

**THE STATE CONVENTION.**

**To Meet in Charlotte Next Thursday, July 14.**  
The Democratic State Convention will meet in Charlotte next Thursday, July 14. While it will not be devoid of interest, it will be a tame affair—compared to the memorable convention two years ago, which was in almost continuous session for five days.

The convention will be called to order in the auditorium by Mr. A. H. Eller, chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee, who will then call Senator Overman as temporary chairman to the chair. The election of a permanent chairman will then take place.

The chief work of the convention is to ratify the action of the primaries. The main contest is between Allen and Manning for Associate Justice.

Second in interest is the triangular fight between Lee, Graham and Pearson for corporation commissioner.

The Allen forces will be quartered at the Central hotel, while the Manning crowd will be at the Buford.

It is understood that Mr. Victor S. Bryant will nominate Manning.

Capt. Thos. W. Mason, of Northampton, will put Judge Clark in nomination. Hon. Locke Craig will second the nomination.

The following are the delegates from Cabarrus county to this convention:

- No. 1—L. M. Morrison, D. L. Morrison, J. W. Davis.
- No. 2—W. D. Harry, Chas. Cannon, T. L. Alexander.
- No. 3—Jno. A. Rankie, D. P. Johnson.
- No. 4—B. L. Umberger, H. L. Maybrey, A. E. Furr.
- No. 5—Jno. W. Cress, P. M. Misenheimer.
- No. 6—G. E. Ritchie, J. W. Walker, A. D. Wilson.
- No. 7—F. V. Dry, J. N. Peninger.
- No. 8—G. F. McAllister, Luther Shirey, Jno. L. Lefler, Jno. McDaniel.
- No. 9—E. T. Boat, M. E. Harrin, A. P. Widenhouse, G. E. Smith.
- No. 10—H. C. Cook, N. J. McManus, R. E. Neal, Sam Black.
- No. 11—J. L. White, Tom Talbirt.

Ward 1—J. W. Cannon, H. D. Townsend, R. S. Young, F. O. Rogers, L. T. Hartwell, W. B. Odell, W. B. Branton, W. L. Widenhouse, J. Lee Crowell, Jas. C. Fink, C. E. Stratford, J. B. Sherrill, P. P. Howard, W. L. Robinson.

Ward 2—E. C. Barnhardt, W. D. Pemberton, W. J. Montgomery, Jr., W. G. Meant, J. L. Erwin, C. McDonald, W. A. Foil, A. Means, J. N. Brown.

Ward 3—C. A. Isenhour, L. A. Brown, Jno. K. Patterson, V. A. Means.

Ward 4—G. T. Crowell, W. M. Corzine, Dr. R. M. King, T. D. Maness, J. P. Cook.

The vote of the county will be cast unanimously for Clark and Walker for the Supreme Court.

The vote for Associate Justice is: Manning 37.13, Allen 26.87.

For Corporation Commissioner: Lee 53.64, Graham 20.06, Pearson .30. Brown will receive the entire vote of the county.

**Deaths from Heat.**

Three deaths and seven prostrations from heat was the record of the torrid wave in Washington up to 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The maximum on the street was 102 degrees.

At the weather bureau, 93 degrees.

Ten deaths and many prostrations occurred in Philadelphia Sunday as a result of the excessive heat. The humidity was 85 during the morning hours and the mean temperature for the day was 84. The maximum temperature 93, was recorded at 4 p. m.

Sunday was the hottest day of the year in New York. Three persons went mad with the heat and ten others died of it. The list of prostrations was long but not so heavy as Saturday. The maximum temperature was 92.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

The following real estate deals were made last week through Jno. K. Patterson & Co., the well known real estate agents of Concord:

W. H. Gibson to F. M. Underwood, D. Henry White place, 145 acres, \$2,320.

J. Lee Stone to T. L. Ross, 5 acres, cottage and outbuildings on Concord and Kannapolis road, \$1,575.

H. B. Wilkinson to T. L. Ross 5 acres adjoining J. Lee Stone \$800.

**Veterans' Picnic.**  
We, the Veterans Camp No. 212, ask the Daughters of the Confederacy to meet with us at the court house on Saturday, July 16th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m. to perfect arrangements for a Veterans' Picnic to be held at the court house on the 2nd Tuesday of August, it being the 9th. Please be present.

Very Respectfully,  
CAMP NO. 212,  
H. B. Parks, Com.  
W. M. Weddington, Secretary.

**TO THE VOTERS OF CABARRUS COUNTY.**

As chairman of the Democratic party I feel it my duty to call your attention to a few facts.

There has never been a time within my knowledge when the entire party of the county was as solid as at this time. We have no family quarrels in our own party and the only desire on the part of any voter, is to elect the Democratic ticket at the coming election. The ticket which our convention put out on July 2, meets with universal approval. There will be less scratching this year than was ever known, because all interests are represented on the ticket. The interest of the farmer is well represented, so is the interest of the manufacturer and the operatives. No interest has been neglected and if you will examine the ticket you will find that every section of the county has been given its due representation.

Another peculiarity about the ticket is, that about one half of the men nominated were not even applicants for office, thereby showing to you the nominations sought the men, and not the men the nominations. As an evidence of the interest which the Democrats are taking in the coming election, it is only necessary to call your attention to the fact that in No. 2 township, in the election of 1908, Bryan only received 78 votes, while the other day at the primaries, there were 50 present. It does not make any difference who the republicans nominate at their convention, every one knows that they cannot nominate any better ticket than the one nominated by our convention. With the universal good feeling which prevail in our ranks, I do not hesitate to go on record and predict that the returns at the election will show a substantial Democratic majority.

JNO. L. MILLER,  
Chmn. Dem. Ex. Com.

**Pellagra Case Cured.**

Within the past few days announcement has been made of the discharge of Mrs. R. M. Baxley, of Hillsboro, from Watts hospital, at Durham, where she had been many weeks under treatment of Dr. Joe Graham for pellagra.

She goes away completely cured, the first cure reported there since the disease was observed to have been doing deadly work. Beginning a little earlier last year, there were observed several cases and 11 deaths were registered. Within the past ten days in and about Durham four deaths from pellagra were announced. In that time Mrs. Baxley has been cured.

She went to Durham in April with a dreadful case of it. Following some experimenting along his line, Dr. Joe Graham began injections into the blood. He has not accepted, nor has he attacked the Indian corn theory, but has worked his own way and with substantial success. More experiments along the line are being made.

**In the Mountains.**

"Lemme tell you a good one on Doc Whittle," said the mountaineer at the cross road's store. Last week Doc hitched up the old mare, piled his old woman an' kids into the wagon, an' took 'em over across the mounting to where the new railroad's been built, jest to see the kyars.

"None of 'em had ever seen a railroad train, Doc, ner the ol' woman an' the kids, nor the old mare either; so Doc he feels sorto uneasy. Thinkin' he be on the safe side, he onthatched the mare an' tied her to a saplin'; then he went back where the old woman an' the kids was a settin' in the wagon in the middle of the road. Doc thinks he'll pull 'em down the road a piece so they kin see better, so he takes hold of the shafts an' started; but jest then 'Hoot! Hoot!' come that train of kyars, an' jumpin' Jerushy! Doc run away with the wagon, the ol' woman an' the kids begun to scream an' holler, an' away they went down the side of the mounting, an' like to a-busted ever' thing to pieces.

"Doc says the ol' mare was the only one that wa'n't skeered plumb to death, an' next time he's goin' to leave her alone an' tie hisself to a saplin'."

The electric current of the Southern Power Company, which is the only supply of electrical current furnished in Concord was off Saturday afternoon for sometime and the numerous wheels of industry in this city that are propelled by the current of this current of this company were at a standstill. Last night immediately after services at the different churches of the city were started the lights went out, causing the services at a number of churches to be cut short. This happens too often, and is getting to be a nuisance.

James L., the 8-months-old infant of Mr. W. N. Thompson, died last night at the home of his parents at 1 o'clock. The funeral was held today at Center church.

**NEWS FROM FOREST HILL.**

Successor to Mr. Hohnbuckle—Mrs. Porter No Better—Wright Family Reunion—Two Deaths—Other News of Interest.

Mr. D. F. Podole, of the Avondale Mills, Birmingham, Ala., is in the city and has accepted the position of overseer of weaving at Locke Mills, recently vacated by Mr. J. E. Hohnbuckle.

Mr. R. F. Coble left this morning for Bessemer City on a business trip.

Mr. J. C. Keller spent a few hours in Kannapolis yesterday.

Mr. J. S. Joyner spent a short while in Swells yesterday, making the trip in an automobile.

Messrs. J. E. Hohnbuckle, E. P. Reel and Clarence Henderson are in Charlotte today for the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hudson have returned to their home in the city after spending some time in Lincolnton with Mrs. Astor Porter. There is no change for the better in Mrs. Porter's condition.

Miss Graham, of China Grove, and Miss Baker, of McAdenville, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend several days visiting Miss Zula Clayton.

Mr. J. E. Wright attended a reunion of the Wright family yesterday at the home of his mother near McAdenville. Mr. J. E. Wright and family, Mrs. James Wright and family, and Mr. Chas. Wright and family, of Kannapolis, were members of the reunion from this section.

The young son of Mr. Hamp Teeter died Sunday afternoon and will be buried this afternoon at Rocky Ridge. Mr. Joe McCommons and family, of Mooresville, are in the city to attend the funeral.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ridenhour, on Eudy street, died this morning at 4 o'clock. The burial services will take place tomorrow afternoon at Oakwood cemetery. Rev. M. B. Ridenhour is in the city to attend the funeral.

**Mob Hags White Man.**

Aroused by the fact that an appeal to the Supreme Court had been taken following his condemnation to death Friday on the charge of having murdered Town Marshal C. C. Chesnut, a mob battered down the doors of the parish jail at Rayville, La., Sunday, and dragging J. D. Freeman, a white man, from his cell, hanged him on the same spot where he had slain the marshal. The fact that a deep gash was found in Freeman's throat led to the theory that he had attempted suicide, probably with a piece of glass, when he heard the mob's approach.

The lynching occurred shortly after 2 o'clock. Late Saturday afternoon an appeal to the Supreme Court in Freeman's behalf had been granted.

"This is the outcome of the appeal," was the note found pinned to the dead man's clothing.

**Brown Held for Court.**

Ison Brown, the negro who killed Walter Kirby at Glass Friday night, was given a preliminary hearing this morning before Squire Lore and remanded to jail to await trial at the August term of court. When Brown was arrested he claimed the shooting was accidental, saying that he and several other negroes were sitting on the railroad track talking when Kirby came up and threw a handful of gravel on his back, exclaiming, "You won't shoot me." Brown says that the pistol was in his hand and as he turned to meet Kirby and just as he faced him the pistol was discharged, the ball striking Kirby in the stomach, causing his death a few hours later. There were several witnesses examined but their statements did not vary in any important particulars from Brown's.

Census enumerators in Western Massachusetts, whose work was completed and vouchers sent to Washington two months ago, are much exercised over delay in receiving checks in payment of their services. Most of them are in need of the money.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

where Who Come and Go.  
Some of the People Here and Else.

Miss Maud Brown is visiting friends in Charlotte.

Mr. Paul Ritchie is spending the day in Charlotte.

Mrs. Fred C. Odell left last night for her home in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Callen Howerton, of Durham, are visiting in the city.

Mr. S. J. Lowe left last night for Knoxville on a business trip.

Miss Mary Plaster spent yesterday in Enochville with relatives.

Mr. W. G. Watson, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Smoot.

Mrs. J. F. Oyrke and children, of Charlotte, are visiting at Mrs. B. F. Rogers.

Miss Lucile Pitts, of Statesville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. F. Yorke.

Messrs. R. M. Odell, R. T. Allen and Hubert Hill spent yesterday in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Maness left yesterday for Albemarle, where they will spend several days.

Mr. Ed White and family left this morning for Pisgah Forest, near Hendersonville, to stay a month.

Mr. I. H. Eldridge, of Greensboro, spent yesterday in the city with Mrs. Eldridge, at Mrs. Lilly's.

Miss Antha Bost, of Terrell, and Miss Josephine Antly, of Lincolnton, are the guests of Mrs. N. F. Yorke.

Mrs. Bernard Duls and children, and Miss Leona Grady, of Goldsboro, are the guest of Mrs. G. H. Rutledge.

Mr. J. L. Ludlow left last night for his home in Winston after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Cannon.

Mr. D. C. Moore, of Charlotte, spent yesterday in the city with his brother, Mr. Z. M. Moore.

Mr. C. F. Ritchie left this morning for Charleston, S. C., to attend the Hardware Dealers Association of the two Carolinas.

Mrs. Plato Durham returned Saturday from Raleigh, where she has been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Cole.

Rev. J. P. Miller left this morning on a four weeks trip through South Carolina and Georgia in the interest of Mt. Amoena Seminary.

Mr. Ralph Smith, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. W. C. Correll, returned this morning to his home in Spartanburg.

Miss Minnie Templeton and Martha McNealey, who have been visiting Mrs. Joel Reed, returned this morning to their home in Mooresville.

Miss Virginia Foushee left this morning for a visit to several cities in South Carolina, where she will spend her vacation of several weeks. During Miss Foushee's absence Miss Sallie Murr will assume the management of the Western Union office here.

**Lane Nominated to Succeed Judge Pell on Superior Court Bench.**

Mr. Henry P. Lane, of Reidsville, Rockingham county, was nominated as Democratic candidate for judge of the eleventh judicial district, after the delegates had balloted Saturday morning for about an hour and a half. Mr. J. C. Buxton was Forsyth's choice and up to the last ballot, the Forsyth delegation cast its fifty-three votes solidly for Mr. Buxton.

Mr. T. W. Folger of Mount Airy, received Surry's support and Judge George P. Pell, who was not a candidate, received somewhat in the nature of a complimentary vote, and indeed, it was the wish of Ashe and Alleghany countiss to vote for him.

**The new Erwin Cotton Mill at Durham has been completed, barring a few points about the finer finishing; and as soon as there is some adjustment of that mysterious difference between the price of raw cotton and the finished product, it will start to work.**

**JEFFRIES SAYS WILL FIGHT JOHNSON AGAIN.**

Johnson Says He was Offered \$350,000 to Give Jeffries the Battle—Was Jeffries Doped?

Jim Jeffries will ask for a return match with Jack Johnson, according to a statement contained in a Los Angeles dispatch. Information, said to be from a reliable source, says Jeffries is credited with declaring he would insist on a return match with Johnson within six months following his return from a hunting trip to the mountains.

Jeffries, it is said, claims if he can go in the ring in as good condition as he was a few days before the fight, he could defeat Johnson. Sam Berger, Jeffries' manager, will make a statement later.

Tex Rickard announces that he will sue Governor Gillette, of California, to recover \$30,000, which he claims he lost as a result of the governor's action barring the fight from that State.

Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, made this statement in Chicago:

"I could have dragged down \$350,000 for my end in the battle with Jeffries at Reno Monday had I agreed to throw the fight, but no amount of coin is ever going to induce me to figure in a shady deal so long as I am in the ring."

**Was Jeff Doped?**

Los Angeles Dispatch 9th.

Still moody, downcast and silent, James J. Jeffries arrived home yesterday from his disastrous experience in Reno. He came from San Francisco with his wife and party. Avoiding a few friends at the station, he stepped into an automobile and was driven to his town house. Jeffries sent word in advance that he would not talk to anyone and kept his word. His right eye is still discolored.

He remained in town 55 minutes, leaving later for his alfalfa ranch at Burbank.

"Jeff," said Jack Kipper, "does not know anything about the rumors of doping that have been flying about. He cannot see to read yet. He has not read a word about the fight and no-

**body has told him a word of all that has been said."**

Kipper himself counts the tale that Jeff was doped. However, he says the big fellow was not himself when he entered the ring.

**Bob Taylor Backs Out.**

Saying that he sees with dismay that the Democracy of Tennessee is rushing madly to destruction through the bitter dissensions, Senator Robert Taylor Saturday gave out a statement withdrawing his promise to stump the State in the interest of Governor M. R. Patterson's regular organization judiciary ticket. The Senator says this action is taken because he cannot inflict his advice where it is rejected in advance.

Senator Taylor has agreed to speak in behalf of Patterson and his judiciary ticket. This announcement aroused a storm of protest from friends of the Senator who said they did not care to hear him on that subject. Governor Patterson's pardon of Col. Duncan Cooper, who was convicted with his son, Robin Cooper, of the murder of former Senator E. W. Carmack, is one of the subjects of the factional difference in the Democracy of the State.

**Dies from Dog Scratch.**

Scratched by a dog on the lip more wound that was considered most insignificant at the time, but which was cauterized as a precautionary measure, 5-year-old Tommie Dennis died in great agony in Bellevue Hospital in New York Saturday. Anesthetics sufficient in quantity to have quieted strong men were administered but they had little effect. When the child died his father and mother, sitting in an adjoining room, their hearts rent with agony at their boy's screams, simply said:

"Thank God."

The boy's father is a livery stable proprietor. Thursday night when he came home the child complained of nausea. Friday morning he was worse, his eyes were unnatural and when he heard water running he went into convulsions. He was hurried to the hospital, but it was too late to check the dread malady.

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