

LOCALS.

Nearly Completed.

Mr. Maynard is putting the finishing touches on the sewerage system preparatory to turning it over to the town. The flush tanks are being fitted with the automatic arrangement by which they are flushed out at a given time during the day, thereby keeping the pipes clean. With the exception of one or two low places in town, Mr. Maynard, has made excellent progress in his work.

Married.

Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the M. E. church at Stantonburg. Mr. John C. Stanton and Miss Ida B. Thompson were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. W. W. Rose, of Pittsboro, N. C.

The church was crowded with their many friends with whom the ADVANCE joins in best wishes for a long happy and prosperous life. Those who went from here were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hales, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thompson and G. W. Stanton, also Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hales of Rocky Mount.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Hargrave's Drug Store. Regular size, 50c. and \$1.00.

Made a Haul.

On Sunday last Henry Davis, a colored laborer on the farm of Mr. Wm. Woodard, Jr., came to the conclusion that to break the Sabbath by such a small crime as borrowing a few goods from a friend was no harm at all, so he proceeded to the house of Ed Haskins, a colored man employed on the same place, broke a window light and took several articles of wearing apparel, etc., after which he skipped for parts unknown with all his booty. Davis was seen passing through Wilson Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock and attracted some attention by having a valise on his back and some articles of clothing in his hand. Hardly any notice was taken of it until Haskins came in that night in search of the thief. At last accounts Davis had not been captured.

Friday's Game at Spring Hope.

On Friday morning our boys procured teams and went over to Spring Hope to give the boys of that place a few lessons in the national game and possibly a dose of what we gave Rocky Mount the week before, they undoubtedly would have added another victory to our record if the umpire had been able to tell a ball from a strike and locate the different bases, but he was either blind or partially inclined toward the home team, anyway the Wilson boys received the worst of it, and in the fifth inning with the score standing 5 to 4 in favor of the visitors, the Wilson boys left the diamond and would not play unless another umpire was procured. This Spring Hope refused to consent to, so the game was stopped with Wilson one run in the lead. While our boys went up to play Spring Hope they found men there from everywhere except that place, but that had no effect on them as they went in to win and would have done so provided the umpire had been impartial. The umpire's tale is an old one for the base ballist to cry, but we are justified in doing so this time.

Trinity College Alumni Association.

On, Friday night last at 8:30 o'clock in the Court House a meeting of about twenty five of the old students of Trinity college was called for the purpose of organizing a "Trinity College Alumni Association." Rev. T. N. Ivey called the meeting to order, and after explaining its object, the election of officers was next on the programme. Dr. Albert Anderson was elected president; Dr. E. G. Moore, vice president; W. A. Finch, secretary and treasurer. Executive committee: B. F. Lane, W. G. Barnes, E. Deans, W. J. Gay and W. M. Saunders, after which some guests were invited to speak. Col. Jno. F. Bruton, Prof. Geo. W. Connor and Dr. W. S. Anderson responded with short speeches appropriate to the occasion. A banquet had been prepared at the Briggs House, and after all business had been transacted, the company passed in a body to that place where a most sumptuous supper was served. Dr. A. Anderson acted as toast master. Among the toasts were: Trinity's President, Dr. E. G. Moore, of Elm City; Trinity and the State, Col. Jno. F. Bruton, Wilson; Trinity and the Legal Profession, W. A. Finch, Wilson; Influence of Trinity upon Education in Wilson County, Prof. Geo. W. Connor, Trinity and Medicine, Dr. A. Anderson.

The next meeting was called for June 23rd, 1896, in the court house.

THE ADVANCE wishes the new Association much success, and trusts that its members may increase.

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Homicide at Lucama.

On Monday night last there was quite an exciting encounter at Lucama.

It seems that Mr. L. F. Lucas had received notice from a band of white caps that his barn would be burned if a certain fence was not removed. Mr. Lucas gathered a few friends who concealed themselves near the barn. About one o'clock the white caps made their appearance, entered the barn and set it on fire. When the party came out of the barn Lucas and his crowd opened fire upon them but could not tell whether any of the shots took effect or not.

At about the same time shots were heard from the direction of the Lucas dwelling, and on going there two men were found, one (R. Watson) dead and another (P. Moore) badly wounded.

At the coroner's inquest which was held on Tuesday, the jury came to the conclusion that the two men had been detailed to watch the dwelling while the main body burned the barn and that they got separated and coming suddenly upon each other fired, each thinking the other a member of the Lucas household.

Moore was placed under arrest and will be brought to Wilson as soon as his wounds permit his removal.

This is not the first time that white caps have made their appearance in the section around Lucama but it probably will be sometime before another crowd can be gotten together. Two deaths will in all likelihood act as a restraining influence.

Since writing the above Moore has been brought to Wilson and put in safe keeping and will in due time be dealt with as he deserves.

National League Meet American Wheelmen, Louisville, Ky., August 10-15, 1896.

On account of the above occasion, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets to Louisville, Ky., and return at rate of one first class limited fare for the round trip, tickets on sale August 8-9, with final limit of August 17th, continuous passage in both directions.

Choice of routes. Unexcelled schedules. Only line taking passengers through the "Land of the Sky."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Died.

Yesterday morning at his residence near Wilson, Larry D. Tomlinson. Mr. Tomlinson was one of the oldest citizens of the county.

On Sunday night at the residence of her parents on Lodge St., Emma, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walls, age about 12 months. To the bereaved we extend our sympathies.

In Edenton last Saturday, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen of this place. Mrs. Allen had taken the little fellow to that place in hopes that he would improve, but the trip did him no good. The bereaved parents have our sympathies.

On Wednesday, June 3rd, at his farm near Ringwood, William P. Simpson, of apoplexy. The remains were brought to Wilson and buried at Maplewood cemetery on Friday June 5th.

The death of W. P. Simpson has cast a shadow of gloom upon our town. His presence and directing hand will be sadly missed in all enterprises for the advancement of Wilson, in which he was always a prominent feature.

It will be difficult to find another to fill the vacant position of him who for so long has been identified with all which meant prosperity to Wilson and the material and intellectual progress of her citizens.

His abilities, like his sympathies, were broad and many. A brief survey of his life would not be sufficient to give a proper understanding of his worth to his fellow citizens.

His financial ability was equalled by few, but perhaps that part of his life which made him most dear to the people of the community was the knowledge that within his breast was a heart that ever beat in kindly sympathy with the troubles of his fellows. No man, however humble, felt the least hesitation in laying his troubles before this man, who already carried upon his shoulders a weight that few might bear, and few there be who, having solicited his counsel, can say that they went out from his presence unencouraged.

As a trustee of the graded schools much of his time and thought was devoted to its advancement. He recognized that important fact, that education means growth in the educated and hence in the community. Being aware of this he saw that the future of Wilson, to a great extent, lay in the education of her children.

He was filled with the milk of human kindness and as an employer he was ever diligent, kind and considerate of the interests of all with whom he was associated.

Starting in life with but little, by ability and diligence he became a man of means and at the time of his death he had risen from a book-keeper to the presidency of the bank of Branch & Co.

His life stands as a landmark to every young man who desires to accomplish something for himself and the betterment of his fellow man.

Unhappily for Wilson "the places that knew him shall know him no more, forever" and the whole community mourns with his family and extends to them a sympathy coming from the very recesses of the heart.

The most obnoxious, disgusting piece of folly is to boast of your noble blood when you can for yourself show no noble deeds. Nobility of blood is all right, we admire it, but nobility of deed as far surpasses it as does day the night.

Fits Cured
From U.S. Journal of Medicine
Prof. W. H. Pecke, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferers who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address Prof. W. H. PEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York

Resolutions.

The Board of Trustees of the Wilson Graded Schools desiring to express their sorrow at the death of Mr. W. P. Simpson, and to show their high appreciation of his services as a member of their Board, have caused the following resolutions to be spread upon their record:

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. W. P. Simpson the Wilson Graded Schools and the cause of education in this community has lost a valuable friend and an earnest advocate, aggressive and fearless in the discharge of his duties, he was ever watchful of opportunities for improving the efficiency of the schools and of extending this influence among the people. Although burdened with the care and management of large business interests, both for himself and others, he was at all times prompt in his attendance upon our meetings and enthusiastic in promoting the interests of the school. Wise in counsel, bold and progressive in action, his devotion to teachers, pupils and patrons has won for him the affectionate remembrance of all.

Resolved, Further, that in our intercourse with him, both officially and personally, he was always gentlemanly in bearing and courteous in manner, winning the respect and affection of all with whom he came in contact. A successful business man, an upright, useful and patriotic citizen, a conscientious and faithful public officer his untimely departure from this life casts a gloom over our whole community which is brightened only by the confident trust that he has heard from the Master, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

To the Voters of Wilson County.

The contest in this coming campaign will be one of the hardest battles ever fought by the Democrats.

Now this peculiar condition of affairs calls for the strongest man in the county to go upon this ticket, and we need the strongest man in the county to head this ticket and will here present the name of John J. Gay as being the proper man to head the list of same.

Mr. Gay is well and favorably known by the voters of this county. He is a man of integrity and well qualified to fill the office of sheriff. He is a man who possesses much popularity and can control more votes than any other man in the county. A Democrat of standing sterling qualities, and one who has the confidence of all.

With John J. Gay at the head of the ticket it is more than probable that the Republicans and Populists will unite in supporting him. We must win, and we stand the best possible chance to win with the name of this popular man at the head of the ticket.

A VOTER.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes, M. T. Young. Rugs. A new lot just in. M. T. Young's.

GEO. D. GREEN, Pres't. LAT. WILLIAMS. SAM'L HODGES, Sec'y. & Treas.

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Seventy and Ten. A man seventy years old graduated from a law school in Baltimore recently, and exclamations of surprise go up from many people. But what is that compared to the boy who is an expert pickpocket at ten, and at twelve is behind the bars for stealing? The wonder is not as to the long time required for the old man to learn law, but at the boy whose career was made almost at a jump.—Orphan's Friend.

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