

The Wilson Advance.

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WHO SHALL IT BE?

To the Statesville Landmark the news comes swelling up from over the table lands between Raleigh and that place that State Auditor Sanderlin will offer for the nomination for Governor next year, and so the "Red Springs Scottish Chiefs" proudly to the front and says he is just the man to nominate. To which our excellent neighbor, the Henderson Gold Leaf says: "Amen; we second the motion," or words to that effect. Now this is all pleasing to many people, and we dislike to mar the pleasure of the occasion by hazarding the prediction that Col. Elias Carr, of Edgecombe will be North Carolina's next Governor. The people all like him and he will be called on.

IMMIGRATION.

Gov. Holt Calls a Convention of Citizens of This State.

The following call was issued from the Executive Department last Friday:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Raleigh, April 17th, 1891.

In accordance with the expressed desire of the Southern Inter-States Immigration Convention, held in Asheville, N. C., in December last, and in compliance with the will of a large number of leading citizens from each section of the State, I hereby call a convention of all those interested in the upbuilding of North Carolina to assemble in the city of Raleigh on the 17th day of May at 5 p. m., in the Commons Hall of the State. The object of the convention is to secure a united effort on the part of the citizens of North Carolina to co-operate with the Southern Inter-States Immigration Bureau in developing the natural advantages and making known the great opportunities offered to capitalists, manufacturers, and to the honest, law-abiding people who desire to secure homes in a genial climate, among a hospitable, moral, and Christian people.

(Signed) THOS. M. HOLT, Governor.

WHO IS JARVIS?

An Inquiry That Put Zeb Vance on the Tilt of His State Pride.

The newspaper chaff about Governor Hill not being "known in the South" reminds us of an incident at Washington in which Zeb Vance figured conspicuously. Pretty soon after Mr. Cleveland was inaugurated Senator Vance called at the White House to present, in behalf of North Carolina, the name of ex-Governor Jarvis for the Brazilian mission. The distinguished Senator was met by a dapper little fellow who demanded his name and business. It was Dan Lamont. Vance handed the private secretary his card, and after having been kept waiting an almost intolerable length of time, was ushered into the presence of Mr. Cleveland. The latter evidently knew little about Vance, whose reception was stiff and formal. The North Carolinian briefly presented the name of Governor Jarvis together with several flattering testimonials from commercial bodies and the Legislature of the State. Mr. Cleveland looked at them musingly, and presently muttered "Jarvis, Jarvis, who is Jarvis? I never heard of that name before." Already nettled by the indifferent reception accorded him Senator Vance quickly retorted with a touch of asperity, "And it is very likely Mr. President, that Governor Jarvis never heard of you before you were nominated for the presidency," with which remark the statesman from Buncombe county gracefully bowed himself out.—Correspondent Lynchburg News.

THE TEMPERANCE HUNDRED.

The Organized Effort That is Being Made in Tarboro.

[In the last issue of the Farmers' Advocate, of Tarboro, we find the following. It will not only prove of special interest to many Wilson people but will give new ideas on an old subject. Bro. Tuttle, as our people well know, fights the whiskey Devil wherever he finds him. Here's his style in Tarboro.—EDITOR.]

The undersigned desires to associate with him one hundred persons (men and women), for the purposes herein set forth: It is known to all intelligent persons that more temperance laws are not needed, but a systematic and effectual enforcement of laws already on our statute books. It is desired to permanently engage the services of one or two competent, reliable attorneys whose business it will be to attend upon all the sessions of our county and town commissioners and resist to the full extent of all legitimate means the further licensing of the sale of intoxicating beverages in our town and county; that is, they shall see that the design and intent of the license law is in every case strictly complied with; and furthermore it shall be the duty of said attorneys to assist in bringing to justice and in the prosecution of all offenders against the said laws. Now, the object of banding together the desired "Temperance Hundred" is to pay the said attorneys for their services. Every fee of \$10.00 would mean to us per member. "What's everybody's business is nobody's business." There are scores of liquor men who could not prove the necessary "good moral character" to get license if the side of of temperance, truth, and sober taxpayers was represented by an attorney commanding rebuffing evidence. With this effort offenders that escape now will in the future be made to answer at the bar for violation of the

Sunday and minor liquor laws. A special committee of these good men will control the money and see that it is wisely and economically spent for purposes above set forth. Send your name to the undersigned if you desire to be one of the "Temperance Hundred." Respond at once. The Whiskey Devil is moving and the friends of temperance must be yours for the fight. D. H. TUTTLE.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

The Direct Tax List Will Soon be Ready—Senator Reagan's Successor a Big Surprise—Major Peyton Randolph Dead—The President's Sister Injured—North Carolinians Appointed—Other News.

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE.)

WASHINGTON, April 27, 1891.

The list of those who paid the direct tax in North Carolina in 1861 and 1862 is being rapidly copied at the Treasury Department. The work is done under the immediate supervision of Captain Armand DeRosset of Wilmington. He has a corps of six able assistants, who he says, are so persevering that they sometimes has to tell them to rest. Captain DeRosset and his force are located on the top story of the Treasury Department immediately under one of the domes. The room is at times very warm being exposed to the direct rays of the sun, but these gentlemen and ladies faithfully execute their duties in spite of this disadvantage. Fabius H. Busbee, Esq., as agent for the State of North Carolina made the contract for doing the work a short time before the death of the late Governor Fowle. I learned at the Treasury Department that Governor Holt is taking great interest in the work, and is devising feasible methods by which the taxpayers or their heirs can collect the money refunded to them with as little expense as possible. His plan, as I understand it, is to send the lists after they have been received at Raleigh to the county clerk of every county in the State, so that the clerk can give the desired information to those who are immediately interested. Governor Holt is known to be a thoroughly practical man, and this wise plan will especially commend itself to the people. It is at once the simplest, most direct and most feasible solution of the difficulty.

The resignation of Senator Reagan was a surprise to his friends here. The immediate appointment of his successor, Horace Chilton, Esq., a young lawyer of varied accomplishments, and an orator of extraordinary ability also provokes a great deal of talk in political circles. Senator Reagan resigned to accept the chairmanship of the Texas Railroad Commission. This place pays him \$6,000 per year, and Senator Reagan's chances for re-election to the Senate were very slim, partly because it was known that Roger Q. Mills wanted it. This is why the appointment of Mr. Chilton produced such a sensation. Mr. Mills is regarded as a leader in the coming Speakership contest, and a great many practical Democrats were very anxious to see the Senatorial toga grace the shoulders of the Texas apostle of Free Trade. This would have relieved a great many prominent Democrats who think they ought to vote for Mr. Mills to be Speaker, but who are very much averse to doing so. By right of procedure Mr. Mills is probably regarded, especially by the free trade wing of the party, as justly entitled to the gavel of the next House of Representatives. But the great majority of level-headed Democrats know that Mr. Mills would make a very unsafe speaker. He easily loses his head, is no parliamentarian and does not hesitate to subordinate the higher interests of his party to his own personal hobbies. In a crisis like that which is approaching it is manifestly unsafe to jeopardize the success of the Democracy by making Mr. Mills Speaker. The truth of it is the Democratic party cannot afford to do it. It would be a most powerful factor in the national defeat of the party in 1892. It is regarded here as a little strange that the Governor of Texas did not appoint Mr. Mills Senator for this very reason. He is an able man in his way, and on the floor of the Senate would have been forced to yield to Senator John G. Carlisle, than whom there is no abler tariff expert in this country. He is wiser, more conservative, and has a deeper knowledge of human nature than the impulsive and uncompromising free trade member from Texas. The new Senator, Chilton, may be a much abler man, but the appointment of Mills would certainly have relieved the Democratic party, not only of an embarrassing predicament, but possibly of impending danger.

Major Peyton Randolph, third vice-President of the Richmond and Danville Railroad, died in this city Wednesday night after a long illness. He was universally respected and leaves a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. He was about sixty-five years old. He was buried Saturday afternoon at Rock Creek cemetery, near this city. He was a native of Winchester, Va. Col. A. B. Andrews is in the city, probably to confer as to who will be appointed Maj. Randolph's successor. News has been received here of the serious injury to Mr. Dr. Eaton, the oldest sister of the president. She jumped from a buggy yesterday and sustained severe internal wounds. If she should die, the President will bring his trip to an end, so a despatch just received here states.

Elijah Halford, the President's private secretary, has gone to Europe. His wife died last week, and he probably takes this trip as a needed change. He was, we understand, very much attached to her. Thomas H. Leary, of North Carolina, has been appointed to a \$1,000 place in the War Department. Miss Janet Anderson has been appointed to a position in the Pension Office. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has put on a train of cars known as the "Royal Blue Line" between this city and New York, which makes close connection with the express trains from the South. The coaches are all vestibuled, and in the rear is a

dining car, elegantly appointed. It is the smoothest running line I was ever on. One can write or read with comparative ease on this "Royal Blue Line," which makes the distance between this city and New York in five hours.

Senator, Mrs. Vance, and Harry Martin will leave next month for an extended tour through Europe. There was a wild rumor on the streets to the effect that an Italian, presumably a member of the Mafia, had assassinated Secretary Blaine. The average Italian brigand would not strike so high. If he did, this country would give King Humbert some reason to try and get his gun boats across the water.

The President has telegraphed the Secretary of War to court-martial the soldiers at Walla-Walla who lynched a civilian. The row was the outcome of a drunken brawl.

If Jerry Simpson isn't careful somebody will charge him with being in the pay of the Washington agent's lobby. He made a speech here this week in favor of the Government's paying the Union soldiers or their heirs, the difference between the value of the greenbacks paid them during the war and of gold. He says it will only take \$3,000,000. Only!

NOTES.

It pays to be a humbug. P. T. Barnum left an estate worth more than \$5,000,000.

Should Italy and the United States go to war it would be a sort of eagle and monkey affair.

Will Senator Sherman's new barn be large enough to store the fall crop of Ohio Farmer's Alliance votes?

Ex-Senator Ingalls may cover himself with hayseed, and talk about the crops, but it takes more than that to make a farmer.

Mr. Harrison is getting a taste of Southern hospitality, but that doesn't indicate that he will get any Southern electoral votes next year, should he succeed in getting himself renominated.

Mr. Harrison is so afraid of Mr. Blaine that it would not be surprising if he telegraphed to Washington every morning to find out whether the foxy Secretary of State has carried the White House off during the preceding night. Never mind, Benny, don't worry; your successor will be a good Democrat, not J. G. B.

It has leaked out through the State Department that the administration is anxious to dispense with the services of Fred Douglass, minister to Hayti, because of the mess he has made of the negotiations for a coaling station on the island for the United States. It fears, however, to dismiss him now lest it may affect the negro votes in next year's convention.

Columns have been written eulogizing the administration for having the German embargo on American meats raised, but the unpleasant fact remains that the embargo is still in existence, and that no American meats can today be sold in Germany. We do not pretend to say that this injustice to American meats will not eventually be righted by the German government, but it has not yet done it, nor has it authorized any official statement of its intention to do it, therefore the eulogies of the administration are premature.

The true inwardness of the resignation of Senator Edmunds has leaked out. It is chagrin. There was a time when his word was law with his Republican colleagues in the Senate, but at the last session his suggestions were not only ignored, but he was actually snubbed on several occasions by a majority of the Republican Senators, and in such ways as to make it plain that his power over them was gone never to return. That was more than the old legislative tyrant could stand, so he resolved to go himself to escape further mortification.

Whither are we drifting? As if the acceptance of a free special train from the railroad magnates was not a sufficient insult to the great mass of the people, who believe that the President is entitled to the privileges of a plain every day American citizen, no more, no less, the front car of the special free train on which Mr. Harrison is making his political tour is emblazoned with big gold letters, "The Presidential Train." Photographs of this royally equipped train should be distributed from one end of the country to the other, particularly among the people who have to work for a living, and to buy second-class railroad tickets, or walk, when they wish to go anywhere. The train upon which Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, took her recent jaunt was not to be compared, for magnificence, to that upon which Mr. Harrison is now traveling. Is it any wonder that the people clamor for a return to democratic simplicity, and every-man-pay-his-own-way methods?

The effect of the legislation of the billion dollar congress is beginning to be felt at the Treasury Department, and already Secretary Foster has begun to scheme as to how he can get the \$30,000,000 that must be paid on the 1st of July for pensions. He has decided to utilize the \$18,000,000 in silver half dollars now in the Treasury by depositing them in the National banks, thus making them available for the Government's current expenses. Another scheme, aside from the Congressional appropriations, becoming payable after July 1, that is taxing Mr. Foster's ingenuity to provide for, is the \$50,000,000 of 4 1/2 per cent. bonds that will mature in September. Although it has for some weeks been given out that all of these bonds would be taken up at or before maturity, I have it on good authority that it is the present intention of Foster to allow those in the hands of the National banks to remain outstanding at a reduced rate of interest, if the banks will consent to it. Whether he can legally do this without the passage of a special funding act of Congress is a debatable question.

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ELM CITY ETCHINGS.

People on The Move as Pictured by "Phantom."

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Hon. B. H. Bunn was here Wednesday.

Mrs. W. W. Farmer was in town Monday.

Mrs. A. A. Wells is visiting in Springhope.

Mr. J. B. Deans was at home from Rocky Mount on Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Hayes paid our town a visit on Sunday and returned home Monday.

Dr. E. G. Moore and Mrs. Moore went over to Wilson on Friday.

Mr. J. I. Pridgen left Monday on a business trip to Richmond and Baltimore.

Mr. Chas. Brice has been on a short visit to his brother, Capt. W. B. Brice.

Miss Augusta Price is in town visiting the family of her uncle, Dr. E. G. Moore.

Miss Gussie Britt, of Rocky Mount, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. G. Williams.

Miss Annie Vick returned Thursday from a very pleasant visit to relatives and friends in Middleburg and Warrenton.

Elm City was well represented at Nashville court on Monday. Among the number present from here were Messrs. J. L. Bailey, J. T. Watson and others.

Mrs. Will Griffin and children, of Goldsboro, are here, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnes.

Mrs. Geo. Winstead and children, who have been here for some time on a visit to relatives, left Friday for their home in Mt. Olive.

The M. E. church of this place is to be congratulated in the possession of such a minister as Rev. E. C. Glenn. He is a thoroughly earnest and consecrated man of God, and since he has been among us he "has worked like a Trojan" and is now enjoying the fruits of his labor from the fact that several have been converted at the meetings which still continue with unabated interest. He has had good congregations every night and on Sunday night the church was crowded.

It seems the public have not yet learned that the name of our town and postoffice has been changed to Elm City. Lots of our mail still comes addressed to Toisnot. So often our mail was carried to Fremont and other places beginning with T or F that it was decided to avoid such delay and annoyance by changing the name to Elm City. We liked the old name of Toisnot, which we are told, derived its name from an old Indian chief who had from the early settlers learned a few words of English and in crossing the stream (now known as Toisnot Swamp) the squaw was going to toss her papoose across to the old chief, and he seeing she could not safely do so said "tois-not." Since then it has been called Toisnot Swamp. We cannot say that this is true; but if not, who can tell us when and how such a name originated?

PHANTOM.

April 28th, 1891.

For Thirty Days Only.

For the next thirty days, in order to put the Weekly State Chronicle within the reach of every thoughtful Democrat in the State, I will agree to send it to any address for one year for One Dollar cash in advance. I intend to publish all the news in condensed form; to give a bird's eye view of the political situation in every State and county; to have communications from the best writers in the State upon current topics; to give a solid page of editorial comment upon public questions, and to give fullest summary of industrial progress in the State. Improvements will be made which will make the Chronicle a valuable and interesting visitor to every family in the State.

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and see what you will get, for the best of everything, at the lowest prices, can be had by calling at Headquarters. Send your husband, son or little boy to us for his Spring Hat, we can save him at least 25 per cent. on his purchase. Don't forget to tell him, also, that he can get the prettiest Neckties ever shown in the city; lovely line of Windsor ties, four-in-hands and scarfs.

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We want to say just a word about our Dress Goods; we have a beautiful line of these that we are going to sell regardless of price. Heretofore we have never purchased a large stock in this line, but this Spring we have bought extensively, and we intend to sell what we have bought if prices will do it. We don't ask you to take our word for it, but come and look at the large,

Pretty and Cheap

line of Dress Goods, and be convinced. We have a line of Hamburg Edgings and Flouncings which we bought from the Claffin Fire Sale that we can give you at less than wholesale prices.

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Young Brothers, Tarboro St., Wilson, N. C.