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## VOLUME LI.

# T. J. NEWELL ABSCONDS.

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WILL BE STOPPED

#### Cashier of Local Express Office Vamosed While His Accounts Were Republican State Convention in Being Checked-Said to Be Short Mone Than \$1,400-Sold Auto and Did Not Return for Pay-2 Gallons Witchhazel and Quart of Hair Tonic Found in His Room.

shortage, it is said-Mrs. M. H. Markham had accepted

Newell and was to have begun work held in Greenshoro yesterday. Tuesday. Newell drove an automobile lock Brothers. He left the car at Elliott. Bullock Brothers garage and was to The election of these men, long to return to get pay for the car, how-It was late Tuesday afterever. noon that the shortage was found. Officers found more than \$300 worth of way-bills in Newell's room, besides two gallons of witchhazel and a quart of hair tonic.

Newell had been working at the local office only a few weeks. He was employed as express messenger on the R. & C. train between Lumberton and Marion before beginning work in the office here.

# WILL SMITH PLEAD GUILTY

# Being Implicated and He Now Faces Charge of Retailing.

**REPUBLICAN TICKET** Greensboro Yesterday Put Out Full Ticket-Delegates to National Convention Instructed for Pritchard For President-Woman on Ticket. John J. Parker of Monroe nominat-

J. J. PARKER HEADS STATE

Officers are trying to locate T. J. ed for Governor; John M. Moorehead Newell, formerly cashier at the lo-cal office of the Southern Express Co., whose account with the com-pany is said to be more than \$1,400 whose the Southern Express Boone, re-elected national com-mitteeman; Frank A. Linney of Boone, re-elected chairman of the executive committee, though he could short. Newell left Lumberton Tues- not be present on account of zickness; day evening just a short time before North Carolina delegation to the a Southern Express company account- Chicago convention to vote solidly for ant checked the account, finding the the nomination of Judge Jeter C. Pritchard of Asheville for President

-these are the outstanding features the position as cashier to succeed of the Republican State convention Delegates at large to the national into a ditch a few days before and convention, besides Morenead, are as a result had been at the hospital Chairman Frank A. Linney of Boone; for a short time. He was on the former National Committeeman E. C. streets here Tuesday afternoon and Duncan of Raleigh, and former Unitsold his automobile to Messrs. Bul- ed States Senator Marion Butler of

call later to get pay for it. He failed political foes, was the signal for a demonstration in harmony in which all the factionalists shook hands and patch. The convention nominated and se-

lected, by acclamation, A. A. Whitener of Hickory to oppose Senator Lee Overman for his seat in the Unit-S

ed States senate. The ticket for State offices, all being chosen by acclamation, is as follows:

ernor; Irvin S. Tucker for Lieuten-ant Governor; Brownlow Jackson of Hendersonville for Secretary of State; Given Road Sentence for Blockading torney General, J. J. Jenkins of Siler -Charged 2 Other Negroes With City for Treasurer; J. E. Mendenhall of Asheboro for Auditor; A. L. French of Rockingham county for Commis-

sioner of Agriculture; James Barrett

roads. Smith gave notice of appeal and made bond in the sum of \$300. During the trial Smith implicated Henry George and Dan McMillan, two other negroes, as being connected to make the race was expressed. other negroes, as being connected to make the race was expressed. key. Henry and Dan were arreited boro, member of the faculty of the Rowland was, placed on the regular the results. He is out to and testified that they had bought North Carolina college for women, pauper list at \$3 the month. Nellie not allowing any grass to whiskey from Will continuously, but was placed on the ticket as the choice Lyde and 5 children were placed on der his feet. denied having been implicated in the of the convention to enter the race the list at \$15 the month. The name of the convention to enter the race T. T. Hicks of Henderson, and J. E. Alexander, of Winston-Salem, were the choice of the convention for mak-ing the race for the two positions that will be vacant in the sench of the Supreme court of the State. The monthly report of Dr. E. R. Hardin, county health officer, was T. T. Hicks of Henderson, and J. E. MAKERS OF BOOZE Dock and Clarence Hardin Convicted second district; W. G. Mebane, Beau-Dock and Clarence Hardin Convicted Of Operating Booze Making Plant —Albertus Hardin Failed to An-swcr. Dock and Clarence Hardin were sentenced to 18 and 15 montrs, eespec-timely and the product of the product tively, on the public roads by Record-er E. M. Britt when convicted of man-Newton, ninth district; and C. B.

#### ROAD BOARD WANTS W. P. MCALLISTER WILL SERVE OUT THE YEAR Resolution. Passed. Asking. County

Matter of County Welfare Officer Settled Until Time for Regular Annual Election.

Mr. W. P. McAllister was re-elected county welfare officer at a joint meeting of the county commissioners and the county board of education Monday afternoon. The term for his duties September 1, last. As has county was passed by the county much enjoyed. been stated in The Robesonian, Re- road commissioners at their regular The graded corder J. N. Buie of Red Springs monthly meeting here Monday. brought suit asking that the office A reward of \$50 was offered for posts of duty. Attendance not more give the old address as well as the be declared vacant upon the ground each of the two convicts who recent-that Mr. McAllister was illegally by escaped from the chain gang. The "flu" situat elected chairman of the joint com-mittee that elected Mr. McAllister, Mr. R. L. Purcell of Maxton was mittee that elected Mr. McAllister, Mr. R. L. Purcell of Maxton was Mr. T. L. Jenkins, father of Pastor voted as a member of the committee appointed supervisor of Smiths town-J. L. Jenkins, has been critically ill and then voted off a tie, casting two ship to fill the vacancy caused by for the past three weeks with influ-votes. The case was submitted to the resignation of Mr. J. D. McAr-enza. He is upwards of 72 years old Judge O. H. Allen at the February thur.

term of court upon an agreed statement of facts and Judge Allen held the road work in the county is going slightly improving. that Mr. McAllister was illegally along nicely and that some good Mrs. Nan Carter, our city milliner, this year are June 5 to 10, included elected and declared the office va- work is being done in several of the has just returned from the North, excluding Sunday. elected and declared the office vatownships. cant. Two weeks later the two "buried the hatchet", states a dis- boards met in special session and again elected Mr. McAllister to serve ing to the county was ordered sold. until last Monday. **ROBESON HOLDS THE KEY.** 

There was one other applicant for the position Monday, a Mr. Cotton from Cumberland county. The vote Monday stood 6 for McAllister and

one against him, the committee being composed of seven members.

#### John J. Parker of Monroe for Gov- BURNT SWAMP ROAD BOND ELECTION POSTPONED

Herbert Seawell of Carthage for At- No Other Date Set For Voting on Demonstrator Increased-Other County Matters.

Will Smith, colored, plead guilty of manufacturing whiskey before Re-corder A. E. Floyd of Fairmont Tuesday and was sentenced by Re-corder Floyd to 12 months on the sioner of Agriculture; James Barrett bor; W. W. Stanton of Wilson for Tuesday and was sentenced by Re-corder Floyd to 12 months on the ation Commissioner was ieft vacant, roads. Smith cave potice of appendix to compare the same barrett Tuesday and was sentenced by Re-corder Floyd to 12 months on the ation Commissioner was ieft vacant, to yote on a bond issue of \$45.000 brance against all comers, are, to yote on a bond issue of \$45.000 brance against all comers, are,

# PARKTON PARAGRAPHS. \$225,000 FOR BRIDGES

terests Farmers-Band Will Give \* Concert Soon-Other Items.

BY C. D. WILLIAMSON.

creased-Supt. Covington Reports was lifted Sunday and the Sunday + schools opened up on time and church . A resolution requesting the board services also-Monday afternoon. The term for A resolution requesting the board services also Rev. W. L. Maness . which Mr. McAllister was elected of county commissioners to issue preached at the M. E. church at 11 . will expire September 1, this year, bonds in the sum of \$225,000 for the a. m. and Rev. J. L. Jenking preached will expire September 1, this year, bonds in the sum of \$225,000 for the a. m. and Rev. J. L. Jenkins preached Mr. McAllister was elected to this building of permanent bridges across at 7 p. m. at the Baptist church. Both position last July and entered upon some of the principal streams of the sermons were of much interest and .

The salary of the road attorney this week and we trust ere another enable the subscription manager to

and his case has been critical, but Steele, Jr., Portsmouth, Va., March

where she has been studying the fash-

OUR BODYGUARDE 301.001. 11.20

Even With Other Candidates in row night for New Yorkont, N. C. Robeson-Sure of Four Counties ness trip. D. 2. Mr. J. B. McCorr.

Mr. Homer L. Lyon is confident it is quite intery.

that if he can split anywhere near even with Representative H. L. God- the most cornee of The Robesonian. 45,000 Bondg-Salary of Farm win and Mr. J. G. Shaw in Robeson ed in this on, R. 5, March 2.-Farm-Demonstrator Increased Other county he will win the Democratic Messre is section are desired at the section of the sec nomination for Congress in the Sixth ed electve to sow their tobacco beds district this trip in the first primary. We We hope the tobacco plants The date for holding the road bond so Mr. Lyon expressed himself dur-election in Burnt Swamp township ing a visit to Lumberton Monday, of fr. W. J. Mercer's folks are all in

Md with the "flu", also Mrs. Mirk There will be preaching at Single-

tary's X Roads Sunday at 11 a. m.

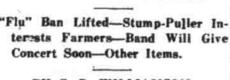
Commissioners to Issue Bonds in

That Sum-Roward for Escaped

Convicts-Salary of Attorney In-

Road Work Going Along Nicely-

Against All Comers,



newal at once in order not to miss a copy of the paper. All Parkton, March 2 .- The quarantine . subscriptions are discontinued when they expire. The price is \$2 the year in North Carolina and \$2.25 outside the State. In ordering the address of your

The graded school opened up Mon-, day with all the teachers at their paper changed please remember to new and also sign name to letter as The "flu" situation is much better it appears on your label. This will

-Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. E.

Supt. W. B. Covington reports that the latest news indicates that he is 1st, a fine boy. -The dates for the Chautauqua

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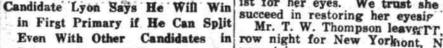
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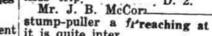
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Lumberton Marble & Granite Co. J. H. Floyd, Prop. Lumberton, N C

A 3 1-2 ton Federal truck belongions. Rev. J. K. Hall, pastor of the Presbyterian church, left Monday for urday, bills by keeping Charlotte, where he took his small \_\_\_\_\_\_ always on hand \_\_\_\_\_ daughter Cornie, to consult a specialist for her eyes. We trust she Jnian succeed in restoring her eyesig



in First Primary if He Can Split



Monday.

As was stated in Monday 3 Rebe sonian, officers found a whiskey still in Smith's home at Fairmont last Monday morning.

**ROAD SENTENCES FOR** 

ufacturing whiskey this morning. Al- Chapman for the tenth distrct. bertus Hardin, who was released Sat-urday night under a \$500 bond, failed to answer when called for trial this morning. Capias will be issued for Albertus.

Robesonian, the three Hardin brothers, Indians, were arrested Thursday morning after the officers had watched them operate a whiskey still in a-bay near Albertus Hardin's home for some time the night before. The still, a copper outfit of 15-gallons' capacity, was also captured at the time the Hardins were arrested. time the Hardins were arrested. Dock and Clarence have been in jail since they were arrested.

#### STATE DEMOCRATIC CON-VENTION RALEIGH APRIL 8

Democratic County Convention April

meetings-March 27.

Date for all Democratic county conventions-April 3.

ning at noon-April 8. These dates were fixed by the State Democratic executive commit-tee in Raleigh Tuesday at a meeting which lasted just 10 minutes. No the matter is and district No. 2, same township, to consider the consolida-tion of the two districts and report to the next meeting of the board. An appropriation of \$2,500 was made to the Maxton graded school ther matters were taken up.

Elm street, Lumberton. Mr. Stacy and family will move into the building in a short time. The house at present is occupied by the families of Messrs. D. M. Hollowell and J. H. Felts, Jr., who will move into the residence now occupied by Mr. Stacy and family on Water street.

## \$5,000 FOR DORMITORY AT PHILADELPHUS

As was stated in last Thursday's County Board of Education Makes Appropriation for Building for High and Farm-Life School-Other Appropriations-Craton Horne Not Entitled to Attend White Schools. The county board of education The county board of education Monday made an appropriation of \$5,000 to the Philadelphus school dis-trict for the purpose of building a dormitory for the Philadelphus high and farm-life school. An order was also passed allowing the school trus-tees of this district to borrow from the State loan fund \$3,250, the trusand tarm-life school. All offer trus-less passed allowing the school trus-tees of this district to borrow from the State loan fund \$3,250, the trus-tees to complete the building. The board found that Craton Horne,

3 and Precinct Meetings March 27, son of Mrs. Ella Horne Edwards of district No. 1, Gaddy township, is not entitled to attend the white Date for all Democratic precinct schools of the county because of Indian blood.

Supt. J. R. Poole was authorized onventions—April 3. Date for State Democratic 'con-Pleasant Hope district, Alfordsville There a vention to be held in Raleigh, begin- township, and district No. 2, same

for building purposes

-Mr. H. E. Stacy recently purchas-ed from Mrs. W. C. Brown of Fair-mont the Peace residence on North Elm streat Mr. Nathan

amount. An order passed by the board on Feb. 2nd in regard to appointing J -Mr. W. Townsend as committeeman of Parkton district No. 6, colored, Maxton town- the Par ship, was rescinded and D. W. Town- Hazel J Sallie send was ordered retained. visitor

Right of the States to impose in-come taxes on non-residents, provid-ed they are in harmony with those imposed on residents, was upheld Monday by the Supreme court.

month.

The monthly report of Dr. E. R. Hardin, county health officer, was ordered filed. would like to

cause, but ha A report of bills paid by the board ing that all will be given in the next issue. supplied, but

believe tha PROCTORVILLE WAREHOUSE reach the s COMPANY CHARTERED much trot

It can upon thy **Company Will Erect 2 Warehouses in** they are Proctorville in Time for Next Sealives the son-Stockholders Will Meet March of foo 12th. that

The Proctorville Warehouse Co., of Proctorville, has been chartered \$5 with an authorized capital of \$50,000, wa with \$25,000 paid in. This company lis

will erect two tobacco sales ware-houses in Proctorville, one 220 by 110 feet and one 180 by 96 feet. The warehouses will be built of metal an will be ready for the next selling

One of the warehouses has leased to Mr. R. F. Murray of

Down Tar Heel Way-S. Closed.

Correspondence of The Tar Heel, R. F. D We are having some now and the farmer.

There are a few around here yet, I some better now. Messrs. Edwar

Pharr of route visitors yesterda Mr. John T. ton visitor tod

-Although he is almost 84 years closed

then sworn out charging Smith with retailing and he is again in jail await-ing a hearing on this charge. Dan and George were held under a \$100 bond each, which they made. The bond carolina. Three women came as delegates and took part in the voting. Monday. Jennings Mill school Singletary Crogs hat Small Car

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