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## AMERICANISM, PEACE, PRE-PAREDNESS, PROSPERITY

Keynste Sounded by Glynn as Tem-porary Chairman of Democratic Convention—Demonstration of Approval of Wilson's Conduct of Foreign Affairs—"Policy of Administra-tion Has Been American As Amer" ican Flag Itself," Says Glynn St. Louis Dispatch, June 14 The Democratic National Conven-

tion at its first session today heard the keynote of Americanism and peace, preparedness and prosperity sounded by former Governor Glynn of New York, as temporary chairman and with a high pitch of enthusiasm emphatically registered by demons-tration after demonstration its approval of President Wilson's peaceful conduct of foreign affairs.

The convention, which had gotten under way with such perfunctory demonstrations as mark every national gathering of the kind, stirred it-self into roaring cheers as Chairman Glynn cited historic parallels to show that other Presidents, including Republicans, had adjusted threatening foreign situations without resort to war.

"The policy of the administration," he declared, "has been just as Amer-ican as the American flag itself."

As he went down the list of Presidents, recounting their action to avoid war, the delegates caught the spirit of his argument and as he re-ferred to each particular President, some delegate would call: "What did he do?"

"He settled the trouble by negotiation," was the reply which Glynn invariably returned, and the convention would roar its approval.

Aside from a 16-minute demonstration which began when Chairman Glynn predicted President Wilson's reelection, Glynn's speech was sprinkfound it difficult to stem so he could go on. It was plain that the telling points on the delegates were the reto keep the country at peace.

# That is, If County Board of Elections Takes Method of Calculation Ap-proved by State Board of Election

SELLERS IS NOMINATED

-Sellers for House and McKay for Commissioner Will Probably be De-cision of County Board at Meeting Saturday

According to a method of calculation suggested by President W. C. Riddick of the A. and M. College at Kaleigh and approved by Chairman Lamb of the State Board of Elections and Attorney General T. W. Bickett, Mr. G. B. Selters was nominated in the recent primary for the House of the Legislature over Mr. H. C. Mc-Nair, and Mr. J. F. McKay was nominated for county commissioner over Mr.M.L.Marley. The countyBoard of Elections will meet in Lumberton Saturday of this week to make final decision in regard to nominations for the House and county commissioners.

Chairman Lamb of the State Board Elections has written Chairman. W. Britt of the county Board of Elections, that while the State board has no authority to decide the matter he is of opinion that the county board had no authority for taking the vote

for sheriff as a basis for making a calculation as to a majority vote for any other office but that votes case for candidates for each office should be calculated separately. Chairman Lamb approves, as does Attorney General Bickett, the method of calculation suggested by Prof. W. C. Rid-

dick in the following letter, this meth-od applying to both candidates for county commissioners as well as to candidates for House of the Legisla-ture. -Prof. Riddick's letter to Chairman Lamb reads:'

"Referring to our conversation in regard to the result of an election between three men where there were led with demonstrations which he two places to be filled, and where A. gets 1922 votes, B. gets 1474, and C. gets 1264 votes:

"Adding these number we get 4660 cital of President Wilson's efforts as the total number of votes cast.

isfy the fire-eater and swash buck- as the number of people voting, which text was: Verily I say unto you, all ler but it does satisfy mothers of the looks as if all three had received a sins shall be forgiven unto men, and ler but it does satisfy mothers of the land at whose hearth and fireside no jingoistic war has placed an empty chair. It does satisfy the daughters of this land from whom bluster and brag have sent no loving brother to the discolution of the grave. It does

#### **RAFT SWAMP RAFTS** PROTRACTED MEETING **CLOSES FRIDAY NIGHT**

Baptizing of 42 or More People at First Baptist Tomorow Night Will Bring Successful Series of Meetings to Close-Dr. Vines Won All Hearts by His Eloquent Preaching-Second Anniversary of Pastorate of Rev. C. L. Greaves Next Sunday The very successful protracted meeting at the First Baptist church will close with the baptizing of 42 or more persons tomorrow (Friday) evewill close with the baptizing of 42 or more persons tomorrow (Friday) eve-ning. So far 56 persons have joined the church on experience, letter, or relation. Of the entire number, 35 are men and boys. Rev. Dr. W. M. Vines of Charlotte who has been do-ing the preaching, will close his work here tonight and return tomorrow to his home. Dr. Vines has captivated his home. Dr. Vines has captivated all hearts by his eloquent preaching, and great crowds have thronged the large church at every service, often overflowing into the gallery. Stir-ring meetings are expected today, and the addition of other names to the list of converts.

A most attractive feature of the meeting just closing has been the fine singing by the splendid choir. The congregational singing was also remarkable good.

#### Anniversary

Next Sunday will be the second anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. C. L. Greaves. It is intended on that occasion to have all who have joined the church since the anniversary last June to occupy reserved seats and to be guests of honor on Sunday morning. On a similar occasion last June there were 127 new members present. The exact figures this time have not yet been determined from the records. The church is in a very prosperous State and its fine work and splendid esprit de corps is commented on throughout the State.

### The Unpardonable Sin

A large and attentive crowd heard Dr. Vines sermon on the "Unpardonkeep the country at peace. Since each man voted twice, we di-"This policy," he said, "may not sat-vide the number by 2 and get 2330 Holy Ghost," Monday evening. His danger of eternal damnation. Mark 3rd chapter, verses 28 and 29. The Lord hath declared there is a

Prosperous-Looking Crops — Former Candidates and Robeson-Big Apple Fishers Turn to Huckleberrying \_\_\_\_\_\_ Let Young Folks Lead — Personal and Other Items Crops — Crop Prospects—Old Cam-paign Lie—Debate Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Raft Swamp, June 12-The farm-

your places, now is the time for us support. For the longer you all go For the past few weeks we have

folks to jump in without giving them "weight is what broke down the wagon. Never put on too much "wait" and keep the thing all the time a

going. of the Saddle Tree items. It is not better.

commonly see. As for the girls

Gaddysville (Fairmont, R. 1), June

13-Since our last letter there has

are right on the job picking nuckley berries; but they are not so plentiful as they have been here years ago. We are having a very nice prayer-meeting at Raft Swamp now. The fault I find is that it was started in the woods yet that it is being cut down. —Mr. Lacy McNair of the Rennert section was a Lumberton visitor yes-terday. Mr. McNair says crops are looking well and growing nicely in his section. up for the young people and the old- season why the office seekers always er foiks have taken it away from us come to Robeson first for support and er E. M. Britt recently on the charge younger folks and are running it we find the answer to be the Robethemselves. Now if you older men sonians are men of influence and

to begin, for the longer you all go ahead the longer we will look for you to lead in the church work. Now if

to lead in the church work. Now if you want us to ever make a start, just give us a chance and we will let you know how much we are inter-ested in the work of the Lord. If you get the right ones behind any-thing it will work out right and if the older men just walt for the young

In noticing various orchards we a chance they will wait right on; and find that there is an enormous crop of apples, but peaches are short. That to Greensboro, where she will attend means apples to eat next winter.

I want to sav a word to the writer very good to eye of man and tastes graded school here next session.

customary in the Raft Swamp section to call negroes "mister". W. M. Gregory is as black a man as you tinued rains. The majority of oats is cut and to call sector will go Sat-to call negroes "mister". W. M.

Cotton is behind times this year thinking he is a bachelor, he is not, but according to what eminent cot- They will return the first of next for he is married and was down in ton authorties say the prices will

this section a few days ago trying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not old enough to stop paying to find out how old he was to see if he was not a Republican voter in Gad-We have recently said that there he was not old enough to stop paying was not a Republican voter in Gad-poll tax. What do you think about that, girls? (The girls didn't know that, nor did the editor.—Editor). Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Townsend of Lumberton spent Sunday afternoon is the Roft Swamp visiting friends

of this land from when gent of the grave. It does the dissolution of the grave. It does satisfy the fathers of this land and the sons of this land when ill fight for our flag and die or our flag when reason primes the rifle; when honor draws the sword and when justice breathers a blessing on the standard they uphold." No other President since the Civil No other President since the Civil

There is another debate in book and Mr. Andrews ordered The Robesonia on home news.

BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS GADDYSVILLE GRIST

-Mr. M. J. Merritt is able to be out today after being confined to his room since Monday.

-Mr. F. A. Wishart left last evening for Charlotte, where he entered a hospital for treatment for some head trouble.

-A force of hands is at work It seems that fishing has been cut out for some time but the fishers are right on the job picking huckley berriest but the normal seems that there are two candidates loose in the woods yet that is being cut down.

-Peter Vallis was before Recordof selling alcohol. There was not sufficient evidence to convict, so the case was dismissed.

-Mr. C. C. McNeill of Pembroke left last Monday for Lynchburg, where he will enter Piedmont Bus-

R. Litton is superintendent.

-Miss Mae Seabolt went yesterday the State Normal Teachers' Training Garden truck is recuperating from School this summer. Miss Seabolt the recent spring drought and looks will teach Latin and French in the

-Mr. Jas. D. Proctor will go Sat-The majority of oats is cut and urday to Graham, where Mrs. Procfor some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kernodle. week in their auto.

---Master Harry Francis Redfern of Monroe, Master McLean Fairley, Master Douglas Hamer and sister Miss Elizabeth of McColl, S. C., are guests this week at a house party that is being given by Master Hugh McAl-lister, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McAllister.

-Miss Elizabeth Breece has been elected to teach in the graded school

War, Glynn told the convention, had which gives 2738; the majority of Jesus Christ intercedes for him. He said by the preacher. That is the the price of cotton or anything else? stated when in town yesterday to faced such crucial problems, none had which would be 1369. Therefore B. may sin against Jesus Christ and the way to do: always go to the front. But ye Republican converts and followers of T. R., where would we be situated during the critical periods with Germany had that Tom cat been in the President's chair? when they leave the home county, to follow him and keep him posted

more profound.

has pursued during this crucial pe- ed the following principle: riod is to be continued and whether question for the voters to decide.

said he, "no unrelated problems must inst d." confuse it."

the convention adjourned until 11 county board that Mr. Sellers was c'clock.

#### Jurors for July Court

drew the following jury list for the week's term of criminal court which Mir. Marley's vote. will convene Monday, July 10: N. Wade, J. H. Hammond, A. D.

McGirt, Arren Williams, C. W. Bullock, A. E. Wilkerson, W. O. Barnes, Edwards, F. C. Britt, Richard Ivev, commissioner. W. P. Andrews, D. McCall, J. B. ter, Dan Floyd, J. M. McCall, W. N. Wilson, D. McH. Graham, P. K. Floyd, J. W. Carter, Jr., A. P. Smith, H. P. Powers, Jno. N. Rogers, W. B. Bullock, J. W. Belch, B. W. Pittman, C. McMillan, P. H. McArthur, J. C. the purpose of revising the county Harrell, I. J. Belch. Daniel Wilker-son, W. W. Carlyle, F. C. Smith, M. once every two years. J. Barker.

Judge Daniels Will Decide Carlyle Will Matter This Week

decision in the case this week.

last term of court the jury decid- G. Johnson, service as member couned in favor of the caveators, but Judge ty board of elections \$28.80. Total Daniels reserved his judgment as to \$244.38. whether or not to set the verdict aside.

Flowers Will be Given Hearing Tomorrow

W. B. Flowers, who was arrested last Saturday and placed in jail on esonian, Flowers has a family here, till the regular meeting the first Monbut was living in Durham with Lot- day in July. tie Taylor, a young white woman, when she was shot and dangerously weeks ago.

is a Lumberton visitor today.

displayed a grasp of statesmanship in my opinion receives a majority. Holy Spirit comes in, but when he Miss Lessie Odum, one of the Buie's Creek students, is spending buie's Creek students, is spending Buie's Creek students, is spending buiet and the Buie's Creek students. "Whether the course the country means no more than if we had adopt-

"Where there are a number of canthe principles that have been assert- didates and more than one place to ed as our national policy shall be fill, it may frequently occur that more endorsed or withdrawn," Glynn told men will get a majority than there the convention was the paramount are places to fill. When this happens, it coems to me that those setting the "No lesser issue must cloud it." | highest vote should be declared nom-

It will be recalled that Mr. Mac-After hearing the keynote speech Nair appealed from the ruling of the nominated, according to the purely the text.

Committees then went into session arhitrary rule adopted by the board to prepare their work for the session. . having the calculation upon the

vote for sheriff. A second primary was ordered between J. F. McKay and M. L. Marley for county commis While in special session Monday and M. L. Marley for county commis-the board of county commissioners cioner, but later it was found that that Indians climbed a large tree which order was based upon error as to

According to the methods of calculation laid down by Prof. Riddick it He died in that position and several is procumed that the county board Saturday will finally doclars Mr. Sel-W. B. Usher, R. D. Croom, F. A. long the nominee for the House and fore he died he wrote on a piece McLeod, F. J. Nye, C. J. Conoly, Ben Mr. McKaw the nominee for county of paper a short account of how he

Capture of Negro Murderer-Bills Ordered Paid The board of county commission-

W. F. Henderson, D. M. Watson, H. ers met in special session Monday for When a Man Loses His Sense of While in session the following bills

were ordered paid: Alfred Hardin, ditching road \$88;

D. E. Ivey, lumber and bridge work The attorneys for the propounders \$44.67; Jasper Rowan, auto service and caveators in the case in re will for commissioners and county board of the late Miss Athesia Carlyle ar- of elections, \$30; F. F. Townsend, gued the case for a second time be- lumber and bridge work \$21.91; C. fore Judge F. A. Daniels at Raeford J. McCallum, registrar Rowland Monday. Judge Daniels promised his township, \$22.80; W. S. Britt, chairman county board of elections \$50; It will be remembered that when McKay McKinnon, services as memthe case was tried here during the ber of board of elections \$46.20; E.

A reward of \$25 was offered for

the arrest of Walter McNair, colorkilled Archie Currie, colored, near published in Monday's Robesonian. the charge of abandonment, will be the county Board of Education for given a hearing before Recorder E. additional levy of 5 cents on proper-M. Britt tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m. ty and 15 cents on poll to provide As has been mentioned in The Rob- for 4-months' schools was postponed ters to do.

#### In a fire at Goldsboro Saturday Some sav it in words; others act it wounded by Don Anderson just be- night the livery stables of Mr. Don They willfully reject Jeans Christ fore he ended his own life some two Scott and the buggy and wagon establishment of Mr. Willie Best were When a man feels that he should destroyed. Fifteen horses and one take a stand for Christ and refuses Mr. H. L. Curtis of Hamer, R. 1, mule were burned. Loss between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

there is no other to intercede for a few days in the Raft Swamp sec-him. When the spirit has gone, all tion visiting friends. Miss Odum has

God says, "My spirit shall not al-ways strive with man". It is true that he that stiffeneth his neck session to complete her work. against God and good shall certainly be destroyed.

Dr. Vines quoted a number of passages of Scripture in both the Old and New Testaments which corroborate the text, and said surely there is such a sin as that referred to in name was

Illustration As an illustration of how a man may continue to sin until he has passed redemption, Dr. Vines told of was hollow from the top and went down the inside the tree so far that he was unable ever to reach the top.

years after when the tree was cut his skeleton was found in the tree. Became to get into the tree. In his

effort to get away from the enemy Malloy, Neill McNeill, I. J. Lancas- REWARD FOR WALTER MCNAIR he went too far-so far that there was no chance for him to hope for County Commissioners Offer \$25 for life. To this the preacher compared the man who continues to follow after sin and the devil until he has gone beynd all hope and chance. Feeling

When a man has committed the unpardonable sin he has lost his sense of feeling. He has no care or desire to become a Christian. Nothing moves him.

"I have found a few men in all communities where I have been that seemed to have committed that appalling sin. I suppose there are some here," continued the preacher. They seem to be dead to God and all that is good. They just go along seemingly having a good time, not worrying at all about their future destiny.

Man can commit an unpardonable sin against his country. Dr. Vines then told of the deplorable sin of turning traitor to one's country.

In sneaking of sins of immorality. ed, who last Saturday night shot and Dr. Vines declared that it is possible for an unpardonable social sin St. Paul, an account of which was to be committed. Jesus in his goodness will forgive a poor fallen girl. Action in regard to the request of but society never does. Men should not go into places and do things they would not want their wives and sis-

#### Actions and Words

It is an awful thing for a man to sneer at a preacher. Some will sav ro. I'm not going to be a Christian. and the pleadings of the Holy Snirit

Miss Lessie Odum, one of the been going to school at Buie's Creek

Listen for the wedding bells, for Mr. Colon Williams of Rowland when they begin to ring the beautispent Monday with his brother here.

ful songs we will sing. -Mr. J. L. Butler spent Friday p. There has not seen a reply on

SMYRNA NEWS NOTES

Church Services-One Chicken to Ten Boys-Death of a Good Woman-Personal

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Smyrna (Lumberton, R. 6), June 13-Rev. J. M. Fleming filled his regular appointment here Saturday and now and seems to be so determined urday and Sunday. Those who at-to win that the farmers are having tonded preaching here Sunday from Lumberton were Messrs. C. L. Lamb

Children's day was observed at and Arthur Moore. We will have Barker's church Sunday morning. A preaching here the next second Sun-very good program was given. The day morning and evening, if nothing children acted nicely and the music happens. Our pastor will do the was especially beautiful. Mr. An- preaching. Everybody is itvited to drews of Durham was present and come aed hear him. His sermoes will

Mr. and Mrs. Nash Lamb spent

Mamie, were Lumberton shoppers Sat- furnish the chickens. The night work for Mr. Godwin and was drawurday .- Messrs. Frank McNeill and came and the crowd gathered, ten ing from the Government while at Howard Gray of Mt. Tabor were call- in the bunch, part girls. When they home working for Mr. Godwin some were called to supper, expecting a \$12 a day. bait of chicken, but it is said that only one chicken was found. They Wants Good Road Lumberton

> wanted any more chicken. Too much chicken wont do, boys. We are having a wet time now. raining. The grass is about to get

Mr. Frank Gough of Lumberton schools' cooperation.

night with her father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lamb of this secfilled out but the weight is lacking.

is very good. Mrs. Clarence Rhyner of Lumber-

ton, R. 1, is among the visitors in

TOWNSHIP GOOD ROADS ASSO.

m. with relatives here .-- Mr. and Mrs. Mayor White Issues Call For Meeting to Organize Good Roads Association of Lumberton Township.

Mayor White has issued the following call for a meeting to be held Friday evening of next week to organize a good roads association for Lumberton township:

To the Citizens of Lumberton Township:

You are hereby requested to meet in the commissioners' room in the court house in the town of Lumberton on Friday, June 22nd, at 8:15 p. m. This meeting is called for the purpose of organizing a good roads association for the township, and it is earnestly hoped that the meeting will be well attended.

A. E. WHITE. Mayor Town of Lumberton.

Mr. G. B. McLeod Returns to Washington-Says His Salary Ceased While He Was at Home

Ex-Sheriff Geo. B. McLeod left who attended the exercises were Mr. Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Monday night for Washington to resume his duties as a special repre-Misses Redden Britt and Emma sentative of the Federal Trade Com-Small spent Saturday night with Mr. mission. Mr. McLeod says he came home merely to vote and to spend a few days with his family and friends; that his pay from the Government ceased the moment he left little Miss Pearl and Master Rudolph, Washington for home and would not spent Saturday night with his broth- be resumed until he reported in Washington again; and that there was no We heard of a chicken stew one truth at all in the report that has night recently. Two boys were to been circulated that he came home to

# Councils

Mr. R. K. Craven, farm demonstrator for B Inedatneira4shrdluununun tor for Bladen county, was a Lum-Farmers are now wanting it to stop berton visitor Tuesday. He reports crops doing well in his county. Mr. hem. Mr. Jasper Rowan spent a few and says the good roads fever is sweeping Bladen county. He is anxious to see a good road leading from Friday when we heard of the death I "mberton through Bladen to Counof Mrs. W. H. Prevatt of Center. In cils and says the Bladen authoriher death Center loses a good woman. ties are going to build the road from Mrs. B. C. Freeman spent Saturday the Bladen line on to Council.

> My glasses were fitted by Dr Parker, the only specialist in Lumberton licensed by State Board Examination for this important HIS SERVICE SAT'S work. FIES

(Continued on page 5) town today.

There has not seen a reby on m. with relatives here mont spent a the tobacco question vet. We are J. D. McLean of Fairmont spent a short while here Sunday p. m. W. V. B. "OLD 76." SADDLE TREE NEWS NOTES

Grass Giving a Tough Fight-Children's Dav at Barker's-Protracted Meeting Begins Soon-Oat Crop Rather Poor But Wheat Crop Good

-Personal correspondence of The Robesonian. Lumberton, R.2, June 14-The grass Sunday morning and also evening in this section is growing very fast and preached excellent sermons Sat-

to work very hard. made a short address, which was in- be worth listeting to. teresting. Among those from here

and Mrs. T. M. Davis and little Dan Britt. daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Powell and two small children, Mr.

Mrs. Rosa Paul, Miss Ella Paul, Miss Leona Lewis, Messrs. J. I and Bun-dy Paul. Walter and J. H. Fowler, Mr. T. J. Coxe N. Regan and family and Misses

Katie and Effie Humphrey. Mr. F. P. Humphrey lost a horse Saturday.

Mr. J. N. Regan and daughter, Miss ers in this section Sunday night.

The condition of Rev. L. H. Jovner is unimproved. He is now in Richmond, Va., consulting a specialist. all were sick on chicken and haven't He has been suffering with a throat

trouble for some time. He has the sympathy of his entire congregation. The members have decided to give him a vacation of one month from last

Sunday. The protracted meeting begins at Barker's the second Sunday in July.

was in this section Sunday p. m. in the interest of churches' and Sunday

tion Mr. and Mrs. Ham Markham of Baltimore church, spent Sunday in

these parts. Mrs. J. I. Carter spent Saturday night with her mother.

them. minutes in this section Friday. This community was shocked last

The oat crop in this section is not good. Usually the heads are well

The wheat, so far as we have seen,

Carl McDuffie and sister, Miss Cora, and Mrs. Dan Britt. Mr. Dock Cox spent Saturday night

Mr. T. J. Coxe and two children.

er Mr. D. E. Coxe.