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CHARLOTTE'S CHANCE.

A Little Help Given to Cabarrus Will Bring the Roanoke and Southern Road Here Sure.

It now appears to be a very easy matter for Charlotte to capture the Southern terminus of the Roanoke & Southern road. It may be done by helping Concord build a branch line to Charlotte.

The last Legislature chartered what is known as the Concord Southern Railroad to connect at any point on the Carolina Central. A petition is now being circulated in Concord township, and is being almost unanimously signed, asking for an election to be held in April for the purpose of subscribing $75,000 as the quota of that township for building the road. Cabarrus expects to get a subscription of $100,000. If Charlotte joins in, the road will come here. Otherwise it will go to Monroe. In either event, it is safe to say that it will be the southern terminus of the Roanoke & Southern. This is a matter worthy the immediate attention of the business men of Charlotte. That old maximum which advises us to "strike while the iron is hot" is a mighty good one.

Local Ripples.

The Star says that in Wilmington last week Rev. Sam Jones lectured to a $12 house.

Ray L. Royce will appear at the opera house tomorrow night in "Tom's Vacation." It is a good show and should have a large house.

The dancing class of Prof. Allmon's school will meet at the Academy tonight. There will be a series to-morrow night.

—Charlotte did not get the State convention but if Hill comes we will have a big enough 20th of May to atone for the loss of the convention.

It is expected that the new Tryon street Methodist church will be completed and ready for the use of the congregation by Sunday March 13th.

Don't forget the meeting tonight called by Mr. E. D. Latta and Dr. George W. Graham to arrange for inviting Senator Hill to visit Charlotte on May 20.

—Mr. W. P. Bynum, Jr., formerly a member of the Charlotte law firm of Bynum, Bynum & Shipp, is to be married in this city on the 16th inst. to Miss Mary E. Walker.

Mr. W. R. Berryhill, who has been so seriously ill at his home in Steele Creek township, has improved slowly, and is now in a fair way to recovery.

It is intimated that the present license fight is to be extended and that it will figure in the pulpits of the city. When it is fairly taken up by the clergy it will become even more interesting than it is at present.

The receipts of cotton by wagon continue good. Today's receipts announced to us 100 bales. The average weekly receipts for the past few weeks have been 200 bales. There is still a good deal of cotton in the county yet unmarketed.

—There will be a music recital by the pupils of the Charlotte School of Music, at the Y. M. C. A. hall tonight, at 8 o'clock. The programme will consist of both vocal and instrumental music. All the patrons and friends of the school are invited.

—In Wake Superior court yesterday judgements were rendered against Chas. D. Lipchurch, late clerk of the court, for $[illegible], which with previous judgments will make the whole amount to $[illegible]. His bondsmen are mulcted for $[illegible] sum.

—Dr. D. S. Harmon, the Russian opthalmic optician and inventor, born and educated in St. Petersburg, Russia, who has practiced four and a half years in the State of North Carolina and who has fitted patients in the State, has opened an office at the Central Hotel, room No. 1. Examination and consultation free.

New Advertisements To-Day.

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ALEXANDER FOR GOVERNOR

How the Political Cat is Hopping in the State—Capt. S. B. Alexander will Very Probably be the Next Governor.

The recent gathering of the members of the Democratic State executive committee in Raleigh was the occasion of a comparing of notes from all over the State and from what was learned it is evident that a very completely equipped Alexander boom has been rolling along under the surface, and gathering strength as it rolled, for some time past. The developments are such as to indicate that Capt. S. B. Alexander is the coming man for Governor. It may be that this very combination will solve the political problem in this State and result in a thoroughly re-united Democracy and the triumphant election of the entire ticket. There can be no question about the fact that the gubernatorial question is a mixed one and is giving trouble. Gov. Holt has a good following, but it is said that the alliance will not support him. Dr. George W. Mansfield is a man who would be acceptable to all the people, but he is such a true Democrat and well wisher for the party that he would not run unless it was clear to him that it was his duty as a Democrat to do so. Mr. J. S. Carr would make a fine run, but he does not want the office. Mr. Octavius Coke is also spoken of as a candidate. It is said that a conference has already been held with Capt. Alexander relative to his nomination and that though he made no positive answer, it is understood that he would accept a nomination. Such a turn of affairs might result in effectively fighting up the third party plant in this State by the roots.

The News learns that the sentiment throughout the State is very strongly in favor of Frank I. Osborne for attorney general.

The Weather.

The following is a synopsis of the weather prevailing at 8 a. m. today. The center of the high which was located at Chicago, Illinois, yesterday morning has moved southeasterly to Cincinnati, O. The effect of this high are felt over the entire section of the country lying east of the Mississippi river, in which there prevail clear and cooler weather. A remnant of foul weather remains off the extreme northeast coast of the country, where snow is falling at Boston, Mass. and Marquette, Mich. To the west of the Mississippi a low prevails over all that section, which seems to be advancing quite rapidly east, bringing with it warm weather, as yet, there are any indications of foul weather with this low.

The New Officials in Winston.

The Norfolk & Western officials by whom the Roanoke and Southern has been counted are in Winston, and it is so generally believed that they will naturally look into the proposed extension of the road to Charlotte. The party, the Sentinel says, consists of General Superintendent Hippey, Superintendent Barget, of the Winston-Salem Division, Telegraph Superintendent Walstrum, Auditor Cove, Traveling Auditor Eckols and Mr. G. W. Maslin, late General Manager of the Roanoke & Southern. The party made stops at every station along the line. They stopped over in Martinsville last night. A. P. Warrington, late traffic manager of the Roanoke and Southern, has been retained by the Norfolk & Western as division freight agent with his office in Winston.

The Weather in February.

The report of signal officer Gardner shows that the mean temperature of the past month was 46 degrees. The coldest day was the 15th when the mercury stood at 20 degrees. The warmest day was the 23d, when the temperature was 68 degrees. The rainfall for the month was 3.59 inches.

George Dean's Famous Shot Recalled.

About 11 years ago, old George Dean shot a colored woman named Bettie Wade. He had loaded his gun with slugs and scraptron, and though the woman was terribly wounded, she eventually recovered. Recently some of the old wounds have been troubling her and today Dr. O'Donoghue cut into her flesh at a particularly sore spot and got out a piece of an iron nut, that weighs half an ounce. The woman still carries in her body a dozen or more pieces of iron and lead.

NO STRICKEN CANDIDATE

The Life of the Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee Hanging on a Spider's Web.

Washington, March 2.—The condition of Congressman Springer, chairman of the ways and means committee is as critical today as it excite the greatest apprehension of his friends. His family and most of his intimate friends are evidently prepared for worse as there is fear that erysipelas, the dreaded foe of all, is face to face with the patient. The physicians regards that as being the case the result is almost inevitable death.

Dr. Jno. Vincent, of Springfield, Ill., the old family physician of Springer's, has been telegraphed for at the request of the patient and with the approval of the attending physicians in charge. While Mr. Springer's family have the greatest confidence in the attending physicians they hope that the presence of Dr. Vincent, who is an old friend as a skillful physician may buoy up the patient and help him to battle against the violence of the disease. This view is entertained by Drs. Curtis and Vertman, who hope for good results from the mental condition of the patient. During the most of the time Mr. Springer is conscious and although suffering much from the disease day and night is fully appreciated the gravity of his condition.

The Pope Fighting Radicalism.

Rome, March 2.—The Vatican recently sent notice to Count de Paris, the pretender to the throne of France, that he could not accept any of the deputies in case the monarchy should be restored in France. When the fact came to the knowledge of the representatives at the Vatican of Austria, Germany, Spain and Portugal, as they requested an explanation of the Papal abandonment of the monarchical policy. In reply they were told that the instructions would only apply to France and that the Vatican did not intend to display hostility to existing monarchies.

The Weather.

Washington, D. C., March 3.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Friday: For Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, fair, slightly warmer weather, south to southwest shifting to easterly. Eastern Florida, Western Florida, Alabama, fair Thursday and Friday, northerly winds shifting to easterly, warmer. Mississippi, fair weather Thursday and Friday, south to easterly winds, warmer.

Married in Winston.

Winston, N. C., March 2.—A very quiet wedding occurred in this city at the residence of Colonel R. M. Payne, uncle of the bride, at 8 o'clock this morning. Mr. John W. Goodloe, of Winston, and Miss Emma D. Mullner, of Virginia, were united in marriage in the presence of a few relatives. Rev. Paul Carraway, presiding elder of the Winston district of the M. E. church, south, officiating minister. No cards.

Cut Rates to the Convention.

Chicago, March 2.—The central traffic association has authorized half rate fares for the Democratic national convention at Chicago, tickets to be sold June 14th to the 20th, good returning to July 8.

For the Republican national convention the dates of sale have been extended from June 2nd to June 7th, with June 20th for return.

Fire at Harrisburg, Pa.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 2.—A fire last night partially destroyed the Shoe factory of Mauger, Bay & Co., entirely a loss of $[illegible]. Three hundred employees are thrown out of work.

Congressman Tithian Renominated.

Lawrenceville, Ills., March 3.—The Democratic convention of this the 16th, Congressional district, has renominated by acclamation, Congressman G. W. Tithian.

Forced to Return.

New York, March 3.—The steamer Richmond, captain Jenney, in command which sailed hence on the second instant for West Point Virginia, returned this a. m., on account of the bad weather and heavy seas.

Children Cry for Fitcher's Castoria.

THE MANDAMUS CASE

Judge Brown Considers a Legal Point and the Lawyers are Talking to the Jury.

The celebrated case of J. Rumpler against the board of commissioners of Mecklenburg county, involving the legality of the county bonds, is before Judge Brown, in the United States circuit court. All the evidence was concluded yesterday afternoon, and then came up an argument on a law point as to character witnesses. It is usual for character to be proved by the general testimony of the community. But counsel for the commissioners argued that it be proved by specific acts. There was a long wrangle over this point, and finally Judge Brown ruled in favor of the commissioners. Had the ruling been against the commissioners, the case would have been settled then and there. It was ruled, but in view of the day's delay, again and again I ask the question, Where is Mecklenburg? When court was resumed this morning Mr. A. Burwell, of counsel for Rumpler, opened the argument for the plaintiff. Mr. Burwell spoke for about an hour and a half, reviewing the evidence in the case. He was going to end, and was in fine form, quite personal in his remarks on Judge Brown, the judge presiding, and on the commissioners. He charged Mr. Harris with being a tool of the Ring, and Mr. Rowe with being the Ring's lawyer. Mr. Burwell made a very strong argument in defense of the action of the board of commissioners. Col. H. B. Jones, for Rowe, Mr. Cansler for the commissioners, Mr. Bason for the commissioners, and Mr. F. D. Dowd for Rumpler, are to speak during the afternoon. It is likely it will be Tuesday before the case will be given to the jury, though.

The court house has been crowded all day. The jury box has been represented among the audience, among those paying attention to the speaking being Dr. O'Leary and Rev. Joseph R. Crawford.

A New Feature in Futures.

A Charlotte merchant yesterday received a letter from a planter in South Carolina, that presented a novel proposition. The planter is a big watermelon raiser and he wanted to place orders in Charlotte now for watermelons to be delivered next June and July. So far, no one has been found who is willing to invest in that sort of "futures."

News From Good Old Stanly.

Hon. S. J. Pemberton, of Albemarle, is in the city to day. Mr. Pemberton says that Stanly county is way yonder for Hill, for his people think that Hill is the man to win, and that is the man they are for. Stanley's railroad from Salisbury has been developing and building up the county so rapidly, that they have now gone to work to connect Albemarle with Fayetteville by railroad.

The Fame of Charlotte's Graded Schools.

Charlotte's graded schools are becoming known far and wide as among the best in the country. Superintendent Graham has received a letter from Mr. James McMillen, of Chapman, Dickenson Co., Kansas, in which he says: "Will you be kind enough to send me the course of study adopted in your schools.

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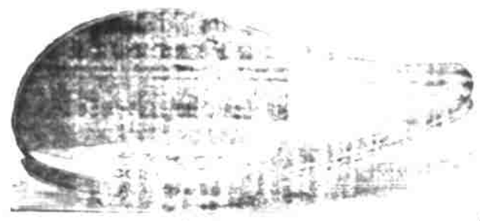

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