

THE WILSON ADVANCE.

WILSON, N. C., Feb. 21, 1889. Give us the electric lights, the ADVANCE says. The need of Wilson is more manufacturing.

We have had some weather since last week's paper. The New Bern Fair comes this week. Wilson is well represented there.

Hon. George Davis has been elected president of the Wilmington Bridge Co., successor to Hon. E. R. Bridges, deceased. "Queen Esther" to-morrow night. Be sure to be present or you will miss an exceptionally fine musical entertainment.

The time for selling land for taxes has been changed by a recent enactment from the first Monday in February to the first Monday in May.

Our neighbor, the Mirror speaks in high terms of the popularity and efficiency of the officers of the First National Bank, to all of which we say amen.

The Free Will Baptist is to be moved from New Bern to Snow Hill, we so it stated. It will be published in the latter place by a stock company.

The Clinton Caucasian has bought a new power-press. We rejoice to see this evidence of the progress and prosperity which that paper is meeting.

We see from the Raleigh paper that Mr. and Mrs. Josephus Daniels, of Raleigh, gave a reception last week complimentary to the members of the Legislature.

The kindly notices that the brethren of the quill have given the ADVANCE upon our entering a new volume is deeply appreciated. Accept our acknowledgements, brethren.

The Bank of Durham, which was down in the late crash at that place, has declared a dividend to its depositors of 20 per cent., and the plant still believes it will pay dollar for dollar.

Judges Armfield and Colner will exchange several courts, we learn. This exchange will put Judge Colner on this district—the home district—and Judge Armfield on his home district.

The Henderson Gold Leaf says to farmers of that section are busy preparing for their tobacco crops. We hope our people will—as many as can—put in a small crop of the weed.

ADVANCE notes with pleasure that Winston Branch of Bethel, who were forced by circumstances to assign, have resumed business. The men who compose the firm are young men of pluck and will succeed.

We see from the Goldsboro Argus that Mr. James G. Stoummit, of Herndon, Miss., died on the 18th inst., in the 74th year of his age. He had relatives in this section who will regret to learn of his death.

An electric light plant would not cost the town one dollar more to run than it now paid out to have the town lighted with kerosene. We do not believe City dads give us lightning for a "glim" in the future.

Prayer meetings are being held every evening at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church, preparatory to a series of meetings to be begun next Sunday night.

Rev. Mr. Meek's preaching at the Missionary Baptist church last Sunday both morning and night. The congregations were pleased with the sermons and the man.

The professional card of Dr. C. E. Moore appears in this week's ADVANCE. His office is two doors from the ADVANCE office. He is well known to our people—he has readily established a lucrative practice.

There is no more insidious and dangerous form of gambling than dealing in futures. The "respectability" of this most dangerous and tempting vice is one of its most insidious features. Beware of this destructive passion of gambling, then in all its various forms, as you would your dearest enemy.

We were pleased to receive a call last Tuesday from Mr. G. H. H. of the Observer who is the editor of the Observer up to a short while ago, when he sold the paper and he is here now in the interest of the Providence Insurance Company. He is a thorough gentleman—one of the old school—and we commend him to our people.

The Clinton Caucasian opposes public executions. We heartily agree with the Caucasian. There is no more degrading and demoralizing spectacle than a public execution. They debase the public morals and outrage public decency as nothing else does. In the name of decency we do say let North Carolina never again so debase as to be the place in which another of these uncivilized spectacles of barbarism shall take place.

A most delightful luncheon was given on Wednesday last week by Mrs. N. Daniel at her residence, complimentary to her aunt, Mrs. Judge Bynum, of Morganton, and Mrs. L. Jones, of Asheville. The entertainment was, indeed, a model of good taste. There were present Mrs. Dr. Bynum, Mrs. G. D. Greene, Mrs. Bronson, Mrs. A. Gorham, Mrs. W. C. Gorham, Mrs. Herbert Rountree, Mrs. T. J. Hadley, and Mrs. J. C. Hadley.

The letter on the first page of this week's ADVANCE from the pen of our readers favorite, Bill Arp, is on the topic that never grows threadbare when treated in cash on such a writer. Bill discusses the "negro problem" in a way that will suit every Southern man whether the Northern people like what he says. His precocious little he cares, anyway, what the people who spend their time abusing the South like what he says or not.

The Bank of Branch & Co. opened last Monday with Mr. W. P. Simpson, one of the best business men and most thoroughly pleasant gentlemen with whom to do business that has ever been in our town, as Cashier. Mr. Branch is probably the largest and most successful business man in our midst. With such a "team" backing up the Bank of Branch & Co. is an assured success. The new Bank has our best wishes.

We see from the Raleigh correspondent of the Messenger that the State Board of Pharmacy licensed a druggist, George S. Barnes, Milton; Frank L. Meares, Wilmington; W. M. Yearby, Durham; John L. Wooten, Warsaw; W. D. Mitchell, Stem; John B. Farris, Greensboro. Mr. E. Nadall, of our town, is a member of the Board. He, while at Raleigh, made a strong argument before a committee of the Legislature concerning the Pharmaceutical Associations and their desires.

The advertisement of Mr. E. Barnes appears in this week's ADVANCE. He is a man of large experience in mercantile life—knows the wants of the people—knows the best brands of fertilizers as well as of other goods and he has supplied himself with what the people want. He sells his goods on commissions strictly and is therefore able to give his customers the benefit of the lowest prices possible. He asks farmers to call to see him before purchasing elsewhere and he proposes then to give them prices that will astonish.

Mr. McGill of Cumberland has introduced a bill which has passed the lower House and which, no doubt, became a law. It is the practice among corporations, tickets, to pay their hands with tickets or checks, which are not transferable. Usually the receivers of these tickets have to trade them out at the "Company Store." They are worthless for anything outside the store. The object of the bill is to make the party who issues the ticket redeem it when presented; it matters not by whom, thus allowing the operative to use them in the purchase of supplies from others than the employer.

Queen Esther The cantata of "Esther the beautiful Queen" will be presented to the Wilson public at Mamona Hall next Friday night, February 22nd, by a company of thirty ladies and gentlemen, composing the best musical talent in the town. The scenic incident in the production of this very superior comedy, the choruses, is sure to delight all present. Reserved seats, 50 cents; general admission, 35 cents; children, 25 cents. Tickets for sale at Davis & Gay's store.

Another Sad Death. Mr. Robert Primrose, son of Rev. John W. Primrose, pastor of St. Andrew's church, died at his father's residence in this city, after a brief illness. Mr. Primrose was taken sick last Friday with pneumonia, and his case was thought to be progressing favorably until he was seized with a congestive chill early yesterday morning, his death resulting therefrom a few hours afterwards. Mr. Primrose was only eighteen or nineteen years of age, and his death is a sad blow to his family, who have the deepest sympathy of the community. He held a position in the auditor's office of the Atlantic Coast Line, and was highly esteemed by all—Wilmington Star.

Rev. Mr. Primrose was pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place for several years and there are many here who sympathize with him in his sad affliction.

TOISNOT NEWS.

What The People of That Town are Doing, Saying and Thinking. Mrs. William Wells, of Enfield, is on visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Barnes of the place.

On Monday last Mrs. Wiley Wells left her home at her husband, who went to Baltimore about three weeks ago to have another operation performed on his hand.

Mr. Rob. Winstead who accompanied Mrs. W.—returned Friday and reported Mr. Wells as improving.

Mrs. Emerson Vick and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Beaufort county.

Mrs. Orr Barnes left her home in Stantonburg yesterday. On the same day Guy Barnes started on a business trip to Louisville, Ky.

I neglected in my last communication to notice the departure of Mr. A. P. Black from this place. He has been employed for the past three years by P. J. Turnbull, a boy in years but no man young or old stands higher in this town moral worth and as an upright gentleman than Addison Black.

He left here last week and is traveling over the State selling rubber stamps. He may meet with success in the universal wish of our people.

I regret to state that Mr. William Doles returned home from a business trip a few days ago, with a severe attack of rheumatism, and is now confined to his home.

Mr. Jas. Friar who has been confined for four weeks with the same trouble was out of his streets yesterday much improved.

Mr. P. J. Turnbull has set out cabbage plants. Who can beat it in the county?

The wife and little daughter of the late Hon. R. B. Bridges stopped over here one day last week and were met at the depot by Col. B. Barron, who took them out to his home.

Mrs. Annie Williams, mother of Mrs. Henry Williams died at her home here one day last week.

Mr. Joshua Ballock has disposed of nearly all his stock of horses and mules at his stables.

Miss Lee Briggley who has been spending some time with her sister Mrs. John Farmer, and attending the school of Mrs. Averitt, left to-day for her home in Southern part of the State. Miss Lee was quite a favorite and will be missed much by her many friends.

It is a good time to set out shade trees in town. Nothing adds more to the beauty of a place, than to see trees on the streets. A word to the wise is sufficient.

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

West & Truax, Wholesale Drug, Gists, Toledo, Ohio. Waiding, Kinnam & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. E. H. Van Hook, Cashier, Toledo National Bank, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Syrup of Figs is Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to cleanse the system when Bilious or Costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds, and Fevers; to cure Habitual Constipation, Indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, Cal. Try it. For sale by E. M. Nadall, druggist.

STATEMENT OF THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK. RICHARD A. McCURDY, President. For the Year Ending Dec 31st, '88.

Table with 3 columns: Description, 1888, 1887. Rows include Total Assets, Increase in Assets, Surplus, etc.

The Assets are Invested as Follows: Bonds and Mortgages, \$46,671,754.07; Real Estate and Loans on real estate, \$1,061,704.14; Cash in Bank and Trust Co., \$1,768,125.34; etc.

For Fancy Work From us the stamping will be done Free of Charge. Our material is sold at the cheapest prices. We sell the best brand Star and Corticeil Arsenic at 20c and 25c per dozen. Other material equally as cheap.

THE WORLD OF TO-DAY. A MAGNIFICENT ATLAS OF THE WORLD. In this magnificent atlas there is contained 110 pages of hand-colored maps, diagrams, tables, etc., descriptive of the world, and also an index of over 2,000 cities, towns, villages, etc.

MARRIED. In the Greenville Reflector we see the following: On Wednesday morning, February 8th, at Bethany Christian church, near Whitakers, Mr. Joseph B. Latham, of this county, led to the hymenal altar Miss Lillian Pittman, H. B. Harris with Miss Capt. Granger. Jno. Ricks with Miss Lillie Evans, O. W. Harrington with Miss Vera Dixon, and Miss M. Dixon with Miss Lillian Pittman, H. B. Harris with Miss Capt. Granger.

PERSONAL MENTION. Capt. Mas has moved his family to Wilson to live. Mr. F. M. Connor is now traveling agent for the Mirror. Miss Mary Saults, of Eureka, Wayne county, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. G. Paschall.

Advice To Mothers. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep; it relieves the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to take. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. CONDENSED SCHEDULE. TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Station, Time. Rows include Leave Weldon, Arrive Weldon, Leave Tarboro, Arrive Tarboro, etc.

At the old stand of Hadley & Briggs and extend a cordial invitation to all whether they wish to buy or not to come to see me. My stock was bought for

CASH, and will be sold low. Farmers would do well to call upon me before placing their trade for another year. Country produce taken in exchange for goods.

J. C. HADLEY, January 10, 1889.

Mrs. Joe Person's REMEDY. Tonic, Alterative and Blood Purifier. For Sale by Wilson Druggists. Laboratory: KITTRELL, N. C.

Stamping Patterns! We have purchased a large, handsome, and varied lot of Stamping Patterns, which must be used. Through the spring we offer this inducement to the public generally: Stamping done at from 5c to 20c according to size of pattern 20c for largest size which is for who are fronts etc. Furthermore those who purchase material

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Dissolution. The Co-partnership heretofore existing between H. T. Tyson, of Wilson N. C. and C. O. Miller, of Angostia, Ga., under the firm name of Miller & Tyson, is this day dissolved. B. H. TYSON.

Writing Machine Cabinet and Office Desk. The advantages of this "Type-Writer and Office Desk" over other so-called Combination sets, are: 1st.—The ease and simplicity with which the desk can be changed from a Library or Office desk to a Type-Writer Table. This change is effected by pushing the lid covering the machine back in the track, and being a roller top, requiring it entirely from sight, thus overcoming the objection heretofore made of the machine being in the way and wounding in front of the operator. The movable top is perfectly level, it does not depend on legs or hinges for support, but is held in place by a perfect lock, which is so arranged that the desk can be raised or lowered to suit the operator, and the desk can be raised or lowered to suit the operator, and the desk can be raised or lowered to suit the operator.

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OPENING OF SPRING GOODS.

Both in Domestic and French Goods. SCOTCH ZEPHYR CLOTHS, TOLL DUNNORDS, CINCHAMS, &c., &c.

White Goods IN ABUNDANCE. THE PRETTIEST EMBROIDERIES, EVERLASTING TRIMMINGS AND LACES.

3,000 YARDS OF THE BEST GRADE YARD WIDE FRUIT OF THE LOON BLEACHING. BY THE YARD OR PIECE, AT 8 cts. per yard.

Respectfully, J. & D. OETTINGER.

N. B.—Our Annual Clearance Sale begins next Monday, Feb. 25th. We will offer Great Bargains.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN. Best in the world. Kitting's \$3.50 GENTS' HIGH TOP SHOES. \$2.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOES. \$2.00 WORKINGMEN'S SHOES. \$1.50 BOYS' SHOES. All made in England, Boston and New York.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE LADIES. Best Material, Best Style, Best Finish. W. L. DOUGLAS, BROOKTON, MASS. FOR SALE BY J. & D. OETTINGER.

Dr. Thatcher's Magnetic Insoles. THE WONDER OF THE NINETEEN CENTURY. These insoles keep the feet and limbs warm. They insulate and protect the body from the damp, cold earth. They cure chilblains and hot feet, keep the blood circulating, and cure Rheumatism and Cramps in the feet and limbs. They remove all aches, pains and tired feelings, and worn in the hose at night produce sound refreshing sleep, and give warmth, action and life to the whole system. These insoles of foot batteries are worth their weight in gold. Tested by thousands, and recommended by eminent Divines, Judges, Lawyers and every one who has worn them.

Price \$1 per pair, postpaid. See for a pair and compare them. In ordering always send size of shoe worn. Every legitimate order should wear a post. Address all orders by registered mail to JOHN P. DALY, General State Agent, Gillisville, Hampton Co., S. C.

WILSON COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE. For Young Ladies. The session for 1889 will begin on Monday, January 21st, 1889, and continue 20 weeks. Full corps of Teachers. Courses of study sufficiently extensive, thorough and practical. Location pleasant and healthful. Terms moderate. For catalogue and full particulars, SILAS L. WARREN, Principal, Wilson, N. C.

SEE HERE! H. F. KEEL & CO. GREENVILLE N. C. Have just received a fine car load of Horses and Mules which they will sell cheap for cash, or on time at reasonable terms. Call and examine before buying—lowest prices. They also have a first-class Livery and Feed stables in connection, rear of Skinner's Law office.

Intelligent Readers will notice that

Tutt's Pills are not "merely to cure" all classes of disease, but only such as result from a disordered liver, viz: Vertigo, Headache, Dyspepsia, Fevers, Costiveness, Bilious Colic, Flatulence, etc. For these they are not warranted infallible, but as a nearly sure and reliable remedy, they are the only GOLD EVERINGERS.

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