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TICKET FOR PRIMARY JUNE 3

Prepare Your Ballots Saturday-Those Who Have No Opposition Are Declared the Nominees-Republicans Have Only Enough Candidates to Fill Offices Hence Take No Part in Primary

Following is the Democratic coun-County Candidates

House of Representatives-two to be nominated—J. S. Oliver, G. B. Sellers, H. C. MacNair.

Sheriff-one to be nominated-R E. Lewis, T. Leak Smith. County commissioners-three to be

All the Republican candidates for State and county offices were declared nominated by the board of elections, as there were only as many elections, as the paid positician. Allow passed in 1913, that applies to this country, that we might avail ourselves to the elections.

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ler, for recorder of St. Paul district; Mr. A. E. Floyd, for recorder of Fairmont district; Mr. R. A. Mc-Lean, for solicitor of recorder's court, David went fishing yesterday even-Lumberton district; Mr. G. E. ing and say they caught two sm Rancke, Sr., for coroner, and Mr. J. fish, and a bushel of tarrapins.

will be voted on for recorder of Lumberton district, both Democrats.

Messrs. T. W. Bickett and E. L. Daughtridge, Democrats, make up the ticket for Governor, while the names of Messrs. J. A. Brown, E. F. Young, Q. K. Nimocks, J. W. Litter and the present incumbent, H. L. Godwin, appear on the congressional picket for this district.

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the sixth district are especially in-terested in two other names on the printed ballots—A. J. McKinnon of the singing were Cumberland Mills Robeson, candidate for Commission-class and Green Springs, Mr. Frank er of Agriculture, and N. A. Sin-Blount of Fayetteville with violin and clair of Cumberland, candidate for Mr. J. B. West of Hope Mills with Attorney General.

the primary he is confident that Mr. the first real ripe peaches. Mr. T. fight for the nomination, that there a nice swarm of bees. will be no second primary. Mr.

Bethure says he has just completed a trip through Robeson county and does not hesitate to predict that Mr.

Mr. Farmer, you may get busy or "general green" will get you sure.

Capt W. R. Johnson of Florence S.C., spent Sunday with his mother, Godwin will ge the largest vote in Mrs. Sallie Johnson .- Dr. D. S. Robeson that he has ever polled in Currie, who has been sick for more this county. Another man who knows than a week is much better and we Robeson like a book and who has expect to see him out in a day or so. been all over the county, recently, -Mrs. Fred Ransom and little son told The Robesonian man last night of Lincolnton are on a visit to Mrs. that he is satisfied Mr. Godwin will Ransom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. carry nearly every township in the C. McMillan .- Rev. H. B. Porter county, and that it is more than is taking a vacation of a few weeks likely he will carry every township, and is visiting his father at Cora-

No Finer Farming Section Than in Robeson

Mr. Baker, who is connected with the agricultural department which Master Financies and Railroad Buildthe Charlotte Observer will soon put on as a regular feature, has been sections of other Southern States. 2 p. m. yesterday. Mr. Baker will go this afternoon to

All old soldiers and widows of vetefigure of the Northwest. Carolina's part in the Confederacy
rans who are entitled to county penSince the death of Edward H. for the North Carolina division of at the office of Register of Deeds M. railroad world has een Mr. Hill's ial commission from the State His-W. Floyd. There are 223 who are without question. He was born in torical Commission. entitled to these pensions of \$14 each. Guelph, Ont., on September 16, 1838. Prof. Riddick was The amount of each pension was in-treased from \$12.50 to \$14 by the board of county commissioners at a tified with steamboat and railroad inrecent meeting, mention of which was terests in the West and Northwest the same time Dr. W. A. Withers

Diplomas were awarded 98 members of the senior class at the A. and M. College commencement at Raleigh who was in town Tuesday, says that ficers begin at that time. Tuesday, the largest class in the history of the college. There were 30 in his section but that tobacco is head of the department of civil end and other seed—L. H. Caldwell. graduates in agriculture, 3 in chem-looking pretty good. Mr. Stone cineers of the college for 24 years. istry, 19 in civil engineering, 20 in says the people of the McDonald and is 52 years old and is a native of istry, 19 in civil engineering, 20 in electrical engineering, 10 in mechan- Raynham section think they have Wake county. He was educated at ical engineering. 7 in textile industry . had anything but a fair deal in the Washington and Lee and the Univer-The following Robeson county boys matter of road work by the chain sity of North Carolina. graduated: Agriculture-J. W. Mc- gang. He says that it has been 20 Leod. J. P. Robertson. Rowland; or 25 years since the chain gang has dent, has been with the college as chemistry-M. L. Crrell, Lumber worked on that end of the Harlees- professor of chemistry for the past ton; civil engineering-P. A. Rob- ville road. Speaking of politics, Mr. 26 years. erts, Red Springs.

at Morehead City, the other day died of lockjaw as a result of cutting one hail is reported to have fallen about of his toes nearly off with an axe. 5 miles north of Lumberton Tuesday speak at the court house here tomor-

7, is a Lumberton visitor today. Master Durham, of Proctorville, were some hail fell here, accompanied by is high, and no doubt Mr. Godwin some time here visiting at the home delphus section is a Lumberton visi-Lumberton visitors Monday

PARKTON PARAGRAPHS

Candidates for Whom You Are to Basebail-Series of Meetings-Cotton President Vardell Entertains One Do Your Part at Polls June 3rd-It candidates Willing to Help Warehouse Being Rebuit-Singing Convention - Good Gardens - Per sonal

Correspondence of The Robeschian. ball team came over this afternoon for a game with the locals but rain a good game. Our team goes to Bennettsville Thursday for a game.

Rev. J. L. Jenkins, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach here to-night, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights of this week.

The following young people have rage, John W. Ward, W. M. Bridgers, C. B. Townsend, J. A. Mc-cormick, M. L. Marley.

returned home from college: Mr. H. B. Culbreth from Davidson, Miss Henriette McMillan from State Normal, Greensboro, Miss Easdale Curmick, M. L. Marley. All the Republican candidates for rie and Miss Carrie McMillan, Ked

for the State Senate, and Mr. M. W. Carter and small daugter of Fairmont Floyd, Democratic candidate for reg- are on a visit to Mrs. Carter's sister ister of deeds, were both declared Mrs. W. T. Fisher .- The following nominated as they had no opposition. persons made a business trip to Lau-Other Democratic candidates who rinburg today: J. G. Hughes, J. B. were declared nominated because they McCormick, Pemberton McCormick, have no opposition: Mr. John S. But- R. A. Wright, also Mr. and Mr. Collier Cobb visited that section to-

ing and say they caught two small

Ed Tyson, for county surveyor.

Mesory, M. G. M. Kerric and the present incumbent, Mr. E. M. Britt, will be voted on for recorder of Lumberton district bath Demograts

cket for this district.

Robeson county folk and others of singing concert at Cumberland Mills Blount of Fayetteville with violin and clarinet playing for each choir. The music was fine. The Parkton choir

all over the district in the interest way, with a few broilers coming of Representative Godwin's candidacy in and whortleberries a treat occas- Wheat Nearly Ready to Cut-Crops for Congress, says that on the eve of ionally. Mr. E. V. Johnson reports Godwin will win easily and that the B. McNeill reports Mr. J. K. Furprimary on June 3rd will settle the midge had the misfortune of losing

peake.

J. J. HILL DEAD

er of North-West

Jas. J. Hill, pioneer railroad buildtraveling over Robeson the last day er and financier, died at his home at or so and he is most favorably im- St. Paul, Minn., Monday. The funpressed with this God-blessed section. eral was held at the home yesterday He went yesterday from Lumberton afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was 78 to Red Springs, thence to Rowland, years. In accordance with the simthence to Fairmont, and says he has plicity which the family considered seen no finer farming section any-where, and his work on the agricul-request was made that no flowers tural and good roads departments of or floral offerings be sent to the other Southern journals before be-coming connected with The Observer and all boats on the Hill lines were has takenhim over the best farming stopped for 5 minutes, beginning at Raleigh Dispatch, May 30.

made in The Robesonian at the time. since that time. His chief line has was made vice president in the stead Folger.

been the Great Northern. -Mr. Scott Stone of McDonald, July 1 and the terms of the new of-Stone thinks the vote will be pretty A 5-year-old boy, Frank Wickizer, well split up among the candidates. Representative Godwin Speaks in

-A heavy rain and quite a bit of Lumberton Tomorrow Afternoon Mr. G. B. Allen of Lumbetron, R. afternoon. A hard wind acompanied row at30'clock p.m. Music will be further the rain and hail. The hail stones rished by a brass hand. This is on is a Lumberton visitor today. were small, however, and not much the eve of the primary, when in-Mr. I. P. Graham and brother, damage was done. Much rain and terest in the fight for the nomination arrived this morning and will spend a hard wind.

GET-TOGETHER BANQUET

Hundred Men of Red Springs at Flora Macdonald College—Rejoicing Over Great Success of Institu-

Parkton, May 30-The Raeford Correspondence of The Robesonian. Red Springs, May 31-Dr. C. G. Vardell, president of Flora McDonald ty ticket that will be placed before prevented the game. The local team College was host Tuesday night from probably the highest and most sacred the voters in the primary Saturday: has some four or five new members 8 to 12 o'clock to one hundred of the at present and no doubt will put up men of Red Springs. It was a get-man-the ballot. together meeting, that all might have a heart-to-heart talk and rejoice to-gether over the great success of "our" institution. Dr. Vardell, who is always planning for the good and pleaselaborate spread. Mr. J. S. Jones reached. a good one. The menu included the very best the market affords and was served in the spacious dining truest convictions and only after most by some.

You have now a bond issue law,

> of Dr. Vardell's remarks was what consider it an honor. to the college. Others who spoke were Mai. G. H. Hall, Mr. A. B. Pearsall, Revs. H. M. Dixon and J. J. Hill, Messrs. Alexander Miller, A. P. Spell, Jno. H. McKoy, Joseph A. Brown process of honor) and others. These all spoke of what the college meant to the town and community and emphasized wary time and if he is unwilling to give it.

his recople than he. Refore the guests departed Dr. Var-

dell said this meeting had been an inspiration to him, had given fresh hone and courage to undertake even greater things for this school. rising vote of thanks was tendered De. Vardell for this evening of profit. inspiration and enjoyment and all left feeling like Peter of old-"Lord

OUT BARKER'S WAY

Better-Church Notes-Personal

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton, R. 1, May 29-Crops are looking better since the rain. Wheat is nearly ready for cutting.

Rev. R. L. Davis, State superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, preached a good sermon at Barker's 3rd Sunday p. m. Rev. S. Barnes, superintendent of

the Methodist orphan asylum at Raleigh, preached a fine sermon at Barker's 4th Sunday p. m. There was a Sunbeam rally at Ten

Mile Baptist church 4th Sunday a. Miss Amelia Powers has returned home. She attended school at Lum-

berton. Miss Annie M'White has returned home from Maxton, where she was a student at Carolina College.

Mr. Samuel Britt lost a fine cow Saturday night. Miss Jennie Inman has returned home after spending some time at Laurinburg.

The people around Barker's have got a stand of cotton at last. Rev L. H. Joyner of St. Paul attended preaching at Barker's Sun-

W. C. Riddick is New President of A. and M. College

W .C. Riddick is the new presi-Mr. Hill's wealth is estimated at dent of the North Carolina College between \$100,000,000 and \$500,000, of Agriculture and Mechanics Arts, 000. He was the most widely known dency to write the history of North figure of the Northwest. Carolina's part in the Confederacy sion can get same now by applying Harriman, the premier position in the Confederate Veterans, under a spec-

Prof. Riddick was elected after the commencement exercises.

of Dr. Riddick. Dr. Hill's term as president closes

Dr. Withers, the new vice presi-

Representative H. L. Godwin will and gentlemen-L. H. Caldwell. will be greeted by a large crowd.

FOR CLEAN POLITICS

is Your Duty to Vote, a Solemn Obligation-Avoid the Paid Politic-

To the Editor of The Robesonian. On next Saturday, June 3rd, the citizenship of Kobeson county will have offered to them the exercise of privilege possible to the American

The ballot is a heritage left us by of the public. our ancestors-paid for with life blood. It represents to us many generations of downtrodden who tought and suffered under oppression ure of his friends, had prepared a very for us, before this great idea was

Friend, handle this heritage with our roads can we hope to obtain and care. Whoever you support be care- maintain the desired end.

Dr. Vardell for a speech. The doctor gave a brief account of the college from the beginning, showing how loyally the people of Red Springs (1994). NOT RE INSULTED how loyally the people of Red Springs had stood by, thus making possible COULD NOT BE INSULTED. If we were to adopt this or similar plan, Fairmont, were among the visitors in

no man is more greatly beloved by politics are so rotten". That is no excuse. If every honest man did his part, they wouldn't be rotten. Mr. Maxton, N. C. Moody, campaigning for a prohibition election in Chicago, asked a preacher for his support. The preacher replied that "he had nothing to do with earthly politics," that "his citizenship was in heaven". Dr. Moody responded that "as long as the good Lord saw fit to allow him to remain on earth with sinful men, that his advice was for the next thirty days to transfer his citizenship back down to

this vale of tears".
Do your part. "Hold Robeson, Save the State."

RECORDER'S COURT

St. Paul, N. C.

Trial of Men Charged With Beating Up J. J. Barnhill Continued Till Next Tuesday-Other Cases The following cases have been dis-

Monday:

Alex Howell, jumping board bill, judgment suspended upon payment of Series of Meetings Begins at First cost and paying board. Tom Graham and Marsh Roper, colored, having more liquor than law allows, case dis- Robesonian, a series of meetings will millions of flies every week. If they missed. This was a case where Chief begin at the First Baptist church are kept baited properly and kept of Police Alf. H. McLeod seized a Sunday morning at the regular church right on the job they will soon make suit case which Graham brought off hour. Rev. Dr. W. M. Vines, pas- the town near-flyless. The traps are the 6:19 Seaboard train Saturday af- tor of the First Baptist church, Char- being furnished to any who want to ternoon and therein found 2 gallons lotte, is expected to arrive Monday use about their residences by the of "monkey rum". Graham swore to assist the pastor, Rev. Chas. L. town at 45 rents each. Marion, S. the case was not his but belonging Greaves, in the meeting. The hours to Roper, who asked him to take it of service will be announced in Mon of the trap used here and will try off the train. Roper swore the suitcase was not his and he knew nothing vited to attend the services. Dr.
at all about it. Witnesses testified Vines has the reputation of being one that Graham did not have a suit case of the strongest Baptist ministers in when he boarded the train and as the State. the case was not in the possession of Roper it was considered that there was not sufficient evidence to con-

vict either of the defendants. The case in which five warrants have been issued against parties from the Lumberton cotton mill charging them with beating J. J. Barnhill, an account of which has been published in The Robesonian, was set for Monday afternoon, but County Pension Money Ready for Old County Pension M

Notice of New Advertisements

consider-First National Bank. Nimocks to the people. On "Choosing a Congressman". Palm Beach and Cool Cloth coat

suits and other attractive offerings -Lumberton Bargain House. Bee brand will kill flies-M. N

Golden Gate coffee and teas-M Chufas for cheap hog feed, seed at L. H. Caldwell's. Seed peas, soy beans, velvet beans

Four-room cottage in St. Paul for Oliver for Legislature. MacNair for Legislature

Godwin in Lumberton tomorrow. Legal notice of sale of land-H. J. Singleton, commissinoer. Affidavit and endorsement of af

"The Man for Congress" New arrivals in dress goods. Latest in summer wear for both ladies Milch cows for sale. Touring car for sale.

og Mrs. A. C. McMillan.

CONCERNING ROADS

Work Out a Road Law Under Which kooeson May Have Good Roads

lo the Editor of The Robesonian: I note in last Monday's issue you think it desirable that candidates express themselves on the road ques-

Personally, I shrink from attempt-ing the task of constructing a road ing for Chadbourn, where he has aclaw that would conform to the desires

So many failures have been made. No road law of itself will build roads. The people must do it. Not until our best men are willing to devote of their time and talents to the construction and maintenance of

the college of today. The burden you would spit in his face, he would would be to put out the work to contown early this morning. They retractors who own their own equip- port crops doing well on their routes. the town has meant and means now to the college. Others who spoke were to the college. Others who spoke were to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college to the college to the college to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college to the college to the college to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college. Others who spoke were to the college to the college

Sincerely, H. C. MacNAIR.

CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Dr. W. B. North, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, delivered the principal address at the laying of the corner stone of Olivet Methodist church, Marietta, yester-day. Rev. N. L. Seabolt, pastor of better than usual right at this time," the Lumberton circuit, read the Scripture lesson. Rev. J. H. Hall, thinks the cause perhaps is that the J. B. E. district, held quarterly conference in addition to the corner stone exercises. A large crowd attended the exercises cipal of the graded school here durand a public dinner was spread on ing the session which closed last week, the grounds. It was a most enjoy- left this morning for Knoxville, Tenn., able occasion.

laid has already been completed and tioned in Monday's Robesonian, Prof. furnished. It cost around \$7,000 and Love was re-elected as principal of is a most beautiful brick structure. the school here for the next term, but posed of by Recorder E.M. Britt since Rev. B. E. Stanfield of Fairmont is declined to serve as he had accepted pastor of the church.

Baptist Sunday

As has been mentioned in The

B. Y. P. U.

Baptist church Monday evening. Miss town, however, 4 and 5 miles from Pearl Howard was group leader. The town, he came through a section subject for the evening was "My where hail had fallen the day before Money and Missions," which was very ably dicussed by Messrs. Foster Flowers and Rexford Stephens. A where hail had fallen the day before and had done considerable damage to cotton, corn and toacco.

College was present and made splendid talk on "The function of the B. Y. P. U.," which was much enjoyed by all who were fortunate which weighed some 3,500 pounds, enough to hear him.

Member of Meredith Faculty Will Sing at First Baptist and Chestnut Street Methouist

Miss Karen Anne Ellington Poole lege, will sin- at the morning service at the First Baptist and at the tation will be necessary. evening service at Chestnut Street

Methodist Sunday

intended. Parents are invited.

reld at Zion's Tabernacle erybony is cordially invited to at ner and supper for all Odd Fellows. tend and carry a well-filled basket.

Messrs, Okev Stephens and W. L. Thompson of R. 4, Lumberton, are among the visitors in town today Mr. J. F. McKay of the Phila-

BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

-The condition of Mrs. C. H. Edmund, who has been sick at her home Fourth street, for several days, is somewhat improved today.

-Mr. Worth Rogers of Charlotte arrived Tuesday and will spend some time here visiting his brothers, Messrs. John and B. C. Rogers.

cepted a position as chief of police. He will enter upon his duties at once.

-Mrs. W.A. McNeill went yesterday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Stephens, near Orrum, on account of the serious illness of her father.

-The condition of Nancy Pope, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McAllister, who was taken to Highsmith hospital, Fayette-

-Mr. F. A. Floyd, mail carrier on route 2 from Fairmont, and Mr. W. B. Ratley, carrier on route 3,

-Mr. H. G. Webster, local tinner, has opened up a shop in the White building, Fourth street, formerly occupied by Sam Lee, the Chinese laundryman. Lee has moved into one of the C not

-The office of the town clerk and treasurer at the town hall, which office has been in the open hall, is being cut off from the hall by a petition. This will add much to the conrenience of Town Clerk and Treasurer Townsend.

-Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McKenzie returned Monday night from the western part of the State, where they had been since their marriage here on the 17th ult. They will live with Mr. McKenzie's parents. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McKenzie, Elm street, for the

-Farmers say they have never seen grass growing and doing better than it is now doing. It has "got a move on them," as they put it. Crops are doing fine, too, they say. -People are behaving themselves

grass has folks too busy to "cut up". -Prof. J. F .Love, who was prinwhere he will attend the Summer The church to which the stone was School of the South. As was menthe position of superintendent of the St. Paul graded school.

-The more than 50 fly placed about town by Sanitary Officer A. E. Spivey are destroying

-Mr. A. C. Smith, who lives 9 miles from Lumberton on the Elizabeth road, Howellsville township, was in town yesterday. The heavy rain and wind of Tuesday afternoon extended to his section and the wind A splendid program was carried out by the B. Y. P. U. at the First was done to crops. On the way to

-Mr. F. C. Faulk, master mespecial feature for the evening was a solo by Mr. C. B. Skipper. Prof. J. H. Highsmith of Wake Forest suffered a cadly mashed hand Tuesa day morning as a result of getting was being moved on a truck. The weight of the generator caused the truck to break through the floor. This caused the generator to catch Mr. Faulk's hand. Dr. T. C. Johnson dressed the was summoned and of the vocal faculty of Meredith Col- wound. While the hand is badly bruised it is not thought that ampu-

-Mr. L. W. Moore of Wilming-Methodist Sunday. She is a guest at ton, Grand Marshal of the Odd Felthe home of Dr. and Mrs. Jno. Knox. lows, has written Mr. P. P. Green of Lumberton to the effect that the Children's Day at Chestnut Street A. C. L. will give a special rate to all Odd Fellws who wish to visit the Children's day exercises will be commencement of the Odd Fellows held at Chestnut Street Methodist orphan home at Goldsboro on the 8th Sunday morning during the regular inst. The round-trip rate from Wil-Sunday school hour, instead of dur- mington will be \$1.50. The train ing the preaching hour, as at first will have Wilmington at 7:40 o'clock in the morning, returning to Wilmington late that afternoon. Children's Day at Zlon's Tabernacle Moore urges all Lumberton members Children's day exercises will be and others who desire to go from this Baptist section to go with the Wilmingto parchurch, the 2nd Sunday in June. Ev- ty. The home will furnish both din-

> My glasses were fitted by Dr Parker the only specialist in Lumberton licensed by State Board Examination for this important HIS SERVICE SATIS