

The Wilson Advance.



E. G. WILLIAMS, Editor. FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1876.

GENERAL COX. His Election put to Shame.

We published the fact last week that General Cox, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, had been arrested on a false accusation, and carried to Wilmington to be tried before a United States Commissioner.

There was no truth or foundation for the charge preferred. It was a desperate conspiracy on the part of certain Radicals to make political capital by intimidation.

When the Committee met on the 15th inst., the quarrel was going on. The News after its long silence had been forced into it again by the persistent attacks of the Sentinel.

During his speech, Gen. Cox was frequently and warmly applauded.

THE RALEIGH BIRINGBLED.

Dr. Howerton, Secretary of State, who has been accused of swindling the State, publishes a card in the Raleigh Sentinel in vindication of himself, and charges Col. Walter Clark with making discreditable propositions to him in regard to printing.

Dr. Howerton, in his official capacity, bought stationery for the State, and presented his account to the Auditor at figures far above the value of the articles.

NO TIME FOR WRANGLING.

The Democratic Executive Committee at its recent meeting unanimously adopted a resolution, declaring that the welfare of the party imperatively demanded that the warfare between the Sentinel and News should cease.

On this subject, the ADVANCE has already spoken in plain terms. Under the caption, "Harmony at the Centre," we respectfully appealed to our contemporaries several months ago to turn their batteries against the corruptions of the Radical party, and stop quarrelling with each other.

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SENATOR RANSOM.

The strategy of the Radicals to protect themselves against the assaults of the Democrats is to assault leading men of our party without regard to truth or justice, but simply for the purpose of withdrawing attention from their own leaders now on trial before the bar of public opinion.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Den Butler, opposes the confirmation of Mr. Dana, as Minister to England upon the grounds that he is a convicted literary pirate.

priation bills over thirty millions of dollars.

If Grant doesn't want any guilty man to escape, let him lock himself up and throw the key down the well.

Burke county opened the campaign by adopting patriotic resolutions and recommending Ex-Gov. Z. B. Vance for Governor.

Judge Moses, Radical, who was impeached by the Legislature of South Carolina, has been convicted and deposed from office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Report of the Condition OF THE First National Bank of Wilson, at Wilson, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, on the 10th day of March, 1876:

RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts, \$81,217.50; U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation, 20,000.00; Cash on hand, 1,200.00; Due from State Banks and Bankers, 2,500.00; Due from Merchants and Traders, 1,000.00; Currents, 1,000.00; Premiums paid, 500.00; Bills of other National Banks, 2,000.00; Fractional Currency (including notes), 400.00; Specie, 5,000.00; Legal Tender Notes, 5,000.00; Total, \$118,617.50

LIABILITIES. Capital Stock paid in, \$100,000.00; Surplus Fund, 20,000.00; Other undivided Profits, 3,500.00; Individual Deposits, subject to check, 2,000.00; Deposits, subject to order, 1,000.00; Time Certificates of Deposit, 5,000.00; Cont. Premiums, 112.50; Total, \$132,000.00

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of Johnston. I, John Hutchinson, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN HUTCHINSON, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1876. H. C. MOSE, Clerk Superior Court. Corrected - Attest: WILLIE DANIEL, T. J. GARDNER, T. A. WOODARD, Directors.

GRAVES' COTTON PLANTER.



GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICE. ONLY \$16.00.

Owing to the stringency of the times, I have reduced the price of Graves' Cotton Planter to \$16.

Any information can be obtained by addressing J. T. GRAVES, Wilson, N. C.

NOTICE. U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE Special Taxes.

May, 1876, to April 30, 1877.

The Revised Statutes of the United States, Sections 3252, 3257, 3258, and 3259, require every person engaged in any business, profession, or occupation which renders him liable to a special tax, to procure and place conspicuously in his residence, place of business, or place of business, a Stamp denoting the payment of said special tax for the special tax year beginning May 1, 1876, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1876.

- Dealers in manufactured tobacco, 5.00; Manufacturers of cigars, 50.00; Manufacturers of snuff, 20.00; Manufacturers of cigars, 10.00; Manufacturers of cigars, 10.00; Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two boxes or other animals), 50.00; Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two boxes or other animals), 25.00; Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one box or other animal), 15.00; Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (one box or other animal), 10.00; Brewers of less than 500 barrels, 50.00; Brewers of 500 barrels or more, 100.00; Any person so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

The Star Ammoniated



Soluble Phosphate, Standard Guaranteed

Manufactured by Lorentz & Kuttler, of Baltimore, Md. THE BEST FERTILIZER IN THE MARKET.

FOR 70 LBS. OF COTTON. \$52.50 OR \$47.50 CASH. PAYABLE NOV. 1ST 1876.

SEND IN ORDERS AT ONCE THAT WE MAY SUPPLY WHERE WANTED. WE SELL WILSON, EDGE COMBE, NASH, GREENE, PITT & WAYNE COUNTY.

Acid Phosphate, \$30 Cash, \$37.50 Nov. 1st '76

APPLY AT ONCE TO CLARK BROS, WILSON, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. E. L. HUNTER, SURGEON DENTIST. Will be at his office in ENFIELD, N. C.

AT ALL TIMES. Pure Nitrous Oxide for painless Extracting, always on hand.

THE OLD NORTH STATE NURSERIES, WESTBROOK & CO., Proprietors. Offer for sale a large assortment of CHOICE FRUIT TREES, VINES, PLANTS, &c.

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE. I will sell privately, two unimproved TOWN LOTS, each containing one acre and one pole, lying between Mrs. P. P. Jenkins and the late D. B. Hillman lot, in the town of Nashville.

Represents the New Life Insurance Co., also a number of excellent Fire Insurance Co's, and will act promptly to any business in their line.

Nicholsen & Meseley, Life and Fire Insurance Agents, WILSON, N. C.

OLE MASSA'S GRAVE. THIS is the title of a new and beautiful work of art which we have just published. It is 11 x 19 inches in size, written in French, finely engraved and printed on heavy blue paper.

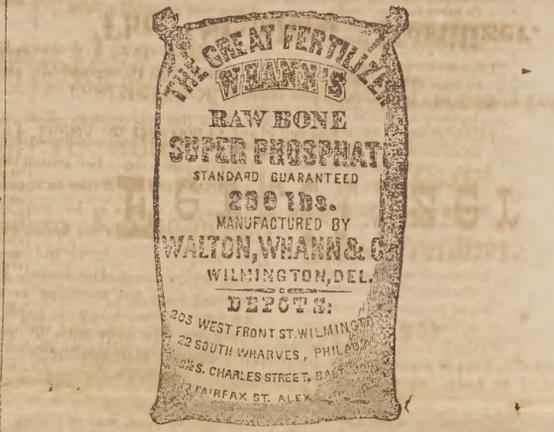
W. J. CHURCHWELL, DEALER IN Clocks, Watches, Fine Jewelry, Fancy Bronzes, &c., &c. Tarboro Street, WILSON, N. C.

WANTED. Agents for the Stationery Package. It contains 18 sheets paper, 15 envelopes, golden pen, steel pen, lead pencil, pen holder, key ring, and a silver lid gift.

WILSON & Co., 401 Madison St., New York.

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RAW BONE SUPER-PHOSPHATE



We again offer this well known Fertilizer to farmers who wish to raise paying crops. After many years of successful application WHANN'S has established itself an able reputation.

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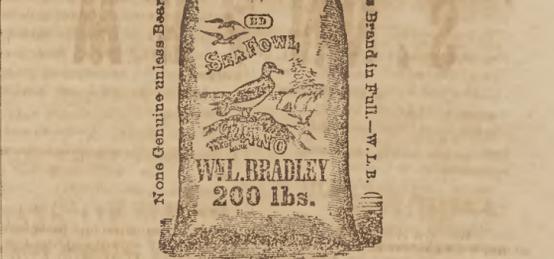
has produced highly profitable results. Utilizing the quick and active properties of the best Persian Guano with the more durable qualities of pure dissolved bone, it not only greatly benefits the present crop, but permanently improves the soil.

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OF LIME

Bradley's Super-Phosphate of Lime has been used in larger quantities over a greater extent of country for a longer period of time than any other



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