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FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1904.

For Governor:
HON. ROBERT B. GLENN
For Lieutenant-Governor:
HON. FRANCIS D. WINSTON
For Associate Justices:
HON. GEORGE H. BROWN, JR.
HON. W. A. HOKE

Glenn Nominated on the Sixth Ballot

The first ballot was taken last night at 9 o'clock for Governor. After an all night session of hard fighting on the part of the two great forces, Glenn was nominated on the sixth ballot, at 6 o'clock this morning.

The Stedman men in this county got the inside track on the Glenn men, and the convention found 14 delegates for Stedman and 10 for Glenn, but the Glenn men were fighting for a good cause and finally won over the Stedman men, and on the sixth ballot Martin county voted solidly for Glenn.

It is a well known fact to the Alderman of our town that the mud puddle right in front of Mrs. Mary Peeler's residence is not health bearing. It certainly is not a beauty spot on the face of nature that we dislike to part with, then we hold that something should be done.

Our town is growing day by day. We believe our officers have the interests of the vicinity at heart, and surely if we want to build up our town we must first have health producing and attractive streets.

Foreigners will not think about settling in a town where there are pools of foul stagnating water.

This pond, or mud puddle, has been neglected for a year or more.

"Instead of handling trading stamps, if you place one-fourth of one per cent of your sales in advertising in your local papers you will get better results for yourself and help build up your town." This is what Mr. Norman H. Johnson, attorney-general for the North Carolina Retail Merchants' Association, says he has advised the merchants throughout the state.

Some of the merchants here heard Mr. Johnson give this advice. But then, you know advice is a hard thing to take.

The Retail Merchants' Association is to have a trade journal. That's right. The merchants realize that a paper is necessary to further their interests as an association. Perhaps the time will soon arrive when the merchants will realize the necessity of using their local papers more extensively in order to further their individual interests.

The politician who pledges his county's vote for any particular candidate, is not always able to deliver the goods.

Littleton Female College

This institution with a patronage of more than 200 pupils from five different states, covering an area of 1,000 miles in diameter, desires immediate correspondence with any young lady who wishes to go off to school. A postal card or letter will bring immediate reply and interesting information.

The 23rd Annual Session will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1904

J. M. RHODES, President, Littleton, N. C.

THE PRIMARY

The Chowan Times, of Northampton county, states that at the recent county convention some of the delegates failed to vote as in the primary—which elected them—and as they had been instructed to vote, and this fact is being urged as an argument against the primary system.

In commenting upon this, the Richmond Times-Dispatch has the following to say:

"On the contrary, it is an argument in favor of the primary system. The trouble in Northampton county, as we understand the situation, is that the party authorities have mixed up the primary and the convention. There would have been no trouble if, instead of a county convention, to which the delegates were elected by primary, the nominees of the party had been chosen direct, by a general county primary, and not through the indirect method of a convention. We believe in a direct vote of the people whenever it is practicable. When the people vote directly they use their authority directly instead of delegating it to others."

The reason for the growing popularity of the legalized primary is that every voter has the privilege of voting for whom he pleases, instead of voting for delegates to vote for whom they please, regardless of instructions.

Let's have a primary convention throughout the State, then there will be no delegates to violate the trust imposed in them.

In speaking of the primary the Wilmington Messenger says:

"We look for the Democratic party to adopt the legalized primary for nominating candidates before the next general election. The present campaign demonstrates its importance to the Democratic party."

His Fifth Birthday

Master George Howard Linley-Kent gave a "porch party" to his friends Monday afternoon in celebration of the fifth anniversary of his birthday. The number scheme was artistically carried out in the menu cards which were tiny five-pointed stars, and in the beautiful birthday cake decorated with five colored candles.

Those present were: Misses Mary Louise Carstarphen, Bettie Ward, Della Kate Ward, Eloise Meadows, Beulah Gallop, Corinne Smith, Daisy Manning, Mary Cook, Irma Woodhouse, Louise Upton, Delia Lanier, Louise Fowden, Mittie Jones, Frances Knight, Laurie Ellison, Penny Biggs, Annie Kate Thrower and Masters Carrol Gallop, Reynolds Smith, Roland Crawford, Garland Anderson, Jas. R. Moore Harrell, Hans Watts, Earl Leggett, Fred and Wilson Lamb Bullock, C. D. Carstarphen, Jr., Charles Biggs, Richard Smith, William Ellison, Jr., Joe David Thrower, Fitz Hugh Robinson, Maurice Moore, Messrs K. B. Crawford and A. Coy Monk.

Mrs. Jas. R. Moore, Mrs. J. Wiggins Watts, Mrs. Jim Carstarphen, Mrs. Linley-Kent and Miss Belle Carstarphen was assisted in receiving and amusing the little guest by Misses Ida Hassell, Nora Fowden and Jennie Moore.

A number of attractive presents were received, and Master George Howard was made a happy boy.

WRITTEN ABOUT WOMEN.

All women are good—good for something or good for nothing.—Cervantes.

A curious fact—Satan deprived Job of everything except his wife.—Observer.

A beautiful woman is the only tyrant man is not authorized to resist.—Victor Hugo.

Unhappy is the man to whom his own mother has not made all other mothers venerable.—Richter.

The best thing I know of is a first-rate wife. And the next best thing is a second rate one.—Josh Billings.

They say man was created first. Well, suppose he was—ain't first experiences always failures—Amon.

A man never so bountifully shows his own strength as when he respects a woman's weakness.—Douglass Jerrold.

They govern the world, these sweet voiced women, because beauty and harmony are the index of a larger fact than wisdom.—O. W. Holmes.

One can to almost laughable extent, infer what a man's wife is like from his opinion about women in general.—A. R. H.

A good book and a good woman are excellent things for those who know how to appreciate their value. There are men, however, who judge of both by the beauty of the covering.—Dr. Johnson.

Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is different from all other cough syrups. It contains anti-septic properties to destroy the germs, solvent properties to cut the phlegm, and laxative properties to cleanse the system. Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is a pleasant, permanent cure for all coughs, colds, lung and bronchial affections. Sold by S. H. Ellison & Co.

to the Democrats of Martin County

Gentlemen: I have consulted many Democrats of this section as to my fitness to represent this County in the Legislature and the answers have been so encouraging with enthusiastic offers of support, I have decided to ask the democratic voters of Martin County to consider me as an aspirant to this honor.

I am a democrat by inheritance and by instinct, and I have long since determined to do all within my power for the moral, social and material upbuilding of the community which pure democracy stands sponsor for.

I have no claims upon any office in the gift of the people, but if I am honored with the nomination I shall endeavor to give the people as efficient service as my intelligence and training will allow. If there are other aspirants to this honor I shall be glad to go before the people, and on a friendly basis, discuss with them, before this tribunal, the questions of the day. Respectfully,
OSCAR EVERITT.

Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets instantly relieve the stomach and aid digestion. They are as pleasant as loaf sugar and cure dyspepsia, sour risings, catarrh of the stomach and indigestion. Sold by S. H. Ellison & Co.

Littleton Female College, an advertisement of which appears elsewhere in this paper, has just closed its 22nd Annual Session which has been in every way the most prosperous in the history of the institution. With a Faculty of twenty-two officers and teachers and a well equipped and furnished building, this school is prepared to offer excellent advantages to young ladies seeking a collegiate education. The institution has very recently installed at a cost of several thousand dollars, a new system of plumbing and water works, including bath and toilet rooms, with hot and cold water on every floor, furnished from a 12000 gallon tank and a steel tower 75 feet high, with ample pipe around the building and two inch hose on every floor within, for use in case of fire. The health record of Littleton College has been a remarkable one. The physical condition of the pupil is looked after with great care; there is seldom a case of serious sickness in the building, and during its entire career of 22 years has had only one death among its pupils. There is probably no other school in the South with so large a patronage that has such a record.

Brings Good Luck.
He or she who enters a house for the first time is supposed in the Balkan countries to bring in good or bad luck for the whole twelve-month. This belief gives rise to a curious observance. The visitor before crossing the threshold picks up a stone (token of strength) or a green twig (emblem of health and fruitfulness) and lays it on the hearth. He also brings with him some grains of salt, which he casts into the flames, and then, squatting by the fireside, wishes his hosts "a prosperous year, a plentiful crop and many blessings." Then as the grains of salt burst and crackle in the fire he utters the following quaint formula: "As I am sitting even so may sit the hen and warm the eggs. As this salt splits even so may split the eggs of the clucking hen and the chickens come forth."

The Silent Englishman.
An Englishman and a German were traveling together in a diligence, and both were smoking. The German did all in his power to draw his companion into conversation, but all to no purpose. At one moment he would, with a superabundance of politeness, apologize for drawing his attention to the fact that the ash of his cigar had fallen on his waistcoat or a spark was endangering his neckerchief. At length the Englishman exclaimed: "Why the deuce can't you leave me alone? Your coat tail has been burning for the last ten minutes, but I didn't bother you about it!"

Beated by the Bishop.
Rear Admiral Charles S. Cottor tells this good story: He sat one evening at a dinner party beside the bishop of Durham, a clergyman noted for his wit. Near the bishop was a millionaire manufacturer, a stout man with a loud, coarse laugh, who ate and drank a good deal. One of this man's jokes was leveled at the brilliant bishop of Durham, whom he did not know from Adam. It was enough for him that the bishop's garb was clerical. "I have three sons," he began in a loud tone, nudging his neighbor and winking toward the bishop, "three fine lads. They are in trade. I had always said that if I ever had a stupid son I'd make a parson of him."

The millionaire roared out his discordant laugh, and the bishop said to him with a quiet smile: "Your father thought differently from you, eh?"

Martin County Teachers' Summer School Begins Monday July 4.

All teachers who expect to teach in the public schools the coming session must attend the summer school. The Committees according to law, are forbidden to employ any teacher who has not a certificate from some summer school. Arrangements have been made whereby those attending the school may obtain board and lodging.
R. J. Peel, Supt.

What is "TEETHINA?" Well 'tis this: A tasteless powder that will kiss From baby's brow the fever glow That teething always bring, you know. "TEETHINA" Overcomes and Counteracts the Effects of Summer's Heat, Aids Digestion, Regulates the Bowels, Gives rosy cheeks, health and happiness to babies.

Sportsmen planning their vacation should remember that the shooting season is open all the year round in Colorado.—Washington Post.

Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar is the original Laxative cough cure. It is the best LAXATIVE cough syrup made. Bee's LAXATIVE Honey and Tar contains the anti-septic, healing, soothing and strengthening properties of the Native Pine, combined with other ingredients in a laxative syrup made from pure strained honey. Cures all coughs and strengthens weak lungs. Sold by S. H. Ellison & Co.

A woman is to be hanged soon in New Jersey unless the governor shall interfere with the sentence, and this does not now seem probable. No civilized state ought to hang a woman. She can be placed in confinement with little probability of escape. This woman may deserve death, according to the law, but still she is a woman, and for that reason, if none other, she ought not to die upon a gallows.—Raleigh Times.

THE CHRISTIAN churches at Constantinople, Turkey and Yokohama Japan, have long used the Longman & Martinez Paints for painting their churches. Liberal contributions of L. & M. Paint will be given for such purpose wherever a church is located. F. M. Scofield, Harris Springs, S. C. writes: "I painted our old homestead with L. & M. twenty-six years ago. Not painted since; looks better than houses painted in the last four years." W. B. Barr Charleston, W. Va., writes: "Painted Frankenburg Block with L. & M. shows better than any building here have ever done; stands out as the varnished and actual cost of paint was less than \$1. 50 per gallon. Wears and covers like gold." These Celebrated Paints are sold by S. R. Biggs.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
Bank of Martin County
at WILLIAMSTON, N. C.,
at the close of business March 28th, 1904.

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| RESOURCES: | |
| Loans & Discounts | \$ 75,515.56 |
| Over-Drafts | 1,347.71 |
| Other Stocks and Bonds | 1,000.00 |
| Furniture & Fixtures | 1,272.55 |
| Deposits | 9,577.04 |
| Due From Banks and Bankers | 5,120.64 |
| Net Bank Notes and other U.S. Notes | 7,181.38 |
| TOTAL | \$ 99,957.95 |
| LIABILITIES: | |
| Capital Stock | \$ 15,000.00 |
| Surplus | 5,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 1,510.30 |
| Due to Banks and Bankers | 216.73 |
| Deposits subject to Check | 65,339.02 |
| Time Certificates of Deposit | 15,000.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ 99,957.95 |

J. J. G. Godard Cashier, of Bank of Martin County, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the above Statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, J. J. G. GODARD, Cashier, State of North Carolina, County of Martin.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1904.
C. H. GODWIN, Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
Dennis S. Biggs
Wheeler Martin
S. I. Godard
J. J. G. Godard
DIRECTORS

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
J. C. Robertson, Banker,
at ROBERSONVILLE, N. C.,
at the close of business June 9th, 1904.

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| RESOURCES: | |
| Loans and Discounts | \$ 17,388.64 |
| Overdrafts | 425.14 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 746.66 |
| Other Real Estate Owned | 1,375.00 |
| Due from Banks and Bankers | 8,355.46 |
| Checks and other Cash Items | 1,245.39 |
| TOTAL | \$ 29,736.21 |
| LIABILITIES: | |
| Capital Stock | \$ 3,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 1,515.66 |
| Deposits Subject to Check | 22,204.55 |
| Cashier's Checks Outstanding | 14.30 |
| Bills Payable | 3,000.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ 29,736.21 |

J. J. C. Robertson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. C. ROBERTSON, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 9th day of June, 1904. S. L. ROSS, Notary Public.

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