MR. BLACKBURN HARD HIT

AN EXCITING POLITICAL GAME

Republican persuasion in North Carolina, which has been in progress for for him. the past several months, has been an interesting and exciting and, at times, a sensational one. It has been played by Chairman Rollins on the one hand and Congressman Blackburn and Congressman Blackburn bey of "outs" on the other, have been may mysterious The plackburn is There have been times when of two to one on Congreseman burn looked like easy money sink the game seemed all but won by presentative from the eighth dis-tations and tonferences. An-move and then the political moment doubtful. Thus the game were at these critical moment tations and tonferences. An-move and then the political moment doubtful. Thus the game were spoke caution. cunning and the symmet. He was under direct examina-tion, or four hours and was then turned over to the district attorney, who is giv-ing him a most vigorous cross examina-tion, which will not be concluded until to move spoke to the function. This would be a line running mid is angent, the symmet with and Rockingham connects with the proposed new road of the Balti-mote and then the fortunes was but a by-word. Rash rere in order and the fortunes was b and a bevy of "outs" on the other. There odds of two to one on Congreseman Blackburn looked like easy money and when the game seemed all but won by the representative from the eighth district. there went forth hurry calls from one organization" for a "demonstration" at the nation's capital. There were consultations and conferences. Another move and then the political chess-board presented a different aspect. The President was standing "pat" by the "organization" and the game from the Blackburn corner looked doubtful. Thus the game was played, featured at times by moves that bespoke caution, cunning and political sagacity. At other times cantion was but a by-word. Rash plays were in order and the fortunes of first one and then the fither hung in the balance. It has bee of thenbeen watched with intense incerest by the people from one end of North Carolina to the other. And now the game has ended. The President has taken a hand and the President has WOH.

The three big political officers in North Carolina have virtually been disposed of. The President has sent to the Senate the names of A. E. Holton for district attorney to succeed himself; of H. S. Harkins for collector of internal revenues for the western district, to succeed himself, and of J. M. Millikan for United States marshal for the western district of North Carolina, to succeed himself.

The President has finally and determinedly shaped his course, has settled the political squabble, and Messrs. more hogs raised in the corporate lim-Harkins, Holton and Millikan will retain their offices for another four years.

This decision of the President to re-son, and John, a younger son, werc appoint to third terms these office-playing Friday with some bottles in man Blackburn desired carried out, was summoned who pronounced it a Both these gentlemen desired changes case of carbolic acid poisoning. After man Blackburn's course has been prove. The little boy had drank some clearly outlined heretofore. Chair- burned. Both have recovered from

n fight. At is pointed out that. HE CORROBORATES SAMUEL. resident has thrown Mr. Black-lows in one instance, the Wag-pointment, he may thro whim HASTY ON STAND FOUR HOURS Alleged Co-Conspirator With G. W. Summel Bears Out Statements Made by Latter as to Reports of Distil-krics Destrayed—After Direct Ex-munation Listing Four Hours Ho is Turned Over to Prosecution and is Subjected to Searching Cross Examination, Which Will be Con-cluded To-Day — Character Wit-nesses Examined, Special to The Observer. Greensboro, Feb. 2.—In the G. W. Sam-

Collical Chess Game Between Rollins and the "Organization" on One cide and Blackburn and the "Onts" on the Other, Resulting in Defeat of Latter, Was at Times Sensational --Assistant District Altorney Price Will Hold His Job: What is to Become of Mr. Britt?--Mr. Black-burn May Yet Lose Greensboro and Become of Mr. Britt?--Mr. Black-hurn May Yet Lose Greensboro and Goldsboro Postoffice Appointments --Sidelights on the Situation. Correspondence of The Observer. Asheville, Feb. 5.-The political chess same being played by members of the Banchilter neuroscient in North Care Greensboro, Feb. 6.-In the G. W. Sam uel trial in Federal Court District At torney Holton finished the cross exami nation of J. H. Smith, formerly a specia

heaving, Another plate will be found employe in the revenut service, within a short time after court reconvened this And now that all, or practically all. of the big office-holders have been ap pointed what will the "outs" do? They have long ht and lost. Will they conmorning and the rest of the day was con-sumed in receiving the testimony of J. W. Hasty, an alleged co-conspirator with Samuel. He was under direct examinatinue the fight and disrupt the party still further? These are questions that tion for four hours and was then turned

At these critical moments went forth hurry calls from one inization" for a "demonstration" Project to Establish Line to Connect With Proposed New B. & O. Road Projected—Statesville News Notes.

any doubt. The annual meeting of the First Building & Loan Association of Statesville was held Saturday at their Capt. David Barrow, of Allendale, N. J

offices here. This association has only Correspondence of The Observer. recently wound up its last series and made an excellent showing. A new series of stock has been issued and received here this morning of the death of Capt. David Barrow, which already a great number of shares have occurred Saturday at the home of his been subscribed. The officers elected are: President, J. C. Irwin: vice presdaughter, Mrs. S. M. Pritchett, at Allendale, N. J. Last May he was ident, H. C. Cowles; secretary and treasurer, J. Harrill; attorney, I. C. stricken with paralysis, followed by a second stroke three weeks ago, from which he never railied. Leceased Caldwell: Directors-G. H. Brown, I. Wallace, N. B. Milla, W. T. Kincaid, R. H. Rickert, L. C. Wagner, J. A. Brady and L. Harrill. The board of alderman, at its reguwas a brother of the late H. W. and William Barrow, of this city, and was

known to many of the older citizens of this section. Capt. Barrow enlisted lar monthly meeting yesterday after-noon decided that there could be no as second lieutenant of the Forsyth Its of Statesville.

Ruth, the little two and one-half year-old daughter of Mr. A. L. Stimtaincy of Company K. Twenty-first Regiment, April 26, 1862. He was appoint to third terms these office-holders was not the programme that heither Chairman Rollins or Congress-was summoned who pronounced it a served to the end of the civil war. Mrs. O. S. Kendrick, of Gaffney, a few hours the child began to im-Correspondence' of The Observer. Gaffney, S. C., Feb. 5 .--- Mrs. O. S.

clearly outlined heretofore. Chair-man Rolling is authority for the state-ment that he desired a change. The President, however, has examined the records of the present "Big Three" of-fice-holders; has found that the rec-ords made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are of the bride's cousin, Mr. A. S. Wil-was made by these gentlemen are The course that President Rodsevelt The course

CHARLOUTE DAILY OBSERVER, FEBRUARY 7, 1906.

Don Breakfast Luncheon or Tea

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Judge Allen's Illness Delays Bun-MellAV-ERWIN.

Miss Jonie Erwin Becomes the Bride of Mr. Palmer McKay at Moores-ville-Personal and News Notes.

Correspondence of The Observer. Mooresville, Feb. 5.-Last evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Bass, mother of the bride, Miss Jonie Ervin and Mr. Paimer McKay were Mooresville, Feb. 5.—Last evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. to programme. Judge W. R. Allen, Bass, mother of the bride, Miss Jonie Ervin and Mr. Palmer McKay were united in marriage, Rev. T. J. Rogers and Sheriff Reid was to-day notified Winston-Salem, Feb. 5 .--- News was

guests.

The community is in deep sympa-thy with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Goodman, who lost their infant baby, born last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Allen left this after-noon for their home at Charleston, after a visit to Rev. and Mrs. W. S.

as second lieutenant of the Forsyth Riflemen. Company D. Twenty-first North Carolina Regiment. May 23, 1861, and was promoted to the cap-taincy of Company K. Twenty-first Regiment Areil 26 1862 We were accompanied by Miss Wilson, of Charleston, and Dr. Sarah Wilson, of Columbia, who were also visiting here. The Statesville minstrels will ap-

Regiment, April 26, 1862. He was pear at the Academy to-morrow wounded and discharged on account of disabilities in 1863 and assigned to conscript duty, in which position he Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Willeford and

son, J. B. Willeford, left this morning for Siloam Springs, Indian Territory where they will probably make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Willeford say they will return if they do not like

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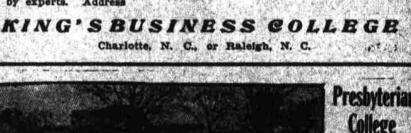


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burn in a vital spot. Clint Wagner, of Statesville, was Congressman Blackburn's candidate for the marshalship. The President is quoted as saying that would appoint Mr. Wagner within so days.

There are those conversant with the facts who say that, when the President made Congressman this promise, he was not acquainted with the full facts; that since that time certain things have been brought to the Chief Executive's attention which the President conceived to be sufficient ground for the changing of his mind. These additional facts, however, which have Government Produces Evidence Tendbeen presented to the President do not in any way reflect discredit upon Mr. Wagner.

It is said that the President determined to reappoint Mr. Holton because of that gentleman's record and that Madshal Millikan's record is exis excellent and that the continued services of these officers are necessary to carry on the investigation into rev-

trict attorneyship but, notwithstanding these denials, there have been persistent rumors to the contrary. 11 has been a conceded fact that the

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followers as postmasters at Greens-and Goldshoro. These appoint-its are held up and it is now ned, on high authority, that "there

Mrs. C. B. Webb returned last week from Mt. Airy, where she had spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Ashcraft.-Mrs. C. L. Wheeler, of High Point, and Mrs. J. W. Marsh. Thomasville, are guests of Mrs. S. Colvert.-Mr. H. O. Steele left last night for Philadelphia, where he goes to attend the convention of the National Brickmakers Manufacturing As-sociation.-Mrs. W. E. Sloan returned terday afternoon. The deceased was yesterday from a visit to relatives in

IN COLLUSION WITH CARTER.

Taylorsville.

ing to Show That Greene and Gaynor Were Fraudulently Given Inside Track on River and Harbor Contracts.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 6.-Evidence presented for the government in the Greene his efforts to unearth revenue frauds and Gaynor case to-day was designed to and bring the guilty parties to justice; show an alleged pragtice of Captain Carter to shat out other contractors sellent; that Collector Harkin's record than the defendants from river and bar- Flames Originated in The Enterprise bor improvements made under the super-

vision of the officer of engineers with whom Greene and Gaynor are charged Correspondence of The Observer.

to carry on the investigation into revenue frauds and to prosecute thole indicated for violations of the law.
ROLLINS NOT CANDIDATE.
Chairman Rollins returned from would become district attorney was been followed by Carter was the fight upon the organized Democracy and the city adhered a statement that the chairman would become district attorney was described as the engineer. Carter, it was shown, it dened upon Mr. Rollins' arrival her yesterday. The chairman suit he had been a candidate for district attorney was other office. The chairman also denied the frame to dened the frames or any other office. The chairman also denied the frames to denied the frames into the had been a candidate for district attorney was the had been a service and be denied the frames to denied the frames to denied the frames into the had been a candidate for district attorney was the free office. The chairman also denied the frames that the chair the dual the the date for the opening of bids attree had been as and didto for district attorney was the free was a tracked had to be made in triplicate. Hy the time letters had been exchanged in the section of the state office. The was abading distributed for the date for the opening of bids attree denied the frames conditions of the bad been as a tracked had to be made in triplicate. Hy the time letters had been exchanged and the as a state of friends, was that Mr. Hy the time denied to be made in triplicate. Would have approached so closely as a closely as a closely as a state of friends, was that Mr.
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THE DEATH RECORD.

Mr Frank Alexander, of Walla Walla, Wash., and Mr. L. G. McLean. Fayetteville, Feb. 5.-Mrs. Rebecca McDaniel died Saturday morning at the residence of her son-in-law, of Concord, are on a visit to Mr. Gib-Jonathan Evans, on the east side of Cape Fear river, aged 81 years. The funeral services, conducted by Rev. V.

the widow of the late John McDaniel,

and before marriage was Miss Rebecca Uzzell, of Wayne-county. She leaves one son, Mr. S. F. McDaniel and three daughters, Mrs. Jonathan Evans, Misses Lou and Willie McDaniel. She was one of the oldest members of the First Baptist church of this city; in fact

probably a charter member as the church was organized by her brotherin-law, the late Rev. James McDaniel one of the ablest preachers of the Bap tlet faith in North Carolina.

FIRE AT ALBEMARLE.

Building-Fire Was Threatening, but Damage Was Small.

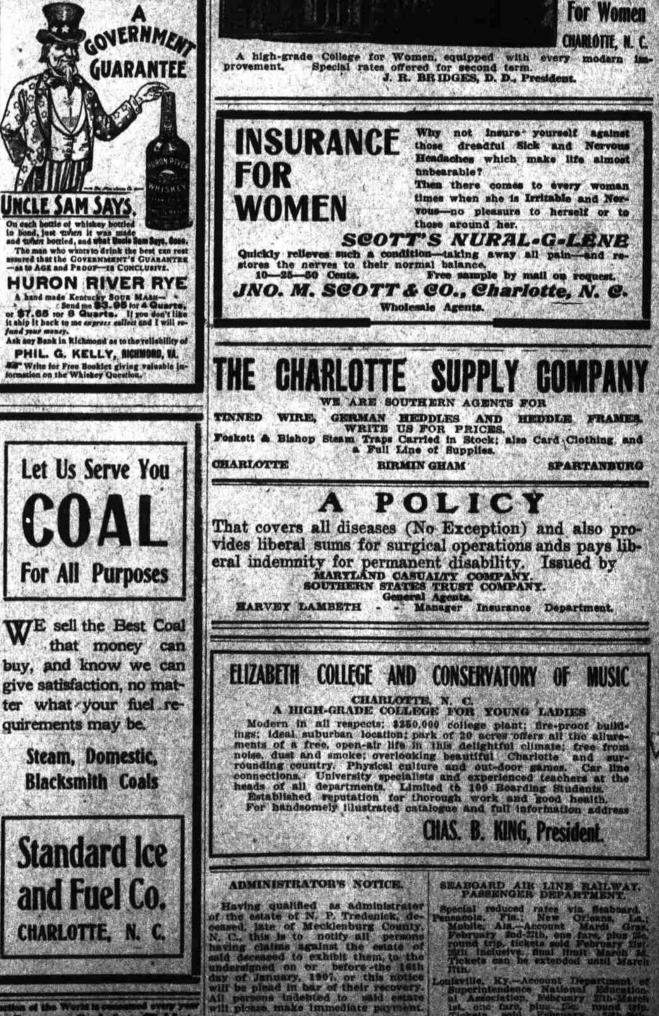
on Furr. Mr. Alexander is an old Iredell county boy, but has lived in the West for 19 years. INTEREST IN MARRIAGE. Miss Carrie McCanless, Who Was

Married to Mr. Carl Hammer, One of Salisbury's Most Gifted and Popular Young Women.

Correspondence of The Observer. Salisbury, Feb. 5.-There has been no event of recent date in which Salis-bury took a profounder interest than the marriage of the gifted daughter Miss Carrie McCanless and Mr. Car Hammer, of Schenectady, N. Y. Miss McCanless is the daughter of Capt. N B. McCanless of this city, and is a surpassingly intellectual woman, be-

ides being an artist hardly equalled in the State. Her father is a wealthy citizen of Salisbury and has had much to do with the city's phenomena growth of the last five years. Mr. Ham-

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W. G. MCLAUGHED

This 16th day of January, 1900.