

THE WILSON ADVANCE.

WILSON, FRIDAY, December 16, 1881.

Local Department.

JOSEPHUS DANIELS, Editor.

NOTE.—To insure insertion our advertisers must send in their advertisements by Thursday 12 M.

NOTE.—C. C. Daniels, at the Post Office is authorized to collect and receipt for subscriptions due this paper.

Thursday—Cotton 11 cents.

Sweet cider at J. T. McCraw's.

French Brandy—finest—at Hargrave's.

Carpets, pretty and cheap, at Rosenthal's.

Fine Whiskey, for medicinal use, at Hargrave's.

1000 pounds of candy, will be sold cheap, at Fulcher's.

Dead watches and clocks made alive at Churchwell's.

W. W. Hargrave's drug store will be open next Sunday.

Imported Gin, for medicinal purposes, at Hargrave's.

Just opened, some very pretty clocks at Rosenthal's.

New lot of ready-made clothing just received at Rosenthal's.

Crockery, a large quantity, will be sold cheap at Fulcher's.

Black and colored satins, a new lot opened this morning at Rosenthal's.

The old reliable North Carolina Almanac for sale at Rowland's drug store.

Mr. G. F. Proelise has opened in the store formerly occupied by E. O. Noe & Co.

A lot of the very best silver plated ware at Churchwell's and going very cheap.

Boots, full line of best make, and every pair warranted at E. Rosenthal's.

Our "Druggists Best Medicine" is the finest 5 cent cigar in town, A. W. Rowland.

Work baskets, vases, and French china sets for holiday presents at E. Rosenthal's.

Maderia, Sherry and Port Wines, for medicinal uses, at Hargrave's Drug Store.

A fine and large assortment of Liquors for medicinal purpose at Hargrave's.

In this bad weather overcoats are in great demand. Atkinson, Cobb & Co. have all kinds.

Just received a new assortment of those pretty matelasse flannels at Rosenthal's.

For lamps and christmas goods go to Moye & Nadal's drug store on Tarboro street.

Coffee drinkers should read the advertisement in another column headed Good Coffee.

Fresh lot of very pretty calicoes and new line of worsteds, all colors, now open at E. Rosenthal's.

I tell you C. C. Daniels has the nicest lot of christmas books ever brought to our city.

Atkinson, Cobb & Co., have the greatest variety of overcoats which they are selling cheap.

Zeigler shoes—for ladies, misses, and children—a large quantity at Atkinson, Cobb & Co's.

Go to Fulcher's when you wish to save money. His goods are marked down, down, down.

Several runaways in town this week. In two of them doctors took a hand. No serious damage.

Bear in mind that Warren & Barnes' store is headquarters for shoes, for both ladies and gentlemen.

Those wanting Christmas and Holiday presents will find a nice assortment at Hargrave's Drug Store.

Christmas falls this year on Sunday, and we suggest that our merchants observe Monday as a holiday.

Full line of envelopes, stationery, pens, ink, erasers, pencils, paper fasteners, etc., at Rowland's.

Mr. Walter P. Williamson has been appointed post master at Tarboro in the place of Mr. H. H. Shaw, the present incumbent.

Prof. Julius L. Tomlinson, Principal of our Graded School, spent Tuesday of this week on a visit to the Goldsboro Graded School.

FOR SALE.—A splendid Stief Piano full size, nearly new, will be sold cheap for cash. For particulars apply to Mrs. Martha Clark.

If you want to know when it will rain, or snow, go to the Post Office and get one of the old reliable Turner North Carolina almanac.

Give your friends christmas presents that they will value, such as rocking chairs, brackets, etc. Be sure to buy them of Wootton & Stevens.

Mr. Thomas Selby, of Selby Bro's, returned Tuesday night from the West with a fine lot of horses and mules. Go to see them before buying.

Warren & Barnes have just received a large lot of reversible over-coats and ulsters which they are selling cheaper than such goods were ever before offered in Wilson.

NOTICE.—The undersigned will keep on hand at all times first-class oysters for the town and country trade at 35 cents per quart. Call on us, Simpson & Smith.

Parties holding policies in the Universal Life Insurance company may learn something to their advantage by applying to A. B. Deans, Attorney-at-Law, Wilson, N. C.

Mr. W. W. Edwards has returned from the Western cities with a very fine lot of horses and mules. You would do well to examine his stock before you make your purchases.

My friend, don't be fooled into buying second-class almanacs, but go to the Post Office, the place where they have so many nice christmas books, and get one of the old reliable Turner's N. C. Almanac.

Mr. J. B. Clements desires to give notice that his store is headquarters for christmas goods. He invites everybody to call and see what he has in the way of candies, toys, &c., before making their purchases.

For useful christmas presents go to Warren & Barnes. Mustache cups and saucers, beautiful vases, nice lot of gentleman's neck-ware—latest styles—silk handkerchiefs—a nice lot just in—and everything else good and useful.

If you would enjoy the christmas holidays to the fullest extent be sure to have that tooth that pains you so extracted; or, if your teeth need filling, have them filled before christmas and you can join in the festivities with more joy than you could if you neglect this good advice.

Give your sweetheart a christmas present and thereby make her heart glad. There is nothing more appropriate to give than a good photograph of yourself, and we advise all young men (and everybody else, for that matter) to go to Alley's photograph gallery and have their pictures taken before christmas.

On last Saturday evening Augustus Driver and Henry Taylor enjoyed themselves in a little fist-cuffing when Driver having had enough drew his knife and gave Taylor a very neat little cut across his breast, although not very deep, for which he was bound over to the next term of the Superior Court.

The Graded School. The Graded School continues to grow in public favor. Prof. Tomlinson and his corps of able assistants are doing a good work, and their efforts have proved highly successful. We have the best Graded School in the State, and all our citizens are indebted to the teachers, and the board of managers, for their untiring efforts in behalf of the school.

Married. In this county Sunday, December 4th, by Irvin C. Eatman, Esq., Mr. Wiley Gardner to Miss Patience Davis. We extend best wishes.

In this place Wednesday, December 14th, by Mr. W. F. Mervin, J. P., Mr. Asa Hill to Mrs. Mary Braswell. Mr. Hill has long been a subscriber and friend to ADVANCE, and we rejoice with him in his honey moon.

Died. At her residence, near Hilliardston, Nash county, Thursday, Dec. 1st, Mrs. Tempie Hedgepeth, at the advanced age of eighty years.

In Cross Roads township, in this county, December 12th, little Silas, infant son of W. H. and Elizabeth Bass, aged thirteen months and ten days. "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Personals. We were pleased to meet Mr. F. B. Ricks, of Hilliardston, in town this week.

Miss Battle, of Raleigh, is on a visit to Wilson, the guest of Mr. A. J. Hines.

Misses Bettie and Lizzie Lee of Raleigh, who have been on a visit to Wilson left Wednesday to visit relatives at Whitakers.

Dr. Eli-ha Battle, son of Mr. Wm. S. Battle, was in town this week looking around with a view to locating for the practice of his profession, in our thriving little city.

New Advertisements.

Read the important notice of P. E. Hines, Mayor, in this issue.

Read J. T. McCraw's new advertisement calling attention to his large stock of Christmas goods.

Mr. M. T. Moye, Secretary, publishes an important notice which all friends of the Graded School should read.

Mr. J. B. Clements offers the house and lot formerly owned by Mrs. Harriet Barbee, for sale. Read the advertisement.

There are no better printers and binders in the State than Edwards, Broughton & Co. whose new advertisement appears in this issue.

Kittrell Spring High School, under Prof. Wm. S. Barnes, is deservedly among our best schools, and is deserving of a very large patronage. See the new advertisement in this issue.

The Rocky Mount Fair.

We are advised that there will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Eastern Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical Association at Rocky Mount, December 21st., to revise the Premium List for the next fair. Merchants, manufacturers and others wishing to offer a special premium can have them inserted in the Premium List if received by that time. A premium of \$10 each will be offered for the largest yield of cotton, wheat, rice, oats, native and cultivated grasses, without the use of any commercial fertilizers. A specimen of each to be exhibited at the next fair. Work has already begun in earnest and we hazard nothing in predicting that the next fair will be a great success.

Advertised Letters.

A list of letters and postal cards wholly written remaining in the Post Office Dec. 14th, 1881.

F. C. Adams, John G. Artis, J. W. B. Bryan, Miss Cate Barnes, Mrs. Alice Beaman, James Davis col, Elbert Ellis, Mrs. A. F. Farmer, O. Gordon, Cramer Godwin, Jess W. Hinton, Dr. Wm. H. Hurdley, Mrs. Mary Harper, James Howell, Wm. Joyner, Henry J. Joyner, Adrian C. Jackson, Miss Lucy Langley, Mrs. Betsy McKinney, M. C. Mathews, Mrs. Eliza Nural, Wm. Pharaoh, C. Pender, Mrs. Nancy Suggs, Miss Mollie A. C. Suggs, Miss Mary Suggs, Bryant Thompson, Randolph Young, Jno. O. Wansley, J. W. Wansley, Mrs. Winnie Williams, Whitley & Taylor.

If the above letters are not called for in four weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

M. C. DANIELS P. M.

The Wilson Cotton Factory.

The subscription books of the Wilson Cotton Factory will positively be closed January 1st, irrespective of the amount subscribed, and parties desiring to make good investments should subscribe at once. \$3,000 has already been subscribed and as soon as the amount reaches \$75,000 a meeting of the stockholders will be held and another opportunity will not be offered within a year, to invest as the capital stock will not be increased during that time. Now is the time to make a profitable investment in an enterprise which will benefit the stockholders, while proving a great blessing to the town and county.

The Messenger Opera House.

The Messenger Opera House just completed by Mr. J. A. Bonitz Editor of the Goldsboro Messenger, will be opened next Wednesday night. The celebrated Miss Claire Scott, a talented actress, with a strong support will appear on the 21st, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th., in the following different plays: Wednesday night, Bulwer's "Lady of Lyons"; Thursday night, the thrilling emotional drama of "Ishoor or the Jewish Outcast"; Friday night, Alexander Dumas' celebrated emotional play "Camille, or the Fate of a Coquette"; Saturday night, the famous "Romeo and Juliet" will be produced. Reduced rates have been secured on the railroad and a number of our Wilson people will doubtless be present. The Opera House itself we have not space to speak. It is an elegant structure, and Goldsboroans owe a debt of thanks to the enterprising Bonitz for having supplied a want so long felt. It is a standing monument to the go-ahead-iveness of the most successful editor in the State.

Sectional News.

CASTALIA.

DEAR ADVANCE:—

The farmers in and around here have about finished hoeing their crops which is all of a month earlier than usual, with the shortest crops ever made in the recollection of the oldest farmer. Our farmers have acted wisely this fall in planting a large quantity of wheat. They have a good stand, and the prospects are bright for another year. May the day of retribution rapidly be upon the unfortunates and oppressed husbandmen of our good old State. And right here I will say, while the whole State is almost engaged in grading railroads why is it that this portion, say Nash and Franklin, should be behind and left out in the cold? with all our persistent efforts, backed by ten or fifteen millions of dollars, by a reliable and enterprising gentleman of Oxford, who has succeeded in building other important roads. And the people are reliably informed had not the charter been opposed in the House of the last Legislature, the road, beyond a doubt, would now be graded half the distance from Henderson via Louisville, Castalia, Nashville, to Rocky Mount.

The young men around here have set Friday the 16th inst. to have a Tournament and Coronation Ball for the first time, and practicing for the same is all the go. Besides crowning the queen the successful knight will get a fine bridal saddle. Lots of fun and pretty girls is expected. Come and see them.

Cupid has begun his winter work again, and on Wednesday last, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Cyrus Sledge, of Nash, led to the hymeneal altar Miss Mittie Deans, daughter of Thomas Deans, Esq., of Franklin county. I congratulate them and wish them much happiness and prosperity. And on Thursday Mr. R. J. Walker, of Nash, to Miss Jessie May, of Granville. Others will do likewise soon, of which you shall be apprised.

Mr. J. A. Coppidge, of Cedar Rock, had a bag of cotton stolen from his gin yard a few nights ago.

The cornet band of Nashville will furnish music for the Tournament on the 16th instant.

PLAIN TOM.

TOISNOT.

DEAR ADVANCE:—

Our little town has been visited again by the cold touch of death, and I can but shudder when I announce to you the death of Daniel, Fanny, and Nora, children of our townsman Mr. C. L. Land, which sad event occurred on Friday last.

Little Daniel and Nora expired about the same time, and a few hours later little Fanny breathed her last. This was one of the saddest scenes we have ever witnessed—three sweet little children of the same family, laid in one cold and silent grave. But a few days ago these children were full of life, apparently, and seemed to be in the bloom of health. Oh! how uncertain is life!

Mr. Land has another son quite sick but we are pleased to hear he is slowly convalescing. We sincerely sympathize with the bereaved family in their great loss.

The Missionary Baptists who hold their meetings in the Academy, have commenced the erection of a church building, which will be completed soon.

Mr. Theo. Hobgood, editor of the Sunny Home has just completed a nice residence on North street and will occupy it very soon.

All of our young people are looking forward with fond hearts, for a merry christmas and a happy new year.

SPENCER.

WHITAKERS.

EDITOR ADVANCE:—

The town of Whitakers is one of the liveliest little places on the Wilmington & Weldon railroad. W. H. Cobb, Esq., the agent at the depot, and his assistant, Mr. John T. Ford, are the busiest men in town. These gentlemen say they shipped for the month of November, 1137 bales of cotton with other freight in proportion. This department should have a regular assistant during the fall season, if no longer.

Santa Claus is seen in every store and shop window, and from all appearances the little ones will awake on christmas morn with full stockings and glad hearts.

The Methodists have commenced their new church. Mr. W. E. Taylor the contractor, informs us this building is to be quite an expensive and

nice house. The Protestants have about finished their church, and now we have three new houses of worship in Whitakers worthy of note.

Mr. P. Newman, one of Whitaker's oldest merchants will change his base and run a large business in Enfield where he is building a large store.

Captain Basy, of the W. & W. R. R. told us on the train last Friday that the work on the road from Halifax to Scotland Neck was progressing rapidly. They have crossed Conesbury Swamp, and have already brought a load of cotton to Halifax. The Captain was in fine spirits and feels confident that he will have the road in running order very soon.

We met on the train a few days ago the famous La Lu, of Couj's circus, who was on his way to Beaufort for winter quarters. He will travel with a nunn's show next year and expects to perform several feats of acrobaticism in his next visit to the south.

MELVILLE.

GOLDSBORO.

DEAR ADVANCE:—

There was more cotton on the streets yesterday than I have seen since my residence here. A runaway now and then which ends in doing no greater damage than wrenching a lamp post, serves also to enliven the streets. The marriage fever to which reference was made in our last is raging with undiminished ardor, and has now assumed an epidemic and dangerous form. It not only affects the crowded mart of trade but has extended its ravages to the thinly populated country. Among those occurring in this city it is with peculiar pleasure that we mention the marriage of Henry C. Shannon to Miss Lila Galloway of this place, which event took place last Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. A. J. Galloway, Rev. W. M. Robey performing the solemn ceremony. We tender our congratulations and best wishes to the happy bridegroom. He is man enough to appreciate and wear with loving tenderness the jewel he has won. We wish the young couple a safe and happy voyage over the tempestuous sea of life, in which wish we will be joined by Mr. Shannon's friends in Wilson.

Last Saturday evening Mr. Jno. W. Edmundson, and Miss Mollie Millard, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Col. Washington, J. P. Tuesday at 12 o'clock exactly, John Powell was married to Miss Cole, of this county, and Tuesday evening a romantic runaway couple from Enfield, whose names we failed to learn were made to rejoice, and departed "two souls with a single thought, two hearts that beat as one."

We learn that Dr. W. H. Moore died this morning at 7 o'clock at the Insane Asylum near this place, of which he had been for some time Superintendent. He was brother to Dr. A. D. Moore of Wilson, and leaves a host of friends who mourn his death. Dec. 15th '81. D.

WILSON MARKET REPORT.

REVISED AND CORRECTED EVERY THURSDAY BY BYNUM, DANIEL & CO.

Table with market prices for various goods like Cotton, Bacon, Hams, etc.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Grand Special Holiday Sale.

For Christmas, 1881, make yourself and family happy by the gift of a PIANO or an ORGAN that will fill your home with music, not only for a day, but for a lifetime.

Graded School Notice.

The Fall session of the Graded School will end Friday 23rd inst. In order that teachers may have a short time to visit friends and the pupils recreation, the exercises will not be resumed until Monday January 2nd, 1882.

Owing to this arrangement, the December installment on subscriptions will be required two weeks earlier than usual. To facilitate the collection, we hereby give notice to all delinquents on previous instalments, and those owing for this month to call and settle by the first of next week—by Thursday at the farthest.

M. T. MOYE, Sec. to Board.

Wilson, N. C., Dec. 15th, '81.

NOTICE.

On Motion it was ordered by the Board of Commissioners, that the use of fire arms, fire crackers, and fire works of all kinds be prohibited on the streets from this date under penalty set forth in former ordinance.

P. E. HINES, Mayor.

Dec. 15-21.

FOR SALE!

I offer for sale a house and lot recently owned by Mrs. Harriet Barbee, containing three good rooms and pantry, good garden, situated on the corner of Barnes and Spring street, adjoining the lots of W. P. Wootton and J. B. Clements. Possession given January 1st. Terms: Cash. If not sold by private sale before January 1st, it will be sold at public auction, Monday, January 2nd.

J. B. CLEMENTS, Wilson, N. C.

Dec. 16-21.

Kittrell Springs Female High School.

KITTBRELL, N. C.

The Spring Session will begin on the 12th day of January, 1882, and continue for twenty weeks. Attention is called to the following advantages: Thorough Instruction, Practical Teachers, Pupils Required to Study,

HEALTHY LOCATION.

Mineral Waters, Superior Buildings, Plenty of Substantial Food? Tuition per session in Regular Course with Music and Board, (Including Fuel, Lights and Washing) not to exceed \$110.00. Special discounts made on Tuition to Ministers, Teachers, and all Persons sending more than one scholar. For further information apply to

W. S. BARNES.

Dec. 16-17.

M. T. MOYE E. M. NADAL.

MOYE & NADAL.

Wholesale and Retail

DRUGGISTS,

WILSON, N. C.

Dealers in Drugs, medicines, Dye

Stuffs, Perfumery, Stationery,

Patent medicines, and Chemicals also keep

FINE CIGARS,

CIGARETTES CHEWING AND

SMOKING TOBACCO.

Pure Wines, Whiskey, Rum, Gin, Apple and French Brandy for medicinal purposes.

Proprietors and manufacturers of WOMAN'S FRIEND, NEURALGINE, FEMALE PILLS, JAPANESE TOOTHACHE DROPS, INDIAN CONSUMPTION AND COUGH

REMEDY, &c.

State agents for "Dobyn's Suro Cure for Catarrh, Neuralgia and Headache."

Prescriptions carefully compounded day or night.

MOYE & NADAL, Wilson, N. C.

Oct. 28th '81.

Fits Guaranteed.

Having secured the services of a good tailor—a man of years of experience in the business—I am now prepared to do all kinds of work in the best possible manner.

A large variety of samples on hand, and goods selected from these samples will be ordered immediately and made to order.

MAKING, CUTTING, REPAIRING AND CLEANING DONE AT SHORT NOTICE.

I am also prepared to

Dye and Repair

any old clothes, and I can make an old suit of clothes look like new ones.

TRY ME!

Soliciting your patronage, I am

Respectfully Yours,

J. B. CLEMENTS,

Merchant Tailor, Tarboro Street,

over E. N. Mercer's Store.

[Oct. 14 3 mo.]

S. S. ALSOP

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Battleboro and Enfield, N. C.

I will hereafter be at Battleboro on Friday and Saturday of each week, and will be glad to serve the public of Nash and Edgecombe counties. On every other day will be in my office at Enfield.

[Oct. 7th.]

HARDY & BROTHERS,

(Established in 1828.)

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For the sale of

Cotton, Lumber, Peanuts and other

MERCHANDISE.

And dealers in Peruvian Guano and other

STANDARD FERTILIZERS.

Make liberal cash advances on consignments. Prompt sales and quick returns.

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ov 18 3m.

M. P. POWELL,

FASHIONABLE BARBER.

TARBORO ST., WILSON, N. C.

Having opened a first-class Barber-shop solicits the patronage of those who wish good work done. Satisfaction Guaranteed. [July 15-19]

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Wilson county, rendered on the 14th day of January, 1881, I will sell at the Court House door in Wilson, on Monday the 5th day of December 1881, the following land: One tract of land in Wilson county, Black Creek township, adjoining the lands of A. G. Person, Dr. R. E. Cox and others, containing seventy-five acres more or less, it being the land allotted to the heirs of James Newsome in the division of the lands of Amos Horn, being lot No. 1 in said division. Terms cash.

F. A. WOODARD,

Commissioner

Dec. 15-21.

BYNUM DANIEL & CO

Are offering a Large and Varied Assortment of Groceries for

CHRISTMAS

Give Them A Call, BYNUM, DANIEL & CO., WILSON, N. C.

Advertisement for W. T. Blackwell & Co. Durham, N. C. featuring Durham Tobacco and