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Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912.

Have you joined the Hustlers? There is time enough yet join today.

Now that the chamber of commerce has really waked up, we may expect something doing all along the line? Are you really awake gentlemen, are you really awake.

Stop your kicking and your knocking, and join the boosters and the hustlers, you can hustle if you will only try. And if you really hustle, you can ride bye and bye.

After this week we promise our readers to give more space to National politics and less to the contest. Everything will be in smooth running order by that time, and we will try to interest those of you who do not care anything about the contest. As the political situation stands now the contest between the republicans for the presidential nomination lies between Ex-President Roosevelt and President Taft, with chances slightly favoring the re-nomination of President Taft. But Mr. Roosevelt has many warm admirers who are anxious to cast their ballots for him again, and they may become more numerous as the days go by. Subscribe for the Dispatch and we will try to keep you posted.

Splendidly Received.

The contest is being splendidly received. Everywhere people are talking about the magnitude of the undertaking, and wondering how we are going to go through with it all. To one and all we desire to say: No one knows the magnitude of the undertaking better than ourselves. But we assure you that we have counted the cost beforehand and that we are prepared to bring the contest to a successful conclusion. It is true that a contest where the value of the premiums to be given away run into the hundreds, in fact nearly reaches the two thousand dollar mark is quite an adventure. We know that a deserving public will not let premiums of such value be won without a contest worthy of the name, hence our unlimited confidence in the undertaking. New Hustlers are entering every day. Others are giving the matter much serious thought. It is only a question of a few weeks until there will be fifty or more active hustling contestants and the contest will be in full swing. Don't be timid, don't be afraid, remember that the more that enters the easier it will be to win the prizes. Do not let others discourage you. They are only seekin to get you out of the race. Go in to win, and once in let nothing but sickness and death get you out. Just shuffle and hustle until you are the victor. Remember there are twelve winners, as there are twelve prizes, any one is worth the best

effort there is in you. Telephone your friends, write to them, go to see them, send them word, send others to see them, do anything to land them. You will more than be well paid for every moment you spare to the contest. Some one is going to win these magnificent prizes, why not you? You may say that you do not want the Automobile, well suppose you don't, you can sell it for a good price, and you will want the money that it will bring you. Read over the list of premiums again, and again. Anilize them all, if you do not care for one, what about the other. Are you going to miss them just because you were not willing to spare a little time and make a little effort. Don't say that some one else is ahead of me and I will not enter. Get in now. A few days makes no difference, to the hustler. Start now, do it today.

Will Make the Fight Alone.

The Furniture Manufacturers of North Carolina are up in arms because of the refusal of the State Corporation Commission to aid them in their fight for lower rates upon their product into the Western states. Our home manufacturers have always been discriminated against in regard to rates and have been waging a fight for years for a reduction to meet the existing rates enjoyed by our Virginia Cities, but having appealed so often to the railroads and in vain. They now seek to have the Interstate Commerce Commission, and the State Corporation Commission to aid them to obtain justice. But the state commission gets its back up like a little boy, and says we will not aid you because you did not ask us before you did the Interstate Commerce Commission. In other words you went to play with Willie Jones first, and now you come to play with us and we are not going to play. Was there ever anything so funny, or anything so ridiculous. A corporation commission composed of men who are so narrow, so bigoted, so selfish, as to refuse to aid the manufacturers of their own state against unjust discriminations, and because these manufacturers laid their complaint before the Interstate Commerce Commission, before they filed their complaint with them? Is it possible that the Great State of North Carolina has such men as officials and under a democratic administration at that. Where is Hon. William Walton Kitchin, the people's Governor, that he does not have this set of play babies removed from office, and men appointed to fill these important positions that will safeguard our manufacturers interests. If the contention of the furniture manufacturers is false and not based upon proven facts, let this commission investigate their charges and render a decision based upon the facts disclosed from the investigation. But to plead the baby act, by saying because you did not ask us first, we will not play, is working the baby act to perfection, and is at least disgusting and humiliating not only to the manufacturers whose very existence is at stake, but it is equally so to labor and capital engaged in other pursuits. Because they do not know what minute this same baby act is going to be played upon them. Here are the resolutions of condemnation passed by the committee representing the furniture manufacturers association, read it and ask yourself the question, are you not ashamed that the men composing the commission are democratic officials, serving under a democratic state administration.

At a regular meeting of the Southern Furniture Manufacturers' Association at High Point this week, a committee composed of A. E. Tate, High Point; W. E. White, Melbane, and B. F. Huntley, Winston-Salem, was appointed to draft and submit a resolution, which was unanimously adopted, which follows herewith:

"That whereas, we, the members of the Southern Furniture Manufacturers' Association, in regular meeting assembled at High Point, N. C., February 14, 1912, have learned through the chairman of our traffic and transportation committee that the North Carolina Corporation Commission, through its secretary, Mr. A. J. Maxwell, has positively declined to assist, either in a financial way or otherwise, in the prosecution of our complaint filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission regarding the iniquitous and discriminatory freight rates now threatening the very existence of the furniture industry in North Carolina; and, whereas, it is the unanimous opinion of the members of our association that the Corporation Commission was created for no other purpose than the safeguarding of the life and growth of the industrial development of our State from oppression and discrimination and to see that the citizens of North Carolina are given freight rates on an equitable basis with those in effect in other sections of our country.

"Now, therefore, be it resolved that we do most emphatically condemn the very unusual attitude assumed by our Corporation Commission in their refusal to co-operate with us, and call upon all patriotic and loyal citizens of North Carolina, who wish to see this State given as favorable freight rates as other States receive, to join us in filing our protest against the position taken by our Corporation Commission."

"Resolved further, that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Corporation Commission and also a copy be given the press for publication.
 Respectfully submitted,
 (Signed) A. E. Tate,
 (Signed) W. E. White,
 (Signed) B. F. Huntley,
 Committee."

The Colored Teachers To Meet.

The Alamance Colored Teachers Association will hold its last meeting for the year in the court house in Graham next Sat. Feb. 24 at 11 a. m. The two main items for discussion are Gradation of the school and Keeping the Register. As this is the last meeting of the year several items of vital interest will be taken up and it is very necessary that a full attendance is had. Every part of the work will be in the nature of a conference. Teachers are asked to come and bring their registers with them.
 W. R. Hall,
 President.

The Democratic Joy of Living.

New York World.
 The World enthusiastically welcomes this old-fashioned revival of Democratic activities. With Woodrow Wilson clashing Colonel Harvey out of the front yard; with Colonel Watterson denouncing Governor Wilson as an ingrate; with Mr. Hearst sobbing hysterically over Governor Wilson's historical references to Chinese labor; with Mayor Gaynor having fits over the wickedness of Mr. Hearst; with Colonel Harvey tearfully turning Woodrow Wilson's picture to the wall; with Mr. Bryan alternately bumping Judson Harmon and reading Oscar Underwood out of the party; with Champ Clark clawing Joe Folk and Joe Folk clawing Champ Clark; with Martin Littleton weeping over the atrocities which the House Democrats are about to commit on Wall Street; with Roger Sullivan trying to steal Carter Harrison from the newly converted Mr. Hearst; with Mr. Bryan acting as a House of Representatives, and with Mr. Underwood defying Mr. Bryan to do his worst—it has been years since we had a Democratic party so full of vigor and action and the joy of living.

Have you a tooth to pull?
 Have you tried my method?
 If not, ask someone who has.

Dr. J. S. Frost,
 Dentist,
 Burlington, N. C.
 Office phone 374-J. Res. 374-L.
 Meanwhile do not misplace the family snow shovel.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining in Post Office at Burlington, N. C. Feb. 17, 1911.
 GENTLEMEN:
 Johnny Brower, R. G. Denn & Co., Geo. Enox, M. T. Ferrell, Master Graham Gattis, Geo. Huff (2), J. C. Hinson, Adran Hardy, Geo. C. Lepee, Albert W. Osborne, C. H. Pritchett, A. D. Murphy, Ben Sharp.
 LADIES:
 Mrs. Dora Creet, Miss Nonie Fitch, Mrs. Myrtle Hill, Mrs. W. T. Hinshaw, Mrs. Maggie Moore.
 Persons calling for any of these letters will please say "Advertised," and give date of advertised list.
 J. ZEB WALLER,
 Post Master.

It now appears that Governor Wilson has been devoting considerable time to talking through the very kind of a hat he formerly wanted Mr. Bryan knocked into.

STYLE

is the essential upon which YOUNG'S HAT reputation is built. But quality goes with it—quality of a degree that cannot be bettered no matter how much you pay. A quarter of a century's experience in hat-making combined with the skill of the most artistic designers and the use of the finest materials afford in

Young's Hats

a standard America has long since recognized as best. A guarantee for quality goes with every hat, and the first one you buy will decide you for all time in favor of YOUNG'S.
 A full range of NEW models in Derbies and Soft Hats at \$3.

FOSTER SHOE COMPANY
 Burlington, N. C.

Write us, or call and see our Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines.

We deliver pianos, in our rubber tired piano wagon, right in your home in nice shape.

Pianos tuned and repaired, or we will exchange for old pianos, organs or machines.

Ask the following gentleman how they like our fine Player-pianos; Finley Williamson, Wm. W. Brown, Peter R. Ireland, May & Pickett owners the "Grotto" and Jno. W. Fonville. Player Pianos \$375. up.

Ellis Machine & Music Co.
 Burlington, N. C.

It Pays To Trade At Isley's Great Department Store.

The offerings and savings stand out very plain. We have never been better prepared to save the people money than now. Look at the few prices judge the same.

Just received three cases of fancy white goods in bar, stripes, small and large checks, the entire lot goes on sale at 10cts per yd. Easily worth 20 cts. and could not be bought elsewhere for less. 3000 yds. of fine bleaching, cambric finish 12 1-2 value, special at 8 cts. per yd. 2000 yds. of bleaching regular price 8 cts. special at 5 cts per yd. 2000 yds. staple fancy gingham value 8 to 10 cts., special at 5 cts. per yd. 1000 yds. of gingham value 10 cts. special at 8 cts. Large and well selected line of percales and gingham at 10 cts. and 12 1-2.

Large and beautiful line of dress goods, white goods and fancy goods. 3000 yds. of sea island worth 8 cts., special at 6 cts. 2000 yds. of good sheeting, value 6 and 7 cts., special at 5 cts. 3000 yds. of yard wide sheeting just the thing for canvassing for wall paper, special at 3 cts.

Great offerings in Men's Boys and Children's clothing. We haven't the space to quote the prices but are ready to deliver the goods at a great saving. Come and see.

Just received the newest thing in ladies coat suits for spring, ladies waists and skirts, finely tailored and styled to the minute. The prices are very attractive, and will appeal to any one wanting the best at an economical price. Ladies do you wear the R and G Corset. Any price from 50 cts. to \$3.00. Men's, Women and Children's guaranteed hose in black and colors at 10 cts. Fully guaranteed and only 10 cts. In all our twenty-five years of experience in the Mercantile business we have never been able to offer such values at 10 cts. Try a pair and see if they are not equal in wearing quality to 25 ct. hose.
 Grocery Department. 25 lbs. sugar at \$1.50 cash or six cts. per lb.

Come to Isley's great department store for what you want and save money.

Jos. A. Isley and Brother Co.
 GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE.
 Burlington North Carolina.

We Have Just Received a full line of For sale by weight spray your trees.

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LOCAL

Mrs. Arthur Bell of Coe, is the guest of her Mr. J. A. Whitt, who

Mr. J. W. Bryan of pent Sunday the guest sister, Mrs. W. W. Bry

Mr. R. A. Coble spent the guest of his mother Low's Church.

Miss Myra Dorsett days ago for Charlotte will accept training in sale millinery house.

Miss Bertha Neese, guest of her parents Mr. J. B. Neese in Guilford Sunday.

We are sorry to learn serious illness of Mr. J. of East Burlington. Friends hope he may soon

Mr. Percell Thurston spent Sunday at guest of his parents Mrs. W. C. Thurston.

Miss Emogene Thresh G. F. College, Greensboro Saturday and Sunday the guest of her parents

WANTED—One second furnace boiler, 25 or power. Address Box 110, Burlington, N. C.

Mr. Thomas Soots of ville, N. C., spent the town the guest of relatives.

Editor R. M. Andre Burlington News, filled pit at the Presbyterian Sunday morning in the of the pastor, Rev. D.

Don't forget Auction 2nd Hand Wagons, Harness on Monday, 1912, at 12 o'clock. N. well, The Always Bus

Miss Bertha H. Greensboro spent the home the guest of her Mr. and Mrs. P. P. returning to her work evening.

Miss Jennie Vaughn been the guest of her Elm City since the her niece Mr. Chas. V. returned home and is of duty again.

Mr. Robt. Garrison of Point spent Sunday guest of his old friend Goodman. Mr. Garrison Sunday with relatives.

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