

The Wilson Advance.

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WILSON, N. G., April 16, 1891.

We neglected last week, by an oversight, to say that Capt. Octavius Coke was, on Saturday, April 4th, appointed Secretary of State by Governor Fowle to succeed the lamented Saunders.

Our excellent neighbor, the Roanoke News, of Weldon, has entered upon its twenty second volume. It is hale and hearty, and has the good will of its constituency. Stable, solid and conservative, it deserves their confidence and respect.

The Wilson Mirror, bro. Blount's inimitable paper, had a birthday last week. It was the tenth, and we extend our best wishes. The Mirror occupies a field distinctively its own in North Carolina journalism, and fills it, too. Its genial editor has no enemies, and many friends, not the least of whom the editor of the ADVANCE would be glad to be reckoned.

We have neglected to note the anniversary issue of the Goldsboro Argus last week, which was a model of beauty and neatness. It is now six years old. It is for Goldsboro first, last, and all the time, and has been an important factor in the development and progress of the town. Joe Robinson, the talented editor of the Argus, has worked hard and deserves the success that has crowned his efforts.

We were pleased to receive calls last Friday from our members in the last General Assembly, Dr. Freeman and Mr. Nathan Bass. By-the-way, the ADVANCE would take this occasion to say that the people of Wilson county are well pleased with the work of their representatives. We are sure that they did nothing except what they believed would best subserve the interests of the State and promote its material progress and improvement.

The graphic description of the death scenes at the State Capital last week, on the first page of the ADVANCE, is from the State Chronicle. It is brilliant work, ably done. The day after the Governor's death the Chronicle told the whole sad story, three columns long. That was the true test of a journalist. To snatch him out of bed at midnight, put a pencil in his hand, a pad of paper before him, and tell him to write. The Chronicle man stood the test, as he generally does, and the news, full, complete and satisfying in detail, was laid before the eyes of the people of North Carolina. It is no wonder it is so popular everywhere. It knows news when news is news.

Will Italy force war?—Durham Sun.

That was an amusing episode in Raleigh one day last week. Auditor Sanderlin, Secretary Coke and Col. Elias Carr were walking down Fayetteville street. A street urchin sang out: "Hooryay for demex Governor." Three hats were simultaneously lifted and three voices chorused: "Thank you, my boy!"

A Special Meeting.

TOISNOT, April 14th—Please publish in the ADVANCE that there will be a special meeting of Wilson County Alliance on Saturday, April 25th. All Sub-Secretaries are requested to meet in the hall promptly at nine o'clock. Capt. E. A. Thorne, District Lecturer, will be present and lecture on that day. Very respectfully, W. L. GRIMMER, Sec'y.

Capt. E. R. Stamps Suddenly Stricken.

TARBORO, April 14th—This morning Capt. E. R. Stamps, of Raleigh, who is here attending the sessions of Albemarle Presbytery, while standing in the door of Howard, Pender & Co's store, was attacked by cerebral congestion, and fell unconscious. He was removed to the residence of Judge Howard, his brother-in-law. His right side is paralyzed, but his condition is improving to-night.

LATER—April 15.—Capt. Stamps is in full possession of all his faculties, and is growing better.

FAREWELL.

A Consecrated Year Will Leave Wilson County.

KENLY, N. C., April 4th.—To the readers of THE ADVANCE: As I must shortly say good-bye to you, I take this method of saying that I will preach on the fourth Sunday in April at Stanhope, Nash county, at 3 o'clock, p. m., and at Mt. Pleasant, on the first Sunday in May, at 11 o'clock, a. m. after that, in the name of the Lord, I go West to give my life to His cause.

I hate to leave the good people of Wilson and Nash counties, but I leave them in the name of the Lord, trusting Him as my leader through life. Good people, pray for us, that God never lead us right, and the Holy Spirit never comfort us and keep us from Him. May God's blessing rest on my prayer, for Christ's sake. F. F. EURE.

ELM CITY ETCHINGS.

People on the Move as Pictured by "Phantom."

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE)

Mr. W. T. Doles is quite sick.

Miss Hattie Parker was in town Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Pridden was in Richmond last week.

Miss Lou Braswell is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Bailey.

Miss Laura Pridden is spending some time in Richmond.

Miss Percy Edwards, of Edgecombe is visiting relatives in town.

Rev. E. C. Glenn and wife have returned from a visit to Greenville.

Mrs. Joe Carter from Whitakers is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dr. E. G. Moore has returned from a visit to her sick father near Goldsboro.

Miss Mahala Griffin is in the country, engaged in teaching the young idea how to shoot.

Messrs. A. J. Joyner, J. I. Pridden and G. A. Barnes, our trio of "commercial tourists," have been at home several days.

Mr. P. J. Turnbull has recently enlarged and repainted his dwelling which renders it one of the most attractive places in town.

Mr. Wm. Wells, who has for the past sixteen months been in Seattle, Washington, arrived home yesterday. We hear that he will not return.

Mrs. Susie Merritt, of South Carolina, who has for several days been visiting her sister, Mrs. Annie Thomas, at Winstead's Hotel, left Monday to visit her brother, Dr. W. B. Brown at Greenville.

Mr. J. S. Winstead, from South Carolina, came home Sunday to attend the annual celebration of the birthday of his grandfather, Mr. W. R. Carter, on Monday. Mr. Geo. Winstead and family, from Mt. Olive, were also present, together with his other children, grand-children and numerous relatives. We hear they had a most delightful time.

Drs. A. S. Wells and H. R. Hoover have both recently graduated, the former at Baltimore Dental College and the latter at the Baltimore Medical College. Dr. Wells leaves to-day for Washington, N. C., where he goes to practice his profession, and Dr. Hoover has accepted a lucrative position in a Hospital near Baltimore. This Elm City loses two of its most moral and promising young men.

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April 14th, 1891.

S. S. CONFERENCE.

An Interesting Account of The Lively Exercises.

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE.)

At Buckhorn Church, in this county on the 5th Saturday and Sunday in March was held the District Sunday School Conference. This Conference is composed of twelve Sunday Schools within the bounds of the Wilson Mission. It is a Union Conference and Schools of the several denominations compose the Conference.

At this meeting, after the many favorable reports from the various schools, the following interesting exercises were held.

Bro. R. T. Barnes spoke on the relation of the S. S. to the church. He said the S. S. came next in importance to the church and showed by apt illustrations how important it is that all should be engaged in this work.

Bro. L. E. Newsom addressed the large crowd on moral training. He did his work well and, in a plain, correct manner, showed the great responsibility resting upon parents in regard to this training. He spoke of the grand work of the S. S. and the great opportunities the Sunday School workers had to do this important work, how the Sunday Schools can help the home influence &c.

He urged the establishing of S. S.'s in every neighborhood, that this grand work might go on and be in the reach of all.

After this came dinner which, of course, added much to the pleasure of the day. But only a short time was given to this part of the program and soon we heard the melodious voice of Bro. E. G. Barnes, our President, ringing out over the churchgrove.

He was backed by a host of sweet Sunday School singers who knew how to fill the soul and raise it up above the petty trials of every day life and enable us to walk in sweet communion with the heaven born spirits.

This was a signal for returning to the house, which we were anxious to do, as we anticipated a soul feast. Bro. Johnnie High was called out and made a nice and instructive talk on who should be members of the Sunday School. All love to hear him talk because he puts his heart into the work and talks feelingly and to the point. He is a good worker.

Bro. Frank Eure was present, and at this point spoke earnestly and feelingly about the talents which God has given each and every one. This promising young man, we are sorry to learn, will go out in the far off West soon. He goes to preach and to help the Sunday School work out there. We hoped he had located permanently in our section when he had commenced his good work. He will be missed.

Miss Ella Deans, by request, rose up and with a dear and distinct voice read a beautiful essay, on doing good to all mankind. This was a new departure in our S. S. Conventions, and the fine impression made and the good this essay has done encourages us to continue this as a part of our future program. Miss Ella did her part of the work nobly, and in a pleasant manner gave much useful information to the large crowd.

Bro. A. R. Flowers, one of our coming young men, spoke at this point, by request. He took for his subject the effect of the S. S. on his cul-

ture. He handled his subject well and showed how beneficial the S. S. is to our young people in building up and keeping good characters. He urged the necessity of S. S.'s on this account. This young man in his every day life brings into practice the ideas he so earnestly and eloquently endeavored to impress upon his large audience.

Bro. Alfred Finch spoke last and well to the point. He showed with much earnestness how that we all should be engaged in teaching and training the young children. He said that we are responsible for their training, and that we should be up and at work, before they pass out from under our care as we have trained and taught them so they go forth into the world, and work to be of benefit or a curse to them and to be condemned or praised by God.

This closed one of the most pleasant Sunday School Conferences we have had. Interspersed between these short addresses was rendered beautiful Sunday School music, which always adds so much to the enjoyment of our Conferences.

The next Conference will be held at Bethlehem in Nash county. It will be held on the 5th Sunday in May. All are invited. A program of exercises will be published in due time. F.

Taylor, Wilson Co., March 13, 1891.

The Spring.

Of all seasons in the year, is the one for making radical changes in regard to health. During the winter, the system becomes to a certain extent clogged with waste, and the blood loaded with impurities, owing to back of exercise, close confinement in poorly ventilated shops and homes, and other causes. This is the cause of the dull, sluggish, tired feeling so general at this season, and which must be overcome, or the health may be entirely broken down. Hood's Sarsaparilla has attained the greatest popularity all over the country as the favorite Spring Medicine. It expels the accumulation of impurities through the bowels, kidneys, liver, lungs and skin, gives to the blood the purity and quality necessary to good health and overcomes that tired feeling.

Julius A. Gray Dead.

GREENSBORO, April 14th.—Julius A. Gray, President of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad died at 6 o'clock this evening of pneumonia.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chillsbains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. W. Rowland.

Call Chosen Senator.

A special from Tallahassee, Fla., dated April 14th, says: "Wilkinson S. Call was renominated by the Democratic caucus to-night to succeed himself as U. S. Senator from Florida. It was after a hard-fought battle and the vote stood 58 to 43."

COMMISSIONERS MEETING.

Their Proceedings Last Week of Interest to Wilson County Citizens.

The County Commissioners for Wilson county were in session Monday last week, April 6th, 1891. There were present Messrs. Jno. D. Wells, Chairman, W. W. Farmer, Jonathan Tomlinson and Perry Renfrow. The following assessors and list takers, for the different townships, were appointed:

WILSON—Assessors, F. W. Barnes, Warren Woodard; list taker, S. M. Warren, Jr.

BLACK CREEK—Assessors, J. P. Barden, W. E. Yelverton; list taker, Wiley Barnes.

CROSS ROADS—Assessors, W. T. Lucas, D. A. Scott; list taker, L. E. Newsome.

SPRING HILL—Assessors, Simon Barnes, Henry Kirby; list taker, Jno. T. Revel.

OLD FIELDS—Assessors, Bennett Bullock, Larry Boyett; list taker, Frank Eatman.

TAYLORS—Assessors, W. W. Farmer, A. M. Thompson; list taker, M. M. Mathews.

TOISNOT—Assessors, C. S. Braswell, W. L. Dew; list taker, W. L. Grimmer.

GARDINERS—Assessors, Jas. S. Woodard, Sr., Eli Robbins; list taker, Wm. Woodard, Jr.

SARATOGA—Assessors, Thos. Felton, B. M. Owens; list taker, S. H. Tyson.

STANTONSBERG—Assessors, J. T. Graves, W. H. Applewhite; list taker, H. B. Lane.

Orfie Laster was allowed half rations for four months.

Jerry Rice half rations one month.

David Mercer half rations three months.

Joseph Page half rations three months.

Polly Whitley half rations four months.

Patience Ruffin half rations three months, to be furnished by Ed Woodard.

William Woodard half rations two months.

A petition from a number of the citizens of Spring Hill township, asking for a bridge across the Spring Branch, near Uriah Holland's, on the Black Creek road to Beulah, was presented. The petition was granted and the Supervisors ordered to build the bridge as a county charge.

The following persons were appointed to hold an election in the town of Lucama for town officers, as provided in the Charter incorporating the town, on the first Monday in May, viz: L. F. Lucas, Registrar; J. A. Thomas, Benjamin Renfrow and R. S. Campbell, poll holders.

Owens & Howard were ordered to furnish Mrs. Kinchen Walston whole, and Lydia Best half, rations for four months.

Jurors for the June term of Wilson Superior Court were drawn as follows: J. B. Barnes, Henry Crumpler, Stephen Peele, Geo. M. Smith, C. C. A. Young, Gray Mattox, Jas. B. Bynum, H. W. Privett, J. S. B. Wood-

ard, Simon Barnes, Jr., Daniel A. Yelverton, Amos Watson, John S. Batts, W. J. T. Beland, J. P. Lamm, Isaac Evans, C. V. Petway, H. H. Love, E. C. Winstead, Bunn Cobb, J. T. Williamson, Rufus Renfrow, N. B. Winstead, Wilson Walston, A. T. Stead, S. W. Tyson, B. J. Cobb, W. H. Dixon, E. J. Bass, W. H. Pridden, Thomas Watson, E. D. Thorne, E. D. Coleman, W. G. Sharp, J. W. Cherry, G. P. Bryant.

The following orders were allowed:

Kissiah Flowers, mo. allowance, 5.00

Polly Whitley, " " 5.50

A. Kennedy, " " 1.10

Polly Ellis, " " 2.20

T. Watson, " " 3.00

G. Barefoot, " " 1.10

W. Hawley, " " 6.00

R. G. Privette, supplies for Patsy Moore, 1.20

G. W. Scott, burial Rebecca Campbell, 4.50

C. H. Darden, coffin for Sam Pippin, 2.50

J. C. Pearson, services at poor house, 37.50

Thos. Moore, work at poor house, 7.70

W. H. Tomlinson, lumber, 4.86

Temy Rountree, work at poor house, 2.50

Burkett Watson, coffin and burial J. Hawley, 7.30

Owens & Howard, supplies to K. Walston and L. Best, 13.20

Jno. K. Ruffin, examination applicants for pensions, 22.00

A. B. Proctor, tax refunded on real estate, 3.33

Bashaba Williams, tax refunded on real estate, 8.83

WILSON ADVANCE, stationery, 4.00

Allison High, officer grand jury, 6.00

Woodard Thomas, board for prisoners, 33.30

J. W. Lancaster, examining lunatic, 2.00

Harell's Printing House, blanks for Clerk, 4.08

N. Anderson, examining lunatic, 10.00

J. C. Hadley, supplies for poor house, 26.39

J. D. & S. C. Wells, supplies for poor house, 67.62

J. T. Wiggins, lumber, 22.68

Albert Anderson, services poor house, 15.00

C. N. Nurney, coal for jail, 7.50

J. W. Crowell, services February term court, 20.00

Theophilus Battle, poll tax refunded, 1.52

The question of building vaults for the protection of the records was discussed. This ought to be done. They are valuable and it will be too late to save them after they have once been destroyed.

Grand Spring Opening this week at Young Bros.

WINSTON HOUSE,

SELMA, N. C.

MRS. G. A. TUCK,

PROPRIETRESS.

DR. W. S. ANDERSON,

Physician and Surgeon,

WILSON, N. C.

Office in Drug Store on Tarboro St.

DR. ALBERT ANDERSON,

Physician and Surgeon,

WILSON, N. C.

Office next door to the First National Bank.

JOHN R. BEST'S

BARBER SHOP,

TARBORO ST., WILSON, N. C.

Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Hair cut in the latest style.

DR. E. K. WRIGHT,

Surgeon Dentist,

WILSON, N. C.

Having permanently located in Wilson, I offer my professional services to the public.

Office in Central Hotel Building.

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A. B. McIVER, Proprietor.

Rooms large and well ventilated. Centrally located and offers special inducements to commercial men.

Table first-class. 4-16-1f.

DR. R. W. JOYNER,

DENTAL SURGEON,

WILSON, N. C.

I have become permanently identified with the people of Wilson; have practiced here for the past ten years, and wish to return thanks to the generous people of the community for the liberal patronage they have given me.

I spare no money to procure instruments that will conduce to the comfort of my patients. For a continuation of the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on me I shall feel deeply grateful.

GASTON & RANSOM,

THE WILSON BARBERS.

When you wish an easy shave, As good as ever barber gave, Just call on us at our saloon, At morning, eve or noon. We cut and dress the hair with grace, To suit the contour of the face. Our room is neat and towels clean, Scissors sharp and razors keen, And every thing, we think, you'll find To suit the face and please the mind. And all that art and skill can do, If you'll just call we'll do for you.

TOWN ELECTION.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Wilson held April 6th, 1891, the following gentlemen were appointed Registrars and Poll-Holders, for the town election to be held on the first Monday in May:

FIRST WARD.—W. T. Sanders, Registrar; John M. Farmer, J. L. Wiggins, poll-holders. Voting place, Edwards' stables.

SECOND WARD.—A. W. Rowland, Registrar; B. W. Hargrave, Dr. J. K. Ruffin, J. T. McCraw, poll-holders. Voting place, Rowland's drug store.

THIRD WARD.—R. T. Stephens, Registrar; H. C. Jackson, W. E. Deane, T. Amerson, poll-holders. Voting place, Wooten & Stephens furniture store.

FOURTH WARD.—D. Oettinger, Registrar; A. J. Barefoot, John Corbett, Jno. W. Batts, poll-holders. Voting place, Station House.

FIFTH WARD.—W. F. Mercer, Registrar; David Nolly, L. Moyer, Jno. Gold, poll-holders. Voting place, court house, JOHN R. MOORE, Clerk.

YOUNG BROTHER'S Spring Harvest.

The world's best in Spring Styles. An Unequaled Assortment, including all the Newest Styles and Novelties.

THE GRANDEST EVENT OF THE SEASON.

Don't Fail to Call!

The attention of all is called to our immense stock of Men's, Youths' and Boys' CLOTHING.

You People who know what a bargain is come in and we will surprise you. Don't buy a pair of Pants until you have seen our line; they run in price, from 50 cts. to \$7.50. Four Thousand Dollars' worth of Separate Pants to select from. The spring knock-a-bouts have come together with the largest assortment of Children's Clothing we have ever offered. Tell us you want a

\$10.00 SUIT,

and see what you will get, for the best of everything, at the lowest prices, can be had by calling at Headquarters. Send your husband, son or little boy to us for his Spring Hat, we can save him at least 25 per cent. on his purchase. Don't forget to tell him, also, that he can get the prettiest Neckties ever shown in the city; lovely line of Windsor ties, four-in-hands and scarfs.

Dress Goods.

We want to say just a word about our Dress Goods; we have a beautiful line of these that we are going to sell regardless of price. Heretofore we have never purchased a large stock in this line, but this Spring we have bought extensively, and we intend to sell what we have bought at prices will do it. We don't ask you to take our word for it, but come and look at the large,

Pretty and Cheap

line of Dress Goods, and be convinced. We have a line of Hamburg Edgings and Flouncing which we bought from the Clafin Fire Sale that we can give you at less than wholesale prices. You will certainly miss a bargain unless you call and see the goods. Don't fail to come a once, before they are sold. We also have a large and beautiful assortment of gingham, prints, etc.

RIBBONS.

The largest and finest line of Ribbons ever brought to this market, can be seen at our store, at prices so low they will astonish you. Call and examine them. We can give you Special Bargains in Towels, Hankerchiefs and Napkins. Our stock of Spring Underwear for Ladies Gentlemen and Children is quite complete; when you are ready to buy call and see us.

Shoes! Shoes!!

Anything in the Shoe line can be found in our stock; it is just simply immense. About twenty thousand pair, all kinds, sizes and prices. If you want Shoes, we can supply your want.

DON'T FAIL TO CALL

And look at our tremendous stock, whether you wish to buy anything or not, it will be all right, and we will take pleasure in showing you something nice, as well as pretty, in the way of Spring goods. Very Respectfully,

Young Brothers, Tarboro St., Wilson, N. C.