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GRAHAM, N. C., Mar. 28, 1906.

Mixed or Straight.

Whether or not the administration of the affairs of the town of Graham for the next two years shall be mixed or straight is a question that is stirring the popular mind just now.

On the other hand the Democratic organization protests against Democrats taking a hand in the 'unholy alliance' which means but a repetition of what happened two years ago and a continuance of the same.

CITIZENS CONVENTION

We, the undersigned citizens and tax payers of the town of Graham, believing the affairs of said town will be best served by having their administration in the hands of business men, regardless of their political beliefs, hereby invite all the citizens of said town who believe as we do to meet with us in a Citizens Convention to be held in the Court House next Thursday night, March 28, 1907, at eight o'clock, to nominate a ticket for Mayor and five Commissioners, composed of three Democrats and three Republicans.

- List of names: L. Banks Holt, J. H. White, E. S. Parker, B. S. Mills, J. L. Scott, J. V. Pomeroy, J. E. Albright, W. C. Montgomery, W. E. White, W. B. Green, Z. T. Hadley, C. R. Robinson, H. W. Scott, E. F. McClure, W. J. Nickles, F. M. Miller, E. S. Parker, Jr., M. R. Rives, A. M. Hadley, Thos. O. Coble, T. O. Pomeroy, J. R. Thompson, G. G. Elamman, A. R. Heritage, Robt. S. Mebane, W. T. Ezell, W. S. Vastal, Joseph Boggs, Chas. A. Scott, Robt. E. Holmes, J. A. Albright, Isaac Holt, Hal B. Mebane, R. F. Bain, C. P. Harden, F. Foister, C. B. Irwin, Walter E. Walker, A. A. Clark, R. G. Foster, W. R. Goley, Edwin H. White, A. C. Hornaday, Geo. Coble, J. L. Scott, Jr., O. H. Henderson, G. G. Guthrie, J. W. Lashley, Jas. K. Mebane, Heenan Hughes, W. H. Aulay.

GRAHAM DEMOCRATS

All Democrats of the town of Graham who are in favor of a majority of the citizens of said town controlling its affairs and who are opposed to one or two men dictating its policies are hereby warned not to take any stock in the so called citizens' convention to be held next Thursday night.

By order of the Democratic Executive Committee of the town of Graham. J. S. COOK, Secretary. March 23, 1907.

Would the Republicans, had they felt morally certain of winning single-handed, have made any concessions? Instances of Republicans in the ascendancy making concessions are rare.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney trouble makes you miserable. Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

The problem of erosion presents itself to the commission in a different form in the arid west where the North Platte, the Missouri and a dozen other streams all carry down annually millions of tons of the richest soil to clog the channel of the Mississippi and put the sediment where it will do the most harm.

Don't make any mistake, but remember that Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root is not a medicine; it is a natural product of the earth and is as pure as the water of the springs.

Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 26, 1907.

While the Waterways Commission appointed by the President last week is not yet even organized, Chairman Burton of Ohio is expected back in Washington within a few days, and then the commission will meet to see what it can do.

Of course what the Waterways Commission can do is only to make a start and prepare a comprehensive plan for the approval of Congress.

But one of the things it is to do in a general way is to map out an efficient auxiliary system of water transportation for slow freight that will take off the shoulders of the railroads the burden of moving the immense crops which they now frankly confess they are unable to handle.

But this is not all that the Waterways Commission is expected to do. To make effective and navigable the larger streams will be a large and important work but it is planned also to control so far as possible all the streams of the country, and thus save the millions of dollars lost annually by floods and the incalculably greater loss by washing and erosion of the farm lands of the country.

Miss Tommie Gore, who lived near Waraw, Duplin county, passed near a burning brush heap, her clothes caught fire and she was burned so that she died.

The people of the South realize this loss also and have a constant object lesson before them in the destruction of the greatest rice belt in the world through the two Carolinas where the fields were washed out after the forests had been cut on the headwaters of the streams. The same was true of the 'dead fields' of the cotton belt where washing by rains destroyed tens of thousands of acres of land before a partial stop was put to it by 'confour cultivation'.

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The problem of light and power from water flow will also be considered by the Commission. It is estimated by the members that from this source, the coal consumption of the country can be reduced a third, lengthening by just that much the producing life of the coal mines.

Final Report on the Cotton Crop.

Washington Dispatch, 20.

The final census report on cotton for the year issued today shows that 13,290,677 bales of cotton, counting round bales as half bales, including linters, have been ginned.

The 1906 crop is compared with 10,725,602 for 1905, and 13,697,310 for 1904. The average gross weight of the bale for 1906 is 510 7/16 pounds, and the crop, expressed in 500 pound bales, is 13,576,226.

Southwest Alamance

Our clever mail carrier has resigned he will have another that will be just as kind and obliging.

Grover Shoffner and Lula Alexander were married on the 3rd inst., J. E. Stroud, J. P., officiating.

Mr. S. J. Buckner lost a valuable horse the other day.

Oakdale School closed the 16th with an entertainment.

Phones are being put in several residences near Oakdale.

Our nursery men are getting their stock ready for spring delivery.

'Pineules' (non-alcoholic) made from resin from our pine forests, used for hundreds of years for bladder and kidney diseases.

There are now 1,180 rural delivery mail carriers in the State.

Arthur Cole a young man living near Shelby, was employed at a saw mill and made it a habit to ride on the carriage of the mill.

The Asheboro Courier says that a lady living near White House, Randolph county, is wearing an apron the thread for which was spun by her great-grandmother 90 years ago.

Food Commissioners Report.

The Minnesota Dairy and Food Commission's analysis shows that Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar and Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar contained opiates and croton oil.

A supposed incendiary fire on the farm of Mrs. M. A. Kendrick, in Mecklenburg county, burned a barn Friday night with two mules, ten head of cattle and a lot of feed.

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Constipation

Baked sweet apples, with some sugar, bring prompt relief for Constipation. With others, give all-around relief.

Lax-ets

THE J. C. SIMMONS DRUG CO.

DeWitt Holt Real Estate and Insurance Graham, N. C. Office in Vestal Hotel.

Danger of Pneumonia.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption.

In an affray near Andrews, Cherokee county, Sunday night a week Avery Pulliam, aged 21 years, shot and instantly killed his brother Elbert Pulliam.

That's the house the doctor built, The biggest goodness he don't get our money, For we take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

Wilkesboro Chronicle: James Wagoner, aged 70, and Susan Brown aged 22, of Mulberry township, were married Monday a week.

Clears the Complexion. Orino Laxative Fruit Sprup stimulates the liver and thoroughly cleanses the system and clears the complexion of pimples and blotches.

Revenue officers captured an illicit distillery, 20 gallon capacity, in the home of Alfred Anderson, in Charlotte week before last.

Paster and faster the pace is set by people of action, vim and get, So if at the finish you would be, Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, Thompsons Drug Co.

Fire at High Point Saturday night destroyed ten buildings, including two halls and a church.

Rev. Walter Holcombe, evangelist, closed a meeting of three weeks' duration in Charlotte Sunday.

Congressman Crawford was thrown from a carriage in Wayneville Thursday by a runaway team.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Canitary Lotion. Never fails.

Mrs. Charley Greer, of Watauga county, tied her baby in a chair before the fire and left it alone.

CLOTHING

I am glad to inform you that I have a full stock of the latest designs and makes in ready-to-wear clothing, for both men and boys.

A. M. HADLEY, One Price Clothing, Dry Goods, Shoes, GRAHAM, N. C.

The Old Standard

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic has stood the test 25 years. Average annual sales over One and a Half Million bottles.

THE NEW IDEA THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR Moves the Bowels Best for Children and Clears Mucous in Every Bottle

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Trustee's Sale of Land. By virtue of the authority vested in me by a deed of trust executed to me by R. A. Paris, on the 15th day of December, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county, North Carolina, in book No. 31 of M. D., on pages 47, 48 and 49, I will sell at the court house door in the town of Graham, in said county of Alamance, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1907, at public outcry, to the best bidder, for ready money, the following described real property, to-wit:

A tract or parcel of land containing about 28 acres, in Thompson township, Alamance county, North Carolina, adjoining the lands now owned by J. J. Paris, former owner, James H. Paris, James H. Paris, John A. Thompson, Leighton E. Thompson and George H. Thompson, which said tract was sold to R. A. Paris by (Paris) James H. Thompson, on December 15, 1905, which deed is registered in book No. 31 of M. D. of said county North Carolina.

The wife of said R. A. Paris, has by deed, assigned all claims that she may ever have in said tract, to said R. A. Paris.

For information apply to Parker & Parker, attorneys, Graham, N. C. HERBERT A. WARD, Trustee.

Duke Williams, a colored boy, was killed near New Berns Wednesday night by a sand-bag falling on him and buried him alive.

Kill the Cough and Cure the Lungs with Dr. King's New Discovery.

FOR CONSUMPTION, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLE, OR MONEY BACK.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of William Mitchell, deceased, he hereby gives notice that all persons indebted to said estate shall make immediate payment to said administrator, and all persons claiming against said estate shall present their claims with proper vouchers to said administrator, on or before the 15th day of April, 1907, at 12 o'clock, noon. J. L. SCOTT, Jr., Administrator.

Plant Wood's Garden Seeds. FOR SUPERIOR VEGETABLES & FLOWERS. Twenty-eight years experience—our own seed farms, the ground—and large warehouse capacity give us an equipment that is unsurpassed anywhere for supplying the best seeds obtainable. Our trade in seeds both for the Garden and Farm is one of the largest in this country. We are headquarters for Green and Clover Seeds, Seed Oats, Seed Potatoes, Cow Peas, Soja Beans and other Farm Seeds. Wood's Descriptive Catalog gives full and more complete information about both Garden and Farm seeds than any other similar publication issued in this country. Send free on request. Write for it. T. W. Wood & Sons, Seedsmen, RICHMOND, VA.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE. DISTINCTIVELY A CREAM OF TARTAR BAKING POWDER. It does not contain an atom of phospho acid (which is the product of bones digested in sulphuric acid) or of alum (which is one-third sulphuric acid), unhealthy substances adopted for other baking powders because of their cheapness.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS. Distressing kidney and bladder disease relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys or back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by the J. C. Simmons Drug Co., Graham, N. C.

How to Remain Young. To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga. did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at J. C. Simmons Drug Store. Price 50c.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Saved at Last. J. A. Harmon, of Lize more, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at J. C. Simmons Drugstore.

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