## THE WILSON ADVANCE: FEBRUARY 18, 1897.

Oyster Roast. The three war houses, Planters, Center Brick and Woodards', gave a delightful oyster roast to the tobacco buyers and their clerks on Friday night. We are sure our warehousemen appreciate the clever corps of buyers upon our market. That all hands did justice to the festive oyster goes without saying.

Protracted Meeting.

A meeting is now in progress at the Christian church, corner of Vance and Goldsboro streets, being conducted by Rev. D. H. Petree, of was in the city Monday. Kinston. Mr: Davis, the pastor of the chuch at this place, is assisting him and they will attempt to show mankind the error of their ways. All who can do so should go out to these services. They were begun Monday night and will last a week or two.

### The Tea Monday Night.

The Hyacinth Tea under the auspices of St Timothy's Guild, at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Boykin cn Monday night was an artistic as well Contentn a Lodge No. 87, K. of as a financial success.

meets to-night in Odd Fellow's Mr. Wilson and Mesdames Rountree and Watson sang charmingly. Mrs. Watson's Valentine song was a very happy hit. Recitations by Mrs. on will hold their convention in Wil-W. P. Anderson, Miss Faucette, of Durham, and Miss Barham were a Two carloads of convicts from the rare treat which the guests highly enitentiary passed through Friday enjoyed. in their way to the State farms in

The Guild expressed much appreciation of the cordial response to

PERSONAL MENTION. Mr. W. L. Banks spent Sunday in

Whitakers,

Tarboro.

Misses Eva and Hettie Farmer are visiting in Oxford.

Mr. Wm. Porter, of Tarboro, was in Wilson Saturday.

Mr. Geo. J. Hales was in the city last week on business.

Mr. J L. Horne, of Rocky Mount,

Mrs. Tom Slocumb, of Goldsboro, was in Wilson Saturday.

Mrs. Tyree, of Ringwood is visiting Mrs. W. P. Simpson.

Mr. Edgar Simpson, of Ringwood, T. D. Gay. was in the city this week.

Mr. Edward Peebles, of Henderson, was in Wilson Sunday.

Mr. W. L. Cantwell went to Henderson Friday on business,

a short while the past week.

Mr. Henry Gilliam went to Rocky Mount Tuesday on business.

Mr. W. P. Rose returned from a short trip to Benson Monday.

Dr. J. K. Ruffin, left yesterday for a short visit to Rocky Mount.

Mr. B. W. Kincaid went to Rocky Mount Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. C. Allen spent a sho t If afficted with scalp diseases, hair their invitation, and trust that the while in Goldsboro Saturday.

Mrs. E. R. Gay and child left Ready for sale. Monday for a visit to friends in Roan oke Rapids, N. C.

Mr. Alex Green left Monday for son's former tobacco buyers, came to see what good smokal les can be the city Saturday.

> Mi. A. S. Copeland, a former resdent of Wilson, now of Kinston, was in Wilson last week.

> been visiting relatives in the city left Monday for her home in Elm City.

Misses Nan Branch and Annie Simpson, who have been visiting at Ringwood, returned home Siturday.

Mrs. Shaw and children, of Wel don, were in Wilson a short while this week visiting her mother, Mrs.

Rev. J. A. Rood and wife and Mrs. J. R. Boykin, who attended the B. Y. P. U. at Raleigh last week returned Friday.

Mr. W. A Finch, our popular Mr. Berry Simpson was in Wilson young lawyer, was out of town Monday attending to professional business in Nashville.

> Mrs. Abel Sydnor, who, has been visiting her father, Dr. Jno. K. Rutfin, left Tuesday for her home in Darlington, S. C.

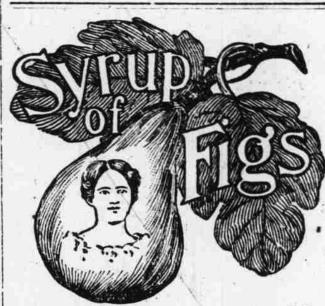
Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Drew, of Huntsville, Ala., came to Wilson Monday. Mrs. Drew was formerly Miss Bettie H. Lee, of this place.

Rev. F. C. Bayliss, left Tuesday the Convocation of Tarboro which is in session at that place this week.

Mr. Rawls has put his cigars on the market, and all users of the weed Mr. G. H. Pegram, one of Wil- should try at least one "Regio" to manufactured at home. The cigar Mr. Raw's is offering to the public contains the very best stock, which, with excellent workmanship makes a cigar that is not excelled by any that Miss Addie Winstead who has sell for a nickle. He has not begun

on a large scale, but if he is successful in placing his goods he will of course increase his force. So far Mr. Rawls has been very successful in disposing of those offered and we trust he will have such a demand that his venture will prove a great success. If you want a good smoke ask the cigar dealers for a "Regio." Perhaps it will suit your taste.

Mr. George Wootten, a former Wilson boy, now holding a position as pharmacist in Hickory came home Tuesday on a visit to his father.



Gladness Comes for Weldon, where he goes to attend With a better understanding of the VV transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts-gentle efforts-pleasant efforts-rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condi-tion of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs. prompt-ly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative. one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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. Our reporter hearing a great commotion a tew mornings ago, as if half the town was on fire, h e l his way to the spot only to find that the noise any the result of-a rabbit chase.

large sale yesterday. Nearly all the available space in their floor was filled. This spring-like weather is fine for those farmers who wish to market the balance of their crops.

A freight was wrecked on the Atlantic Coast Line be w en Dunn and Godwin on Tuesday. No one was hurt. Northbound passenger train No. 78 was delayed two hours on account of the accident.

We were glad to have a call from Mr. R. A. Ellis of Saratoga, on Friday. Mr. Ellis is one of Wilson, county's best farmers and proved that he is loyal to his county paper by leaving two dollars for subscription.

"There is something about Mr. Davidson and his play that is fresh, invigorating and entertaining. In a character that will remain a tradition of the stage. The special scenery was beautiful."-Fredrick (Md) Daily News.

Rev. O. L. Stringfield, special agent of the Baptist Female University, was in Wi'son this week and made an excellent address in the Baptist church Sunday, morning on education. He is at work soliciting contributions to finish the main building of that school which is now nearing completion.

The laundry is closed this week. The sign "No Laundryman" upon the door tells the story. The propriefors hope to have a competent man here soon to take charge, when everything will work smoothly. It is unfortunate that this should happen at the opening as it tends to take away patronage.

dilling out, and premature baldness, public will remember them on all future occasions.

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### A Painful Accident.

Mr. A. M. Ellison happened to a very painful accident on Saturday last while at work in the laundry. Mr. Walker, the manager was cut tives. ot town, so Mr. Ellison in order to deliver the work on hand was feeding the ironing machine. The machine is very heavy and Mr. Ellison in some way pulled the board, which had a large piece of iron attached to Old Farmer Hopkins' he has created it, out too far when it tell, striking him across the toes of his right foot mashing them badly.

While the accident is very painful Mr. Ellison is able to be out. We trust he may soon recover from the hurt.

Our country people are making preparations for the 1897 crop, consequently very few of them are seen on our streets during the week, yet most of them manage to come in on Saturday to transact their business. A good deal of fertilizer is being sold. A tew years ago a quantity of meat

Miss Hattie Howe, of Black Creek, is in the city visiting relatives.

Mr. Charlie Gold left Saturday for Coneto. He returned Sunday.

Mr. Sam Worthington, of Rocky Mount, was in the city last week.

Mr. J. C. Hales spent a short while in Rocky Mount last week.

Misses Mary and Kathe Hines left yesterday for a visit to Greenville.

Miss Mattie Moye Faucette, of Durham, is visiting Miss Ell Green. Saturday for a visit to Courdand, Va. Mr. Henry Hart, of Rocky Mount was in the city Thursday on busi-

Mr. J. A. Crews, representative of the Messenger, was in Wilson last week.

Mr. W. P. Rose and wife left for Rocky Mount, Tuesday to visit rela-

Mrs. H. W. Stanley and child, of Norfolk are in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. C. Batts, of Norfolk, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. M. E. Royall.

Dr. Person came from Raleigh Saturday to spend Sunday with his family here.

Mr. Chas. Wootten of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his father Mr. W. P. Wootten.

Mr. J. B. Piver and wife left Tuesday for a visit to relatives in Washington, N. C.

Mr. G. S. Túcker, who has been here some days looking after his furniture store, left Saturday for Raleigh.



Messrs. T J. Hadley, Geo. D. Green, and W. Daniel went to Raleigh Tuesday as a committee to appear before the Legislature on yesterday to protest against changing the charter of Wilson.

Messrs. Woodard & Finch, Attorneys at Law, have dissolved copartnership. Both gentlemen are now in business by themselves, Mr. Finch occupying the old office. Mr. Finch Mr. W. C. Allen and little boy left is one of the youngest lawyers of the Wilson bar. He has been in Wilson about a year, yet he has made many friends in this and adjoining counties, who will look forward with pleasure to the success he deserves in his call-

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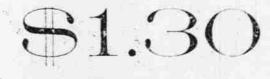
The play of "Old Farmer Hopkins" is as pure as a breath of mountain air Not a single objectionable feature can be found; throughout the performance. Here is a play to which you The date is Tuesday night Feb. 23. Fig Syrup Company.

could also be seen going out into the country at this time. The small amount which is now hauled is noticeable and shows that our farmer friends realize the importance of raising their provisions at home.

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