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Henry Blount.

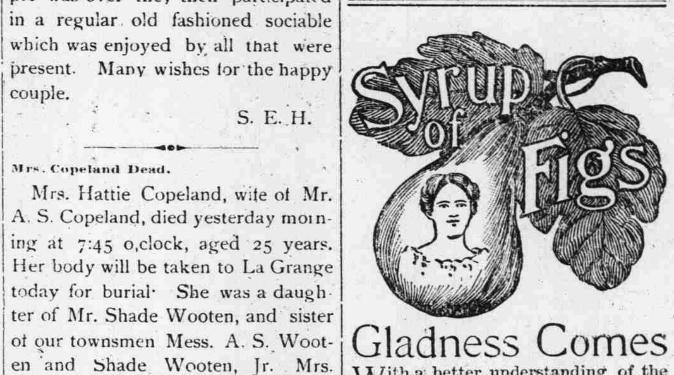
marriage will take place in Oxford ial to the News & Observer last Frithe contracting parties being Miss day. Mr. Blount has a wide reputa-Nettie Hunt, of that place, and Mr. tion and each place he visits speaks in high tone of his lectures.

> Rockingham, N. C., Feb. 18-The citizens of our town enjoyed a rare treat in the way of a lecture from the renowned, popular and immitable Henry Blount.

His subject, "Beyond the Ales lies Italy," was handled as he only could handle it. Its variety, depth, breadth, Connor, N. C Feb. 18, 1897 - On width and height cannot well be esti-Wednesday evening Feb. 16, at the mated. He showed how every man bride's father, Mr. A. B. High, in O'd who had, reached the "Italy of Fields township, Miss Dorcha High success" had first to climb the rugged and Mr. Jesse S Fulghum were unit- Alps which lay in his pathway.

For oratory, humor, &c., Henry

"He'll make you laugh and make of the groom's father where they en- you cry or else he'll know the reason why."



and household furniture will be shown. Other attractions in the way

The trees are showing the effects of the spring weather. If it contin

Mrs. W. P. Rose and little child left for Mount Olive yesterday.

S. E. H.

ues as warm as it has been for the with dense toliage.

We call attention to the advertisement of the Hamilton Chemical Paint Company this week. A barrel with the brand of this famous paint on the head. Mr. John Hutchinson is secretary and treasurer.

Branch & Co's Bank is having a new coat of paint added to the out side. With the improvements on the interior, it is very doubtful whether there is a prettier banking house in the State.

In another column will be found a statement of the financial condition of the Wilson Home and Loan Association. This company makes an excellent showing. The officers are of the very best and to this fact is due much of the success of the Association.

A quantity of tertilizers continue to be hauled out by the farmers. They shines." No doubt we will have some more wintry weather and our country people are making the best of the present warm spell.

The theatre goers of Wilson are to have the pleasure of a visit from James Young, the tragedian. He needs no recommendation as all know his ability as an actor. Manager Anderson has billed him for the 4th of March. Doubtless a packed house will greet him.

D. Oettinger and the one used by M. Baker, have, had very much ad-.paint. These men are Wilson's largest dry goods merchants and are always improving the appearance of their places of business.

Last week in the notice of a seizure ot some whiskey from Mr. B. G.

of eatables. fresh ,candy, pickles, etc. past week they will soon be covered Let the little ones come out and eniov themselves.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by California Fig Syrup Company.

Date of the Minstrel.

If nothing unforseen happens the minstrel composed of amateurs will make its appearance in the Opera Honse on March 12th. It was hoped when steps were taken to organize it that it could be given before Lent, but it has been found impossible to day. do so. The boys are going to give are "making hay while the sun a show that the people of Wilson may feel proud of and for this reason wish to have plenty of practice. They have gone to work with the right spirit and will make a success of their undertaking. All they ask from the people is to honor them with a full house.

W. L. I.

The Wilson Light Infantry held their monthly inspection at the armory on Goldsboro St. Monday night. A very good number were in ranks

The three stores occupied by J. & to answer roll call. No business meeting was held as Captain Bobbitt was out of town. Next Monday ded to their looks by a fresh coat of is the usual time for meeting so busi ness will be transacted then. More interest is being manifested in the company, and as the summer comes on there will probably be public drills once or twice a month.

Miss Sadie Granger, of Kinston, is visiting Miss Margaret Hadley.

Misses Sallie and Cora Farmer left yesterday for the Newbern fair.

Mr. Peter Jones, of Edgecombe county was in the city this week.

Mr. La Fayette Nolley and wite went to Rocky Mount Saturday.

Rev. M. T. Moye left Saturday for Kinston, where he held services.

from a visit to Washington, N. C.

Mr. F. A Daniel, of Goldsboro, spent a short while in Wilson on Sandav.

Miss Fannie Brodie left for Rocky Mount Friday. She returned Saturday.

Mess. Geo. P. Bryant and Robt. Clark returned from Raleigh Satur-

Mr. P. D. Gold, Jr, who is attending the University, came home Tuesday.

Mr. S. G. Mewborne, one of our attorneys is attending Green county court.

'Miss Ellen Branch left Monday for Raleigh to resume her studies at St. Mary's.

Miss Mary Wilkins who has been visiting relatives in Norfolk, has returned.

Miss Annie Elliot, of Fayettvillee who has been visiting in Wilson, left yesterday.

Miss Addie Harlee, of Florence S. C. is visiting Miss McKay on Green Stree.

Mrs. Tom Person, and daughter, Miss Sailie, left Tuesday for Newbern to attend the fair,

Copeland was a most estimable lady and her death causes sorrow to a large number of triends, who esteemed her most highly. The bereaved husband and relatives have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

We copy the above from the Kins ton Free Press of last Saturday knowing that there are many who will learn of her death with deepest regret.

Mr. Copeland and his wife were Miss Sallie Herring has returned for some time residents of this place, and she, by her lovable disposition made many friends who will sympathize with her family in their 'affliction.

CASTORIA. The facis ca simile signature of every Milchin. Wrapper.

1 A /ith a better understanding of the VV transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts-gentle efforts-pleasant efforts-rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condi-tion of the system, which the pleasant 'amily laxative, Syrup of Figs. prompt-ly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it ac's. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by

all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative. one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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l'he Advance

AND

The Cosmopolitan, \$1.00, Munsey's, \$1.00, Mc'Clure's. SI 00, or Godey's Magazine, \$1.00,

Liles, we neglected to state that it was no violation of the revenue law on the part of Mr. Liles but the fault of the house the whiskey came from. We are glad to learn that he loses nothing by the seizure.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Ella Howard to Mr. Charles W. Gold, of Wilson, at the residence of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas T. Howard, near Conetoe, N. C., on March 2d. Mr. Gold is a young man of sterling qualities. He is one of the editors of our contemporary, the Wilson Times. Miss Howard is one of Edgecombe countys' most accomplished daughters.

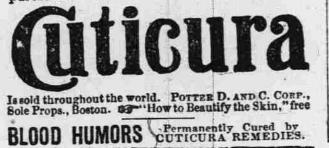
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