

THE STATE IN EPITOME

News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in North Carolina.

AFFAIRS AT WHITEVILLE.

Town Primary Called—Civic Improvement—Railroad Development. (Special Star Correspondence.) Whiteville, N. C., March 26.—The town primary has been called by Mayor W. Ross Davis for Thursday, April 7th. When the mayor, aldermen and chief of police, town clerk, etc., will be nominated. The present incumbent will probably succeed himself as mayor, and most of the aldermen will be re-elected. Chief Thompson is a candidate for re-election, but he has two mighty strong opponents in the persons of Ernest J. Baldwin and Sam Black.

PISTOLS IN ORDER.

A Complication of Events Makes Live-ly Day in Scotland. (Charlotte Observer.) Laurinburg, March 26.—Pistols were much in evidence in this section today. About 12 o'clock a 'phone message was received from the firm of Mr. R. E. Lee, just a short distance north of Laurinburg, stating that a negro was there with a pistol making assaults and defiantly patrolling the road through the premises. Deputy Sheriff Lamar Smith was on the scene at once. He found that the negro, Walter McNeill, late of the Robeson county chain gang, had already been disarmed and was seated on a stool while one of the farm overseers stood on guard with a Remington "Special".

SAMPSON MAN ARRESTED.

Wanted at Clinton—All Round Criminal—Baseball Game Tuesday. (Special Star Correspondence.) Goldsboro, N. C., March 26.—George L. Smith, a young white man hailing from Sampson county, was arrested in this city yesterday and locked up on the charge of skipping a \$200 bond he had given in Clinton and also for selling whiskey. An officer arrived in the city from Clinton yesterday noon and carried Smith back with him on the afternoon train, leaving here at 3 o'clock. Smith is well known throughout this State, especially to the officers of the law, and according to his own statement in a book which he is having printed in this city he is an ex-convict, who has run "blind tigers" in nearly every town in North and South Carolina, served 23 times on chain gangs; been locked up 208 times; has been in jail twice since he gave his book to the printers, and driven out of 64 towns and has four times been ordered by judges to leave the State.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Table of suburban train schedules, including routes to Front and Princess streets and other local destinations. Columns include destination, train number, and departure times.

A Lich Gate. A lich gate is a shed, generally of oak, over the entrance of a churchyard, beneath which the bearers paused when bringing a body for interment. Here the clergyman met the body and read the introductory part of the funeral service as he preceded the funeral train into the church. Examples of old lich gates are still to be seen in many country churchyards. In Wales they are more modern and are usually built of stone. Some of the old lich gates are formed with one wide door turning on a central pivot and self closing by means of a rude pulley wheel in the roof and a stone weight inclosed in an iron frame, a primitive but effective piece of machinery. In Herefordshire they are also called "scallage" or "scallenge" gates. "Lich gate" is derived from the Anglo-Saxon lich, a corpse; hence the north country "lyke wake," "London-Answers."

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House Names in Holland. A recent traveler in that land of dikes and windmills has been at pains to make notes of the names bestowed by the Dutch merchants upon their country houses. Here are a few examples translated: "Our Contentment," "Joy and Peace," "Leisure and Happiness," "My Desire is Satisfied," "Friends and Quiet," "My Wife and I," "Not So Bad." To say the least, any one of these would seem to indicate more of the genuine sentiment of the householder than can possibly be expressed by the "Belle Vues" and "Cedars" of England.—London Mail.

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DEATH OF MR. M. M. CLINE. One of Largest and Most Prosperous Farmers of Catawba. (Newton Enterprise.) Mr. M. M. Cline, one of the largest and most prosperous farmers of Catawba county, died at his home about six miles southeast of Newton about midnight Saturday night. He was buried Monday at St. James Lutheran church. The great assemblage of people at the funeral attested the high esteem in which he was held throughout the county.

A. & M. COLLEGE NEWS. Officers of Literary Society—Annual Track Meet on Monday. (Special Star Correspondence.) West Raleigh, N. C., March 26.—The officers of the Literary Society, elected for the new term, are as follows: President, Thomas B. Stansel; vice president, Geo. W. Gillette; treasurer, John T. Peden; secretary, L. L. Dall; critic, L. P. McLendon; censor, T. B. Summerlin.

THE EFFICACIOUS SCREAM. Charlotte News: With two would-be burglars crawling through the kitchen window about 10 o'clock last night, Miss Nellie McCord turned on the light and with a shriek of her voice scared them away. It was at the home of Rev. A. R. Harrison, No. 603 North Allan street, when Rev. and Mrs. Harrison were away from home. The burglars put a box at the window and smashed the glass with a stick of brick. They raised the sash about a foot and one of them was crawling in and the other was standing on the box when Miss McCord turned on the light. They jumped and ran away without being identified. They were white boys and it is thought they live in the neighborhood. An investigation is being made.

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