

HOKE SMITH LANDSLIDE

GEORGIA PRIMARY ONE-SIDED

Of 145 Counties, Late Returns Show That Clark Howell Has Carried Six Six for Governor and the Three Long Shots Together 13, While Smith Gets 110, With 15 to Hear From—Smith's Nomination in Convention on First Ballot—Counties by Howell's Paper—Fire Chief Joynes Gets Atlanta Mayoralty Nomination by 255 Majority.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 22.—The State Democratic primaries to-day resulted in a victory for Hoke Smith, candidate for Governor, unprecedented in the state of his majority. Of the 145 counties in the State he has carried probably 110. By the returns available at 11 o'clock to-night, Clark Howell carried six counties, J. H. Estill, of Savannah, two; E. B. Russell, eight, and James M. Smith, three, leaving 14 to hear from. This result will give Hoke Smith 234 votes in the State convention of a total of 489.

Mr. Howell's paper, The Constitution, in its first edition, contended more than one hundred counties to Hoke Smith and says his nomination for Governor on the first ballot in the convention is practically assured.

FIRE CHIEF GETS MAYORALTY. In the city primaries, Captain W. R. Joynes, for 49 or more years chief of the fire department, was nominated for mayor by a majority of 155 votes.

One of the most strenuous political campaigns in the history of Georgia was concluded to-day in the State Democratic primaries, which were held throughout the State to nominate State and county tickets, candidates for Supreme Court Justices, a United States Senator to succeed Senator A. O. Bacon, and to name congressional candidates in each of the eleven districts of the State.

THE SMITH-HOWELL CONTEST. For the office of Governor five candidates have been nominated. They are: Clark Howell, editor of The Atlanta Constitution; J. H. Estill, editor of The Savannah Morning News; Hoke Smith, former Secretary of the Interior under President Cleveland; Judge B. B. Russell, a prominent attorney of Jackson county; and James M. Smith, of Oglethorpe county. The particular interest of the campaign has been between Mr. Howell and Hoke Smith. The latter has carried the campaign through the State more than fourteen months ago. He has opposed Mr. Howell with the charge of being the representative of the so-called "railroad ring." The question of negro disfranchisement in Atlanta has entered largely into the discussions of the campaign. The method by which this should be accomplished has been a question much considered.

RENOMINATIONS TAKE PLACE. For the rest of the State ticket, there has been little opposition, all of the present incumbents are the State offices being held for re-election. For the offices of school commissioner and controller only, have the present incumbents any opposition.

MAKES SERIOUS CHARGES.

Chas. H. Evans, of Madison County, Declares That, With Two Companions, He Was Forced to Work for the South & Western Railway, Crude Oil, Diesel, and His Escape, Prevented by Armed Guards—Evans Should Have Been Taken Toward Institution of Suits.

Ashville, Aug. 22.—Charles H. Evans, of Madison county, has given out a story to the effect that he and a number of other North Carolinians, natives of Buncombe and Madison, were enticed by false promises to McDowell county to work for the South & Western Railway Company, ordered to work under conditions materially different from what they had been promised, that they refused to work were beaten until they fled, told to leave and keep their mouths shut and the others were guarded with Winchester rifles to prevent their escape.

It is believed that this allegation will be instituted, in a lawsuit that will be instituted, against the railway company by those who complain of peonage, and that steps have already been taken toward the institution of such suits. Evans' story has been taken to work for the South & Western between Marion and Spruce Pine in February of this year, and that when several of the men were ordered to leave the day after they had gone to work they were overtaken and forced to another camp, confined in a house with a guard and whipped. Evans' statement is that Woodfin Wheeler, Chapel Wyatt and Charlie Beckmeier were the three men whipped.

SAMUEL AND HASTY VAILED. Revenue Officers Begin the Sentence Imposed upon Them by Wilkes County Grand Jury, Gets Ten Years for Killing a Son.

Wilkesboro, Aug. 21.—Wilkes Superior Court convened Monday, the 20th instant, with his honor, Judge Henry R. Bryan, presiding and Southern District Judge G. H. Pate as clerk. The case of Samuel and Hasty vied. This has been the smallest criminal docket that Wilkes has had for a number of years.

Chapel Hill Jeweler Fined. Charged by Young Woman of the College with Combined Assault. He is Convicted of Simple Assault and Fined.

Durham, Aug. 22.—A few days ago W. B. Sorrell, jeweler and optician of Chapel Hill, was arrested on a charge that he had assaulted a young woman of the University of North Carolina. Sorrell was arrested on the charge of assault with intent to commit rape. The principal branch office of the firm is located in the larger cities and towns of New England, New York and Pennsylvania.

WON HEAVILY IN COTTON. It was not long, however, before the loss sustained by the firm was recovered. Following the bull market came a sensational cotton market. At the outbreak of the activities in the cotton market the Sage Company had one direct wire running from their New Orleans office through the Southeastern States through to New Orleans. There were 175 branch offices of this firm connected with this wire.

BIG BUCKET SHOP CRASH

SAGE & CO. FOR TWO MILLIONS

New York firm Having String of 500 or More Branch Offices From Maine to New Orleans Posts Notice of Discontinuance at Jersey City Office—Got Great Volume of Business Through Southern Branches—Recent Bull Campaigns Too Much for It—Over 35,000 Accounts Outstanding.

New York, Aug. 22.—M. J. Sage & Co., brokers, of No. 1 Montgomery street, Jersey City, and No. 57 Broadway, this city, at the close of business hours to-day, posted a notice at their Jersey City office, informing their correspondents that they had discontinued business.

The firm had branch offices in a number of cities in the East, and correspondents throughout the country. The amount involved in the failure is said to be large, although no one in authority could be found tonight to give figures.

MAURICE SAGE AND HIS OFFICE. The president of the firm is Maurice J. Sage, a young man, who came to this city 12 years ago from Binghamton, N. Y.

Up to May the firm, together with the Guanajuato Amalgamated Mines Company, occupied joint offices at No. 42 Broadway.

The Guanajuato Amalgamated Mines Company is the property of Albert J. Adams. After his release from Sing Sing he purchased this mining property, located in Guanajuato, Mexico, for a sum estimated at \$1,000,000. Shortly after this Adams went to Mexico and now lives near his mine.

It is stated that the Sage system consisted of a string of at least 200 branch offices, stretching from Maine to New Orleans, and in some quarters to-night the failure was declared to involve possibly \$2,000,000. Although a great business was done by this stock commission firm, it has no stock exchange membership here.

WON HEAVILY IN COTTON. It was not long, however, before the loss sustained by the firm was recovered. Following the bull market came a sensational cotton market. At the outbreak of the activities in the cotton market the Sage Company had one direct wire running from their New Orleans office through the Southeastern States through to New Orleans. There were 175 branch offices of this firm connected with this wire.

OHIOANS ENDORSE BRYAN.

Unaffiliated Frame Glass Nebraskan in Platform and Anti-Pass Legislation and Referendum on Franchise Act—County Local Option Voted Down.

Columbus, O., Aug. 22.—The Democratic platform declares the question of public or private ownership of utilities should be left to the decision of each city, town or village; favors legislation making unlawful the giving or accepting of steam or street railroad passes; favors the election of United States Senators by the qualified voters of each State.

When the Ohio Democratic convention re-assembled it was with the knowledge that a fight was assured on county option in temperance legislation. The platform committee, by the county present, laws providing only for the township and residence district option came before the convention as an amendment to the resolution of the platform committee.

HORSE STEALING CHARGED. White Man Admits Selling His Mother-in-Law's Horse for \$10—Was Taken Back to Tennessee for Trial.

Ashville, Aug. 22.—Ed. Frady, a white man 35 years of age, was arrested last night by Deputy Sheriff Lyerly charged with horse-stealing. The warrant for Frady's arrest was sworn out by Mrs. R. J. Brackett, the prisoner's mother-in-law. She stated that she had a horse belonging to her mother-in-law, Frady and his wife decided to leave Newry, Tenn., for Asheville. Mrs. Brackett and Mrs. Frady came by railroad while Frady was in charge of the horse.

WANTS PORT BROWN HELD. Senator Culbreton Sends Telegram to General Ainsworth Protesting Against Abandonment of Post and Will go on Same Errand to Washington.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 22.—United States Senator Charles A. Culbreton, to-day sent the following telegram to General F. C. Ainsworth, military secretary at Washington:

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

TWO CHARLOTTE CHARTERS

CONCORD TROLLEY LINE ONE

Prominent Charlotte and Concord Capitalists Behind Project—The Other Charter to Charlotte Realty Co.—Judge Purnell Makes Order of Sale in the Buckhorn Falls Power Co.—Deputy Commissioner Scott Surety Election Lyerly Bars Masonic Temple Plans Completed.

There was a heavy rain on this morning at Method village, two miles west of Raleigh, between a local freight and a through freight on the Southern. It is said the through freight was from the track, and it escaped to say the tender was ahead of it some 75 feet. The box cars were nearly destroyed.

NEGRO FIRED LYERLY BARN. Deputy Insurance Commissioner Scott is Back from Union and Rowan Counties. He Says that he is Sure a Negro Burned the Lyerly Barn. He Investigated a Suspicious Fire at the Lyerly Office Building Here, is Quite Sick, Having Fever.

Everything is now settled as regards the Masonic temple here. Work begins next month. It was originally expected that the building would be completed by this year. Under the modified plan now decided on the cost of the building itself is reduced from \$100,000 to \$100,000. It will be 7 stories high, with a bank and three stories on the ground floor and a roof garden. The site is paid for and cost \$38,000. It is learned from the building committee that there will be \$50,000 in bond issue of 5 percent with mortgage, which the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company takes. All other funds needed except about \$15,000 are in hand, having been subscribed by the members.

SEVERAL SITES UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR WASHINGTON'S PUBLIC BUILDING—Work on Raleigh & Fincastle Road.

Washington, N. C., Aug. 22.—Mr. J. Davenport and others of this city have recently purchased the entire interior of the building which is now the plant of Wallace & Davenport situated on the Norfolk & Southern Railroad, at Millsdale about ten miles from this city.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

MAYOR BOYDEN ILL.

Some Concern Over the Sickness of Salisbury's Executive—Contract for New Business Block—Ele Hundred Laborers Wanted at the Narrows.

Salisbury, Aug. 22.—The announcement to-day that Mayor Boyden is confined to his room with fever entirely too high for comfort, has caused general uneasiness. There is no cause for alarm as yet, and the indications this afternoon are that he will escape an attack. During the late illness of Captain E. B. C. Hambley, Mr. Boyden was in constant attendance upon his bed-side and undoubtedly contracted the illness that way. The temperature of Mayor Boyden tonight is encouraging and he rests well.

A telegram from Manager E. B. Lewis of the Order of Workmen of the World, says he will be here tomorrow night to address the members of the order. He is invited to this meeting. The Memphis Camp is invited with its membership, China Grove and Spencer, both of which towns have camps, are given special places of honor.

NEGRO FIRING BARN. Deputy Insurance Commissioner Scott is Back from Union and Rowan Counties. He Says that he is Sure a Negro Burned the Lyerly Barn. He Investigated a Suspicious Fire at the Lyerly Office Building Here, is Quite Sick, Having Fever.

LUMBER PLANT CHANGES HANDS. Several Sites Under Consideration for Washington's Public Building—Work on Raleigh & Fincastle Road.

Washington, N. C., Aug. 22.—Mr. J. Davenport and others of this city have recently purchased the entire interior of the building which is now the plant of Wallace & Davenport situated on the Norfolk & Southern Railroad, at Millsdale about ten miles from this city.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

CHICAGO'S COLORED '400'. The book contains 99 pages of advertisements of business concerns run by colored people, classified by profession and profession directory, and the names of 400 "prominent" colored people, selected according to social standing.

CAPTURE CITY OF 10,000

CUBAN REBELS' FIRST VICTORY

Insurgents in the Western End of the Island Take a Major Victory, Situated at Pinar del Rio City, After a Sharp Engagement in Which They Took Prisoners—Half of the 100 Rural Guards Defending the Place—Insurgents Base for Further Operations—General Condition—Insurrectionary Movement Spreading Alarmingly.

Havana, Aug. 22.—The insurgent attack on the Province of Pinar del Rio captured their first city there to-day, at a'clock this morning the force led by Pino Guerra, an ex-Congressman and an influential man and who was thought to be a 15,000 manband, was sally by other insurgent bands, attacked San Luis, which is situated on the railroad about ten miles west of Pinar del Rio city. A sharp and bloody engagement followed during which a number of men were killed or wounded. The town was defended by less than 100 rural guards, fifty of whom surrendered to the insurgents and the remainder fled. The insurgent forces are in possession of the railroad station and of the town, which is resuming its normal condition. By the capture of San Luis, which had about 10,000 inhabitants, the insurgents have obtained an important base for future operations.

GENERAL RODRIGUEZ, commander of the rural guard, to-night after retreating to the mountains of the day, said to the Associated Press: "SAYS GOVERNMENT IS READY. You can tell the American people that Cuba is entirely competent to cope with the insurrection. The look of rumors in all directions about the organization of insurrectionary bands in great numbers are not borne out by our reports. As far as can be learned, by the facts, no insurrectionists have been seen here by our forces."

LIKE OLD INSURRECTIONS. While the foregoing is typical of the utterances of the government officials, there are evidences of threatening in the province of Matanzas, insurrectionists. In the province of Santa Clara the disaffection is widespread and in the province of Havana great many people are in sympathy with the insurrection. In some cases whole communities appear to have been carried away by the recrudescence of insurrectionary times. The extent to which this will lead to open rebellion is still uncertain.

A gentleman who has returned from Aguacate, where he spent several days, stated to the Associated Press that he had seen many of the men of the United States Army. He stated that most of them were riding about the vicinity proclaiming insurrectionary ideas. The principal event to-day was the fighting at San Luis. About 100 CORNER BANDERS. One hundred recruits were started westward this evening on board a special train, but it is not likely that they will be permitted to reach San Luis. A detachment of 100 recruits on the way to Guines had a slight encounter to-day with insurgents but no one on either side was hurt. An attempt was made to take a train of mounted rural guards and regulars to corner Quentin Banders, who with 150 men, is continuing his dodging tactics in the western part of the province.

Three large bands of insurgents are out in the province of Santa Clara. The insurrection appears to be growing, which will permit them to reach San Luis. It is claimed that they will be able to resist the movement.

ATTENTIVE TO MURDER GOVERNOR. Would-be Assassin Foiled at Havana, Showing Singular Lack of Nerve. Havana, Aug. 22.—An attempt was made this evening to assassinate General Emilio Nuñez, Governor of the province of Havana. A man, who is believed to be the assassin, was entering his home. Another man who was passing by saw the would-be assassin and cried out, whereupon Governor Nuñez turned, and drawing his revolver, fired at the assassin's head. The latter was so surprised that he dropped his revolver. He was promptly arrested. His identity is not known, but he is a white man and was well dressed.

GOVERNOR OF PROVINCE. John J. Haynes, Governor of the province of Pinar del Rio, has joined the insurgent forces in that province.