

for the assessment of damages on Barium Springs Picnic Committee property along the North Carolina having for its purpose the benefiting of the North Carolina Presbyterian orphanage at Barium Springs. It is on motion of Col. Harry Skinner, United States district attorney, on without capital stock, the incorporators being H. N. Howard, P. S. Boyd, whom the duty of looking after these W. D. Pharr, B| W. Pressly, H. D. Hills and Z. V. Turlington. Other legal interests for the government devolves. There were also orders charters just issued are the Quinnnaming guardians for a number of McGowan Furniture Company, Wilminors interested in these swamp son, capital \$20,000 by O. W. Quinn, and sound lands thus condemned by A. D. McGowan and others, the Conthe government under the right of tinental Credit Company, Asheboro, eminent domain. United States Discapital \$1,000 by C. L. Loftin and triet Attorney Harry Skinner said others for commercial business and in speaking of the progress of the the Belhaven Lumber and Manufacwork preliminary to the construction turing Company, \$100,000 capital by of the waterway, that seven orders J. A. Wilkinson and others. for condemnation of lands and assess-During the month of July there ment of damages complete the right was a total of 142 arrests in Durhara of way from Pamlico Sound to Beaufor various offenses. Assault cases fort harbor, a distance of sixteen dius of five miles at the confluence | took the lead with 21 arrests. Fifteen miles and that work will begin on the Northeast, Shelter rivers and were arrested for cursing, and 14 this section within a few weeks. In haken creek, six miles east of Bur- each for larceny and assault with fact that the contracts for the conw, in a fine farming settlement (deadly weapons. There were 13 arstuction of this section of the waterrests for drunkenness and b for sellway has already been awarded and ing whiskey. Most of the other cases the contractors are all ready to were small violations of the law. start up the work. The coroner's jury after investigating the cause of the death of Grover

orders just made by Judge Thomas R.

son of 1908-1909 this week and the The train non-union men to the Blocton mines golden weed is selling well for the sounds for the right of way, Nor- under guard of soldiers and deputies. quality offered. Only the lowest folk & Beaufort. The orders were On the outskirts of the town the grades are now being marketed, and engineer suddenly saw a log across the prices are over a dollar a hundthe track and at once a fusilade was red higher than last year's. The fired into the train. The engineer Wilson tobacco board of trade held did not stop, but let the coal catcher its annual meeting for the election made public the names of the Demthrow the log from the track and of officers and the following were put on full spead. The place where elected: Mr. W. J. Boykin, president; the attack was made was in a cut. Capt. J. G. Roney, vice president, the ground being on a level with the and Mr. R. M. McFarland, supervisor lower part of the windows. The as- of sales. This market has a strong sailant's behind the rocks above pour- and large corps of buyers and the ed down a murderous fire directly crops of this section are good. into the windows and at the engineer. Practically every window in Acquires Real Estate at Franklin. the train was broken and shots Franklin, Special .- The United struck all parts of the engine and Land Company, a corporation of cab. The train proceeded to Blocton Georgia, has recently acquired and the dead and injured were relarge and valuable tract of land here, turned to Birmingham. Dogs were and is spending a large amount of hurried to the scene and took trails money in the work of development. through the woods directly to the It is proposed to make this one of union quarters. Eight negroes were the most desirable residence sections arrested this afternoon and other arof the town. A force of more than rests are expected. fifty hands has been at work for

The Golden Weed at Wilson.

Wilson, Special .- The Wilson to-Chairman Henry Watterson Anbacco market re-opened for the seanounces Members of the Demo-

pleased to be a member of the committee. Senator Culberson was asked to accept the chairmanship and s accept Finance Committee. The finance committee appointed by Chairman Mack is as follows: Finance Committee-Moses C. Wetmore, chairman, Missouri; John E. Osborne, vice chairman, Wyoming: C. N. Haskell, treasurer, Oklahoma; W. A. Clark, Montana; Thomas L. Johnson, Ohio; Lewis Nixon, New York: Alva Adams, Colorado; D. J. Campau, Michigan; Francis G. Newlands, Nevada; Williard Saulsbury, Delaware; Alexander Troup, Connecticut: Richard F. Pettigrew ,South Dakota; George Turner, Washington; Martin H. Glynn, New York; Ellison Tucker, Arkansas; M. A. Miller, Oregon; Melbert B. Carey, Connecticut; George Fred Williams, Massachusetts; Johiah Marvel, Delaware; W. S. Jennings, Florida; W. R. O'Brien, Indiana; M. F. Dunlap, Illinois; E. C. Wall, Wisconsin; Isaac Reese, Tennessee; J. Taylor Ellyson, Virginia; Thomas R. Brown, Vermont; W. E. Chilton, West Virginia; Blair Lee, Maryland and Eugene E. Reed, New Hampshire. Speaker's Committee. The speakers' committee is as follows: John H. Atwood, chairman, Kansas: Champ Clark, vice chairman, Missouri; C. A. Towne, of New York; R. B. Glenn, North Carolina; B. R. Tillman, South Carolina; R. E. Lee, Mountcastle, Tennessee; John H. Lentz, Ohio; Augustus Thomas, New York; T. H. Alexander, Colorado; Jeremiah Black, Pennsylvania; Henry Hoke Smith sent a special message to Warren, Indiana; T. P. Hudson, Minnesota; W. H. Dunphy, Washington; W. B. Haldeman, Kentucky; Thomas vital importance and stating his H. Dowd, New York; Guy B. Tucker, Arkansas; T. A. Jennings, Florida; S. P. Donnelly, Idaho; E. L. Jones, Marvland; John Sunderland, Nevada; William Collins, North Dakota; W. T. Brady, Oklahoma; M. A. Miller, Oregon: Frank K. Nebeker, Utah, and J. E. Burke, Vermont. The chairman of the two committees will probably make their Chairman Mack left here for Chicago at 8:20 o'clock.

State News in Brief.

Purnell, in the Federal Court here | and breast. The Secretary of State charters the

A. J. Myer, laborer, wounded in leg. Robert Sigmon, wounded in arm

kets and the deed was done so etly that it was not known until nday morning. The three men bed are: Messrs. John S. Carr, nager of the Carolina Roller Mills; D. Morris and W. E. Baker. A borders are taken at the Perry and these were three of those made their home there. They ally occupied two rooms. They not hear a single sound during night and the first they knew of robbery was Monday morning n they went to get their clothes missed the pants. These were seen pitched in the hallway and burglary was out.

hsacked the pockets in the hall al-

glar secured \$48.50 from the three

st in front of the bedroom. The

Water Still Rising.

Wilmington, Special.-Within a nown as Holly Shelter, between thirand forty families have been drivfrom their homes and thousands dollars' damage to crops and live ock is reported to have been wrought high water, consequent upon eshets in those streams. The war is still rising and suffering is id to be in sight unless present con- that he came to his death by accitions abate. Estimates of the amage are as high as \$100,000. All revious records of freshets have been roken.

Attacked by Savage Dog.

and Mrs. C. S. Stone, of Charsustained a serious scalp ble cornices. d when attacked by a collie dog. canine was enjoying his evening when the child came upon him. dog made a vicious lunge and nged his teeth in the front part he child's forehead. probably penting the skull. Mrs. Stone and two children are guests at home her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. M. xander. The wound is not thought e a fatal one, though it is of a ance at the August term of the Suous and dancerous nature.

Stranded Off Cape Lookeout.

lmington, Special .- An unknown masted schooner flying signals of ess is reported stranded with and spars gone off Cape Lookeone to her assistance. No furdetails are obtainable here at ime.

North State Items.

ews has reached Southport of the ming of Capt. A. M. Guthrie, a shed overboard from the small sting schooner Frank Williams off

Cannon, the colored boy who was drowned near Kinston Monday, found no evidence of foul play and decided dental drowning. hTe Blue Ridge Construction Company, of Asheville, has been given the

contract for the erection of the publie building at Tuscaloosa, Ala., at a cost of \$138,447.45. The building is Concord, Special.-Master Charles to be finished by December, 1909, and rion Stone, the 4-year-old son of and is to be of marble to the second story; the balance of brick, with mar-

berg, secretary-treasurer of the Greensboro Table Company, was arrested under arrest and bail proceedings, charged with misappropriating funds of the company. He was held under a \$4,000 bond for appearperior Court.

Death of Venerable Horse.

Lexington, Special .- "Ann" Thomas, a colored farmer 8 miles from town lost his 34-year-old horse this week. The animal had about "made" a 15-acre-crop of corn and cotton, The Wilmington tug Sea King and then turned up its feet. It had a record, having belonged to Chas. M. Griffith, when he was sheriff years ago. There is no boubt of its age.

Raleigh, Speical.-Secretary of

State News Items.

The Winston-Salem Athletic Assoeiation is chartered to take in hand the Carolina League ball team of the Twin City, the capital stock being \$25.000 authorized and \$950 paid in by W. L. O'Brien, T. W. Watson, H.

Y. Shelton and others. The "Push Rockingham Forward Club" is chartered without capitol stock for promoting the social interest of members and the advancement of the industrial interests of Rockingham, Richmond county. A. S. Dockery, W. H. Everett, W. B. Cole, are

Statesville, reports that the total col-

lections for July, 1908, amounted to

\$188,340.48, an increase over the col-

lections for July, 1907, of \$6,009.29.

The postoffice receipts for the Wil-

among the incorporators.

Quinn and others.

Treasurer is Under Arrest.

Greensboro, Special .- M. L. Bloom-

son office for the month of July amounted to \$1,215.81. The receipts for July last year amounted to \$1,-147.99. The site for the public building for which an appropriation was made at the last session of Congress, has not yet been decided upon. Several sites have been offered the government, and there is a great difference of opinion among the people here as to the proper one.

Fortune Awaits These People.

Fayetteville Negro Shoots His Girl. Fayetteville, Special.-Frank Coun-State J. Bryan Grimes has received cil, a young negro of bad reputation, A-known Cape Fear pilot, who was a letter from a party in Canada ask- last week shot his sweetheart. Hat ing for information of Donnell, John tie Newell, though not seriously, beand Christopher McCrae, who came cause she chose the escort of another

The Results in Illinois.

Chicago, Special .-- Illinois Demoratic ticket: Endorsed for United States Sena-

tor, Lawrence B. Stringer. Nominated for Governor, Adlai E.

Stevenson. Lieutenant Governor, E. A. Perry. Secretary of State, X. F. Beidler. Auditor, Ralph Jeffris. Treasurer, J. B. Mount. Attorney General, R. C. Hall. Republican State ticket. Endorsed for United States Sena-

tor, Albert J. Hopkins, or George E. Governor, Charles S. Deneen (re-

turns incomplete.) Lieutenant Governor, J. G. Oglesby

There is also a charter for the r F. L. Smith. Quinn Furniture Company, of Eliz-Secretary of State, James A. Rose.

abeth City, capital \$10,000, by C. W. Auditor, J. S. McCullough. Treasurer, Andrew Russell. Cashler R. B. Roberts of Internal Attorney General, William H. Revenue Collector Brown's office, at

Stead. been better than the present and the The result of Saturday's primary election as far as it is accurately, yield of corn from present indications known in regard to the State officers is given in the foregoing list.

A New York Sunday Tragedy.

New York, Special.-Mrs. Bertha Hood, 32 years old, was shot and instantly killed at her home in Brooklyn Sunday night by Ernest Seitz, 24 years old, of Manhattan. Seitz also their litle child were struck by lightshot and seriously wounded the year- ning and instantly killed Wednesday and-a-half-old daughter of Mrs. Hood, and then turned the revolver on himself, inflicting a probably fatal wound.

Aeroplane Makes Good.

Lemans, France, By Cable .-- Wilbur Wright, of Dayton, O., made a flight variously computed at from 21-2 to 31-2 kilometres with his aeroplane here, in one minute and 46 seconds. Throughout the flight Mr. Wright had perfect control of the machine.

cratic Press Committee. New York, Special.-Henry Wat-

terson, editor of The Louisville Courier-Journal, who is chairman of the newspaper committee of the Democratic national campaign committee, ocratic press committee of advisement, among them being the follow ing Southern men:

Alabama-Birminghan Age Herald E. W. Barrett; Montgomery, Advertiser, W. W. Serews, F. P. Glass. Arakansas-Little Rock Democrat,

Clio Harper. Georgia - Atlanta Constitution Clark Howell.

Kentucky - Lexington Herald, Desha Breckenridge.

Louisiana - New Orleans Picayune, Thomas E. Davis; New Orleans Times-Democrat, Page H. Parker. Mississippi-Jackson Clarion Led ger, H. R. Henry.

North Carolina-Charlotte Observer. J. P. Caldwell. South Carolina-Columbia State some time, and a public sale of lots W. E. Gonzales; Charleston News and

will be had on the 27th of this Courier, J. C. Hemphill. month. The company offered a re-Tennessee-Chattanooga News, J ward of \$10 to the person suggest-C. Rice; Knoxville Sentinel, G. F. ing the best name for the property, Milton; Nashville American, Charles

which was won by Miss Mary Siler, H. Slack. Texas-Galveston, John R. Hedges, Virginia - Richmond Times Dispatch, Joseph Bryan.

Reports coming to Washington Governor Smith Urges Action on Important Bills. from farmers in the county state that

the damage done the crops by the re-Atlanta, Ga., Special.-Governor cent storm that swept this section is not as bad as first thought and if the Legislature unging action on sevweather conditions are favorable eral measures which he considers of good crop will be realized yet. readiness to call an extra session of The outlook for forming a stock the legislature if necessary, at which company of \$100,000 for a cotton mill the convict question can be disposed at High Point is good. The Messrs. Millis who have the matter in charge of. The measures which Governor Smith mentions as being of primary have \$65,000 of the amount in hand. importance are the anti-lobbying bill, It is felt that such a diversion in the

a law fixing the time for holding State primaries not earlier than 60 Crops in Surry county have never days before the date of election, a new registration law and provision of headquarters in Chicago. a fund for the maintenance of the State agricultural schools.

Work Train Wrecked.

Roanoke, Va., Special .- The work train on a narrow gauge road running from Roanoke, left the rails of the men he has asked to serve on and rolled down a high embankment the Grover Cleveland memorial comon the mountainside. A number of mittee. The committee is headed by men riding on the train were caught | Francis Lynde Stetson and its office under the engine and cars. Three were killed and several more serious- meeting or other public tribute to the ly injured.

Contracts For Army Clothing.

Chicago, Special.-Manufacturers 1 the West are severely criticising the methods employed in the War Department in awarding contracts son and Jennie Taylor are under ar- for army clothing. In constituting teras Sunday night during the vy weather following the storm. Rocky Mount's tobacco market op-Rocky Mount's tobacco market op-While flying to Greensboro. The men and woman was ordered that special sample of would be a big crop, contracts sold

Cleveland Memorial Committee.

New York, Special .- Mayor George B. McClellan announced the names will be arranged for a memorial late statesman and former president.

Big Corner in Cotton.

New York, Special .- The entire cotton supply available for delivery on contract, is said to have been cornered by J. L. Livermore, a young broker. In the last two weeks cotton has advanced on this market \$3.50 per bale and shorts are bordering on a panie. Believing that there

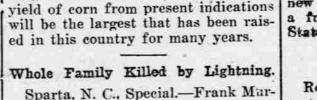
Whole Family Killed by Lightning. Sparta, N. C., Special.-Frank Mur-The three were in the field stacking rve when a violent storm came up

industries is needed there.

Greensboro, four white people, Ken Surratt, Walter Ashby, Beck Rober-

were seeking shelter.

Charged With Abduction. Durham, Special .- Charged with abducting little Bennie Ashby, of



phy, a respected farmer living at Edmonds, Sparta, Mrs. Murphy and

"Bonny Crest" being the name sug-

Tar Heel Notes.

rested and selected.

and were stricken down while they