STANLY NOTES.

Railway Accident--Grand Niece of President Polk Dead.

From The Stanly Enterprise

The many friends of Attorney R. E. Austin sympathize with him in the death of his mother, Mrs. A. J. Austin, at her home in Union county on the 3rd instant. Mrs. Austin was 70 years of age, and been in critical health for several months. In referring to her the Journal says: "She was a grand neice of President Polk. She was a woman of splendid force of character and was beloved by all who knew her."

A series of meetings is in progress at Anderson Grove Church, Rev. John A. Summey, of China Grove, assisting the pastor Rev. E. M. Brooks. It will probably continue for a number of days. Preaching next Sunday.

E. A. Moore, of Marshville, died on Thursday of last week from injuries received in a train accident at Peachland on Tuesday before. His train had sidtracked to let another pass. He got off and was just getting back on when he was crushed between the station platform and the rear of the passenger coach. He was carried to Charlotte for treatment.

If that Stanly county oil boom that is now being heralded to the world is as full of gas as was the the accompanying report of the Republican gathering here Saturday and the political speaking, it is destined to spend its force in hot air. People in Albemarle attach but little importance to the report, though they hope that developments may prove it well founded—Stanly Enterprise.

Randleman Notes.

Miss Lottie Dobson visited Miss Hattie Burgess in Greensboro last Saturday.—James E. Caudle has been appointed carrier on Randleman No. 3, vice Zeno Hinshaw resigned and will enter on his duties Sept. 1.—Mrs. M. E. Lowdwell, of Wilmington, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Woodson, Greensboro street.—Miss Nell Bulla attended the yearly meeting of the friends at Guilford College, Sunday and Monday.—Miss Nettie Glass, after a month's visit to relatives and friends in Randleman, returned to her home in Concord Friday.—Frank Reaves of New York, accompanied by his friend, Frank Moore, of McCall, S. C., is visiting his father, T. O. Reaves.—Miss Ellen Barker left on the noon train Wednesday for Winston-Salem to visit relatives. Miss Barker's trip will include a visit to Raleigh.—Mrs. J. P. Anderson, of Spencer, who is on the way to join her husband in Richmond, Va., at their future home, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cobb.—W. A. Ellington, H. G. Collins, Rev. J. M. Pugh, and E. H. Jarrell went to High Point Thursday to spend the Piedmont Assembly week in there this week. Mrs. C. A. Allison and daughters, Helen and Marie, are visiting at the home of Rev. C. B. Campbell. Mrs. Allison is wife of the secretary treasurer of the Thomasville Chair Co.—Dr. S. Neaves returned to Morganton Monday after visiting in town for a week. Miss Louise Connelly, of Kentucky, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Campbell.—T. F. Marshall returned Saturday from a two weeks' outing in the mountains of Virginia. John T. Caudell came to town Saturday for a few days' stay.—Miss Jessie Lugg, of Ingold, and Miss Lugg, of Greensboro, the guests of Miss Ethel Lugg, returned home Sunday.—The Tiger.

Moore County Items.

From The Carthage Blade.

Archie Graham, a respected citizen of Cameron, died last week of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Matheson, of Highfalls, are bereft by the sudden death of their son, Lewis Curtis Matheson, who was taken to Baltimore treated for appendicitis, died and was brought home for interment.

The little son of J. A. Thomas, who lives at Bynum, died at his home near Cameron about Saturday night, the 15th of August.

Isaac Fields has a peculiar vine on his farm which has 43 pumpkins on it, neither of which will go to a half bushel measure.

The colored people of Stoney Hill congregation report that on the first Sunday in August they collected $120.65 for the purpose of building a house in which to worship.

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Randleman Notes.

Miss Mina Beck returned home Friday from a two weeks visit to relatives at Emerson.

Frank Scott is teaching a few days longer at Brightwood. He began last Wednesday.

Hiely Chrisco and family visited Mrs. Owen at Shiloh last week.

The river and creeks have been good fishing ever since the time broke.

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SPOILSMEN AND GRAFTERS.

Why They Naturally Gravitate to the G. O. P.

It is a matter of great satisfaction to Democrats that none of their leaders have been found identified with the numerous corruption, grafting and fraud scandals so far exposed. The reason for this is that the Democratic voters look much more closely into the character of those whom they select to represent them and keep much closer watch of official doings than the rank and file of the Republican party does. Direct primaries are the rule in the Democratic party while with the Republicans the corrupt caucus system is still almost universally maintained. Republican nominations are almost always manipulated by the inner ring of leaders, who give the word that the ring candidates must be supported by the followers of the machine and are enabled to force such nominations in most cases through the power of public plunder. The Republican voter who refuses to register the choice of the machine leaders is marked for political slaughter if he should be bold enough to offer himself as a candidate. In the distribution of national, state and local offices the Republican rank and file have no part or lot. The meanest grafters in the ranks are preferred to the honest and independent voter who dares to dispute with the Republican boss the availability or honesty of his selections.

Under such a system, in which cold cash and patronage of office are the chief mainspring, it naturally follows that corruptionists and grafters have been selected for appointive offices to the great scandal of the Republican party and its loss of the respect of most honest voters. Not content with filling offices both national and state, with many most unworthy recipients, many of those elected to congress and the state legislatures have deliberately refused to carry out platform promises or the will of their constituents. This has been going on for years, until the exposures came and the people can be fooled no longer.

The voters of the United States are now in house cleaning mood and it will be difficult, if not dangerous, to try to get them to slight the job. Whitewashing is unpopular and slurred over investigations are hissed to scorn by the honest voter. He is in no mood to be trifled with and is rampant for reform, and experience shows that when aroused to a full sense of the corruption and grafting he has been the victim of he will be satisfied with nothing less than real reform. Experience also shows that when the independent Republican voter cannot get what he wants from his own party he turns the rascals out and tries the Democrats, on the principle of a new broom sweeps clean and as a salutary lesson to his own party.

There is a very natural reason why the corruptionists and grafters have gravitated into the Republican party, for that class of politician has no regard for good government—he is a spoilsmonger pure and simple. He always joins the majority and stays with it as long as it pays him to do so. As the Republican party has virtually been in power for forty years, the Democrats during that time having only controlled all branches of the government for two years, the grafter has stuck like a leech to the G. O. P. Those in politics for the money there is in it have therefore all become Republicans, for the continuous patronage of the president and the vast corruption funds extorted from all classes of corporations have enabled the Republican leaders to more than gratify the longings of the grafters for place and pelf so that the national Republican ticket and most of the state tickets are entirely dominated by the worst element in the party.

CORRUPT PRACTICES BILL.

Why This Excellent Democratic Measure Was Vetoed.

Even that high Republican authority the New York Tribune is troubled over the railroad rebate bill and says the Tillman bill to prohibit corporations from contributing money in connection with elections. Why Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Cortelyou could have pushed this bill through the house in less than an hour they refused to do so. The Tribune warned these gentlemen against resisting the passage of the bill, but in vain. On June 17 it said: "This is a reform which public opinion demands, and there is no good reason why it should not have its trial in the approaching congressional campaign. Delay in instituting manifest corrupt practices will only aggravate and such a charge will prove embarrassing to meet in the present temper of the voters."

Let it not be forgotten that the measure failed because it was obstructed by President Roosevelt and Speaker Cannon, and when the president goes out on his campaign tours at the expense of Democrats as well as Republicans ask him why he stifled the corrupt practices bill; why he keeps Cortelyou in his cabinet; why he doesn't apologize to Judge Parker for the falsehood he told about Parker in 1904 and why he doesn't make Cortelyou and Bliss pay back to the policy holders of the life insurance companies the money filched from them to the last campaign. Truth is a fine preacher, but sermons are good when backed up by deeds and only so.

No Help From Roosevelt.

Just before the senate refused to yield to the demands of the Standard Oil company by striking the rate bill Senator Tillman said: "The public is hamboozled every day. On the barrel goes on. The president denounces us from time to time for the benefit of the standard Oil co. He says to be practical politicians we must do evil that good may come. We will do it and then have the opportunity to do something for this country."

ADVANCE IN WAGES.

Recreation and Lunch Room Being Erected by Lynchburg Mills.

The Lynchburg (Va.) Cotton Mill Co announces that beginning Monday the wages of every employe will be advanced 10 per cent which means a voluntary increase in the pay roll by the company of $15,000 annually. The company is also completing a large hall for the benefit of the operatives to accomodate 700 people. A dining room, reading, correspondence, and smoking rooms will also be provided. Baths and a recreation hall will also be features of the building. This is for the benefit of the army of operatives exclusively and will cost $15,000.

West Ramseur.

W. W. Dixon has repainted his barber shop and storehouse on Main street.

J. P. Baldwin, of Southern Pines, who has been visiting his family here has returned.

Miss Allie Dixon is attending the Holiness meetings near Greensboro.

Miss Minnie Dixon is organist at the Holiness meetings near Liberty.

The citizens in town are highly pleased with the work done at the County Convention Saturday. Of course with such a ticket as a full turn out at the polls a handsome majority is sure.

We Ramseur Chathamites certainly congratulate the good old Democratic Party in Chatham for nominating at their county convention such good men for the different offices.

David Curtis and his force of eight carpenters recently tore up 12,500 square feet of floor in the Columbia Mfg. Company's mill, where there were 55 spinning frames to move and laid a double floor using 1200 lbs of nails. Only eight days was required for the job.

From Providence.

Mrs. W. A. White is visiting at Guilford College.

Lester Frazier is sick with typhoid fever.

Miss Pearl Chamness who has been visiting at J. M. Way's in Asheboro has returned home.

Miss Mamie Berry has typhoid fever.

Hugh White and sister Flora spent Saturday and Sunday in Center neighborhood.

Quite a number of young people were very pleasantly entertained by Rev. Geo. Wood and wife last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Flora Hinshaw, of Indiana, who has been visiting at G. P. Barker's has returned home.

Miss Gladys Teague, who has been visiting her sister Nettie, has returned home.

Miss Marie White visited Miss Teague Sunday.

Mamance Notes.

From Mamance Items.

Col. and Mrs. Jacob A. Long announce the engagement of their daughter, Pearl Hamilton, to Mr. R. Jesse Mebane, of Greensboro, N. C. The wedding is to take place in the fall.

J. Elmer Long, attorney, has bought twenty suits in Chatham County against the Cape Fear Power Co. for damages. The aggregate amount sued is for about $150,000.

H. C. Stout's Cannery of Burlington was partially destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The fire was discovered about 10 o'clock. Prompt action by neighbors with buckets prevented a total loss. The damage amounts to about $100. Mr. Smith formerly taught at Farmer Institute.

Dr. Geo. W. Long returned to Graham Monday after two months absence, at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanitarium.

Prize Winners.

The ten days "Crushed Sale" of the Morris-Scarboro-Moffitt Co. closed Saturday. The buggy which was advertised to be given away on the last day of the sale was drawn by J. N. Allred, of Asheboro. He had only one ticket in the box. This ticket was taken from the box by little Lucile Ward. U. S. Hayes, W. J. Armfield, and Arthur Ross assisted in the drawing.

The suit of clothes given away was won by E. R. Brown, of near Ramseur.

That is the Kind We Have

Mr. Walter M. Burgess and Miss Victoria S. McMath, both of Randolph county, were united in marriage at the courthouse here yesterday morning by Rev. A. G. Kirkman. It was a good looking couple—in fact, the bride was one of the handsomest young women that ever graced the register's office on a similar mission.—Greensboro Patriot.

The Chatham Mfg. Co. of Elkin, will be moved to Winston-Salem, where a large new factory will be operated. The factory will be continued at Elkin.

McClendon May Recover.

Engineer McClendon who was shot while trying to enter the Salisbury jail on the night of August 6 at Whitehead-Stokes Sanitorium and his chances of recovery are now considered good. He was badly wounded and it was not believed at first that he would recover. Three others were also shot near the jail while trying to enter the jail. Two of them were in the hospital for several days thereafter. The fourth one was not so seriously injured, being only shot through the hand. It is learned that Dr. Busby at Spencer dressed his hand on the next day, but his name could not be ascertained.

Chatham Democratic Convention.

The Democrats of Chatham held their county convention on last Tuesday and nominated the following candidates:

For the Senate, James R. Rives.
For the House, Henry M. London.
For Clerk, James L. Griffin.
For Sheriff, John R. Millikan.
For Register, W. E. Brooks.
For Surveyor, R. B. Clegg.
For Coroner, G. R. Pilkington.
For County Commissioners, S. W. Harrington, N. J. Wilson and A. J. Lane.

The finest watermelons of the season were furnished us last week by Lee Aldridge, of Progress N. C.

A. G. Murdock and S. S. Cox were visitors in Asheboro on Monday.

Miss Mullie Rush visited Miss Emma Dorsett at Farmer Sunday.

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