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WILLIAMSTON, N. C. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1904.

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DIRECTORY.

Town Officers

Mayor—Joshua L. Ewell. Commissioners—Dr. J. B. H. Knight, N. S. Peel, Dr. J. D. Biggs, A. Hassell, F. K. Hodges. Street Commissioners—F. K. Hodges, N. S. Peel. Clerk—A. Hassell. Treasurer—N. S. Peel. Attorney—Wheeler Martin. Chief of Police—J. H. Page.

Lodges

Skewarkee Lodge, No. 90, A. F. and A. M. Regular meeting every 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights. Roanoke Camp, No. 107, Woodmen of the World. Regular meeting every 2nd and 4th Friday nights.

Church of the Advent

Services on the second and fifth Sundays of the month, morning and evening, and on the Saturdays (5 p. m.) before, and on Mondays (9 a. m.) after said Sundays of the month. All are cordially invited.

Methodist Church

Rev. T. H. Satton, the Methodist Pastor, has the following appointments: Every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and night at 7 o'clock respectively, except the second Sunday. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Holy Springs 3rd Sunday evening at 3 o'clock; Vernon 1st Sunday evening at 3 o'clock; Hamilton 2nd Sunday, morning and night; Hassell 2nd Sunday at 5 o'clock. A cordial invitation to all to attend these services.

Baptist Church

Preaching on the 1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting every Thursday night at 7:30. Sunday School every Sunday, morning at 9:30. J. D. Biggs, Superintendent.

The pastor preaches at Hamilton on the 3rd Sunday in each month, at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., and at Riddick's Grove on Saturday before every 1st Sunday at 11 a. m., and on the 1st Sunday at 3 p. m. Slade School House on the 2nd Sunday at 3 p. m., and the Biggs' School House on the 4th Sunday at 3 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.

R. D. CARROLL, Pastor.

SKEWARKEE LODGE

No. 90, A. F. & A. M.



DIRECTORY FOR 1904. S. S. Brown, W. M.; H. D. Taylor, S. W.; Mc G. Taylor, J. W.; T. W. Thomas, S. D.; A. F. Taylor, J. D.; S. R. Biggs, Secretary; C. D. Castanhen, Treasurer; M. M. Critcher and J. D. Biggs, Stewards; R. W. Clary, Tyler.

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INTERESTING NEWS FROM RALEIGH CORRESPONDENT

The Gattis-Kilgo Case Continued; The State Ass'n. of County Public School Sup'ts. To Convene Nov. 30th; Heavy Post-Office Receipts.

A GOOD COMMENT ON POLITICAL ADVERTISING.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 7. The famous Gattis-Kilgo case has been continued by consent to the next term of Wake superior court, sitting for the trial of civil causes. It will be recalled that this is the case wherein Rev. Thos. J. Gattis, of Durham, is suing Dr. J. C. Kilgo, president of Trinity College and Mr. B. N. Duke of Durham, and Mr. Odell, of Concord. The case has been twice tried and new trials afterwards granted by the supreme court.

The newspapers of the South are gradually awakening to the imposition that has been practiced upon them for so many weary years by the politicians and professional office-seekers.

The burden which they have borne because of it, here in North Carolina, if footed up at the end of a campaign at regular advertising rates, would appear almost incredible.

The politicians do not presume to ask like "favors" of people engaged in any other business, but have come to the point where they take it for granted that a newspaper must print column after column of purely advertising matter, proper, free—and many of them no longer ask it as a "favor," and do not even say "thank" you in return.

They do not even stop there—some of them. For they are not only unappreciative, but in many cases ungrateful.

Their ingratitude, and worse, is not infrequently manifested by an abuse of newspapers.

Especially has this disposition been manifested in our General Assembly, when a little cross-roads politician who has secured an election to the Legislature through the aid of his county newspaper, arises in the House and brays his "indignation" to the Speaker and the lobbyists because some newspaper has told the truth about him.

It is observed, however, that the light is breaking—in the east, of course—for the New York and other newspapers and magazines, are this year expecting pay of the political managers for this character of advertising.

The Knoxville Sentinel says: "A recent issue of the Saturday Evening Post contains a full page advertisement which marks a new step in the progress of the advertising idea in this country. It is a page taken by the national Republican campaign committee and is devoted to Theodore Roosevelt. The Weekly Post is a weekly publication."

The State Association of County Superintendents of Public Schools will convene in the hall of the House of Representatives, this City, Wednesday, November 30th, and continue in session through Thursday, December 1st, and Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, today sent out to every county superintendent in the State a letter urging attendance on this convention and outlining some-what the business that is to come before the body. The letter is an interesting and comprehensive document.

A Heavy Load

To lift that load off the stomachs take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. Sour stomach, belching, gas on the stomach, and all disorders of the stomach that are curable, are instantly relieved and permanently cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. S. P. Storrs, a druggist at 207 Main street, New Britain, Conn. says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is giving such universal satisfaction and is so shurely becoming the positive relief and subsequent cure for this distressing ailment, I feel that I am always sure to satisfy and gratify my customers by recommending it to them. I write this to show how well the remedy is spoken of here." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was discovered after years of scientific experiments and will positively cure all stomach troubles. Sold by Anderson, Crawford & Co.

tion of wide circulation and the advertising in its columns is among the most expensive in the country. No doubt the appearance of this advertisement is a signal for the beginning of extensive paid publicity on the part of the Republican national committee. Four or eight years ago such purchases of space for political advertisements was unheard of. Since that time the New York papers have printed more and more political advertising during their municipal and State campaigns. The speeches of a Democratic candidate, for instance, would be inserted as an advertisement in a Republican paper. This has become a feature of the campaigns, and inasmuch as advertising has come to be used for nearly every purpose the natural result has been the advertising of a national Presidential candidate. In our opinion the Republican national committee has shown excellent judgement. The Democratic committee should not fail to enter on a similar campaign.

Whereupon the Atlanta Journal adds this truthful criticism: "In the South our campaign committees go to work and raise a campaign fund. They spend this fund on stump speakers, and in writing letters mainly. For the same amount of money they can reach double the number of voters through the newspapers. But your Southern politician argues that the newspapers will exploit the party nominees any how; that it is useless to spend money on them. They not only refuse to pay the newspapers anything for this service, but very often they solicit campaign contributions from them as well. In time this will be all changed in the South, as it is now changing in the East."

The Journal is correct and the change is coming on more speedily than the language of that paper suggests. The politicians will soon find it necessary, in the South as in the East, to exploit their own plans, and to pay for the newspaper advertising that is indispensable. The newspapers that give away their advertising space cannot live, much less grow to the proportions demanded nowadays to keep up with the procession. For, as the Asheville News-Gazette says, "The indefinite understanding of 'support' upon which the average colored party organ depends is often not very filling. Political publicity through newspapers is a commodity—very much like soap publicity or dry goods publicity."

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DARDENS

Mrs. Mittie Fagan continues quite sick.

Mr. J. A. Getsinger went to Jamesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Dora Sullenger was a guest in Dardens a few days ago.

M. Thomas Bateman, of Jamesville, was a visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Garnie McCaskey was a visitor in Dardens Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Sallenger died last Saturday after a long illness of dropsy.

Mr. Dempsey, of Bertie, is teaching vocal music at the Disciple church.

Miss Minnie Smith attended Sunday school at the Baptist church Sunday.

Miss Alice Darden anticipates visiting relatives in Norfolk in the near future.

Miss Hamilton, of Plymouth, was the guest of Miss Olive Jackson last week.

Mr. S. M. Darden is having an ell built to his house which will be quite an improvement.

Mr. Napoleon Allen died near here last Monday after being confined to his home a long time with consumption.

There was quite a concourse of people assembled at Corinth church last Sunday to enjoy the union meeting.

The little boys of our place have the bicycle craze. I think they will be quite as numerous as horses before Christmas.

Misses Delia Skittleharpe and Bessie Norman, of Plymouth, attended church at Ware's Chapel Saturday night.

Rev. Mr. Jones delivered an eloquent sermon Sunday at the Methodist church. We are in hopes of having him with us next year.

Mr. R. C. Fagan has returned from San Jacinto, Cal., where he went several months ago for his health. We are sorry to say that the change did not improve him.

Coney Island is to have a new million dollar park. It will probably furnish the average man a million new ways of spending a dollar.—Atlanta Journal.



A Remedy That No One Is Afraid To Take.

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup has been used in thousands of homes for fifty-two years with perfect confidence and the most remarkable results.

The great success of this remedy is due to the fact that its formula (which consists of Buchu, Hydrangea, Mandrake, Yellow Dock, Dandelion, Sarsaparilla, Gentian, Senna and Iodide of Potassium) has been freely published.

Doctors and Druggists everywhere do not hesitate to recommend a preparation which they know contains the best-known remedies for correcting all irregularities of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood, and the diseases caused by the failure of these functions to perform their proper work.

Thousands of sick ones to whom life has been a burden have written grateful letters that others might profit by their experience.

ROBERTS GORR, THE, Nov. 18, 1902. I was suffering terribly with indigestion and kidney trouble and sent to my druggist for something to relieve me.

As he sent me a package of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup I concluded to try it, and now I am deeply grateful to my druggist as well as to you.

I had been a sufferer from these things and a general weakness condition for ten years, and had only received temporary relief from other medicines. But after taking just two packages of your Liver and Blood Syrup I feel as stout and hearty as I ever did in my life, and I am satisfied that I am entirely cured. I feel no symptoms whatever of kidney trouble, and my digestion is as good as any living man's. I can now eat whatever I choose.

I never had any remedy give me such quick and permanent relief, and I can not put a correct estimate on the value your medicine has been to me. I would not take any amount of money for it. Very gratefully yours, J. C. BROWN.

If you need a medicine write to-day for a free sample bottle and "Dr. Thacher's Health Book."

Please send me a copy of your book. I am very anxious to get it. For sale by all Druggists—two sizes—50 cents and \$1.00.

THACHER MEDICINE CO., Chatterbox, Tenn.

MR. ROOSEVELT IS ELECTED IN A LANDSLIDE

Republicans Score Signal Victory, Carrying Doubtful States. Parker's Plurality in N. Y. City Smaller Than Was Expected, But Republicans Carry State.

MARYLAND AND WEST VIRGINIA GO REPUBLICAN.

The Associated Press reports to the big dailies the following on the election:

The Republican national ticket has been elected by a vote in the electoral college that will exceed that of 292 given Mr. McKinley, in 1900.

The result of balloting was astounding, even to the most sanguine of the Republican managers. Confident as they were of success, they were not prepared for the astonishing figures which followed the closing of the polls, bringing into the Republican column not only all of those States they had claimed as safe for their candidates but with the possible exception of Maryland, every State classed as doubtful.

Democratic successes are confined to the solid South, in which Kentucky is included, and Mr. Parker has not carried a single State which did not give its vote to Mr. Bryan four years ago. Official returns indicate that he lost some of those which the Nebraska candidate held for his party.

HOW THE VOTES STAND

Official figures from the North-west cities may slightly change the totals, but based on the returns available at a late hour to-night, the electoral vote stands as follows:

Table showing electoral vote counts for Roosevelt and Parker across various states. Roosevelt has a lead of 325 electoral votes to Parker's 151.

FOR ROOSEVELT

Table showing estimated electoral vote counts for Roosevelt in individual states, totaling 325 votes.

FOR PARKER

Table showing estimated electoral vote counts for Parker in individual states, totaling 151 votes.

As a dramatic climax to the sensational majority given him, came President Roosevelt's formal announcement that he would not be a candidate for re-election, lending

State Library

A MATTER OF HEALTH



Williamston Telephone Co.

Office over Bank of Martin County, WILLIAMSTON, N. C.

Phone Charges

Table showing phone charges for various locations like Washington, Greenville, Plymouth, etc., with rates in cents.

For other points in Eastern Carolina see "Central" where a phone will be found for use of non-subscribers.

In Case of Fire

you want to be protected. In case of death you want to leave your family something to live on. In case of accident you want something to live on besides borrowing.

Let Us Come to Your Rescue

We can insure you against loss from Fire, Death and Accident.

We can insure your Boiler, Plate Glass, Burglary. We also can bond you for any office requiring bond.

None But Best Companies Represented

K. B. GRAWFORD INSURANCE AGENT, Godard Building.

Who is Your Candidate

ROOSEVELT OR PARKER?

The coming campaign promises to be close. Neither candidate is certain of success. Events may happen which will change the whole aspect of the political situation. No newspaper is better equipped to handle the news than

THE WASHINGTON POST

It has a perfect telegraphic service, its special correspondents rank first in the newspaper profession, and all the news is printed without fear or favor of either party. The Post is thoroughly independent, and each day will give the true situation, uncolored by partisan zeal. No paper is more widely quoted. At great cost it obtains cable dispatches from the London Times, giving the news of the Russian-Japanese war. Subscription for three months, \$1.00; two months, \$1.25; one month, 75 cents. Sample copies free.

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