CHARLOTTE NEWS. THE ONLY EVENING ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWSPAPER IN CHARLOTTE

VOL. XXX .-- NO. 6338

CITY EDITION.

THE

CHARLOTTE, N C., TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1906

PRICE: 3 CENTS

OLD TIME SALL DESCRIBED IN A CHARGE TO JURY

Judge Boyd Told of the Pure Crystal Water and the Nice, Clean Surroundings. These Conditions Existed, he Said, in the South, Before the Civil War.

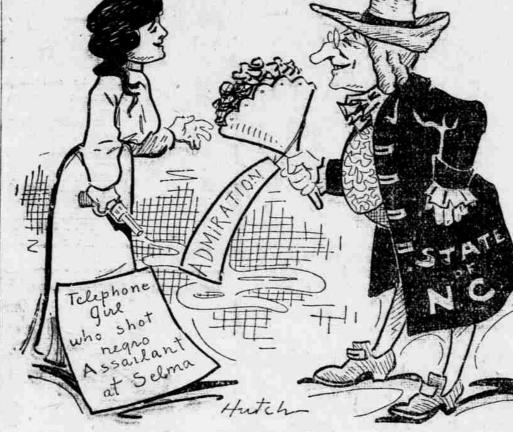
In his Charge Judge Boyd Dealt at Length on the Revenue Laws and the Violations of the Postal Laws, An Able and Clear Exposition of the Law.

The June term of the Federal Court for the Western District of North Caro- it make one beat his wife. ling convened this morning at the n'clock, Judge James E. Boyd, of

were any attorneys who desired to be term, was specially pertinent. admitted. There being none, the 'roll of the jury was called. The roll public utterances, was an able showed that two of the jurors had clear exposition of the law. died since the names were drawn and one other failed to answer. He was fined \$25.

The following nineteen men were drawn as grand jurors: G. W. Dry, J. S. DeLaney, John T. Green, S. L. Cow-an G. V. Hawkins W. F. Crump A. P. Thomas S. Rollins, Asheville; W. A. an, G. V. Hawkins, W. F. Crump, A. P. Bailey, Davie; Hon. J. J. Britt, Ashe-Rudisill, John M. Hanna, C. L. Shankle, Ville; W. S. Pearson, Morganton; Dis-P. Froneberger, S. C. Jones, S. B. Beal, Dorsey Sago, George Elam, J. M. Patterson, Concord; D. F. Morrow, Sloan, C. Jones. Rutherfordton; R. W. Simpson, Ral-

Mr. J. M. Sloan, of Belmont, Gaston county, was named as foreman by J. W. Hinsdale, Raleigh; G. W. Sounded here this af



Her Reward.

and all think that Mr. Hackett will The large audience seemed to really defeat him, They are also clamoring Federal Building shortly before 11 enjoy this vivid picture of the still-for a joint debate between Hackett and Blackburn, because they say Hackett

Along down the line- the charge will down him on every stump in the night operator for the Southern Bell Greensboro, is presiding and District dwelt on all the violations of the crim- Eight district. Attorney A. E. Holton, of Winston- inal statutes of the government. He Then ,too, they say Mr. Hackett will

salem, is prosecuting for the govern- took special pains to impress upon the not be as lenient with him as was jurors the crimes against the postal Mr. Newland. One prominent Republi- committed to the Wake jail for safe At the opening of the court this service. This, in view of the fact that can said this morning that if Black- keeping. There was no overt act tomorning Judge Boyd asked if there several such cases may be tried at this burn tries the same tactics on Hackett as he did on Newland, there will cer-The charge, like all of Judge Boyd's tainly be something to talk and write and about.

And all this is talked openly in Charlotte today. There is no attempt, on the part of the organization Republicans, interested in the Federal Court are to conceal their intentions of murder-

RIOT CALL SOUNDED.

trict Attorney A. E. Holton, Winston-Salem; W. G. Means, Concord; G. L. Eastville to Protect William Lee. Eastville to Protect William Lee, Charged With Assault.

Norfolk, June 12 .- A riot call was ardson) going with him.

JIM SANDERS WAS TAKEN TO RALEIGH FOR SAFE KEEPING

Sinders One of the Two Negroes who Attempted Criminal Assault on Miss Pearl Jones the Selma Telephone Operator Taken to Raleigh.

No Overt Acthad Been Taken Towards Lynching of Sanders but Rumors were Afloat. Condition of Governor Glenn not Improved,

Special to The News.

Raleigh June 12 .- Jim Sanders, one Wages paid 35 per cent: Value of proof the two negroes who attempted ducts, 69 per cent. Blackburn, because they say Hackett criminal assault on Miss Pearl Jones lishments shown for some cities is explained as being due to a decrease Exchange at Selma Saturday night, in the number of small establishments was brought here this morning, and

in 1904 because they do not form a part of the factory census. ward lynching the negro but reports Five principal industries are given were flying around of such a charac-

ter that the authorities deemed it best to get him out of the way. seed oil and cake. Deputy Sanders drove with the ne-

gro through the country 27 miles to Raleigh rather than attempt to bring him publicly on the train.

Miss Jones, it will be remembered probably mortally wounded Merritts' accomplice, Bud Richardson, when

Secretary A. C. Hutchison of this she discovered the negroes prowling city is sending out letters to members in the back lot, Richardson made a confession that Merritt had been South, forecasting the meeting at there twice before for the purpose, Mt. Airy, Ga., and calling attention to sett Mills of Albemarle and connected but could accomplish nothing by him- some important matters now engaging with the management of a number of self therefore insisted on his (Rich- the thought and attention of the spin- the Cannon Mills, of Cabarrus county, ners. In this letter Mr. Hutchinson and Arthur J. Draper, president of the

STEAMSHIP FLOATED.

American Line Steamship Western-

land Floated at Midnight.

line steamship Westerland, which

INDUSTRY OF GA.

Bureau for Year 1906 as Com-

went aground yesterday at the en-



NEW DIRECTORS. A decrease in the number of estab- Southern States Trust Company Adds

to Its List of Directors. At a stockholders' meeting of the or to the inclusion of a few small estab- Southern States Trust Company, held lishments in 1900 that were omitted in the offices of the company this afternoon, five directors were added to the board. The new members are W. as cotton goods, fertilizers, flour and S. Lee, Jr., of Charlotte, vice-president grist mill products, lumber, and cotton and chief engineer of the Southern Power Company; Capt. William Anderson, president of the Park Mfg. Co.,

CITY EDITION.

Meeting at Mt. Airy, Ga., is to be and member of the county board of

education; A. J. Yorke, president of the Citizen's Bank and Trust Compaof the Soft Yarn Spinners of the by and the Yorke Furniture Company, of Concord, treasurer of the Wiscas-

HACKEIT NAMEU

Special to The News.

the gathering.

plauded.

The vote being 306.

The Congressional Convention at

Statesville To-day was a Regu-

lar Democratic Jubilee. Mr.

Hackett Overcome by Splen-

tion, arose and in a splendid speech

nominated Richard N. Hackett, of

in the outset of his speech withdrew

At the conclusion of Mr. Wakefield's

speech the vote was taken and the en-

tire voting strength of the district was

The chairman appointed Messrs.

Wakefield, of Caldwell, Armfield, of

cast for Richard N. Hackett, of Wlikes.

the name of Mr. W. C. Newland, of

N. C.

THE CASE OF MEAT PACKING CO'S IS IN HANDS OF JURY

Four Packing Companies Charge with Accepting Rebates are; Armnor and Co., Swift and Co., Cudahy and Co. and the Nelson Morris Packing Co.

hey are Charged with Accepting Rebates. The Specific Case to be Considered is Cudahy and Co. Others are Similar. Cases Consolidated.

By Associated Press. .

Kansas City, June 12 .- The cases of four meat packing companies, charged with accepting rebates was given to the jury.

The cases are those of Armour & Co. Swift& Co., and the Nelson, Morris Packing Co.

They are charged with accepting from the Burlington railway concessions on shipments from Kansas City plants to New York for export. The cases were consolidated for trial purposes, the specific case considered, which is practically identical with Charlotte; John McDowell, of Steele the others, is that of charging Cudahy Creek township, a prosperous farmer and Co. with accepting a rate of 23 cents per hundred pounds on shipment of lard to New York for export to Germany when the legal tariff then on file with the Interstate Commerce Commission was 35 cents.

Packers Found Guilty. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

After the drawing of the grand jury ludge Boyd commenced his charge. He begun by telling the jurors of the responsible position they hold.

"The efficiency of the grand jury is very essential to the government for B. Saunders, Wilmington. the reason that you have to pass on all criminal cases under the statutes. For the good of society, good order and the protection of life and property, it is very essential that good men be zens, else you would not accept the position you do now."

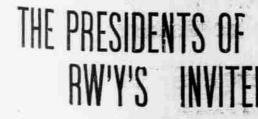
Judge Boyd dwelt at some length on the necessity of a grand juror keep-A. T. Grant, Jr., of Mocksville; W. F. ing his own counsel and maintaining Adkins, of Asheville; T. C. Israel, of the strictest secrecy. "You are an ac-Hendersonville; B. A. Justice, of cusing body and for the safety of yourselves and the good of society, you Winston-Salem John L. Randleman, should not divulge anything that trans-Jas. H. Ramsey, M. L. Barnhardt and pires in the jury room. In this dis-T. F. Kluttz, of Salisbury.

trict there has been much discussion as to what a juror may tell. I charge you that you have not the right to di-You that you have not the right to di-Vulge a single thing that transpires in your sessions. If it becomes necessary, the court may lift the veil, but you can not. One of the most learned of jurists in North Carolina or the country, as for that matter, held that this was right. I refer to the late Chief Justice Ruffin.

Judge Boyd said that every law good or bad, should be enforced. The good laws of right should be carried out and the bad ones, too, so they can be corrected. He declared that no juror should present any one because of malice, hatred or envy, nor should any one be shielded because of favor fear or protection.

The internal revenue laws and the tariff are the two sources from which the government derives its revenue, said Judge Boyd, and here he ex- boro, will be the next chairman of the plained in detail the workings of the Republican Executive Committee of revenue laws in so far as they applied North Carolina." to distilled spirits. The court took

before the war. In really an eloquent that denoted he knew whereof he manner Judge Boyd told of the crys- spoke. tal springs and the flow of the pure gredients made liquor that would not ing to fight Congressman Blackburn



The Presidents of the Big Coal Carrying Railroads will be Given an Opportunity to Make any Statement they May Desire

By Associated Press.

politics will be talked and it is not Philadelphia, June 12 .- The pres- out of the reaims of possibility that Hents of the big coal carrying rail- some slates will be made. The wire roads will be given an oportunity to pullers are here and they are cocked appear before the Interstate Com- and primed for action.

he is going to win.

boro next month.

Several days ago, there came to

Charlotte through the mails some but-

tons with Blackburn's picture in the

The "Big Guns" of the Republican

party in the state are now gathered in

Charlotte, presumably to attend the

As a matter of fact a great deal of

Concord; J. G. Broadnax, sounded here this afternoon for the Means. Greensboro; R. E. Gurney, Winston- quick assemblage of 200 militamen of ritt is guilty. He is about 16 years Salem; T. C. McCoy, Wilmington; G. the Seventy-First Virginia Regiment old and of a ginger cake color.

At the Central.

At the Buford.

The following attorneys and those

with criminal assault on Mrs. Robert day or to day, being weaker than at The following are stopping at the Barnes and her cousin, Miss Powell, any time since he was taken sick a bor situation will be discussed, and Central Hotel: Judge James E. Boyd, near Kingston, in Somerset county, week ago. of Greensboro; H. C. Cowles, and H. on the eastern shore of Maryland. V. Furches, of Statesville; J. M. Milli- The assailant of the women escaped kan, of Greensboro; J. T. Millikan and Lee was later arrested at Cape

are all good citizens, law-abiding citi- and R. C. Chandley, of creensboro; H. Charles, Va. Threats of lynching re-S. Harkins, of Asheville; T. N. Hally- sulted in Governor Swanson ordering burton, of Morganton; T. L. Green, the Norfolk and Portsmouth compan- By Associated Press. J. Wiley Shook, of Clyde; J. F. Smith- ies of Virginia National Guard to

deal and E. E. Vogler, of Advance; preed to the scene. BOOK-BINDERS MEET

Rutherfordton Clement Manley, of Tenth Annual Convention of Interna-

By Associated Press. Washington, June 12.— The total annual convention of the International Brotherhood of Book-Binders, convened here and will continue its sessions Washington, June 12 .- The tenth

throughout the week. Chairman William C. Connor, of New OF MR. BLACKBURN York and Washington, called the convention to order, and delivered a spirit ed address in which he expressed the belief that the success of the industrial classes lay in the organization on con-

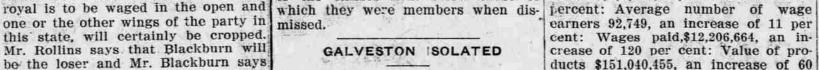
servative lines. It is Openly Asserted that this is Charles P. Neill, commissioner o labor, congratulated the delegates on What the Organization Retheir splendid organization, which he said represented one of the finest expublicans Desire Above Everyamples of success in the Trades Union thing Else. Mr. Rollins Says movement.

Judge Adams will be Chairman

"You can quote me as saying that Judge Spencer B. Adams of Greens-Hazing.

And as Hon. Thomas S. Rollins, the

provoke one to murder, neither would under cover any longer. This battle to the classes next below those of Salaries, \$5,927,521, an increase of 85



The Burning of 1,000 Feet of Connect- per cent.

ing Bridge Leaves Galveston Almost Isolated. By Associated Press.

center. At the top of the circle was "For State Chairman." At the bottom was "The Drummer Boy." This is only Galveston Jsland with the mainland cent: Wage earners 49 per cent: Cox. another indication that Mr. Blackburn has burned, completely isolating Gal- Wages 71 percent: Value of products intends to make the fight at Greensveston from connection with the out- 79 per cent. side world except by boat.

THE RAILROAD RATE BILL

present session of the Federal court. Bill From Speakers Table to Con- cent in salaries: Wage earners deference.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 12 .- Mr. Dalsoll (Penn.) presented to the House a rule cent.

rom the committee on Rules taking nerce Commission and make any From what The News man learned Soner Cockrell said today invitations next chairman of the executive com- ence as requested by the Senate.

In the estimation of the public Mer- says: "At the meeting of the Southern

Soft Yarn Spinners Association called man-American Co., of Spray, and treas-W. Sheek, Mocksville; C. E. Taylor, of Infantry to proceed at once to East- Governor Glenn's condition is re- for the 15th and 16th inst., at Mount Greensboro; J. F. Miller, Asheville; Z. ville, Va., to protect William Lee, the ported unimprove, this morning. He Airy, Ga., very important subjects will City, Ala.

negro now in jail at that place charged was able to sit up very little yester- be discussed. The Labor Problem: "The acute la-

SOFT YARN SPINNERS.

An Important One.

endeavor made to arrive at some plan of concerted action whereby all south- derson, W .S. Lee, Jr., Jno. McDowell, ern cotton manufacturers will relieve Geo. Stephens and W. H. Wood, of the tension, at least to the extent of agreeing to stop the pernicious practice of sending transportation, freighting furniture and assuming the respon-Philadelphia, June 12.-American sibility for debts of operatives, as an inducement for them to move from mill to mill."

trance to Deleware bay and was Commissions: "At our last meeting floated at midnight was here today. in Atlanta the question of "commis-The vessel is in good condition, havsions" was brought up for discussion, tional Brotherhood Convened today. ing sustained no damage by running but the members present had evidenton the shoals.

ly not then given the matter much thought. In view of the fact that certain cloth houses have been giving considerable concessions of late, and also that prices are now higher than for some considerable time and seem likely to remain so, owing to cotton having established itself on a permanently higher level, it seems to be the sense of a number of our members that our selling houses can well afford to do business on an appreciably lower A Large Increase in the Manufacpercentage than at present.

Members and non-members of the turing Industries of Georgia Association who are soft yarn spinners are asked to attend and be prepared Shown by Report of Census to discuss this important question.

Secretary Hutchinson closes the letter with an invitation to all soft yarn sional convention for this the Eighth Robey was elected quartermaster sermen to attend whether members or District, was called to order at noon geant.

not. All trains except Nos. 37 and 38 in the county court house. Mr. H. P. will stop at Mt. Airy for the benefit Grier, of Iredell, announced the con-

of the spinners.

TRIAL OF CURTIS JETT.

the Census Bureau in the preliminary Jett Goes to Jackson Tonight to press of the district were named as secretaries. Testify in Case of Judge Hargis and Others.

Cynthiana, Ky., June 12 .- In the There is no need of the Rollins-But- for hazing as may be re-appointed with- invested \$135,211,551, an increase of trial of Curtis Jett indicted for the water that combined with the other in- ler wing of the Republican party try- out prejudice to the naval service. 71 per cent: Salaried officials, clerks, alleged assassination, of Jas. Cockrill, These midshipmen are to be assigned etc. 6104, an increase of 60 percent: town marshall of Jackson, Ky., the commonwealth's attorney Dedman asked for a continuence until the Sepearners 92,749, an increase of 11 per tember term of court. The report that cent: Wages paid,\$12,206,664, an in- the confession is in the hands of the

crease of 120 per cent: Value of pro- cfhcials of the commonwealth which ducts \$151,040,455, an increase of 60 implicates Hargis in the assassination of Marcum and Cockrill and Cox

Statistics also are given for the four is said to have been confirmed. principal cities as follows: Atlanta, Jett will go to Jackson tonight unnumber of establishments increased der guard to testify in the case of Caldwell, another one of the candi-Houston, Texas, June 12.-About 1,- 50 per cent; Capital invested, 48 per Judge Hargis and others indicted dates. Mr. Wakefield made a beauti-000 feet of the bridge which connects cent: Salaried officials, etc. 88 per there for the alleged assassination of ful speech and was roundly ap-

Augusta, shows a decrease of 20 per cent in the number of establishments The Young Deserter From the Navy an increase of nearly two per cent in is now a Prisoner on the Franklin. capital invested: 49 per cent in the

Rule Presented to House Removing number of salaried officials: 38 per By Associated Press. Norfolk, Va., June 12 .-- J. Mathews Iredell and Wellborn, of Ashe, a com-

creased 13 per cent, and wages paid Fortner, the former mountain boy of mittee to notify Mr. Hackett of his nearly three per cent, although the Pickens, S. C., who deserted from the nomination. These gentlemen re-apvalues of products increased 11 per navy shortly after his enlistment in peared in a short while with Mr. Hack-1903 and had been studying for the ett and amid thunderous applause they

CASE OF YOUNG FORTNER.

Macon shows 2 decrease in the num- Baptist ministry at Furman Universi- escorted him to the stand. statement they may desire. Commission and make any From what The News man learned the Railroad Rate Bill from the Speak-statement they may desire. Commission and make any Erom what The News man learned the Railroad Rate Bill from the Speak-statement they may desire. Commission on the re-soner Cockrell sold today in prison on the re-soner Cockrell sold today in prison on the rementioned, as follows: Capital invested ceiving ship Franklin at the Norfolk did support that he had received in firemen injured, none fatally, and many

American Warehouse Company, the FUNERAL OF COL. D. G. MAXWELL. Rhode Island Coton Mills and the Ger-

The Services Were Conducted by Rev. urer of the Pell City Mfg. Co., of Pell Martin D. Hardin.

The funeral of Col. D. G. Maxwell, The entire board now consists of whose death occurred yesterday morn-Messrs. H. W. Eddy, T. S. Franklin, ing at his home on North Graham M. B. Spear, J. W. Todd, J. W. Wadsstreet, took place from the residence worth, J. N. McCausland, William Anthis morning at 11:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Martin D. Hardin, pastor of the Second Charlotte; I. C. Lowe, of Lowesville, Presbyterian Church. Eugene Holt, of Burlington; Jas. N.

There was a large assemblage of the Williamson, Jr., Elon College; J. E. friends of the deceased present to pay Sherrill, Moresville;" Dr. J. P. Munroe, tribute to the dead. A delegation of Davidson; J. F. Cannon, A. J. Yorke, Shriners came here from Columbia, S. Concord and Arthur J. Draper, Spray, C., where Col. Maxwell was well known and highly esteemed. The funeral services were conducted by the Knights Templar and the pallbearers were selected from their number.

MR. WILLIAMS ELECTED.

Other Vacancies Filled at Artilltery Meeting Last Night.

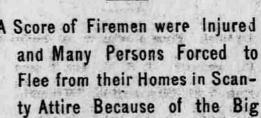
AMID APPLAUSE The members of Charlotte Artillery, First Field Battery, North Carolina National Guard, held an interesting meeting at the armory last night. The meeting was called for the election of a senior first lieutenant to succeed Mr. Pat H. Williams, resigned. Mr. Mark W. Williams was elected to this office by acclamation and second lieutenant J. C. Byrd was promoted to the did Demonstration of Delegates office of junior first lieutenant, which was vacated by Mr. Williams. First Sergeant N. W. Wallace, Jr., was elect-Statesville, June 12 .- The Congres- ed second lieutenant. Dr. W. M.

OFFICIALS ARRAIGNED.

vening of the convention and Hon. John S. Henderson, of Rowan, was Former High Officials of Mutual Must Face Five Indictments. called to the chair as temporary chair-

man. The representatives of the By Associated Press. New York, June 12 .- Frederick A. Burnham, former president of the After the temporary organization, Mutual Reserve Life Insurance comwas perfected a motion was made and pany, and George. Burnham and carried that the temporary organiza- George D. Elridge, formerly vice prestion be made permanent. With this idents of that company, were ardone Mr. Henderson arose and ex- raigned on five indictments returned plained to the convention the object of by the Grand Jury against each of them, charging forgery and grand Mr. C. L. Armfield, of Iredell, one of larceny. Through their counsel they the gentlemen who, up to a short while pleaded not Guilty. The date for the ago was in the race for the nomina- trials has been fixed.

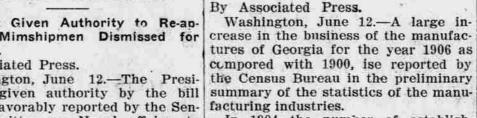
Wilkes, for Congress. Following Mr. Armfield was Mr. Lawrence Wakefield, of Caldwell, who FROM FIRE TO-DAY

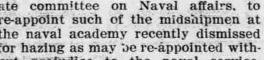


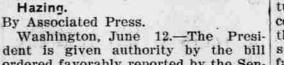
By Associated Press.

Fire.

New York, June 12 .- Property valued at more than a half million dollars was destroyed, nearly a score of







pared with 1900. RE-APPOINT MIDSHIPMEN President Given Authority to Re-appoint Mimshipmen Dismissed for

dent is given authority by the bill summary of the statistics of the manuoccasion to tell in a graphic manner of late chairman made this statement, ordered favorably reported by the Sen- facturing industries.

the oldtime still that made whiskey there was a merry twinkle in his eyes ate committee on Naval affairs, to In 1904 the number of establish re-appoint such of the midshipmen at ments throughout the state was 3,219, By Associated Press.

the naval academy recently dismissed an increase of seven per cent: Capital

extended to the presidents mittee. His friends declare there will The Senate passed the bill. 68 per cent: Number of officials, etc. 43 Navy Yard, awaiting trial by the gener-the convention touched nim deeply, persons forced to nee from their nomes of the Penna, Baltimore and Ohio, be no doubt of it and those who have per cent: Salaries paid, 55 per cent: al court martial. The young man was and he plainly showed his emotion. He, in scanty attire by fire in the block Officers to be Elected. The regular meeting of the Crit-enton Circle will be held at Tryon treet Methodist church tomorrow treet Methodist church tomorrow Norfolk and Western, Chesapeak and a soft place in their hearts for Mr. Chio, and New York Central railroads Blackburn, seem to fear that it will to appear before the commission. No happen, despite their cunning tricks. tenton Circle will be held at Tryon per cent. Appear before the commission. No support before the commission of the support before the commissing the commission of the support before the commission of the railroads to the coal and oil interests. Wilkesboro convention, but they one new year.