

Cloudy today; fair Friday.

MAJORITY IS GIVEN GAY FOR MAYOR IN THE FIRST PRIMARY

South Rocky Mount Man Piles Up 121 Majority Over Four Opponents

DAVIS AND THURMAN NAMED AS ALDERMEN

Gay's Majority Makes Expected Second Primary Unnecessary - Barnhill, Capelle, Staton and Keel Trail in Order Named

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This result, based on the primary vote, will give the voters a second primary next Monday, May 3, at 10 o'clock.

ASHBURNER SPEAKS IN CITY TONIGHT

Head of Norfolk Government to Discuss City Managership Plan

A. Ashburner, head of the Norfolk government, will speak in this city tonight at 8 o'clock.

The first ward is between B. H. Davis and C. E. Keel. The second ward is between P. M. Staton and W. L. Jones.

FARMERS REQUIRED TO LIST ACREAGE

State Department of Agriculture Gives Outline of Recent Legislation

The state department of agriculture announces that all farmers are to prepare a list of their acreage for the year 1921.

NEW ARGUMENT IN WAGE CONTROVERSY

Jewell Declares Standard of American Living Would Be Impaired by Cut

Chicago, April 28.—Reduction of the standard of the American living and lower wages in present economic conditions of the industrial sector of industry, it is declared today by R. M. Jewell, head of the railroad union who is fighting to maintain the present wage scale before the board.

Atlantic Fleet Passes in Review Before President on His Return From Drills in Southern Waters

Sea Pageant Is One of Most Impressive Spectacles at Hampton Roads

CANNON ROAR SALUTE

Little Batteries of Presidential Yacht Respond to Big Guns - Harding's First Review of America's Sea Power

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Superintendent of Public Instruction Prepares Scale For State Teachers

WILKINSON NAMED TO FILL WOOD'S VACANCY

Charlotte Banker Is Chosen By Governor Morrison to Occupy Place on New State Highway Commission in Place of Wood

Raleigh, April 28.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Dr. J. C. Brooks, has prepared a graduated scale of pay for the white teachers in North Carolina public schools for the year 1921.

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The board, Mr. Harding said, thought that it might be possible for him to make a thorough investigation of the situation so that it might secure first hand information.

SPEED BOAT LEAVES ON LAST LEG OF JOURNEY

Hampton, Va., April 28.—The speedboat "G. H. Jr.," racing an express train from Florida to New York, left Hampton before daylight this morning on the last leg of its trip to New York.

NASHVILLE PRISON DELIVERY RESULTS IN NEGRO'S DEATH

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Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN CONTINUING TODAY

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WILL DISTRIBUTE CHINESE FAMINE ENVELOPES FRIDAY

Final plans are being made today for starting the distribution of Chinese famine envelopes to the school children of the city tomorrow.

NATIVE WITCH DOCTORS DRAW \$25000 TERMS

Johannesburg, April 2.—Two native witch doctors have just been sentenced to prison for eighteen months each after they pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing the body of a European woman from a grave on the Swaziland border to make charms.