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WACLINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, MAY 25, 1916.

Get out the rake, the shovel and the broom and prepare to join the Clean Up Brigade next week

An Oklahoma wan recently threatened to sh s c anyone who becomed vited to attend this convention. HUGH PAUL, Ch'n, him for political office. How sweet a remark of that kind would sound from the Hon. Teddy.

Among other things New Bern das, is a crowd of sport lovers second to none in any town in the State .- New Bern Sun-Journa'. What limit do they play?

By the way, what has become of the checker-playing cops of Belhaven? We haven't heard anything from them in a long time.

## THE LIBRARY QUESTION.

If Rocky Mount knows what is best for every interest of the city, we shall keep at the job of securing a public library for this city until we get one. It is necessary for a greater efficiency and development of our school system, to say nothing of the great educational advantages and opportunities for the citizens in general. The cause needs more enthusiasm; let's get busy.-Rocky Mount Telegram.

There are three cities in this section of the State that are endeav oring to secure public libraries: Greenville, Rocky Mount and Wash-We understand that the size for the Greenville library has of chief executive of the nation. Mr. been secured. Judging from the above article in the Rocky Ross sent the following courteous ington. already been secured. Judging from the above article in the Rocky Mount Telegram-and others that have appeared at various timesreply that city is also getting busy. In Washington, as far as we know, no steps have been taken in this direction.

Whether we are going to let these two other cities go ahead and secure their libraries and take ours out in wishing, remains for the citizens to decide. It'll never come to us of its own accord, that' We'll have to go out after it, and it will mean considerable sure. hard work. However, the task is worth the labor and it will mean much for our city if it is pushed to a successful completion.

## SENDING GOODS OUT ON APPROVAL.

When one takes into consideration the inconvenience, delay and worry that a merchant has to go through in sending goods out "on approval," it is strange that this practice has not been stopped long As it is, most of the stores in the larger cities have abolished it, but for some reason or other, it is still continued in the smaller towns

Merchandise that is sent out, subjest to the approval of the custo mer, is often soiled, torn or damaged in other ways. While the goods are out of his establishment, the merchant loses the opportunity of selling them to some other customer. Entries have to be made on books, showing when the goods were sent out and when they were returned. Clerks have to wrap and unwrap the packages. A delivery boy has to make four trips: two in delivering the merchandise and two in returning them two or three days later.

And all this is done at a LOSS to the merchant. Only a small percentage of the goods sent out on approval are retained by the customers. The majority just use this practice in order to avoid giving a direct refusal to the clerks in the first place.

Imagine a woman going into a butcher shop and asking the butcher to send home a steak "on approval." Or imagine her going into the drug store and ordering a quart of ice cream under the same condition. And yet, it is not only less absurd to ask for any other kind of merchandise to be sent "on approval."

It is a custom that is about played out. If the merchants cannot refuse a customer the request, the customer should feel some sense of shame in making it.

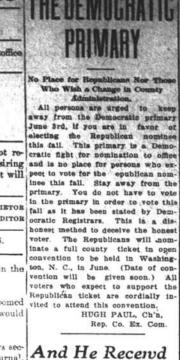
## OPPOSITION TO THE ROAD WORK.

A strong protest against the proposed expenditure of the county's funds for improving the field Hill road was recently made in a let ter-which was published in the Daily News-written by three men who compose the road commission of Bath township.

It was first thought, when this project was started, that there would be no opposition to the work from any part of the county. Then, along came the above-mentioned letter, and our thoughts ree somewhat of a shock. There evidently WAS some opposition. We then commenced to investigate and to inquire of other citizens, who reside near Bath. Belhaven and other distant points in the county, and asked them what THEY thought of the proposition. With scarcely a single objection, we found that all were heartily IN FAVOR of having the work done and of the county's paying its share of it.

It is evident from this that the protest, voiced by the Bath township commissioners, does not express the views of the citizens as a whole. It is another case of where two or three men attempt to block the wheels of progress and advancement. The sentiment for of the county cannot be worked at one and the same time. And they of the county cannot be worked at one and the same time. And they are willing for the work to be done first where it is needed the most. We defy anyone to point out another road in Beaufort county that meeds improvement more than does the Red Hill mod needs improvement more than does the Red Hill road.

We are glad that the opposition has come up, for it tends to bring those who favor good roads closer together and make them work more zealously and with more co-operation in bringing about the results they desire to achieve.



14.923 Votes For President CLUBWOMEN LEARN (By United Press)

Lincoln, Neb., May 25.-Robert Ross, the Lexington, Neb., livery stable proprietor who received 9, 417 votes in the Nebraska Demo cratic primary in his contest with President Wilson for the democratic presidential nomination, believes he is well fitted to serve the people of the United States as their president. Because of Mr. Ross' rather large

ote in both primaries, W. L. Gas ton, of Wayne, wrote to him asking for a statement of his views, training and qualifications for the office

Lexington, Neb., Apr. 24, 1916. Wayne, Neb.

Mr. W. L. Gaston Mr. w. L. Gaston. Dear sir yourd card received and will say that i was Borned in Repley Ohio. My parents moved from there when I was 2 warm of the form there when I was 2 years old to Cattlettsburg, KY

was educated there and at Portsmouth Ohio, and raised as a Methodist of which my parents was when about 17 cane to ne-braska Lexington Dawson Co about 31 years ago was on ranches and later a farmer of about 25 years different things a short time in the above men tioned was a Member of van-gelical Church in early days and now a member of Presbyterian here in Lexington Neb for about 9 years, have never taken a drink of Liquor nor my Father eather since I was old enough to know till he died you you preachers ought to get Busy and give the delegates to under stand what your intentions is if they nominate a man of Whiskey type or one going it tou faced as some of them is very truly-Robert G. Ross, Lexington Neb.

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(By United Press)

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men at the Federation's national convention here today are learning

given before the convention, follow-ed by an address on "Community Art." by William Dudley Foulke, of

ts are issued for the luncheon, a

\$1.50 a plate. At the Art Confer-

ence, following the luncheon, there

will be reports from members of the

department an address on "The Poetic Art in America," by Robert

Underwood Johnson, secretary of the

American Academy of Arts and Let-

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Carpenter Sullding, Norfolk, Va.

Private wires to New York Stock My

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York, May 25 .--- Twenty

New

What She Thought. "Tou say," said the lawyer, "you heard this man break into your house in the dead of night, and yet you made no effort to call for help." "That is so." "Were you out?

MORE BEAUTIFUL "No. I was not disturbed a particle. Ke bumped into the rocker of a chair and swore, so I thought it was my husband."-Detroit Free Press. Re

TELLS WHAT SHE THINKS.

TELLS WHAT SHE THINKS. Anna Hawn, Cedar Grove, Mo., writes: "We think Foley Cathartic Tablets are the best liver pill we ever got hold of, as they do not nauseate or gripe, but act freely on the liver. Any one in need of a liver pill, if he once tries them, would not be without them." Rec-ommended for indigestion, constipa-tion, bloating, sour stomach gas on how to make our ugly cities handsome. They are, as it were, getting tips from experts on how to take a careless, slouchy, unkempt old municipality, wash its face, give it a new suit, manicure and barber it, tion, bloating, sour stomach, gas on the stomach, bad breath or other 5-1 to 6-3-c. condition caused by elogged or ir-regular bowels. Stout persons like the light, easy, buoyant feeling they give. Davenport Pharmacy. put a posey in its buttonhole and set up a truly handsome brute alto-This is part of the art program of the convention, at which the re-port of the art chairman will be

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for renomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Beau fort County. In doing this I wish

to thank my friends for the hearty upport they have given me in the past, and ask that you turn out on June 3rd and support me at the primaries. I hereby pledge myself to give you the same brand of service in the future that I have always given in the past. Respectfully, GILBERT RUMLEY.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a can

Third: I am in hopes the next Legislature will settle the sheriff's calary and fee bill so I, or the next

sheriff will know what salary he is

drawing. Fourth: I have been in office

long enough to learn to take advan-tage of my work, both for myself and county. I saved the county of

Beaufort \$350.00 the other day by

knowing how to do my work. I have

eference to my regulation papers

I ask all of my friends to rally to

me for one more term which I am entitled to honestly and politically.

W. B .WINDLEY, Sheriff.

5-18 to 6-2c.

Respectfully,

didate for renomination for the of-fice of Recorder for Washington, Long Acre and Chocowinity Town ships, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on June 3, 1916. If renominated and elected I will

ndeavor to administer the office with the same degree of fairness and impartiality which have tried to folow in the past. Respectfully, W. L. VAUGHAN.

# 5-6 to 6-3.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE. matie Voters of F To the De

Respectfully,

County: I hereby announce myself a can lidate for Representative for Beag

fort County in the next General Assembly subject to the action of Sept. 14

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support. Cast iron top, new Respectfully. ELBERT G. WESTON. feature lighting de-5-10 vice. Also our

Geo. Hackney, Sr., which said morrispace deel is dated Nov. 25th. 1914, and is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Beaufort County, in Book 185, page 541, and is hereby referred to, the undersigned will, on Saturday, the 27th day of May, 1916, at 13 o'clock noon, at the County, offer for said, to the highest bidder for eash, the following described real estate to-writ:
All those tracts, or parcels of land, My, to Bea. Hackney, Jr., and boing in Beaufort County, North Craolina, in Washington town, North Carolina, in Washington town, and the souther of the property purchased by Geo. Hackney, Jr., is an own on the map made by M. My worthington, of the property purchased by Geo. Hackney, Jr., the Michael and Vife, which and in the Beauter to for a full and complete descrift of the of a full and complete descrift of the day of April 1916. The 36th day of April 1916. The 36th day of April 1916. The 36th day of April 1916. Worth State Description of and bots. The 36th day of April 1916. Markington Dugge, Names and State April 1916. The 36th day of April 1916. The 36th d

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