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## TWO GOOD CITIZENS DEAD.

Mr. R. L. Henry, of Lilesville, Died Monday Afternoon, and Mr. W. C. Staton, of Burnsville, Passed Away Early Wednesday Morning.

Mr. R. L. Henry died at his home in Lilesville Monday afternoon, aged about 45 years. Mr. Henry had been in failing health for a year or more and his friends have known for some time that his death was only a matter of a few weeks.

Mr. Henry was a native of Lilesville township and had a wide circle of friends, not only in his native township, but throughout the county. For several years he merchandised in the town of Lilesville, but last winter he sold out his business on account of the condition of his health. He was an excellent business man, and his strict honesty in all his dealings won for him the confidence of the business world. He was an unusually kind hearted man and his neighbors always spoke of him in the most affectionate terms. He was a prominent member of the Baptist church for many years, and lived the simple, religious life of the honest, upright citizen. He is survived by his wife. He never had any children of his own, but he and his wife raised two orphan children.

The interment took place at the family burying ground, one mile east of Lilesville, yesterday afternoon.

## MR. W. C. STATON.

Last Friday afternoon, while Mr. W. C. Staton was chopping stove wood, at his home in Burnsville township, he accidentally cut one of his feet. The wound, while painful, was not considered serious and Mr. Staton went to Polkton and had the cut dressed by Dr. L. C. Smith. Sunday night symptoms of blood poison set in and from that time his condition grew gradually worse until his death.

Mr. Staton was a native of Burnsville township, and was about 67 years of age. He was a brave soldier in the war between the States, and after that great struggle ended, he returned home and entered upon the pursuits of peace in the same conscientious manner in which he had served his country in times of war. About 30 years ago Mr. Staton married Roxanna Huntley, daughter of the late W. Henry Huntley, of this township, who survive him, as do also the following children: Mrs. J. J. Medley of Wadesboro township, Mrs. A. P. Mills of Ansonville township, Mrs. M. A. Dumas of Palatka, Fla., Mrs. T. W. Summersett of Salisbury, Misses Cassie and Anna Staton; Messrs. J. B. and Heney Staton of Burnsville township.

Mr. Staton was a brother of Mrs. Lou Crump, of Polkton, whose death occurred just 18 hours previous to his own.

The burial took place at Brown Creek church this morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. A. Caudle, pastor of the deceased, conducting the exercises.

## Delegates Appointed to State Farmers Association.

The Anson branch of the Southern Cotton Association met in the court house Saturday and appointed delegates to the meeting of the State Association, to be held in Raleigh next Wednesday, as follows:

Wadesboro Township—J. M. Flake, T. J. Watkins, S. J. Haire.

Lilesville—J. T. Porter, A. J. Dabbs.

Morven—J. L. Pratt, T. W. Morrison.

Gulledge—Peter Jones, E. L. Huntley.

White Store—B. T. Barrett, Eugene Redfean.

Lanesboro—C. F. Bennett, H. M. Beachum.

Burnsville—G. P. Hendley, T. E. Monroe.

Ansonville—J. T. Gaddy, A. P. Mills.

At Large—Dr. W. J. McLendon and J. Coit Redfean, president and secretary, respectively, of the Anson branch.

## Justice of the Peace Ticket Completed.

At the recent Democratic primary only two candidates for Justice of the Peace were nominated for Wadesboro township. The township is entitled to four Justices and the ticket has been completed by the county executive committee by adding thereto the names of Messrs. J. A. Little and John Lowe.

Many men give lavishly of gold, To build briars and castles and towers of old;

If you want everlasting fame, a benefactor be;

Give the poor and needy Rocky Mountain Tea

Parsons Drug Co.

## NEW BANK BUILDING.

The First National Bank Contracts With Mr. E. Coke Ingram for the Erection of one of the Handsomest Bank Buildings in the State.

The First National Bank has closed a contract with Mr. E. Coke Ingram, the well known builder of fine houses, for the erection of a handsome structure on the lot belonging to the bank, located on West Wade street, between the present quarters of the bank and the J. W. Mills building. The building will be three stories high, 28 feet wide and 88 feet deep.

The plans, which were prepared by Hook & Sawyer, architects of Charlotte, call for a building that would be a credit to a city of 30,000 inhabitants. The front of the building is to be constructed of Mt. Airy granite with ornamental trimmings. On the first floor will be located the quarters of the bank. This floor will be divided into a lobby, in which will be a large open fire place, and rooms for the president, cashier and directors of the institution. The floor of the lobby will be laid with tiling and the baseboards will be of marble, and it is the intention of the officials of the bank to spare no expense in making this room both attractive and comfortable for the patrons of the bank.

The second and third stories of the building will be fitted up in handsome style for office rooms, of which there will be ten or more.

It is the intention of Mr. Ingram to commence work at once on the building and he hopes to have it completed by next March. When completed, the building will be one of the handsomest structures between Charlotte and Wilmington.

## Hon. Robt. N. Page to Make Three Speeches in Anson.

Hon. Robt. N. Page, Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, has appointments to speak in Anson as follows:

Lilesville, Saturday Oct. 27th, at 2 p. m.

Wadesboro, Saturday, Oct. 27th., at night.

Morven, Monday, Oct. 29th., at 2 p. m.

Mr. Page has already represented this district in Congress two terms and has made a most acceptable member to his constituents. He is a strong and interesting speaker and it is hoped that he will be heard by large crowds at these appointments.

## Winston-Salem Southbound Notes.

Mr. F. B. Hendrick, has been appointed, by the authorities of the Southbound railroad, engineer in charge of the work on the road between Rocky river and Brown creek, with headquarters at Ansonville. Mr. Hendricks has been connected with the engineering force of the railroad from the commencement of the surveys. A resident engineer for the work in and around Wadesboro will be appointed in a few days.

Chief Engineer Cornell is now on the line of the road arranging all details as to the rights of way etc., that have not yet been settled, and it is expected that the active work of grading will be commenced in a short time.

## Miss Georgia Ray McMillan to be Here.

Wadesboro will have another opportunity to hear Miss Georgia Ray McMillan give one of her popular readings, on Friday night, at Pee Dee Institute. She has had better opportunities for study since she appeared in Wadesboro, and has many new productions. Her specialties are child impersonation and negro dialect. She comes under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. Tickets on sale at Parsons Drug Store. Adults, 35 and 25 cts, children, 15 cts.

## Speaking at Peachland.

Hon. Roland H. Hayes, of Pittsboro, will speak at Peachland Saturday, the 27th inst. Mr. Hayes is an eloquent speaker and those who hear him will be entertained and interested.

## Card of Thanks.

We sincerely thank our thousands of friends for their early calls and purchases this fall. Our store is usually always busy with the wise buyers. Our suits and overcoats are going like Hot Cakes. We are underselling all others.

## THE BIG CLOTHING STORE.

Quincy, Sprains and Swellings Cured. "In November, 1906 I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right," says Mrs. L. Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a merit and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings. For sale by Parsons Drug Co.

## SENATOR OVERMAN SPEAKS

North Carolina's Junior Senator Presents the Democratic Argument in an Eloquent and Convincing Manner.

Hon. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, our Junior United States Senator, spoke in the court house here Tuesday at noon. The speech was a splendid presentation of Democratic principles and a scathing denunciation of the shortcomings of the Republican party, the party of the trusts and the self rich, who have attained enormous wealth on account of special privileges accorded them in return for campaign contributions.

The farmers are very busy and poor as large a crowd heard the Senator as would have conditions been otherwise. However those who were present had the pleasure of hearing one of the clearest and most convincing political arguments that has been delivered in Wadesboro in a long time. The Senator's presentation of the tariff and trust issues was particularly strong, as was also his arraignment of the Republican party for enacting, and refusing to modify the laws that made the trusts possible.

Senator Overman was introduced by Mr. Baxter H. Griffin, of Peachland, in a very happy little speech, that was neither too short nor too long.

## WILL JARMAN SERIOUSLY CUT.

Reuben James Uses His Knife on Him Saturday Night—James in Jail in Default of Bond.

Saturday night, in the rear of one of the barnrooms on the east side of Rutherford street, there occurred an altercation between Reuben James, who lives near town on the Camden road, and Will Jarman, of Gulledge township, in which the latter was seriously cut by the former. Both men were drunk and it is probable that the trouble was entirely due to this fact. Jarman, it is said cursed James and James drew his knife and proceeded to use it with all the vigor at his command. Jarman received two severe gashes in the left side and several superficial wounds on the back. His most severe cut however is a deep stab wound in the right thigh.

Jarman was taken to the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Luke Ricketts, where his wounds were dressed. He is doing well and will be able to be out in a few days.

James was arrested and taken before Mayor Little, who committed him to jail, as he could not give the \$200 justified bond required for his appearance at court.

## Negro Badly Hurt at Depot.

A negro, who gave his name as Boggan Ratliff, and who said his home was in Monroe, attempted to board a moving freight train at the depot Monday evening but lost his balance and was thrown partially under the train. The negro was very dangerously injured and it is a wonder he was not killed, as it is his left foot was badly crushed and his skull, perhaps, fractured. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Bennett, after which he was sent, by the railroad, to a hospital in Charlotte for treatment.

## Veterans Rapidly Passing Away.

Since the last annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Anson county, held in Wadesboro Aug. 27th, six veterans of the county have died, namely: Jno. W. Wheliss, Jackson Hubbard, Jno. Carpenter, E. A. Parsons, W. C. Staton and W. J. Brooks. This is a fearful mortality and serves to remind us that it will not be many years until there will be only a few of the heroes of the great conflict between the States left with us.

## House Robbed in Broad Daylight.

Monday morning while Mr. B. K. Threadgill, of Ansonville township, who is a bachelor and lives alone, was in his field picking cotton, some one broke into his home and stole all his wearing apparel. The thief also took off a number of Mr. Threadgill's finest chickens. Ernest Tyson, colored, who has spent a good deal of his time on the chain gang for several years, is strongly suspected of being the guilty party and a lookout is being kept for him.

## Notices of New Advertisements.

Fall trade is opening up in earnest at the Busy Corner.

Beautiful goods are going out in every direction from the store of the Wadesboro Dry Goods Co.

J. F. Ross is advertising a big fall sample sale for 30 days at his store in Ansonville.

Little-Long Co., of Charlotte, call attention to their magnificent display of coats, jackets, furs, dress goods, notions, &c.

## MORGAN GETS VERDICT FOR \$100.

Dr. H. D. Stewart, of Monroe, Had Him Arrested for Refusing to be Vaccinated and After This Suit was Dismissed Mr. Morgan Prosecutes the Doctor for Malicious Prosecution—Other Cases Disposed of in the Superior Court.

An unusually interesting case has just been disposed of in the Superior Court of this county.

The case referred to is the suit of Mr. C. G. Morgan, of Anson, against Dr. H. D. Stewart, superintendent of health of Union county. Mr. Morgan sued Dr. Stewart for malicious prosecution placing his damages at \$10,000.

The facts leading up to the suit are about as follows: Last winter Dr. Stewart visited a school near Waxhaw, Union county, which was being taught by Mr. Morgan, for the purpose of vaccinating the pupils. Mr. Morgan stated to the physician that the parents of the children had instructed him not to allow them to be vaccinated and that he (Mr. Morgan) would not permit them to be vaccinated unless the consent of the parents was first obtained. Dr. Stewart then left the school and subsequently had Mr. Morgan arrested for refusing to be vaccinated himself and refusing to allow the children to be vaccinated.

The case was tried before Esq. M. L. Flow in Monroe and dismissed, after which Dr. Morgan brought suit in this county for damages as above stated.

The case was called for trial here Monday and was given to the jury yesterday morning. Yesterday afternoon the jury brought in a verdict for \$100 damages for Mr. Morgan. Mr. Morgan was represented by Robinson & Caudle, and A. M. Stack, of Monroe, H. H. McLendon, of this place and R. B. Redwine, of Monroe, appeared for Dr. Stewart.

The only other cases so far disposed of were two divorce cases, the parties to both of which are colored.

The case of W. A. Curlee against S. A. Benton, is now being tried. In this case Mr. Curlee is suing Mr. Benton for \$200 for issuing a marriage license, when he was register of deeds, to his daughter, (Mr. Curlee's) when she was under 18 years of age. This case was tried several courts ago, a mistrial resulting because of the inability of the jury to agree upon a verdict.

## IN MEMORY OF JAMES W. RICHARDSON.

James Wall Richardson, fourth son of John S. and Charlotte C. Richardson, died at Wadesboro, N. C., on the morning of July 27th, 1906, after an illness of several weeks. Born June 10th, 1876, he had just entered upon his thirty-first year. On February 14th, 1901, he was married to Miss Mary Elizabeth Smith, of Anson, to whom, by his death, is now confided the care of three infant children.

Such are the facts, simple and quickly told, that depict one of the real tragedies of human life. That it is of common occurrence lessons not its pathos, which falls ever new upon our hearts.

We think of such a life as incomplete. Looking "on the outward appearance" we magnify length of days, great possessions, some signal achievement. But the Judge of all the earth "looketh on the heart." Its attitude toward Him fixes destiny. In his sight and by that philosophy of living which he has revealed, a short life, if true to Him, is more successful, more complete than one covering the entire three score years and ten in which He had no place.

We do not know, we cannot tell How long it takes to work God's will.

To all appearances Jimmie Richardson lived a contented, happy life. He had acquired a good English education in the local schools and by a year spent at the A. & M. College in Raleigh, N. C.

As a young man, he spent no time waiting for something to turn up. Naturally industrious he applied himself to the work he found to do, without repining or coveting what was not to be had. He labored on the farm where he was raised. For four years he filled acceptably the office of cotton weigher of the town of Wadesboro. Afterwards, and until his death, he engaged in merchandising.

The trend of his life was toward that which is good. He was an affectionate son and husband, a pleasant companion, an honest, kind hearted man.

W. L. P.

True and tried friend of the family—De Witt's Little Early Riser. Best for results and best to take. Rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes follow the use of these dependable little pills. They do not gripe or sicken—sold by Parsons Drug Co.

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A wholesome cream of tartar baking powder. Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry.

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OR OUR ANNUAL

## Fall Sample Sale

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**Pound Prints** To start the sale going we have put in 1000 yards Calico 2 1-2c per yard. Come and get what you need of these goods before our supply is exhausted. First come, first served.

**Boys Suits** 100 neat and nobby children and boys' suits, single and double breasted to show you at manufacturers prices—ages 3 to 16 years—prices from 75c to \$6 per suit.

**Ladies Jackets** Our line of ladies Jackets, long Coats, rain Coats, Shawls, Facinators, Skirts, Sweaters, etc., are complete in every detail. We have them in all colors, sizes and lengths.

**Furs and Muffs** We also have a swell line of these goods and are offering them at 10 per cent less than wholesale cost, simply because we are overstocked.

**Gents Furnishings** 500 Mens' Fancy work and Undershirts from 17c to \$1.50. Rain and Covert Coats and Pants to match them from 75c to \$3.50 each. Big line Men's work and dress pants from 37 1-2c to \$4 per pair. Come and see them, they are beauties and are going at a bargain. Also have big lot Suspenders, Overalls, Gloves, Hose, etc., which I can save you 33 1-3 per cent on every dollar you spend with us. So don't delay; come to-day; tomorrow may be too late.

# J. F. ROSS

## ANSONVILLE

### BUSINESS LOCALS

FOR SALE—A No. 1 Ivers & Pond second hand piano in good repair. Apply to H. H. Cox.

NOTICE—Our books are open at Mr. W. A. Lucas store to all who owe us and wish to see to it. T. B. HENRY

STRAYED—A big black hound dog, tan legs left my home 8th Sept. Suitable reward will be paid for information leading to recovery of dog. W. P. GILMORE, Wadesboro, N. C.

For a run easy or helping hand Sewing Machine fully guaranteed at only \$11.50 see F. H. Lilly Furniture Co. Norwood, N. C.

FOR RENT, LEASE OR SALE—The N. G. Jones old home place in Gulledge township. Apply to JOHN W. GULLEDGE.

FOR FURNITURE House-Furnishing goods coffins and caskets at Rock Bottom prices see F. H. Lilly Furniture Co., Norwood, N. C.

For an up to date piano or organ on easy terms see F. H. Lilly Furniture Co. Norwood, N. C.

Wanted—To buy all kinds of hides, fat cattle and hogs, beeswax etc. Highest market prices paid. P. T. RHYNE.

FOR SALE—One lot and dwelling near depot, in McFarlan. For further particulars write E. Anman, Greenville, Ga.

FOR SALE—Three dwelling houses in the town of Wadesboro. See T. J. Covington if you want a home.

FOR SALE—The Brick store-room, occupied by W. A. Lucas. Apply to Robinson & Caudle.

### Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets.

A Busy Medium for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Bowls, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 33 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLANDS DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

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