The Graham Record

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1898.

LOCAL RECORDS.

—Unless Spain surrends to Cuba war may begin this week.

—The place to buy a nice nobby suit of clothes isof Freeman & Holden, they have an elegant stock.

—Tell your neighbor to subscribe at once for the Record, if he wishes to read all the latest news about the war with Spain.

—Mrs. Horne is busy planning beautiful and stylish hats at Freeman & Holden's. She will be pleased to wait on her friends.

—One of the most attractive places in Pittsboro is the fruit and confectionery store of John L. Council, agent. Call on him.

—A telephone line is being put up between Gulf and Cumnock, which will be quite a convenience to the citizens of those places.

—We much regret to hear of the death of Mrs. O. M. Burnett, of Gulf township. She was a noble wife and mother, and was beloved by all who knew her.

—At last we are having real spring weather, and vegetation of all kinds is rapidly growing and the farmers are busy as bees planting their crops.

—We are requested to announce that the students of the normal school at this place will give an exhibition at the church on next Friday (tomorrow) night.

—We would call attention to the appeal of the ladies [illegible] in behalf of our boys in the Spanish war [illegible] in their messages. [illegible] have any send them there.

—Dr. [illegible] may be found daily in his new office in the residence opposite [illegible] of dental work, [illegible] but terms must be understood before work is done.

—At the celebration of Mr. [illegible] birthday, several of our [illegible] gave oysters and [illegible] and pumpkin pie [illegible] use of the prisoners under his charge.

—A colored man, named William Anderson, died very suddenly in this place last Saturday night. He had been working as usual during the day, and, after supper, while sitting down talking he dropped from his chair dead.

—The following [illegible] have been drawn as jurors for the next term of the federal court, that meets at Raleigh on the first Monday in May: Robert Whitlock, J. George Hannah, John H. Milliken, William F. Kirkpatrick, Allen T. Lassiter.

—It does not look nice and difference how fine a hat it is if it is trimmed in style and with taste it will never look well. You can have your hats trimmed in the Popular store of W. L. London & Son by a trained milliner who has visited the Northern markets and learned all the latest fads. Come and see for yourselves.

—They will furnish you the latest styles of ready made clothing at the Popular store of W. L. London & Son. Quality and fit guaranteed. Ask to see their $10.00 suits, their $5.00 suits are equal $10.00 of any one's money. They have the best $2 pants you ever saw. They can dress you from head to foot very cheap.

—A new registration is required for our town election, and hereafter all qualified voters in Pittsboro must register if they wish to vote in our approaching town election. And their last chance to register is next Saturday from 9 to 12 o'clock. So don't forget. This new registration is a "reform" that is entirely unnecessary.

—Do any of our readers remember a Mr. J. L. Williams, who is said to have removed from this section? If so, write to Mr. L. B. Barde, Guthrie, Oklahoma, who desires information about his family, as Mr. Williams committed suicide a few weeks ago at Guthrie, and left considerable property. He was about 38 years old.

—Gov. Russell has commuted to imprisonment for life in the penitentiary the punishment of Peter Cameron, a colored man, who was convicted at the fall term, 1896, of our superior court, of a criminal assault on a colored woman and sentenced to be hanged. The commutation is approved by all who are acquainted with the facts in the case.

—The Raleigh *Post* copied the RECORD's item about the alleged Spanish spies, who passed through here last week, and suggests that they were not Spanish spies but emissaries sent by Otho Wilson (who wishes to be our next Congressman) to discover the weak places in Congressman Strowd's fortifications in this Populist stronghold!

Thursday Brevities.—Bishop Cheshire will preach in the Episcopal church, at this place, on next Sunday morning.

Mr. Anthony Fairmont, a real estate dealer from Scranton, Pennsylvania, was here this week with a view of selling Chatham farms to Northern people.

Miss Angie Bassett, of South Carolina, has [illegible] here to be assistant teacher in the Graham school, Mrs. A. B. Carrington.

Mrs. [illegible] and son of Apex, [illegible] a short visit to her parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. [illegible] at Cedar Falls, [illegible] of Cedar Falls with the Pittsboro.

Mr. [illegible] is visiting Mrs. L. A. Houghton.

[illegible] Mr. Cheek, of Chatham county, [illegible] to Andrews, spent Easter here [illegible] Mr. Cheek is a [illegible] Fidelity [illegible] teaching school.

Dr. K. [illegible] has been absent for several days last week and has practically [illegible] returned from his home in South Carolina on last Thursday. April 16, where he has been for the past weeks with his [illegible] who is ill.

Monday, April 18, all the saloons in Pittsboro will be closed and several of Pittsboro's citizens will go to Fayetteville to spend the day.

The Pittsboro Cornet Band [illegible] will be back, we [illegible] the band [illegible] and [illegible] the band will not be [illegible] proud of it. The old building on the Grand Stand will be removed to the [illegible] of Council & Son's building, and be made into a [illegible] Saturday [illegible] in need of horse medicine.

The members of the band are [illegible] to get dressed out in uniforms in North Carolina and other states. Already they are fitted out in [illegible] hats.

Prof. Wilson lectured before the Epworth League of Earth Post office, on last Tuesday evening, April 5.

Mr. G. O. Strom, from Chatham county, was in town a few days last week on business connected with the Andrews, spent Easter here [illegible] Mr. Strom is a [illegible] Fidelity [illegible] teaching school.

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