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WILSON, N. C.

THE ADVANCE.

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ADVERTISING RATES.—One Square, one line \$1.00 for each subsequent insertion by 12 months \$12.00.

Comments.—Comments on interesting topics and news items solicited.

All Communications should be addressed to JOSEPHUS DANIELS, Manager.

WILSON, N. C.

MEETING OF CONGRESS.

The first regular Session of the Forty-Second Congress began last Monday. Both Houses were called to order at noon.

GUITEAU.

IMMENSE CROWDS continue to assemble in the Court House in Washington daily, to witness the trial of the assassin GUITEAU.

ATLANTA EXPOSITION.

THE COMPLETE success of the Atlanta Exposition has long been assured and the attendance from all parts of the country has exceeded the most sanguine expectations of its projectors.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL ASSOCIATION.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1881. 1881.

Christmas Goods!

I have the most beautiful line of goods suitable for Christmas presents ever offered in Wilson, consisting of:

Table with 3 columns: Dept, Entries, No Prem, Value Prem. Includes items like Dep't 'A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E', 'F', 'G'.

Of which amount \$6.50 for Diplomas the balance cash and approximate value of silver, etc.

No. of paid shares 157. (Report of trial of speed; Glass Ball Shooting and Tournament was not read.)

Mr. B. H. Bunn, Financial Secretary reported \$8,815.70 as receipts from all sources; Expenditures \$9,737.86, leaving \$1,078.93 balance on hand estimate outstanding indebtedness \$4.50.

It was moved and adopted, That the President appoint a committee of 3 to recommend six members of the Stockholders for Ex. Com., for the next year.

Messrs. M. J. Battle, N. B. Killebrew and Jesse Brake were appointed after retiring and consulting; they reported the following report was adopted.

The following are the members of Ex Committee for Stockholders: Messrs. N. B. Killebrew, T. P. Braswell, B. H. Bunn, H. H. Hicks, G. C. Battle and James. H. Exum, B. P. Jenkins, Worthy Master of the Edgecombe county Grange re-

NOTICE!

Having qualified as executors of the last will and testament of George H. Griffin, Sr., deceased, before the Probate Judge of Wilson Co., notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and to all persons holding claims against said deceased to present them for payment on or before the 10th day of Dec., 1882, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

E. P. GRIFFIN, FRANK A. DANIELS, Executors.

Wilson, N. C., Dec 9th 1881. tr

PERIODICALS.

1882. Harper's Magazine, ILLUSTRATED.

"Always varied, always good, always improving."—Charles Francis Adams, Jr.

Harper's Magazine, the most popular illustrated periodical in the world, begins its sixty-fourth volume with the December number.

Table with 2 columns: Harper's Magazine, Weekly, Bazar, The three above publications, Any two above named, Harper's Young People, Harper's Magazine, Harper's Young People, Franklin Square Library, One year (52 numbers).

Postage free to all subscribers in the United States and Canada.

The volumes of the Magazine begin with the numbers for June and December of each year.

A complete set of Harper's Magazine, comprising 63 volumes, in neat, cloth binding, will be sent by express, freight at expense of purchaser, on receipt of \$2.00 per volume.

Index to Harper's Magazine, Alphabetical, Analytical, and Classified, for volumes 1 to 60, inclusive, from June, 1850, to June, 1880, one vol., 8vo, cloth, \$4.00.

Remittances should be made by Post-Office money order or draft, to avoid chance of loss.

Newspapers are not to copy this advertisement without the express order of Harper & Brothers.

Address, HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

1882. Harper's Weekly, ILLUSTRATED.

Harper's Weekly stands at the head of American illustrated weekly journals. By its unpartisan position in politics, its admirable illustrations, its carefully chosen serials, short stories, sketches, and poems, contributed by the foremost artists and authors of the day it carries instruction and entertainment to thousands of American homes.

Table with 2 columns: Harper's Weekly, Magazine, Bazar, The three above publications, Any two above named, Harper's Young People, Harper's Magazine, Harper's Young People, Franklin Square Library, One year (52 numbers).

Postage free to all subscribers in the United States and Canada.

The volumes of the Weekly begin with the first number for January of each year.

A complete set of Harper's Weekly, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by mail, postage paid, or by express, free of expense (provided the freight does not exceed one dollar per volume), for \$7.00 each.

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Address HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

1882. Harper's Bazar, ILLUSTRATED.

This popular journal is a rare combination of literature, art, and fashion. Its stories, poems, and essays are by the best writers of Europe and America; its engravings possess the highest art; its illustrations are in all matters pertaining to fashion it is universally acknowledged to be the leading authority in the land.

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A complete set of Harper's Bazar, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by mail, postage paid, or by express, free of expense (provided the freight does not exceed one dollar per volume), for \$7.00 each.

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Proclamation CHRISTMAS SPECIAL AND EXTRA ANNOUNCEMENT.

The battle has been fought And the victory won, The enemy is routed And the job was neatly done.

The Head Boss' Determination to Astonish the Public with Extraordinary Bargains.

Having by all appearances overstocked myself with at least Ten Thousand Dollars worth of select and reasonable goods...

Down! Down! Down! To place them within the reach of almost every one.

PRICES WILL TELL, I therefore invite the public to call and examine my prices...

Mammoth Establishment.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Ladies and Gents' Furnishing Goods...

One-Half The Actual Price. This is no humbug nor deception...

L. Edwards, IN "OLD HARDWARE STORE," WILSON, N. C.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

WILL EXCHANGE MEAL FOR CORN, OR FLOUR FOR WHEAT. AT MY STORE.

J. T. Wiggins, Dealer in General Merchandise.

EXCELSIOR COOK STOVES!

THE BEST IN THE MARKET. Fourteen different sizes and kinds. Five sizes with Enamelled Reservoirs.

GRAND EXHIBITION OF FURNITURE!

The Fall and Winter of 1881. We desire to inform our friends and patrons in Wilson and the adjoining counties...

Parlor Furniture, CHAIRS! CHAIRS!

Bed-Room Sets, Bureaus, Sofas, Tables, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Looking Glasses, Mouldings, Picture Frames, Wardrobes and Desks...

UNDERTAKING!

We keep constantly on hand a large lot of Rosewood and Metallic burial cases, caskets, and burial robes.

Wooten & Stevens, Wilson, N. C.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to us are requested to come forward and settle their accounts.

HAVING just returned from the North, where I purchased a large and well-selected stock of Goods for the Christmas Holidays...

J. T. McCRAW, Wilson, N. C.

COAL—COAL! COAL! For the convenience of our Wilson friends we have appointed Mr. A. W. Rowland Agent...

FOR SALE.

The house and lot on Spring Street adjoining the lots of W. J. Harris, Calvin Barnes and John Barnes.

For Sale!

A Buggy Shop with a trade of from four to six thousand dollars per year in the town of Black Creek.

State of North Carolina, Nash County, In the Superior Court, before the Probate Judge.

Neverson H. Bone, Plaintiff, vs. J. J. Q. Vick and Ann Eliza Vick, his wife, Richard Bone, Wm. J. Poland, Elizabeth Poland, Jno. W. Brautley, and Mary B. Brautley, his wife; John T. Bone, Defendants.

Great Attractions AT J. G. RAWLES & BROS.

Having just returned from the North with a very desirable and beautiful stock of goods for the...

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

We invite all those who admire the beautiful to call and examine our stock...

For Sale.

That valuable farm known as the Westbrook place, immediately on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad...

House For Sale!

I offer my house, with seven good rooms, in the town of Black Creek for sale.

NOTICE.

I offer for rent my entire premises in the town of Wilson, containing seven acres of land...

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