. I buy all my toilets from Hamilton too. We think he keeps the best. He has the best Fountain drinks I ever got anywhere and everything is kept so neat & clean in his store.

TWO CUSTOMERS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

CITIZEN'S BANK.

AT

Creedmoor, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business April 6th, 1906.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 27,679.99
Banking Houses	700.00
Demand loans	2,325.00
Due from banks and bankers	8,484.28
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	5,929.97
Total	$ 45,119.24

LIABILITIES.

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