CHARLOTTE, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 26, 1908.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

Balloting For the Nomination For Convention—A Memorable Gathering in Every Respect.

At 2 g'clock this morning the Dem-At 2 g'clock this morning the Dem-ed lost someone on the platform again moved to adjourn. Mr. Manil 10 o'clock. Fourteen ballots have ning, Mr. Kitchin's manager, made the been taken and no candidate for Gov-ernor yet selected. Kitchin is still in business having been transacted since the lead, but lacks nearly a half-hun- the first motion was voted on. Mr. W. dred votes of a nomination. The Craig C. Dowd, who was standing near the and Horne delegates are standing to- chairman, suggested that a motion to gether on important questions.

loting was orderly. A wild scene characterized the adjournment early yesterday morning after an all-night sestion till 12:30 p. m." sion. The motion to adjourn this DELEGATES SLOW IN REASSEMmorning was made by Mr. Cyrus B. Watson, of Forsyth.

follows: Craig, 1.88, and Kitchin, 1.92. appeared upon the stage, accompanied The second ballot brought a change; by Mr. George Ransom, wearing Craig Kitchin got 3. Mr. E. F. Aydlett, of riboons, and were greeted by "three Pasquotank, challenged the vote on third ballot, saying that according to The ladies responded by waving their plan of organization Craig should have Craig flags and shouting "Craig." his vote, 1.08. This precipitated the Some Kitchin enthusiast handed Mrs. first contest, which resulted in Chair- Watt a Kitchin flag and she threw it man Parsons sustaining the challenge back at him. A lone Craig man, who of Mr. Aydlett. The Tyrrell represented had just arrived, laughed bimself intative refused to announce any but to hysteries when he observed the fly-the Kitchin vote, 1.92, and the chair-man had to order the Craig vote re-were in the building at this time. The

out of its territory a red head went up, a pair of Craig hands gripped, and something ripped and cracked, and the Kitchin float was in the dust. Craig men were climbing over, under, and through the Kitchin banner, mixing with Kitchin men, clawing at each other's throats and lamming each other in the face.

ALMOST A RIOT. riot-a real riot-the west against the east was on. But so soon as the infuriated delegates realized what they were doing do the work, some of the enthusiasm and how dangerous it was to indulge would have to cease. A roll call was their tempers at a time like that, they ordered. Mr. Norman H. Johnson withdrew, retreating in magnificent

As the Kitchin men dragged their broken banner out of the hall the of Raleigh, succeeded him.

At the right time in the same Craigites resumed their seats. had just begun when some delegate

made a motion to adjourn.
"No," shouted the Litchin sup-"The motion is out of order," de-

clared the chairman, and the roll-call

has late or rather early and there was little indication of any change. They ed some sleep and perhaps time a one likely to occur in any con-ntion—in fact, such an incident is turn! in any contest which promises

to be long-drawn-out.

The action of Mr. Parsons caused considerable comment both adverse and favorable. In telling of what took place in the convention a friend of the chairman said:

HOW IT ALL HAPPENED. "After the fourth ballot was ansunced a motion to adjourn was ade. The chairman put the motion a viva voce vote, whereupon Marr W. A. Graham, a Kitchin man,

out. In many instances several dele- NEWS OF STATE CAPITAL ANSEL TO TAKE THE STUMP CLEVELAND BURIAL TO-DAY station where President Roosevelt will arrive, Westland; the Cleveland buril arrive, Westland; the Cleveland buril arrive, Westland; the Cleveland home, the streets leading to the land home, the streets leading to the cometery and the cemetery and the cemetery and the cemetery itself will be bright angels of sick Room. from the same county. When the content votes foll-call was finished it was found that ADJOURNS AT 2 UNTIL 16 O'CLOCK

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they having finally gotten together in their figures. The vote stood 427 for adjournment, and 428 against.

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BLING. The first demonstration in the con THE TYRRELL PROTEST.

On the first ballot yesterday morning at 1 o'clock the vote of Tyrrell county, which totals 3, was given as Mrs. Walter W. Watt, of Charlotte,

ter. This was made manifest in an outburst that broke forth at a quarter after 12, when the red-eyed, nacious mountaineers mounted chairs and hurrahed for Craig.

AFTERNOON SESSION. At the appointed hour Chairman Parsons called the convention to or-der and announced that, in order to was put up to call the counties but, his voice being husky, delegates hoot-ed him down, and Col. F. B. Arendell,

way the Tyrrell vote came up again as a bone of contention. The vote, which had been cast for Kitchin, was challenged, the challenge sustained, and the vote divided: 1.92 for Kitchin and 1.08 for Craig. The change of consequence on this ballot was in Stanly, where Horne got 6 and Craig 1. The result of the count was:

Sixth ballot Conig, 340.915; Kitch-in, 377.535; Horne, 138.55.

RESULTS SURPRISING.

Even Baseball is Somewhat Neglected For the News of the Convention Proceedings—Governor Glenn Has His Speech Seconding Bryan Com-pleted—Big Water Tank Falls— Wreck of Fruit Train on Seaboard Throws Many Fine Peaches on Rai-eigh Market—Editor Clarence Poe to Study Agricultural Conditions in Europe—Improvements on Grounds at St. Mary's School—Brief Notes of Interest.

Observer Bureau, The Holleman Building,

Raleign, June 25.

one or two.

Raleigh will send several Elks to the great national meeting at Dallas.

Tex. Among those who will attend will be Mr. Joseph F. Ferrail, one of the highest officers. After the convention there will be a long trip northward and eastward. Some of the manufacture to enlive any one of them has been slim and very little interest is being manifested. It is possible that great interest may be aroussible that great may be a may be a may be aroussible that great may be aroussible tha the Elks are traveling in special ed in some of the races a little later trains.

Mr. Bryan. He will be first among the seconders, of whom there will be mover

The cultivated blackberry crop south of here this season has been fine. At the icing station here about fine. At the icing station here about 160 car loads from the Southern Pines

section have been iced. This crop has brought very good prices. Improvements of the grounds at St. Mary's Female School are in progress and for the first time grass At the Baker-Thompson Lumber Company's plant the water tank which was on an elevation considerably above one of the buildings, which was full of water, containing some 15,000 gallons, fell and did some dam-age. No one was in the building and

ical College and a dwelling will also than the eastern lung. It can stand the be erected, these buildings taking the wear and tear of demonstrations bet-place of those burned early in the be erected, these buildings taking the

an spring. SEASOARD FREIGHT WRECKED. Last evening there was a freight wreck a little north of Raleigh on the Serboard Air Line, in which were several carloads of Georgia peaches, and at noon to-day the railroad sold in small lots quantities of the fruit. Much of it was carried off yesterday before detectives got to the scene, several hundred town and county people having gathered. The peaches were of the choicest kind and were on the way to New York, Philadelphia and Boston.

Editor Clarence H. Poe, of The Progressive Farmer, has gone to Eu-rope and will return about September 1st. He will particularly visit Eng-1st. He will particularly visit Eng-land, Scotland, Belgium, France and Germany and make a study of agri-cultural conditions and methods, and upon his return will write a series of articles on these subjects.

To-day the revenue collector re-

ceived a telegram from the Secretary

have subsided. The candidate is near recovery. Dr. E. P. Carter said tonight, and there is now no reason to
be anxious over his condition.

Afr. Sherman passed a comfortable
day. The greatest progress was during the morning. During the afternoon he lost no ground. At 8 o'clock
to-night his temperature was \$2.4,
while at the same hour last night the
temperature was 181.6. To-night the
pulse was 72, a decrease of 16, and
his respiration was 21

conth Carolina's Chief Executive Decides That He Will No Longer Lead a Lotus-Enter's Life in the folitical Campai et, But Will Make the Welkin Ring and Reply to Senator Blease, His Opponent—Newspapers Not Giving Much Affention to the Speakings, Which Are so Far Dull and Tame—Meeting of University Trustees Postponed—Inducements Offered Insurance Companies to Invest Funds.

Observer Bureau, 300 Skyscraper Building, Columbia, S. C., June 25.

police have only been able to unearth writing him along the same line recently.

The two campaign meetings have on, but so far there is nothing defi-Governor Glenn has completed his nite to promise such a turn of af-

For the first time since the Tillman movement started some twenty years several.

Rector Milton A. Barber, of Christ Episcopal church, returned to the city to-day from Chase City, Va., very much improved in health.

The prospect for the grape crop in the State this year is very good indeed. Last year the crop was quite largely a failure. There used to be around Raleigh numbers of vineyards, some of them large, while now there are but few.

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The meeting of the trustees of the

University of South Carolina sched-uled for this afternoon to hear from its sub-committee on the selection of a president has been indefinitely post-poned because the sub-committee has not yet been able to formulate a definite report. The understanding is that the sub-committee has five men in view but has been unable to make definite argreement with

man had to order the Craig vote recorded. Some feeling was shown on account of this episode.

Later in the morning, during a Craig-Kitchin demonstration, or mixup, a Kitchin banner, bearing the words: "Kitchin is the People's Choice," dipped over on the Craig side of the alsie and met the fate that a red flag would if rubbed in the face of a mad bull. As the banner bowed out of its territory a red head went up, a pair of Craig have a supporters, who blew all sorts of horns, had the advantage of their fellows.

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A very large new barn is under the five is definite argreement with any one of the five. A very large new barn is under construction at the experiment station of the Agricultural and Mechan-which speaks for itself:

"I beg leave to call your atten-tion to the fact that bids for \$35,000 non-taxable 5 per cent. coupon court house bonds of Lee county, S. C., will be opened at Bishopville, S. C., on July 14th. These bonds are to be dated February 1st, 1908, payable twenty-nine years after date, with right to redeem after expiration of affeen years from date, interest at 5 per cent. payable annually. Further information of them may be obtained from W. A. James, secretary, Bishopville, S. C.
"As I do not believe your company

holds any investments in South Caro lina and as you do considerable busi-ness in this State, I trust you will consider favorably the investing in South Carolina securities."

DEMOCRATS NEED FUNDS.

Congressional Committee is Con-fronted With a Hard Proposition and New Yorkers Will Be Asked to Come to the Rescue,

Washington, June 25 .- The Demobub. accompanied by a great hubthat the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of that the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the matter of Yrystil svoit be ested of the state of the secretaries could not hear the secretaries could not hear the secretaries of the secretaries cratic congressional committee is confronting a hard proposition in the

Special to The Observer.

Durham, June 25.—There is a well-defined rumor on the streets that at the next meeting of the aldermen, which is to be held on the first Monday night in next month, an effort will be made to refuse straightout any and all drug stores the right to sell whiskey on prescription or else to cut the number to one and allow but one drug store to sell booze. At the present time there are three drug stores that sell whiskey on prescriptions, the other stores not even applying for license. The rumor is that the prohibitionists want the number reduced to one or cut out entirely. If this move is made there will probably be a lively tift.

Funcral Services Over Dead Presicent Will Be Held at Cleveland Home To-Day and Will Be Marked By Extreme Simplicity—No Bands Will Play Mournful Dirges, No Soldiers Will Escort the Remains and No Eulogy Will Be Pronounced by the Officiating Clergymen—Mounted Troops and Soldiers Will Police the Thoroughfare Through Which the Cortege Will Pass as a Protection to

plicity. Although twice elected President of the United States no pomp or splendor will have a place in the ceremonies. There will be no bands to play mournful dirges on the way to the Princeton cemetery, no military escort, no eulogy by the officiating clergymen. The haif mile of thoroughfare through which the cortege oughfare through which the cortege they will be there for police duty and ciated during his illness as a measure of precaution in protecting the living President, rather than as an element of display in paying tribute to a departed Chief Exec-

It has been Mrs. Cleveland's wish to wold anything of a military nature at the funeral and it was only when the necessity of guarding President Roosevelt was borne upon her by those in charge of the funeral arrangements that she consented to the presence of

THE PALL-BEARERS.

The final arrangements for the cermony and the names of those selected to officiate were announced this afernoon, Four clergymen will officiate at the house and at the grave. They will read the burial service from the Presbyterian book of common worship, but will offer no eulogy. This simple but impressive service will be conducted by Dr. Henry VanDyke, of Princeton; Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church of New York; Rev. Sylvester W. Beach, pastor of the First ficers. Presbyterian church of Princeton, honorary pall-bearers. Those who will will be Mayor George B. McClellan, Paul Morton, Commodore E. C. Benedict. Richard Watson Gilder, of New York; Prof. Paul VanDyke, Andrew F. West, Prof. John G. Hibben, Junius S. Morgan, a nephew of J. Pierpont Morgan; A. D. Russell, Prof. Howard McLenahan and Bayard Stockton, of

The services at the house, which will begin at 5 o'clock, will be brief, after which the cortege will be formed and proceed to the cemetery down Bayard Lane to Nassau street, the principal street in the village, thence up Van-deverter avenue to Wiggin street, which leads to the cemetery, a highs public investments. way along which cluster many le memories.

Only those invited to the funeral and a few newspaper men will be permitted to enter the cemetery, which will be guarded by mounted troops and members of the National Guard of New Jersey. The simple Presbyterian service will be said at the grave, the casket lowered into the ground and one of the country's most distinguished citizens will have become but a memory. ROOSEVELT WILL ATTEND.

President Roosevelt; Governor Fort, of New Jersey; Governor Hughes, of New York; Governor Hughes, of New York; Governor until after the convention.

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President Cleveland's Cabinet, and ments. Immediately after breakfast large assortment of furniture.

Messrs. Adams & Bell have to attend. President Roosevelt will arrive on a special train from Oyster Bay to-morrow at 4:40 p. m. He will be met at the station by Gov-ernor Fort and they will drive direct to the Cleveland home. After the ceremonies the President will leave Princeton at once in his private car

Although admittance to the Cleveland home and to the cemetery is to be limited principally to personal friends of the family, thousands of

Glikyson, tendered to Mrs. Cleveland the State troops for a military funeral. The tender was declined but later accepted.

MILITARY FUNERAL DECLINED. Professor McLenahan, after consulting with Mrs. Cleveland this afternoon, made the following statement:

Governor Fort offered a military funeral through Colonel Glikyson, assistant Adjutant General of the state, yesterday, but Mrs. Cleveland declined it because of her great declined it because of the great on the sire to keep the service entirely free from the military element. Because, however, of the presence of President of Vice President Fairbanks, it was deemed necessary to call on the militar for protection. Mayor Robinson has accordingly made a request on the State authorities for the mas ordered out the Monmouth Mounted Troop.

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Cortege Will Pass as a Protection to President Roosevelt.

Princeton, N. J., June 25.—The funeral of Grover Cleveland to-mortuneral of Grover Cleveland to-mortune will be marked by extreme sim-

A death mask taken yesterday at Mrs. Cleveland's request by Edwill pass from "Westland," the Cleve-land home on Bayard Lane, to the with Princeton University, when cemetery, will be policed by mounted completed to-day showed that Mr. troops and blue coated soldiers, but Cleveland had become greatly ema-

FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

Thirty Days. Washington, June 25 .- To every

naval station and every government vessel in commission throughout the world, to all military posts and stations, to all United States diplomatic and consular officers in every quar-ter, went forth instructions to-day for the observance of the President's proclamation announcing former President Grover Cleveland's death. Department inaugurated to meet the Meroney; director, J. W. Hanford; modern conditions. This was tele-graphic notification instead of by the members of the band have supmail to our representatives in for-plied themselves with instruments and eign countries to display flags at they will begin practicing twice a half mast for thirty days. This in- week at once. struction was gathered with a view to uniformity in the time of obser-vance. Copies of the President's have been conducted for the past two telegram also have been mailed to all our diplomatic and consular of-

The orders telegraphed by the where the Cleveland family attend, and War and Navy departments direct Rev. M. V. Bartlett, former pastor of the half masting of the colors, the the same church. There will be no wearing of the badge of mourning until July 25th and the firing of bear Mr. Cleveland's body to its final salutes every half hour from sunrise resting place in the Cleveland plot to sunset to-morrow, the day of the funeral, at all posts, stations and on

MACK BOOMING CHANLER.

Believes New York Should Have Second Place on Ticket and is Booming the Lieutenant Governor-

"Conceding the nomination for first stock of new goods to his presen place to Mr. Bryan," he said, "I think stock much depleted by his recent the nomination for the vice presithe nomination for the vice problem of the nomination of the vice problem "Would he be acceptable to Mr.

Bryan?" he was asked.

Mr. Mack replied: "Of course, Bryan is not attempting to dictate the choice of a running mate, but I don't mind telling you that in Lincoln yes-terday I discussed Mr. Chanler with him and am sure that the would not be displeasing." would not be displeasing."

Mr. Mack was accompanied by his used by the T. E. Witherspoon Furwife, who will remain here with him niture Company, which because of until after the convention. He is a

dicts a large attendance from eastern and general insurance business and Mr. Mack reiterated to-day statement he made yesterday in Lin-coln that it was his belief that no government ownership plank or menion of government ownership of rail-

roads would be in the Democratic platform. "This is the impression I gained from a talk with Mr. Bryan while I the past few months.
was in Lincoln," added Mr. Mack. "I Mr. David Oestreicher sailed todo not believe that the convention and Mr. Bryan are going to be at variance on the platform. I have a fairly good idea of what the majority of the con-vention will be satisfied with and I too have a fairly good idea of what Mr. Bryan has in mind in that connection and it is my belief that there will be no considerable difference of opinior between the leaders of the convention

TAGGART FAVORS KERN.

National Chairman Says Bryan Kern Will Be the Ticket—Com tee Meets To-Morrow. Denver, Col., June 25.

of architecture and everything seems to be in most tip-top form."

Chairman Taggart has called a meeting of the national committee for Saturday, June 17th, when the principal business will be to hear and determine the contests for seats as delegates, which have been filled. These are comparatively few in number. So far as filed with Secretary Woodson, they include contests from the second, third, fourth, fith, sixth and seventh districts of New York; the ninth Ohlo, and the delegation from the District of Columbia. It has been reported that a number of seats from Illinois were to be contested, but as yet no official notice of such intention has been received.

tal at Salisbury Held Last I ning, an Attractive Programme ing Carried Out-Sellabor cians Organize a Brass Band—Green Service, a Negro Convict, Attempto Kill Himself by Shahing I Throat With a Razor—Warelest to Be Built Adjoining Empire Builing—News of Rowan's Capital. pecial to The Observer.

Salisbury, June 25,-The exercises of the graduating class of nurses of the Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium were held in the auditorium of the graded school this evening at 8 o'clock. An attractive programme had been arranged and a large crowd of friends of these young ladies attended. The following nurses received their diplo mas: Miss Lillian Evylin Garland, South Carolina; Miss Margaret Hatch er, North Carolina; Miss Florence Lee Ritchie, North Carolina; Miss Mary Martin Swift, North Carolina; Miss Martha Louise Bingham, North Carolina; Miss Margaret Elmira Goforth, North Carolina; Miss Alice Shelton Gray, North Carolina; Miss Edwins Martin Richardson, South Carolina. The Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium has American Officers Everywhere Will
Pay Tribute to Dead Presidenting superior nurses. The members of
the class represent the highest tree the class represent the highest type of woman; they have received thorough, scientific and practical instruction in one of the best hospitals in the South and all who know them predict for them a bright future in their profession.

Sixteen brass band enthusiasts met in the armory last night to organize a band. The following officers were elected: President, Paul H. Bernhardt; secretary and treasurer,

The meetings at the Gospel tent, weeks by Rev. Mr. Neighbor, of the First Baptist church, and Rev. Mr. McLarty, of the First Methodist church, closed last night. These meetings have been well attended and much good has been done, Mr. Neighbor will have this tent taken to Aibemarle next week where similar services will be held.

The work of remodeling the interior of the storeroom, 128 South Main street, formerly occupied by C. Fronberger, hardware, has been completed. Mr. L. R. Winecoff will occupy this store in the future and to-day moved his stock of groceries from his pres-Mr. Winecoff vacates this store to ac-Would Picase Mr. Bryan.

Denver, Colo., June 25.—Norman

E. Mack, of Buffalo, arrived to-day, will, in a few days, occupy the build-bringing with him a boom for Lieutenant Governor Chanler, of New And furnishings from his present location in the Washington Building.

York, for the vice presidential nomination.

located at Summer's siding, about four miles from Salisbury. He made a six-inch incision in his throat with razor but Dr. Foust, who sewed up the

wound, says he will recover. The owners of the Empire Building, corner Main and Bank streets, have begun work on a large warehouse on Bank street adjoining the its present quarters inadequate for its

Messrs. Adams & Bell have work with his colleagues to prepare ed offices in the Empire Building. details for the convention. He pre- where they will conduct a real estate manufacturers' agency.

Mr. James Day, the popular en ploye of the Salisbury Steam Launds is at the Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium, where he will undergo an opera-tion. His many friends hope this op-eration will relieve him of the trouble with which he has suffered for

from New York for Surope. Mr. Oes-treicher expects to be away several months, spending most of his time at his old home in Germany.

EMBEZZLED BANK'S FUNDS. Former Clerk in Pittsburg Bank Ar-rested on Charge of Abstracting \$51,000 of the Bank's Funds—Re-

leased on Heavy Bond. Pittsburg, Pa., June 25.—T. W. Tiers, former discount clerk of the Pirst National Bank, of this city, was arrested late to-day on information made by National Bank Examiner William L. Folds, charging him with the abstraction of about \$51,000 of the bank's funds.

T. P. A'S MEET IN ASSESSED.