

MISS VIOLA JENKINS WINS SPECIAL PRIZES.

Saturday Will be Double Vote Day—More Special Prizes Next Week.

The votes piled in so fast at The Robesonian office Monday and all of last week that it was hard to tell who would be the winner of the handsome rug offered by Messrs. White & Gough and the two-pound box of candy offered by the Lumberton Drug Co. But after final count we found that Miss Jenkins had won by a good majority. But it was only hard, earnest work that made it possible for her to win, as the rest put up a mighty good fight. There will be more special prizes added soon and we hope next week that all will be able to win.

DOUBLE VOTING.

Next Saturday we will give double votes on all subscriptions brought in on that day, on old-re-

newals or new subscriptions. This will give all contestants a good chance to secure a load of votes to their credit as this applies to every one sending in subscriptions Saturday.

All the contestants have been doing good work so far but there is still plenty of territory that has not been worked at all and some that has only been partly worked. Call at the office and get the names of these towns and the list of subscribers and then go to these towns and work them.

We hope that you all will have a pleasant Thanksgiving and will then be ready for more and better work than before.

Mr. Wetmore's Proposed Swamp Road.

Charlotte Observer.

A meeting was held at Lumberton on Saturday to organize a good roads association for Robeson county and a correspondent of The Robesonian offered some preliminary suggestions for consideration which are of interest beyond the locality to which they have special reference. This correspondent sizes up the general situation as follows: "Robeson county abounds in good-roads possibilities. Some of these are along roads now established. Others would better be relocated in order to straighten and secure a more easily improved route. In still other places an entirely new road would stimulate undeveloped territory and be of great benefit to the traveling public." It may be remarked that the same three alternatives are open to builders in every section of the State.

With regard to new routes this observer outlines one lying between Maxton and Lumberton which offers some unusual features. His idea is to utilize the line of the main drain of Back and Jacob swamps. "The road," he explains, "would be constructed by merely leveling off the spoil bank on one side of the ditch as soon as properly settled. This would cost little compared with the building of any other road of equal merit. The course would be direct, almost an air line. There would be an entire elimination of grades, not a suspicion of a hill occurring in 24 miles, and there would be no sharp turns. All the necessary material for a first-class road is immediately available at all points along the line and this material is of the best wearing quality, thus insuring a low cost of maintenance. Last and greatest of all, this road would have perfect drainage."

The Robesonian's correspondent has outlined some very attractive features possessed by his proposed new route and there are doubtless many other such swamp roads which wait for the building in other sections of this State.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Summarized in a phrase, "satisfactory progress all along the Panama canal zone," is the gist of the annual report of the Isthmian Canal Commission, made to Secretary of War Dickinson by Col. George W. Goethals, chairman of the commission and chief engineer in charge of the work on the canal, and made public today by the former. With the work of excavation and of construction progressing favorably at all points along the line, with health conditions better than ever before, with a centralization and consequent economy in certain parts of the work and with a maximum of laborers since the United States began to dig the canal, Colonel Goethals' report was decidedly pleasing to Secretary Dickinson.

Governor-elect Eugene N. Foss of Massachusetts has issued a statement in which he demands that Senator Henry Cabot Lodge withdraw from the field for reelection. In the event of a refusal Mr. Foss declared by would go into every section of the Commonwealth in a campaign to defeat the Senator. He declared that Senator Lodge does not represent the people, the men and women in the ordinary walks of life.

MT. ELIAM MATTERS.

A Variety of Items, Personal and Otherwise.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Mt. Eliam, Nov. 21.—Messrs. Tillman Britt and Lawrence Freeman spent Sunday in these parts.

Messrs. Orion Martin and Grover Britt spent Saturday, and Sunday at Fairmont.

"Happy Jack" attended the auction sale of horses, mules and buggies at Fairmont Saturday of last week. Mr. C. F. Lawson of Mt. Eliam, the best auctioneer in North Carolina, sold them. The buggies brought from \$1.50 to \$39 and the mules and horses from \$6.25 to \$75. He sold 19 buggies and 7 mules.

Mr. S. T. Store left Saturday for Parkton, where he will teach school.

One of our boys is suffering on account of a chicken scratch on the hand. He is not a hen-pecked husband but a rooster-scratched single man.

Our farmers are most done harvesting corn and there is plenty of it, too.

Some of our young folks attended the debate and oyster supper at Orrum Friday night and report a nice time.

We heard a couple of our young folks were made happy Sunday by being made one, but I'm afraid to give names as I don't know it to be true; but if it's not I think it will be soon. I saw the parties. They did not look like married people, but like people who wanted to be.

Mr. J. Z. Stone is on the sick list.

Mrs. John Parker continues very sick, we are sorry to note.

"Happy Jack" is working with The Robesonian at Lumberton and doesn't know when he will write any more Mt. Eliam matters, but hopes to have a few words to say occasionally, as not to write would not be like "Happy Jack."

North Carolina Furniture Factories.

Raleigh Cor., 19th Charlotte Observer.

That there are in North Carolina 106 furniture factories with \$3,451,140 capital using 11,332 horsepower is the showing made in the forthcoming annual report of State Commissioner of Labor and Printing, M. L. Shipman. The report shows that the 106 factories employ 6,842 workmen with an average daily wage of \$2.45, increase of five cents per day over the report last year. The lowest daily wage is 94 cents, an increase of three cents. Wages have increased in 68 factories and 29 factories show no increase. One factory decreased wages. There are over 17,000 people dependent directly upon these factories for a living. Four factories observe the 9-hour system, one 9½ hours and 99 work 10 hours. This report is the fullest as to this industry yet issued by the department. The showing is of continued growth in spite of the untoward circumstances under which all manufacturing enterprises have labored all over the country for the past two years.

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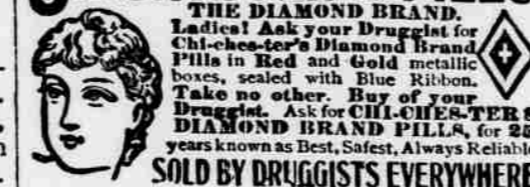
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