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C. F. WILSON, Editor and Proprietor.

"For the cause that lacks assistance,
For the wrong that needs resistance,
For the future in the distance,
And the good that we can do."

THURSDAY, May 19th, 1892.

THE ADVANCE is no prophet, but to-day (Monday) it looks as if Col. Julian S. Carr or Auditor Sanderlin will be the Democratic nominee for Governor.

Senator John S. Barbour, of Virginian, died suddenly in Washington Saturday morning at five o'clock, of heart failure. He was an excellent gentleman, greatly beloved by his people who sincerely mourn their loss.

The oration of Jos. E. Robinson, editor of that brilliant paper, the Goldsboro Argus, on memorial Day, was indeed a "gem of purest ray serene," and did honor to the man and the taste of those who selected him for the occasion.

SINCERELY APPRECIATED.

We appreciate so sincerely the kind letter below that we make no apology for the lack of modesty which permits its appearance in these columns:

"NEW YORK, May 12th, 1892.

"DEAR MR. EDITOR:—I received some time ago a copy of THE ADVANCE from some one, perhaps through the kindness of its editor, [no.—ED.] which I read and enjoyed very much. It is gratifying to know that THE ADVANCE supports the Grand Old Party of the people—the party that fosters that great eternal principle of 'equal rights to all and special privileges to none.' It is the party that all who love liberty and justice are proud to belong to. Knowing that THE ADVANCE proclaims all these essential elements, I take great pleasure in having my name upon your subscription book.

"Very truly yours,
"A. F. BLACK.

"P. S. You will find enclosed postal note for $1.50. A. F. B."

SAY, IS THIS TRUE.

Col. L. L. Polk, President National Farmers Alliance and and Industrial Union, is an out and out advocate of the People's party, and does not hesitate to say so on all occasions. He believes that nothing can be done for the people inside the old parties, and emphasizes this opinion by reference to the recent vote on free coinage. He has an enormous following in the Alliance.—National Watchman.

The Watchman is the official organ of the People's party of the United States. The above is taken from the last number. So far as we are concerned this settles Col. Polk's political status. He has a right to belong to any party he sees fit, as much right for instance, as all the best people of North Carolina have belong to the Democratic party. If he is satisfied, we are. But he is mistaken if he believes any considerable number of Alliancemen will follow him into his new party. Speaking for Wilson Democratic Alliancemen alone, we believe we can safely assure the Colonel that they are not "with him."

Ten years from now Col. Polk will be only a memory—a memory of the has been.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Hill Men Dying Hard—Cleveland's Chances Brightening—What Prominent Men say of the Situation—Mr. Julius S. Carr at the Metropolitan—What Hon. John S. Hendarson Says—The River and Harbor Bill Discussed—Personals, Etc.

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE.)

WASHINGTON, May 7th, '92.

The air is full of threatenings. The friends of every "favorite son" are busy manufacturing thunder. The most ludicrous of these efforts are those made by despairing Hill men. They are dying hard in Georgia and Virginia, as they have died elsewhere except a counterfeit of living in the candidate's own State. To-day the sturdy advocates of tarift reform are greatly elated at the action of the Michigan and Wisconsin conventions. They regard Mr. Cleveland's chances as the best of any and many of them will admit of no doubt of his triumphant nomination by two-thirds vote. It will not be necessary to repeal it and substitute for it the more strickly Democratic majority principle. Col. O'Ferrall said to your correspondent this afternoon: "Yes. Virginia will be for Cleveland; my own county is strong and my section of the State, with others, is heartily for his nomination. It seems to me nothing can prevent his nomination unless he chooses to withdraw, of which I have no information, if he cherishes such intention. If he is our candidate we will win." Said another gentleman well posted in national politics: "The Presidential campaign of 1892 will be like that of 1888, between Cleveland and Harrison." The action of the Illinois convention has greatly strengthened the latter's chances for renomination. Some Democrats prefer Harrison to any other man, for they think he has weakened himself, while Cleveland has gained in the Northwest and really is no weaker in New York. In the last named State the party is perhaps stronger—certainly with Harrison as the Republican nominee. This Democratic strength will benefit Cleveland if he runs again.

The Post of this morning says: "The millionaire tobacco manufacturer, Mr. Julius S. Carr, whose famous brand of the fragrant weed has carried the name of the town of Durham, in the Old North State, far and wide, is a guest of the Metropolitan. Mr. Carr is a modest, unassuming gentleman, not yet fifty, who was born and reared within a few miles of where he has built up his immense business. He is prominently spoken of as a candidate for governor, but will make no aggressive fight for the nomination. A gentleman who knows him, well said: 'Julius Carr has made his millions in open trade and by the most honorable methods, and, unlike most modern rich men, has not sought to increase his already ample fortune by going into trusts or seeking a monopoly of the trade. Besides, he is a man of great liberality, giving freely to the church, and also aiding deserving young men of limited means. He is a man of splendid business ability, and would make a first-class governor.'" I cordially favor his candidacy after Governor Holt has received the re-election which he has so richly earned. Next month. Mr. Carr's eldest daughter, Miss Lida, sails for Europe on an extended trip.

Hon. John S. Henderson says: "I have no doubt that North Carolina will go Democratic next fall by a larger majority than was given to Cleveland four years ago. It is true that the third party papers in the State have appealed to the Alliance men to turn out and capture the Democratic primaries. It is their avowed purpose to endeavor to control the State convention and send delegates to the Chicago convention who will be instructed to demand the insertion of the recent St. Louis third party platform in the National Democratic platform, and in case this is refused, to withdraw from the convention and attend the gathering in Omaha in July. This is so absurd," continued Mr. Henderson, "that no one takes any stock in it, and all the primaries which have been held up to this time are straight Democratic."

"Then you believe the State convention will be out-and-out Democratic?"

"I do; most assuredly. There may be a sprinkling of Third party people here and there, but the large majority will be Democratic."

"What is the Presidential feeling in North Carolina."

"There is considerable dissatisfaction with Mr. Cleveland, but there is also objection to Mr. Hill. There is no formulated sentiment in the State, and the delegates will go to Chicago uninstructed."

The River and Harbor bill is now under discussion but nothing of local importance to North Carolina has yet been decided on. As soon as the figures for our State have been definitely determined, I will send them to you. This is a matter about which correct guess-work is impossible, as the original amounts are generally increased by Senator Ransom before final action is taken.

ANOTHER LETTER.

Senator Vance Arrives—Rumors of his Illness Exaggerated—Mrs. Vance tells of Ezekiel's Confederate Soldier—Senator Ransom Has Already Added About $150,000 to River and Harbor Bill and Will Add More—Senator Barbour's Death—Tourgee's Lecture—Tom Reed Introduces the Quondam Tarheel Judge—Republican Conference—Mr. Henderson's Post Office Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 15th, 1892.

I am just from Senator Vance's, where I found the rumors of his illness had been greatly exaggerated. He arrived this morning and will be all right in a few days. Dr. Mack Hayes, who has been appointed assistant in Dr. Hammond's Sanitarium on account of his skill in nervous diseases, says there is nothing serious in facial paralysis. Senator Vance caught cold from working too long in his garden at Gombroon when the ground was damp. This was followed by an attack of lumbago, which was more painful than serious and which Mrs. Vance, who is a first-class nurse and amuteur physician, will cure. He acted wisely in coming here at once.

Mrs. Vance has received from a famous sculptor in Rome a copy of her hand and wrist which is remarkable for its symmetry and beauty. It is in pure, white marble and is very beautiful. The marble bust of herself which was executed by Ezekiel has not yet arrived, but is expected soon. By the way, this Ezekiel is a Virginian by birth and by his own merit has forged to the front in Rome. I am told by a tourist that his studio is one of the most popular as well as one of the most artistic in that ancient city, and that among his best finished statues is one of a confederate soldier, done in white marble. The figure is clad in the regulation full dress uniform and stands leaning on his gun. In this memorial month of May, it may be of interest to some of our memorial associations to call their attention to this fine statue. I presume it could be bought at a moderate price, especially as Ezekiel is a Southerner by birth and education. Mrs. Vance also saw the statue when she was in Rome and she tells me it is a masterpiece. I wish some of the towns in our State could secure it for a Confederate Cemetery.

Senator Ransom has, as usual, been at work on the River and Harbor bill. He has secured already from the Senate Committee on Commerce a favorable report for an increase of $100,000 for the Cape Fear River, an increase of $35,000 for Roanoke River, and $10,000 for Black River. The bill may receive other alterations before it finally becomes a law and Senator Ransom is determined to get all he can for North Carolina Rivers and Harbors. I may be able to send you the final figures next week.

This city especially mourns the death of Senator John S. Barbour, of Virginia, which occurred at his residence in this city early Saturday morning. The cause of his death was heart failure. He was among the ablest of Southern Senators, and was a man of vast influence. His funeral will take place in the Senate Chamber Monday afternoon. Tuesday he will be buried at Poplar Grove, Maryland, where Mrs. Barbour was buried about six years ago. He was active in all matters pertaining to the material progress of his section and was for years identified with the interests of the Richmond & Danville R. R. He was born in 1820, in Culpepper county, Va., and has been in public life since 1842. He was elected to a seat in the House of the Forty-seventh Congress, served in that body until he defeated Riddleberger for the Senate in 1889. His place will be hard to fill. Telegrams of condolence have been received from all sections of the country. One is from Capt A. B. Adrews who doubtless knew the sterling worth and fine executive ability of the dead Senator better than the majority of our people did. A long dispatch has also been received from Mr. Cleveland, who, although he did not always agree with Senator Barbour as to methods in politics, was still his warm friend and admirer. Hon. John S. Henderson has been designated as one of the Congressional escorts to attend the interment at Poplar Grove, Maryland.

Judge Albion W. Tourgee has gone into the lecture field. We all know him too well in North Carolina to waste compliments on him. The effects of his disappointment at not being able to ride rough-shod over our people, his failure to get the highest honors we had to confer by negro votes, and to play the high and mighty carpet-bagger's role without a protest from his betters, are not so soon fogotten as to enable us to read the following announcement without a sarcastic smile:

"Albion W. Tourgee, who is well known as the author of 'A Fool's Errand,' and other works, will lecture at the Church of Our Father, on Tuesday evening next, on 'The American Problem.' Col. Tourgee is a vigorous and forcible writer, a deep thinker, and an impressive speaker. What he says will be well worth listening to. Ex-Speaker Reed will preside and introduce the lecturer."

Tourgee speaks and Reed introduces him! Par nobile fratum. I wonder if they will mention the Force bill as one of the methods of solving "The American Problem!" It would be eminently appropriate.

There was a conference of North Carolina Republican magnates of the Eaves persuasion here last week. Their main object was to investigate the Presidential outlook, to see whether Harrison or Blaine or Sherman or Alger, or some dark horse would win. After they had settled as best they could they went after the scalps of some of Dr. Mott's postmasters and revenue officials. Their labors in this last direction have not yet been rewarded with success but it takes time to cause removals and something in this line may yet transpire. Things are uncertain however, and competition so active between Presidential aspirants and their friends that I think few minor changes will be made until after November. The Republicans have been congratulating themselves very heartily over the alleged Third Party movement in North Carolina, but the complexion of last week's primaries have dampened their ardor somewhat.

Hon. John S. Henderson has been authorized by the House Committee on Post Office and Post Roads to report the fractional note bill, which authorizes the Postmaster-General to issue fractional notes in the sum of $1 and fractions thereof, to be furnished to postmasters throughout the country at their face value, payable to bearer at any post office in the United States, at any time within six months from issue, after which the note is to be cancelled. If not redeemed within the time mentioned, the holder may obtain the amount of the note by forwarding it to the Postmaster-General for payment. The committee also authorized Mr. Putterson, of Ohio, to report to the House a bill appropriating $100,000 for and experimental free mail delivery system in the rural districts of the United States. The Postmaster-General is authorized and directed to apply the system to all rural districts throughout the country.

SARATOGA SAYINGS.

As Our Live Correspondent Gathered Them for Printing

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE.)

May 17th, 1892.

Mr J E Cobb, of Edgecombe was in town a few days ago.

Mrs Martha Mayo, of Farmville, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Mamie Moore is teaching at Hopewell Academy, near Moyton.

Miss Mary Mercer has been spending several days with friends near Moyton.

Quite a crowd of our people were in Wilson last Wednesday attending the races.

Miss Ida Wiggins was in Wilson last week visiting her sister, Mrs J F Farmer.

Mr W R O'Berry left this morning for Raleigh to attend the State Democratic Convention.

Mrs J B Farmer, who has been quite sick for the past several days, is much better we are glad to note.

Dr J J Peacock returned home last evening from Eureka, where he had been attending the funeral of Mr Fred Becton.

Elder A. A. Tyson filled his pulpit in the Free Will Baptist church Sunday and preached a very strong and impressive sermon.

Our good friend, Mr Hymerick Walston, who resides near town, came in last evening looking very happy and said, with a smile hovering around his handsome mouth, "it makes seven boys."

Messrs J S Thigpen and Wiley R Jones, our champion fishermen, tried their luck at Mr W W Farmer's mill pond near Elm City one night last week. They returned with the information that they set about 75 or 100 nets and caught right smart. Truly they got "fisherman's luck."

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OUR COL. BRUTON.

He Distinguishes Himself by His Masterly Address.

Wednesday night of last week, in the Opera House in Wilmington, Col. Jno. F. Bruton, an honored citizen of this place, Grand Master of the I. O. O. F., delivered the annual address. We are sure it was worthy his brilliant intellect, and reflected glorious lustre upon the high position he so worthily filled. The Wilmington papers speak in terms of highest praise of his magnificent effort. The Star says:

"Grand Master John F. Bruton, then delivered his address. * * * The address was one of rare beauty and eloquence, showing research and profound learning, and we only regret that space will not permit us to publish it."

The Messenger says:

"Rev. Dr. F. W. E. Peschau then feelingly and appropriately welcomed the local lodges here and also the Grand Lodge, after which he introduced the speaker of the evening, Grand Master John F. Bruton, who began his superb address, by first paying a high tribute to the city of Wilmington, as the great gateway of North Carolina's commercial interests. Then followed glowing tributes to the beauty and refinement of Wilmington's ever adorable ladies, and her manly men.

"After the eulogistic introduction, he read from manuscript a succinct sketch of the history of Cape Fear Lodge, both as to its lodge life and its labors of love and the buildings it had secured or erected.

"On May 13th, 1842, Cape Fear Lodge was first organized by a small handful of men, all of whom are resting in their graves. Now Cape Fear Lodge has grown to be a power, and two other living, vigorous and successful lodges are in existence, and instead of the small handful of men, the lodges number respectively:

"Cape Fear Lodge, 176 members.
"Orion " 123 "
"Wilmington " 133 "
"Grand total of members, 431.

"He the paid a glowing tribute to the dead in her history, finishing the eloquent eulogy with tender references to Messrs. W. L. Smith, Geo. H. Kelley, and E. J. Moore, the latter of whom, just a year ago last night it will be remembered, died in his chair at the lodge room.

"He next made most complimentary and most highly deserved reference to the three oldest living members of Cape Fear Lodge, Messrs. R. J. Jones, A. J. Yopp, and F. V. B. Yopp.

"These well-bestowed words of honor, kindness and praise, were heartily and very generally applauded by the immense throng present, thus giving double force and double emphasis to the eloquent tributes paid these worthy gentlemen, who are certainly among the very best, noblest and staunchest citizens of Wilmington. He then reviewed the changes the lodge had undergone from its first meeting place up above where Messrs. Mitchell's flour and feed store now is, to the elegant property it now owns; of how it helped the schools in the past and did many another noble thing.

"We must admit Cape Fear Lodge has had a checkered but also grand and successful history.

"After the war it was resuscitated or recognized by five members, who helped to bring about a new era of prosperity and from that day on, Odd Fellowship in Wilmington has flourished. A glance was cast at the order's growth in North Carolina, where it numbers lodges, 87; members, 3,668. Warming up to his subject he sought to answer the question, "What is Odd Fellowship?" in which he very adroitly, ably and admirably answered by explaining the order's principles of friendship, love and truth.

"By apt illustrations, in oftimes eloquent words, and oftimes in full oratorical power he explained the true position and true characteristics of Odd Fellowship.

"One of the grandest things done by Cape Fear Lodge, was the inauguration four years ago of a movement to found the Orphans' Home, now in successful operation in Goldsboro.

"He then related the charming story of the Southern Cross and its changes, in the midnight hour, when day draws near, and how this branch of the order's work was seeing and feeling more and more the coming day's power and help.

"With touching tenderness, too, he portrayed the story of the maid's dispute about the most beautiful hand, when the one washed hers in the limpid waters of a crystal stream, another plucked the strawberries till fingertips were pinkish and the last gleaned the violets blue until her loving hand had the same hue, but when an angel disguised asked alms, another and a stranger helped, and to her the angel gave, when resplendent with Divine light he addressed them, the victory and the hour, and so would God honor and bless the Order more for her work for the Orphans.

"Sketching the Order's history more he stated that it had grown to a membership in the United States of 649,702; in England and elsewhere, 673,073; a grand total 1,322, 775.

"It had raised for last year's benevolence, $54,000,000, and the total amount spent for relief reached the enormous sum of $2,917,688.13.

"Thus grandly did he depict the noble history and the noble work of this noble order that surrounds the earth, and is growing with a rapidity that is surprising and indicative of its greatness.

"The address was greatly enjoyed by the vast audience, and we really regret that we cannot print it in full, but hope this full and copious extract may give a faint idea of the masterly effort of the Grand Master."

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YE OLDEN TIME.

"A Feast of Reason and a Flow of Wit" in Our Court House, Among the Legal Brethrens that carried the Older Heads of the Audience Back to the days of McRae, Washington, Dortch and Strong, of ye Olden Times.

The case that attracted most attention during the term of our Superior Court which has just expired, was that of Roberts & Hoge vs. Fuchtler & Kern et al. In this case the public were treated to as fine a display of legal skill, forensic eloquence and judicial patience, learning, clearness and fairness as it has been our pleasure to see in a long while. The plaintiffs were represented by Mr. F. A. Woodard, of the Wilson bar, and Messrs Robinson and Munroe of this bar, and the defendants were represented by Mr. Zollicoffer of Henderson bar, and Messrs. Aycock & Daniels, Faircloth, Allen & Dorth and I. F. Dortch of this bar. Thursday evening, after all the challenges on both sides had been exhausted, the following gentlemen were selected as the jury, to wit: Ashley Creech, C. B. Hicks, R. L. Scott, J. H. Sanders, David McKinnie, D. W. Parks, Zach Hinnant, W. B. Vail, W. R. Fail, J. W. Edwards, Simon Gray and Needham Lewis, (col.)

The evidence was concluded Friday morning and the case was opened for the defendants by Mr. W. R. Allen, who, with that clear, intelligible, forceful and persuasive manner, which always characterizes his speeches, laid before the court and jury the defendants' reasons, both of law and fact, for asking a verdict at their hands. Mr. Allen was followed by Mr. F. A. Woodard for the plaintiffs, who, in a speech of about two hours in length, of great power, burning with eloquence and weighted with strong logical argument, clear, lucid and convincing, laid before the court and jury the plaintiffs' whole case.

Mr. Woodard was followed by Mr. I. F. Dortch, who, in that clear, forceful and telling manner for which he is so well known and admired, replied to the speech of Mr. Woodard.

Mr. Dorth was followed by Mr. Munroe for the plaintiffs, who from the opening to the close of his argument held the jury, the bar, and the large audience of our most prominent citizens in unkroken and interested attention; his presentation of the facts—though already gone over by counsel preceding him—was clothed with new interest under the touch of his masterly genius, while his readings of the law from different decisions of the Supreme Court of our own and other States, bearing on the case at issue, proved him to be a man of tireless research, deep learning, and discriminating mind.

Mr. Munroe was followed by Mr. F. A. Daniels for the defendants, who, in a speech of about two hours in length, bristling with dry humor, hard, logical reason, earnest and pathetic appeals, and, withal, clothed in such superb English that it might well serve as a model for the masters, almost persuaded the jury.

Mr. Daniels was followed by Mr. W. S. O'B. Robinson, whose speech was a masterly exhibition of Irish wit, bitter scorn and genuine oratory; the case was such a one as gave free play to the great powers of Mr. Robinson before a jury, and his genius was seldom if ever displayed to greater advantage than on this occasion.

Mr. Robinson was followed by Mr. Aycock, who made the last and closing speech for the defendants. In this speech was crowded as much of consummate skill, learnset entreaty, strong reasoning and fiery, beaming eloquence, as well could be gotten into a speech of an hour's length.

The Judge's charge was illumined by that strong and steady light, under which nothing in point, either great or small, can be obscured, and couched in such a clear and lucid style that it could not be misapprehended by anyone. The jury gave 'patient and careful attention to the speeches of counsel, after staying out all night, came in Saturday morning with a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs. The defendants appealed.—Goldsboro Argus, April 28th.

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FROM BERTIE COUNTY.

Hon. M. L. Wood, of Bertie, Endorsed for Congress.

(SPECIAL COR. THE ADVANCE.)

WINDSOR, N. C., May 12th, '92.

EDITOR ADVANCE:—The Democratic Convention of Bertie county met in the Court House in Windsor on yesterday for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention and also to the 2nd. Congressional District Convention (when called.)

Hon. M. L. Wood was endorsed from the 2nd. Congressional District. Mr. Wood, if nominated, would make a virorous fight, so thorough would be his canvass. Mr. Wood is the present Representative from Bertie, which office he has held with honor to himself and credit to his county. His election to the Legislature in November, '88, was by a most overwhelming majority, and in fact he polled the largest vote that has been cast for any Democratic candidate for that office since the war.

Mr. Wood entered the Confederate army when a boy of only sixteen and fought for four long years during which time his deportment was marked by his gallantry and bravery as a true soldier till Lee sheathed his sword at Appomattox. Leaving the army he came home to make his start in life; read law, but preferring to live a quiet life on the farm, abandoned the idea of becoming a member of the legal profession and has since then devoted himself to the agricultural pursuits.

He has been elected President of the County Farmers' Alliance several terms in succession which office he holds at present. And was sent from North Carolina to the Ocala Convention. As some might fear that his connection with the above order might in some respects have caused him to swerve from the principles of Democracy, I would here state that he is a true, loyal Democrat in all that the word implies.

If nominated he would poll the full strength of the Alliance and the entire vote of the non-Alliance.

The Democrats of Bertie believe that the Congressional honors should fall on them at our next Congressional Convention, but we are willing to sacrifice all county preference for the strongest man let him come from what county he may, but we do believe that the nomination of Mr. Wood at this juncture would be wise politics.

Let us have the Hon. M. L. Wood as our Congressional standard bearer and we entertain strong hope of a triumphant victory in November next.

As a true Democrat and Allianceman, I subscribe myself

W. R. JOHNSON.

As to The Judges.

From the last two volumes of the Supreme Court Reports (108 and 109) is compiled the following statement, showing how many appeals there were from each of our Superior Court Judges, how many of their decisions were affirmed, and what per cent:

Judges.	Appeals.	Affirmed.	Per cent.
Connor	11	8	72
Womack	16	11	68
Hoke	15	10	66
Graves	20	17	65
Brown	14	9	64
Merrimon	16	10	62
Philips	10	6	60
Boykin	43	25	58
Armfield	27	15	55
Whitaker	23	12	52
McIver	6	3	50
Bynum	33	15	45
Winston	14	6	42
MacRae	27	11	40
Bryan	11	4	36

There were only one or two appeals each from the other judges. Judges McCorkle was affirmed in all appeals during his term of office for a few months in the fall of 1890.—Chatham Record.

[As usual, we can't help repeating in a tone of proud proprietorship, our Judge Connor heads the list—ED.]

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NOTICE!

At a meeting of the Wilson Tobacco Board of Trade held after sales at Wilson Tobacco warehouse, wednesday, May 18th, 1892, after a full and free expression of opinion, it was decided that the public sales of tobacco will be suspended on and after June 1st, until the 1st day of August, 1892, and make the annoucement that those having tobacco and desirous of selling in this market may dispose of it between now and June 1st.

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The entertainment at the Town Hall Monday night was a pronounced success. A large and appreciative audience greeted Mr. Henry Blount, of the Wilson Mirror and to say they were charmed with his personation of character would feebly express it. He gave us three recitations, in which he had to personate a dozen different characters, and his mimicry was perfect. Comedy, low comedy and witticisms of the best minstrel actors in the land were rendered in a manner that reflected the highest order of talent. The entire house was convulsed with laughter through almost the whole performance.—Washington Gazette.

Of Bro. Blount's oration on Tuesday the Gazette says:

"Rev. W. S. Davis in a few chaste and well timed remarks introduced the the speaker, Mr. Henry Blount, of Wilson. He spoke for an hour, and the large audience was held spellbound from beginning to end. We cannot find words to do this oration justice. The entire oration was replete with patriotic sentiment, pathetic incident, and beautiful thoughts said in words of impressive eloquence. It was a rhetorical bouquet, whose every petal glistened with sparkling dew-drops. The hearts of all were touched; tears trickled down the cheeks of youth and veterans alike. Mr. Blount has made an impression upon the hearts of us all that time can never obliterate. Numerous and exquisite bouquets were presented him."

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I believe Ely's Cream Balm is the best article for catarrh ever offered the public.—Bush & Co., Druggist, Worcester, Mass.

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How can we best secure the attendance of adults in Sunday School—C. D. Whitley.

Are Sunday Schools being worked to their full capacity in accomplishing good.—C. E. Brame.

Essay on Sunday Schools—Miss Helen Whitley.

What shall be the future of our Sunday Schools—F. F. Eure.

Essay on Sunday Schools—Miss Emma Deans.

Why I am a Sunday School worker—H. F. Freeman.

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NOTICE!

Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testiment of Arnold Nichols, deceased, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them for payment to me or my attorneys on or before the 7th day of April, 1893, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery, and those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment.

GASTON NICHOLS,
Executor of Arnold Nichols.
WOODARD & YARBOROUGH,
Attorneys.
Wilson, April 2nd, 1892. 4-7-6t

NOTICE!

The Justices of the Peace of Wilson county are notified to appear at the Court House door in Wilson on the 1st Monday in June, next, for the purpose of levying the county taxes, electing a Board of County Commissioners, and a Superintendent of Public Instruction for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

S. M. WARREN,
Clerk of Board Com.

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