

POLITICS IN GUILFORD.

Campaign for County Offices Begins Early—New High Point Mill Building to be Completed in 40 Days.

High Point, March 29.—Work on the buildings of the Globe Parlor Furniture Company began this week and the company expects to be in new quarters by early summer. The plant is located in the southern part of the city near that of the High Point Metallic Bed Co.

It is somewhat early to discuss county politics but the matter has taken root at Greensboro and, of course, has reached High Point in a measure, although politics is generally a secondary matter with the citizens of this place. High Point's deputy sheriff, Mr. J. L. Parrish, has his eye on the sheriff's place and if he does not get the nomination he will make a hard fight. Mr. Parrish is a strenuous deputy sheriff, always doing his work well and right as he sees it, and there are many who think he would ably represent the great county of Guilford in the capacity of a high sheriff. It has been the exception and not the rule that all the county sheriffs must come from Greensboro or thereabouts in recent years, and High Point should be, it is felt, recognized with a man of his choice this time. Deputy Parrish has his feet fastened up, has many backers in the county and will give 'em a tussel. In regard to the senatorial toga Representative Robertson, of this place, can most probably succeed in the Senate if he chooses not to return for the fourth time to the House and thereby stand a good chance to become the speaker of the House, for the major generally gets what he wants in that line.

Mr. W. C. Stepp has completed the stone work at the new silk mill and this building will be ready for machinery inside of 40 days, if the weather permits. The silk mill, when completed, will be 250 feet long, high brick and stone and one of the largest and most up-to-date plants anywhere.

The modern residence of Mr. Henry Harris, a Hebrew merchant at this place, has just been completed at a cost of several thousand dollars. The finish downstairs is of oak and the second floor is of natural pine. The work was done by Mr. W. T. Montgomery, contractor.

The Temple Male Quartette appears at the auditorium every night at the last attraction of the lyceum attractions for this season.

An old law book has been resurrected by Mr. Frank Brown, of this place. It was found among his father's effects and no doubt is very valuable. It belonged to Mr. Frank Brown's great grandfather, who was a practicing lawyer in Moore county from 1800 to 1825. The book bears the date in the printed title, signed by George Washington, the "Father of Our Country."

The Guilford Bottling & Supply Co. is the name of a new concern which has located in the western part of the city.

The Enterprise Printing Co. is installing a Mergenthaler duplex typesetting machine, one of the very best on the market.

BIDDING FOR ANOTHER COLLEGE.

High Point Has Proprietary for Location of Non-Denominational Christian College—Personal and News Notes.

High Point, March 29.—The people here believe that Mr. E. D. Steele's company has acted wisely in arriving at a decision to begin work at Thomasville and come this way with the trolley line, as by so doing all the crossings can be built over the short road of Mr. Mill Jones running from Thomasville into a crooked section. In this way the company can get all the ties needed from this source, having them over its own road as fast as the rails are put down.

High Point has another college proposition before it. This time a non-denominational Christian college, for the higher education of young men and young women. Those who have looked into the matter consider it a good chance, both from an educational and a business standpoint. The matter will receive due consideration from the citizens.

Mr. Oscar Moffitt, of the High Point Grocery Company, will establish a branch store at Thomasville.

The infant boy of Mr. and Mrs. Myers died yesterday after an illness of several weeks from whomoping cough and bronchial pneumonia. The funeral services were held from the house this afternoon, conducted by Rev. O. L. Powers, of the First Baptist church.

Mr. Emmett L. Crouch has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new factory for the Best Chair Company.

The marshals for the South Main street graded school have been elected as follows: Charles H. Company, Secretary; assistants, Robert Beuchin, Gurney Briggs, Geo. A. Matton, Jr., Joe Tomlinson, Baxter Creel, Carey Raper, Vernon Motzinger and Don Burkess.

Mr. Heriot Clarkson, of Charlotte, who was scheduled to address the Anti-Saloon League here next Sunday afternoon will not be here but will speak at some future time, the date to be announced later.

Dr. T. F. Marr, pastor of Washington Street M. E. church, will preach a special sermon to the members of the local military company next Sunday morning. It is probable that some of the superior officers will be in attendance at this sermon, as the inspection takes place the night before.

The entertainment of the opera house last night by the Light Bearers of Washington Street M. E. church was well attended, notwithstanding the very inclement weather. The little folks did exceptionally well, especially in the play, "The Peak Sisters." The sum realized from the entertainment will help the young people carry on their work better than before.

A \$500,000 CONTRACT.

Largest Loom Order Ever Let Placed by Dan River Mills With the G. W. Stafford Co., of Readville, Mass.

Special to The Observer. Danville, Va., March 29.—The largest loom order ever placed in the world was placed here to-day by the Dan River Mills, with the G. W. Stafford Co., of Readville, Mass. The contract is for 1,100 nine- and ten-quarter looms and is said to have amounted to over \$500,000. The order was placed after a test lasting over a period of several months had been made by the mills, in which all the builders of this class of machinery entered. The test was decided entirely on merit, the Stafford loom having won on every point. The contract for the Stafford Co. was represented by Vice President Geo. P. Edwards, S. S. Jackson, general superintendent, and S. B. Alexander, Jr., of the firm of Alexander & Garrod, of Charlotte; Southern representatives.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVES' signature is on wrapper.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Mr. J. T. Murdock Undergoes Operation at Stateville—Several Clashes With Newspaper Men—News Notes.

Special to The Observer. Stateville, March 30.—The P. H. Music Co., which has formerly had headquarters in Charlotte, moved to Stateville yesterday and is temporarily located on the second floor of the building occupied by the L. B. Bristol Co. This company owns and operates wagons that travel through the country districts. They carry a line of pianos and organs.

The revival meeting, which has been in progress for two weeks at the First Presbyterian church, closed last night. As a result of the meeting there were 19 additions to the church.

The following invitations have been received here: "Mr. and Mrs. William Lamb announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Eleanor, to Mr. Alston Shoaf on Saturday, March 31, at six, nineteen hundred and six, New York. Mr. Shoaf has relatives here and is well-known, having been raised at Mill Bridge, Rowan county. He is now living in New York city. Yesterday morning a Long's Sanitarium the leg of Mr. John I. Murdock, which was so badly shattered several weeks ago by being caught in shafting at Steele's foundry, was amputated. Mr. Murdock stood the operation well and his physicians now say that he has a chance of recovery.

The following has been handed The Observer's correspondent by Mayor J. C. Steele with a request that it be published in The Observer. "In behalf of the city of Stateville we wish to extend our thanks to the city of Salisbury and the Southern Railroad for their prompt response to our call for help to extinguish the fire on the night of the 27th. By the good work of our own fire department and the level-headed citizens, the fire was under control when the Salisbury firemen, with Mayor Boyden in charge, arrived. But, if the fire had passed Mills & Poston's store it would have been a difficult task to have saved any of the block and the help would have come just in time. Our people also appreciate very much the offer of Charlotte and Spencer to send us help, and we hope that it will never be necessary, but if these favors, which we very much appreciate. J. C. STEELE, Mayor."

WEDDINGTON NEWS NOTES.

Two Young Men Engage in Affray—Academy Commencement April 5—Personal Mention.

Weddington, March 28.—Mr. Quincy Deal and Mr. Clide Stewart, two young men of this place, quarreled a few days ago over a telephone line and fought. Mr. Deal was severely cut by Stewart. His wound is doing as well as could be expected.

Master High Helms fell last week from a horse and broke his arm. His sister, Ester Helms, who had his leg badly cut a few days ago, is improving.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Godfrey is quite ill.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hunnyard died Saturday night. The remains were buried at Weddington Cemetery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bailey, of Marshville, visited Mr. E. W. Thomas last week. Miss Ellie Hudson and three of her school mates of the Presbyterian College, spent Saturday with Miss Hudson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hudson.

The commencement exercises of Weddington Academy will take place the 5th and 6th of April.

MAGNESS-MORROW.

Shelby Man Claims Rutherfordton Belle as His Bride.

Rutherfordton, March 29.—A beautiful wedding was that of the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Morrow, of North Main street, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when their charming daughter, Miss Bonnie Morrow, was united in matrimony to Shelby Magness. The ceremony was performed in his usual impressive manner. The bride is quite popular in this part of the county and while her friends wish her every happiness, they regret that she will be taken away from Rutherfordton, where she is so well known and appreciated, by her many charming traits. The groom is a promising young business man of our town. The ceremony was a delightful reception followed the ceremony, after which the couple left for their home. The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Osborne and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Austell, of Shelby.

Miss Pooey to be Founded. "A Friend" in Hickory Times-Mercury.

Miss Rissie Pooey moved to her own home yesterday. Her friends are preparing to give her a pouncing Saturday night. No one is to know it now. It will not see this paper. She has a great many friends. They love her. They want to show it by works. Those who may want to add in this worthy cause, can do so by leaving what they may want ready for Mrs. Russell's store. Remember the pouncing will be Saturday night.

Made in Charlotte. Wadesboro Messenger-Telegram.

The issue of the M. & L. has been gotten out under many difficulties and trials. In moving the press, a very heavy machine, into our new building a large gear wheel was broken, the result being that we could not move a peg until a new one was made. We had the wheel made in Charlotte and received it yesterday morning in time to get out the paper on our regular publication day, though a few hours later than usual.

The 20th of May Celebration. Lumberton Robesonian.

Preparations are being made for an unusually interesting celebration at Charlotte on May 20th, the anniversary of the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. This should be largely attended by North Carolinians who have a feeling of State pride. Charlotte is making ready for the occasion with the usual amount of enterprise it has for events of the kind.

Some Demands on Candidates.

To the Editor of The Observer: Politics is warming. We demand the following: The school law so amended that there will be more money for teachers and less for salaries officers; a tax on every dog in the county, only small birds a little better protected; that A. F. Long represent us in the Legislature. All candidates will have to comply with said demands or drive on. J. T. CASHION. Huntersville, March 26, 1906.

TORTURE BY SAVAGES.

"Special to The Observer." which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of three months from inflammation of the kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing. "I have had me until I tried Electric Bitters. Three bottles of this completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders and Malaria; restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Jordan & Co., St. Louis, Mo.

DEFENSE OF GOV. FOLK.

Rapid Rise to Prominence Has Not Turned the Head of Missouri's Chief Executive—An Honest Hoaxer.

To the Editor of The Observer: I read with pleasure your excellent editorial in The Observer, and I admire the independent spirit pervading your editorial columns; but I must enter a protest against one in the semi-weekly issue of March 22, entitled "Folk Won Do." "Do" do deny your right to criticize the acts of any public official, but I feel satisfied that your observations in this article were based on exact evidence. We rather expect such expressions as "a political fraud," "unfit to hold office of any kind," from the bitter partisanship of political enemies, and we pass them with but little notice; but such a serious statement in a distant State is a more serious matter.

For 12 years I have been a citizen of Missouri, and have had some opportunity to study at close range the career of the present executive of the State. From certain local sources I have been able to observe much that never enters the metropolitan newspaper.

The local State press, both friendly and hostile; his ardent supporters as well as his bitter enemies; personal observations, as well as the testimony of State officials; all these afford special opportunities for studying both the man and the official. During the campaign for Governor, many an impartial observer expressed the fear that "promotion would finish the young man." One of the few expectations to the rule; and this feeling of doubt has changed to one of confidence in the man as Governor. He is not letting down. He is stronger with the people of Missouri to-day than on the day of his election. Railroad lobbyists have learned to respect him as one who will enforce the law; and at the same time, they recognize that he will use his political influence against the interests of the railroads. It is a fact that members of the Legislature do not ride on passes.

Space forbids, or I could cite fact after fact to justify my statements. It is a success as Governor. If he were "not fit to hold any office," how could he secure the co-operation and active support of his Republican associates in the State government? These Republican State officials recognize the honesty of the Governor, otherwise such harmony could not prevail at the State capital. In regard to your reference to the commutation of the sentence of the Missouri murderer to one of imprisonment for 99 years, I must say that this criticism is only an evidence of the weakness of the case against Folk. For more than 20 years, not a Governor of this State has dared to commute a single murderer to be executed in that State; and we pass their acts in the matter without any criticism whatever. Yet, when Folk does the same thing in one instance, it is cited as evidence that he is "a political fraud."

Folk "did his duty" as city attorney of St. Louis, and is continuing to "do his duty" as Governor of the State of Missouri. It is obvious that any man does right merely for personal gain; but a full and impartial study of Folk's administration, I am satisfied, would convince you that the present Governor of Missouri, is an honest, reputable, and patriotic man.

Folk's rapid rise to prominence as one of the leaders in the fight for civic reform has made him a national character, as is true; but to say that he is an aspirant to the presidency, or his nomination in 1908 is an injustice to the man and to his friends. The talk of "aspiring to the presidency" is more from his enemies than from his friends. Folk is too young a man for us to say what may happen 10 or 12 years or more hence. It remains for the future to decide whether or not he will grow into a statesman of such national importance as to seek for the highest office in the land. For the present his duty is to administer the affairs of one of the great States of the Union; and, while he may make mistakes, for who does not, I am firmly convinced that he is prompted by the highest sense of honesty and duty.

J. H. SCARBORO. Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., March 15, 1906.

ELECTION AT WILSON.

Contest at the Polls Over Dispensary Talk's Place Monday—Both Sides Expect Victory.

Wilson, March 29.—The Wilson Lodge of Elks, No. 840, has elected the following officers for the next year: Exalted ruler, H. G. Connor, Jr.; esteemed leading knight, E. B. Cobb; esteemed leading knight, W. A. Lucas; esteemed lecturing knight, Dr. J. H. Newberry; J. W. Harris, delegate to grand lodge, John A. Cuthen; trustees, John Dawes and Capt. T. W. Flighman.

Eight hundred and forty-one registered voters at the dispensary question, which election will be held next Monday. Of this number 28 candidates were sustained. At the election on the question three years ago 707 votes were cast, the dispensary winning over the saloon by 21 votes. The election next Monday will be quite close, both the dispensary and saloon advocates claiming a victory in sight. A great deal of feeling has been stirred up over the question, but there have been few personal encounters.

Evils of the Legalized Primary.

Rev. P. R. Law in Lumberton Robesonian. It is very gratifying to us to see The Charlotte Observer, in its direct and clear-cut style, pointing out the evils of the legalized primary system. We have been protesting against it unwaveringly a long time. The joint canvass going on between Messrs. Hobson and Blanchard, in Alabama furnishes additional reasons for condemning it. The personalities indulged in during the campaign are injurious in many ways. Not the least nor the strongest argument against the system is that it imperils the success of the party to which the contestants belong.

FROM FOUR STATES.

Testimony to the Efficiency of the New Scientific Dandruff Treatment. James C. Rowe, of Livingston, Mont.: "Herpicide cured my dandruff and stopped my hair falling." Orange McCombs, St. Anthony, Idaho: "Herpicide cleaned my scalp of dandruff and made my hair soft as silk and glossy." W. H. Otis, barber, Champaign, Ill.: "I used Herpicide on one customer for dandruff and on another for falling hair with excellent results."

F. W. Moody (assistant postmaster) at Champaign, Ill.: "Herpicide completely stopped my falling hair." J. J. Bentley, Sheridan, Wyo.: "Herpicide is excellent for cleaning the scalp." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. R. H. Jordan & Co., Special Agents.

GROUND BROKEN.

Work Begins on Goldsboro Odd Fellows' New Home—Hardware Store Robbed—Merchants Decorating for Trade Week.

Correspondence of The Observer. Goldsboro, March 28.—At the Odd Fellows' meeting last night, it was decided to have the ground broken to-day preparatory to beginning the erection of the handsome new Castle Hall, on the recently purchased site on John street. It was also decided to hold the session of the State grand lodge, which meets in this city the 8th of May, in the Messenger Opera House. For this occasion the Odd Fellows are making extensive preparations.

It is with sincere regret that The Observer's correspondent chronicles the critical illness of our popular young townsman and superintendent of county schools, Mr. E. T. Atkinson. He is ill, of pneumonia, at his home on East Ash street.

Last night some one broke into the wholesale hardware store of the Stanton Company and stole several articles, among which were a bicycle, a Winchester rifle, and several Colt's pistols. The thief or thieves made an entrance through the back door by boring holes at around the lock. Breaking into stores in Goldsboro is getting to be a common thing.

Friends of the family in this city have received the following invitation, which will be read with interest by the popular young couple's many friends, both here and elsewhere: "Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Giddens request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Louise, to Dr. Marvin L. Smoot, on Thursday afternoon, the 5th of April, nineteen hundred and six, at one o'clock, St. Paul's Methodist church, Goldsboro, North Carolina."

Our merchants are elaborately decorating their places of business for the opening of Goldsboro's trade week, which commences next Monday morning, April 2, and lasts the entire week. The streets will present a grand scene.

AGAINST J. S. HUYLER.

Several Suits Instituted Against Millinaire Candy Maker on Account of Breacking of Montreal Dam. Correspondence of The Observer.

Asheville, March 29.—As a result of the breaking of the Montreal dam near Black Mountain during the heavy rains of January, a number of damage suits have been instituted in Superior Court against John S. Huyler, the millionaire candy maker of New York and owner of the mill. Recently the sentence of the court is alleged to have been washed away by the flood, instituted suit against Mr. Huyler, while to-day three additional suits were instituted. The suits are entitled E. J. Entbier vs. John S. Huyler, George W. Stepp vs. John S. Huyler, and the Black Mountain Inn vs. John S. Huyler. The complaints in the suits started to-day have not yet been drawn and the suits are going to be asked to be stated. It is said that the plaintiffs to the suits, however, were considerably damaged by the breaking of the dam and that the damages demanded will go into the thousands. The principal ground for damages lies in the washing of the land by the breaking of the dam and the rush of the waters over the fertile soil. It is said that the lands of Mr. Entbier were practically ruined. Craig & Marshall, of Asheville, represent the plaintiffs.

One of Hildebrand's Best.

Greensboro Telegram. Greensboro is copying from The Charlotte Observer this morning a most interesting item from Washington about that artful politician, Marion Butler. Any person interested in the "genus politicianus" will do well, in case he didn't chance to read yesterday's Observer, to glance at the article as copied in The Telegram. "I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Hon. John Shenck, 29 So. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two years ago I caught a cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept right on talking through the campaign, and I thank the medicine that I won my seat in the Council." This remedy is for sale by R. H. Jordan & Co.

Dr. E. Nye Hutchison & Son.

North Carolina, Mecklenburg County. In the Superior Court, before the Clerk. In the matter of W. J. Neely, non compos.

NOTICE.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Mecklenburg county, in above entitled cause, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at Whitaker's Stables, at No. 10 East Stone wall street, in Charlotte, N. C., on Monday, April 2, 1906, at 12 o'clock 'n., the following personal property, to-wit: 6 Dump Carts, 2 Dump Cars, 11 Wheel Scrapers, 2 two-horse Wagons, about 20 Wheelbarrows, 1 Ratchet Drill, 1 Road Plow, 1 lot of bar steel, 1 Tent and Pole, 1 Hollows, 1 Cross-cut Saw, 1 Vice, together with various numbers of Pikes, Mattocks, Shovels, Spades, Billies, Crow Bars, Hammers and sundry implements used by railroad contractors. This is the 5th day of March, 1906. THOMAS RUFFIN, Guardian of W. J. Neely, non compos. C. H. NINCH & Kirkpatrick, Attys.

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The Happy School Girl.

Begin the season with sparkling eyes, elastic step and glowing cheeks. Health and vigor beam from every feature.—Keep her so. Remember that long hours in close, badly ventilated school rooms, with the accompanying vexations of difficult lessons, are trying to the health of your child. Fortify her against a break down.

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is a health preserver as well as a health builder. It makes rich, red blood for growing Boys and Girls, restores color to their pale cheeks. Gives them nerve force and vitality. In the entire history of Materia Medica, there is no preparation so palatable, so sure, and so universally essential to both sick and well, young or old.

For Sale by all Druggists. Fehr's Malt Tonic Dept., Louisville, Ky.

A Solid Carload Crushed.

Fruits and Fountain Flavors. The Republican party in North Carolina is like a seltzer powder. One faction is in the blue paper and the other in the white. And when they mix they sizzle and frizzle—and what we need, and need badly, is a new Moses to set the way.

Charlotte's Way. Clarkton Express.

The Twentieth of May celebration in Charlotte is going to be a big affair. Charlotte usually has big things.

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A HAPPY MAN.

A man's happiness is always influenced by the condition of his wife's health. When she is in pain he carries worry with him to his business. Anything that relieves her suffering lifts him with gratitude. A prominent merchant of Forest City, N. C., writes: "I feel it my duty to write you that the dreadful pains that have always come to my wife every month have been prevented by Scott's NURAL-G-LENE. It quiets her nerves and takes away all pain." NURAL-G-LENE simply quiets the nerves and allows nature to act without pain. It is harmless and leaves no bad effects. Sold by all druggists. Free sample on request. JNO. M. SCOTT & CO., Wholesale Agents.

Advertisement for Fehr's Malt Tonic, featuring an illustration of a young girl and text describing its benefits for children's health.

Advertisement for a Solid Carload Crushed Fruits and Fountain Flavors, featuring an illustration of a carload and text about the product.

Advertisement for Burwell S. Dunn Company, Wholesale Only, 295 South College Street, featuring text about their products and services.

Advertisement for Opening Auction by S. P. Clay Horse and Mule Co., featuring illustrations of horses and mules and text about the auction.

Advertisement for E. Nye Hutchison & Son Insurance, featuring text about fire, life, and accident insurance.

Large advertisement for Wine of Cardui, a Non-Intoxicating Female Tonic, featuring text about its medicinal benefits for women.

Large advertisement for HAVE YOU TRIED IT? featuring large text and an illustration of a person, likely related to the Cardui tonic advertisement.