

## LOCALS.

Elder Hall left Monday for Fayetteville.

Mis Deans has returned from Rocky Mount.

Miss Maud Fulcher has returned to the city.

Rev. Mr. Stickney, of Richmond, is in the city.

Mr. Daws, of Elm City, was in Wilson Monday.

Mr. Will Young has gone North on a business trip.

Mr. Allen Gay left Saturday for a visit North.

Mr. Albert Winstead left for Goldsboro Saturday.

Mr. Setzer, of Elm City, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. Dick Grantham returned from Goldsboro Monday.

Mr. Ernest Deans has left the city for a few days pleasure.

Congressman F. A. Woodard spent Sunday in Goldsboro.

Mr. U. H. Cozart made a flying trip to Goldsboro Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Hargrave, of Snow Hill, is visiting relatives in the city.

Dr. Albert Anderson left for Lucama Tuesday on a business trip.

Miss Annie Moore and little sister left for Franklin Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Barham left for Goldsboro Tuesday to attend the tobacco sales.

Mr. I. R. Moore, agent for the A. C. L., passed through the city Tuesday.

Messrs. J. G. Roney and J. I. Thomason went down to Goldsboro Monday.

Mr. Jas. Simpson, brother to the late W. P. Simpson, was in the city Tuesday.

Prof. Holgood, of the Oxford Female Seminary, came to the city Monday.

Mr. Hughes of Fayetteville, brother to Capt. Hughes was in the city Monday.

Miss Ruth Gold, who has been visiting in Edgecombe county, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. Walter Woodard, who has been spending a few days in Goldsboro, returned Tuesday.

Miss Weil, who has been visiting Mr. J. Oettinger, left for her home in Goldsboro Monday.

Mr. J. D. Bullock left on Monday for New York, where he will buy the fall line for A. P. Branch.

Mrs. O. W. Pierce, of Roanoke Rapids, who has been visiting relatives in the city, left Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Skinner passed through Wilson Tuesday, en route to the Populist State Convention.

Mr. W. L. Banks, one of Wilson's enterprising insurance men, has returned from a visit to his home near Garner.

Mrs. W. P. Carraway and her two daughters, Irma and Daphne, of Greensboro, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. W. A. Danner, who has been in Wilson for some time representing the Equitable Life Insurance Company went to Norfolk Monday.

Mr. Robt Allen returned from Lynchburg Tuesday. He brought with him sixty-five negroes to work in the Richmond Maury Stemmerly.

Mr. J. S. Jenkins, an old citizen of Wilson, spent some time in the city Tuesday. Mr. Jenkins is now in the tobacco business in Greenville.

Hon. F. D. Winston passed through the city Tuesday from Raleigh, where he has been attending a meeting of the Democratic State Ex. Committee.

Mr. J. F. Rodgers, of Richmond, passed through Wilson Tuesday en route to Goldsboro, where he will locate on the tobacco market during the coming season.

Mr. H. L. Stephens, of Warsaw, Duplin county, spent a few hours in Wilson Tuesday. He was on his way from the meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee.

An outing party from Rocky Mount stopped over in Wilson Monday. They spent the night in camp fashion. Messrs. Hackney, Sorsby, Huffines, Muse and Brewer composed the party.

Vote for E. F. McDaniel for Register.

**CASTORIA.**  
The family  
signature  
of *Wm. A. Ritchie* is on every wrapper.

Don't miss the Excursion to Wilmington Friday Aug 14th.

Rev. Fenner Stickney, of Richmond, will hold services in the Episcopal church Sunday morning.

A wreck occurred on the A. C. L. Sunday night near Fayetteville. Six cars were derailed and badly torn up. The accident was caused by the cars becoming uncoupled. No one was injured.

Mr. H. E. Thompson, the efficient clerk at the Briggs House has resigned. Mr. Thompson has for many years held this position and has made many friends, both among traveling men and among the people of Wilson.

On Wednesday last Mr. B. N. Owens of Sartoga, N. C., who stands among the best farmers of Sartoga Township, sold on this market 568 lbs. of Sand lugs and realized \$97.88, an average of about 17 1/4 c. This tobacco was made with the Profic Cotton Grower, a well known standard brand of fertilizer manufactured by the Goldsboro Oil Co., Goldsboro N. C., and sold at this place by Howard, Graves and Co.

This fertilizer carries the best recommendations, and Mr. Owens says that no farmer will make a mistake when he buys this high grade brand of fertilizer for the cultivation of either cotton or tobacco.

Through its Executive Committee the Baptist Young People's Union of Wilson desires to express earnest thanks to Messrs. Watson, Cooper & Gibbons for the tender of their large and well equipped warehouse in which the bicycle social was held on August 6th, last. The Union feels under many obligations to the above named gentlemen for the courteous manner with which the house and conveniences were placed at the command of our organization. A part of our gratitude is hereby expressed. By order of the executive committee. W. C. ALLEN, Sec. B. Y. P. U.

**To The Ocean.**

Mr. Z. Daughtridge of Rocky Mount will run a grand excursion to Wilmington on Friday Aug 12. It will be strictly up to date. Good rates good accommodations and good everything is guaranteed. Especial cars for ladies and escorts. Get your tickets from G. F. Lamm.

**Colored Fireman's Association.**

The colored Fireman Association of North Carolina began its Seventh annual session in Wilson on Tuesday. Companies were present from Raleigh, Henderson, Rocky Mount, Monroe, Washington, Greensboro, Winston, Charlotte, Durham, Wilmington, Wilson, Warrenton, Salisbury, New Bern, Concord. The number of firemen present is about two hundred. These are guests of the Red Hot fire company of Wilson and are quartered among the colored people of the town.

The first day's exercises were of a business nature. The association went in the Court House at noon and after being welcomed by some of our prominent citizens, proceeded to the business before them. The meeting was conducted by Valentine Howe, President of the State Fire association. On Tuesday the regular tournament took place.

**Cure for Headache.**

As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at Hargrave's Drug Store.

Vote for E. F. McDaniel for Register.

**OUR TOBACCO FORCE.**

Men Drawn from Several States to Aid in Making Wilson the Winston of the East.

The tobacco market has had unprecedented success in Wilson. Up to five years ago the entire county was given to cotton raising. There was more cotton handled here than in any town in Eastern Carolina.

When the new industry began the people found themselves with no marketing facilities. There were very few buyers, as none of the tobacco centers knew that there was such a market as the Wilson market. But the advantages came. Just seven seasons ago there was opened a warehouse known as the Planter's Warehouse, operated by Anderson & Jones. This enterprising firm have since that time operated this warehouse. During the present summer their floor capacity has been considerably increased until now the actual sale floor is 14,720 square feet. Their auctioneer, J. I. Thomason, is an adept in the art. He has been with the present firm for five years. He has sold tobacco for Mr. Jones 11 eleven years having been with him in Raleigh.

**CENTRE BRICK.**

This is a warehouse of which Wilson county can well be proud. It is the largest in the State, having 26,000 square feet devoted to the sale of tobacco. The management has been in the hands of Cozart and Washington, its presents, occupants. Many improvements have been added to the conveniences during the last season. Their auctioneer, Mr. C. A. W. Barham, is a lark. He has sold tobacco for 23 years. It was Mr. Barham who did the auctioneering when Durham stood second in the scale of North Carolina's tobacco markets. Every one who knows of the beginning of the tobacco industry in this State has often heard of the selling qualities of Mr. C. A. W. Barham.

**WATSON WAREHOUSE.**

This is the latest addition to Wilson warehouses. It has been built since the last season by Cooper, Watson and Gibbons. She is last but not least. Her sale space covers an area of 17,000 square feet. The firm has drawn its men from Richmond and Oxford. All have had many years in the warehouse business. Their auctioneer, a member of the firm, Mr. J. N. Gibbons, is a man who knows his business. He goes into a sale determined to make tobacco bring its worth and usually succeeds. The management of this firm deserves much credit for their neat and well equipped arrangement.

**WOODARD WAREHOUSE.**

This warehouse dates second among Wilson's sale houses. It was opened up during the second season of the Wilson market. The house is at present operated by Woodard, Bobbitt & Co. The house has, since its opening been known as the Woodard Warehouse, and there is many a farmer who knows that it does the right thing by all of its customers. During the last season several new additions were made, until now she stands second in size, her sale space covering an area of 22,000 square feet. Mr. J. M. Wilson, of Washington, D. C., does the selling act. Any farmer who will stand and watch him exert all his energy to get the buyers to go higher and higher cannot help feeling that he is their friend, and that he is doing everything possible to make their tobacco bring its full value.

**BUYERS.**

Buyers are absolutely essential to a sale and we have this advantage also. The tobacco buyers on the Wilson market are hustling men. The firms buying tobacco are: Venable & Son, American Tobacco Company, represented by Mr. Roney, R. P. Watson & Co., Briggs & Fleming, Boykin & Co., Richmond Maury Co., Capt. J. T. Wiggins,

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**LAST WEEK'S SALES.**

The following is the sales of tobacco for the week ending Wednesday, August 12;

Thursday, 51,594; Friday, 62,357; Monday, 22,267; Tuesday, 21,295; Wednesday, 25,509; Total, 186,752.

The following prominent tobacco men have been in Wilson during the last few days: Mr. W. A. Smith, of Richmond, Va., Mr. W. T. Clark, Lynchburg, and Col. R. R. Cotten, of Falkland.

**Conference Committee Meets.**

On Saturday morning the Wilson county Dem. Ex. Com. met and appointed a conference committee to meet a similar committee which was appointed by the Populist convention. The purpose of this convention seems to have been to decide on the probability of the fusion. Mr. Hoover was chairman of the committee. He stated the object of the meeting to be to receive from the Democratic committee any proposition which they might desire to offer. Mr. Uzzel, representing the Democrats, stated that they had no propositions to offer but that the object of the conference as he understood it was to take the entire matters into its hands. Or in other words it was to formulate propositions and not to offer them.

Mr. S. A. Woodard moved that the bare matter of fusion be submitted to the conference. But Mr. Hoover seeing birds of both color present decided that probable fusion was a reality, the thing to get at was possible fusion. The motion of Mr. Woodard was withdrawn.

A plan was attempted. It was moved that the Populists and Democrats divide the offices up equally, this motion was lost. It was then ordered that as the Democrats had the best office in the county, clerk of the Court that the Populists be allowed to take the first choice, this meet with success. So they divided off, the Populists taking Senator, Sheriff, Surveyor and one county commissioners and Treasurer. This report was submitted to the Populist convention. The proceeding of the convention appears in another column.

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## GEO. D. GREEN & CO.,

### WILSON, N. C.

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A HANDSOM PRIZE offered to the first man, woman, or child who sends us the first and most complete list of names and post office addresses of residents of this town and county. Contest closes Aug 15th, '96. Address "The Hub," mail order department, No. 209 Main St., Norfolk, Va.

**Executrix Notice.**

Having qualified as executrix of the last will and testament of W. P. Simpson, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to present them for payment on or before the 10th day of June, 1897, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This June 10th, 1896.

ANNA R. SIMPSON, Executrix.

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