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W. T. CRAWFORD WAS NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS TO-DAY

The Democrats in the Tenth Congressional District Met in Convention Today and Nominated Hon. W. T. Crawford for Congress on First Ballot.

The Nomination was Made Unanimous. Editor W. T. R. Bell Placed Before the Convention Mr. Crawford's Name. A Large Attendance was at Convention.

Special to The News. Asheville, June 30.—Hon. W. T. Crawford was nominated for Congress in the Tenth District on the first ballot of the convention held here today. On motion the nomination was made unanimous.

Mr. Crawford's name was placed before the convention by W. T. R. Bell, editor of the Rutherford Sun and was seconded by Frank R. Hewitt, who was a candidate for Congress against Mr. Crawford in the primaries.

He paid a tribute to the past service of Mr. Crawford and asked the Democrats of the Tenth District to give him their support in the fall election.

Mr. Gidger who recognized his debt several weeks ago in Washington being unable to leave his official duties. The convention was called to order by Chairman M. L. Shipman and J. D. Murphy was made chairman and Donald Gillis, was made secretary. Considering the fact that there was no fight made over the nomination there was a large attendance.

CASE OF SENATOR BURTON.

Statement Given Out Denying That Senator Burton Desires to Secure Executive Pardon. By Associated Press. Topeka, Kan., June 30.—The counsel for Senator Burton, gave out a signed statement denying, on behalf of Senator Burton, any desire to secure an executive pardon in the case of his final conviction by the United States Supreme Court.

The statement denies the published report that an effort will be made to secure a pardon for Senator Burton, and says: "While he will contend to the last for his honor and his good name, asserting his innocence always, he will not turn to the executive for pardon for a crime he never committed."

CASE OF BARRINGTON.

"Lord" Barrington's Case to be Heard by Supreme Court. By Associated Press. Jefferson City, Mo., June 30.—F. Seymour "Lord" Barrington's case is to be heard by the United States Supreme Court. Chief Justice Brace today signed the writ of error and an appeal will at once be made to the Supreme Court of the United States. This stops all the proceedings and Barrington will not hang July 26th for the murder of James McCann.

THE GOREMYKIN MINISTRY.

The Retirement of the Ministry Has Been Decided Upon. By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, June 30.—The Associated Press was informed this afternoon by the authority of a Grand Duke that the retirement of the Goremykin ministry has been definitely decided upon.

BRYAN OFF FOR LONDON.

Hon. William J. Bryan Will Leave Bergen Tonight for London. By Associated Press. Christiania, Jan. 30.—Hon. Wm. J. Bryan who has been spending a couple of days at Bergen after a tour northwards as far as North Cape, leaves Bergen tonight for London.

RECEIVE DIRE WARNING.

Two Peasant Leaders are Warned That They Have Been Sentenced to Death. By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, June 30.—Anniken and Aladin peasant leaders in Parliament have received warning from the League for the Salvation of Russia at Odessa, that they have been sentenced to death.

NEGRO DELIVERED.

Taken to Penitentiary to Serve 15 Years for Attempted Assault. Special The News. Raleigh, June 30.—Deputy Sheriff A. W. Davis, of Stokes county, arrived here this morning to deliver to the penitentiary Melvil Tatum (colored) who is to serve 15 years for an assault on a white girl with an attempt to commit an outrage.

Naval Exhibition.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—The Senate passed the bill for a naval exhibition at Tampa in 1908 in connection with the celebration of the beginning of the work of the Panama Canal.



Poor Susan!

PUBLIC BUILDING BILL.

Complete Agreement Reached on Omnibus Public Building Bill. By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—Senator Scott reported a complete agreement on the Omnibus public building bill. He said the Senate conferees were compelled to yield the Senate provision for a \$30,000,000 building in Washington for the departments of state, justice and commerce and labor. Scott expressed mortification over the fact.

The Amendments.

Washington, June 30.—The conferees on the Omnibus public building bill reported a complete agreement. The disputed amendments settled by the all night conference include: Ocala, Fla., \$85,000; Ferdinand, (Fla.) \$100,000; Fayetteville, N. C., \$60,000; Richmond, Va., \$200,000.

President Signs Bills.

Washington, June 30.—The President went to the Capitol this afternoon to sign bills passed during the last hours of Congress.

LIBRARY ASSN. WILL MEET AT ASHEVILLE

More than One Thousand Library Workers Present at Opening of American Library Association. New Members Elected and Place Meeting Considered. ASHEVILLE THE PLACE. American Library Association to Meet Next Year at Asheville. Special to The News. Narragansett Pier, R. I. June 30.—The American Library Association at its morning session selected Asheville N. C. as its next place of meeting.

THE PRESS STORY

Narragansett Pier, R. I. June 30.—More than 1,000 library workers had registered here today before the opening session of the 28th annual meeting of the American Library Association. The election of new members and the selection of a place for the next year's meeting were the principal items of business. Asheville, N. C., was generally approved as the meeting place in 1907.

MEN FURTHER RESPITED

Governor Grants Further Respite in Case of Hasty and Samuels of Wilkes County. By Associated Press. Raleigh, N. C., June 30.—Another respite was granted by Governor Glenn in the cases of ex-revenue officers Hasty and Samuels of Wilkes county, under sentence of term in the Wilkes jail for assaulting and cowardly editor Deal of The Wilkesboro Chronicle. This time the respite is to August 4. At the urgent request of ex-judge Spencer B. Adams who is busy conducting the campaign against Congressman Spencer Blackburn for the state chairmanship of the Republican party, who has not time to appear before the Governor to make a plea of pardons for his clients.

SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Brunson and children left this morning for Charleston, S. C., where they will spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Marshall, who have been residing at Meridian, Miss., will move to Gastonia about the first of August. Mrs. Marshall is a sister of Mr. E. L. Keesler, Mrs. E. V. Durham and Mrs. M. M. Murphy, of Charlotte.

MR. FREEMAN OUT OF LEGISLATIVE RACE THIS TIME

In a Card To-day he Withdraws from the Race in Favor of his Neighbor Mr. W. A. Grier. He Thanks his Friends for Their Support in Past.

Politicians Have Been on the Move To-day. Mr. McNinch's Friends Have been Very Active. Mr. Watkins Joins the Other Candidates.

One of the most interesting developments in the political situation in Mecklenburg today was the withdrawal of Mr. R. C. Freeman from the Legislative race. Mr. Freeman in a card published in today's News says he has recently had an interview with Mr. W. A. Grier and finds that Mr. Grier has decided to enter the race for the Lower House. As Mr. Freeman thinks that two different elections to the legislature is enough for any one man, he withdraws from the race in favor of Mr. Grier, they being both from the same section. As soon as Mr. Freeman made known his intentions not to run for the legislature, Mr. Grier handed in his formal card announcing his candidacy for the legislature. This card appears in another part of this paper.

As to the senatorial race there are no new developments. It is generally conceded that Mr. Frank R. McNinch will oppose Mr. McD. Watkins. While Mr. McNinch has not declared openly that he was a candidate, his best friends say that he is in the race to the finish.

Today has been one devoted, for the most part, to talking politics and trying to keep cool. Wherever a shady spot could be located there a crowd would gather and politics was discussed. At Independence Square early this morning there was quite a party of politicians gathered discussing the probable candidates and the coming primary election. Most of our people agree that the legislative fight will be an interesting one and that one or two more candidates may enter the race in the next few days.

Mr. Preston Will Make the Race.

Mr. E. R. Preston, of the Charlotte bar, will be in the race for the lower house of the State legislature during the present campaign, which is now beginning to warm up. When approached by a News reporter today Mr. Preston said: "Yes, I have decided to stand for the nomination for the lower house."

Continuing, Mr. Preston, added: "Personally I am in favor of such just and reasonable extension of the city limits as our wonderful growth and expansion seems to make necessary. Greater Charlotte is the cry on all sides now."

"This question of extension is a most important one, and hence there should be a free, open and friendly discussion of the matter, as the views and advice of those in authority will naturally be desired by the representatives of the legislature."

Mr. Preston, it should be said in his own behalf, is a tax-payer in Dilworth. He is a young man of sterling character and unquestioned integrity, and will make a clean, open race, for the position to which he has aspired.

LOWELL TO HAVE NEW MILL

New Teachers for Gastonia School—Special The News. Gastonia, June 30.—Lowell is to have a new cotton mill. The new mill is being built chiefly by the stockholders of the old mill, and will be located just northeast of the other one. The capacity of the mill is to be a five thousand spindle yarn mill. Work will be begun on the foundation real soon. It is reported that Lowell is to have another cotton mill, but it is not certain.

Miss May Dell Barre of Honea Path, S. C., Miss Annie Galloway and Miss Carrie Glenn of Gastonia have been elected as new teachers to fill the vacancies of Miss Ida Pursley, Miss Ose Shuford, and Miss Eloise Stokes, who have resigned. Miss Stokes was recently married at her home in Yorkville, S. C. the groom being Mr. R. J. Sifford a prominent young man in Gastonia.

The best game of ball of the season was played in Gastonia yesterday afternoon between Mountain Island and Gastonia, the score being eight to one in favor of Gastonia. Although the game was Gastonia's after the first inning, it was full of excitement and sensational plays all through the game. The fine pitching of Morrow was something wonderful, only allowing the Mountain Island boys one hit. Morrow is only a young boy and every thing points that he is one of the coming pitchers of the South. Rhyme, short stop for Gastonia, made one of the most sensational plays ever seen on this diamond, and his heavy hitting was above the average.

Mr. F. H. Busbee, of Raleigh, has arrived in the city and is with her son Mr. R. S. Busbee. Mrs. Louis Brown, of Concord, is also at the home of Mr. Busbee.



At Last!

THE TEACHERS' SCHOOL.

Raleigh Summer School the Most Successful Ever Held in the State. Special to The News. Raleigh, June 30.—Mr. J. A. C. Chandler of the educational department of the Jamestown Exposition arrived here from Norfolk last evening and delivered an address before the teachers attending the North Carolina summer school on the educational department of the exposition which is to open in April, 1907. He explained the scope of the educational feature of the exposition and the teachers manifested great interest, assurance being given that the schools of North Carolina will be liberally represented.

Prof. E. C. Brooks, superintendent of the Goldsboro Graded schools, who has been here delivering a series of addresses before the teachers here in attendance. He thinks there can be no further doubt as to the permanency of the Raleigh summer school. He says Raleigh and the A. & M. College make an ideal place for holding such a school.

Col. W. B. Rodman and Mr. D. B. Smith returned last night from Wrightsville Beach, where they attended the meetings of the Bar Association.

WEATHER IN JULY

Data Covering a Period of 27 Years Compiled by Weather Bureau. The following weather data for July, covering a period of 27 years, have been compiled from the bureau records at Charlotte. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed during the month in question, for the above period of years.

The mean or normal temperature for July has been 79 degrees. The warmest month was that of 1881, with an average of 82 degrees. The coldest month was that of 1891 with an average of 75 degrees.

The highest temperature in July was 102 degrees, July 18, 1887. The lowest temperature was 55 in July 10, 1821. The average precipitation for the month has been 5.37 inches. The average number of days with .01 of an inch or more has been 12. The greatest monthly precipitation was 8.64 inches in 1879. The least monthly precipitation was 1.68 inches in 1888. The greatest amount of precipitation in any 24 consecutive hours was 4.24 inches on July 30, 1879.

The average number of clear days in July has been 8; partly cloudy days 15; cloudy days 8.

The prevailing winds have been from the southwest. The average hourly velocity of the winds has been 5 miles. The highest velocity of the wind was 42 miles an hour from the west on July 26, 1899.

ANOTHER MUTINY IN TURKISH ARMY

Turkish Army Reserves Serving in Yemen Province Mutinied. Few Hundred were Killed Before Surrender. Forts Ordered to Open Fire.

By Associated Press. Hodeida, Turkish Arabia, June 30.—Another mutiny has broken out among the Turkish army reserves serving in Yemen province. Sixteen battalions demanded that they be repatriated and Commander-in-Chief, Marshal Feizi Pasha, ordered the forts to open fire on the mutiniers, who surrendered after a few hundred of them had been killed.

THE GYPSY PARTIES.

Boys of the Y. M. C. A. to Take Outing During July. A new feature is being introduced in the boys department of the Young Men's Christian Association. Preparatory to the departure of the boys on the camp, during the month of July two Gypsy parties will be organized. The boys composing the Gypsy parties will take side trips into the country in a wagon of the prairie schooner fashion. They will live on the road with horses, "Gypsy" wagons, tents, dogs, pots and pans. Eat good country food, breathe pure air, swim in river, play baseball, sing around camp fires, and rough it in general.

The first party of Gypsies will be composed of boys from 15 to 18, and they will leave the building July 4th at 10 o'clock A. M., traveling along the Rozzell's Ferry road and returning the next evening at 10 o'clock.

The second party of Gypsies will be composed of boys from 11 to 14 and they will leave the morning of July 18, traveling along the Laurel Heights road, returning home the evening of July 19th.

Only a limited number can go on these trips, and all boys desiring to go are requested to put in their application at once together with 80 cents which helps to defray the expenses of the trip.

Any additional information regarding the Gypsies may be secured at the office of the association.

Officers on Vacation.

Tomorrow Officers Johnson and Merritt will return to duty after their regular ten days off and Col. Tom Black and Officer Morris will take a few days off. Col. Black has come to a draw between going fishing and getting out a revised edition of stories.

ONE KILLED IN FOUR HAND PISTOL FIGHT

Four Italian Tradesmen Assembled to Talk Over Market Conditions. Four Handed Pistol Conflict Followed. One Man was Mortally Wounded. By Associated Press. New York, June 30.—Four Italian tradesmen of the Italian colony of Brooklyn, who had been cutting prices on their wares, assembled today at the corner of Vanbrunt and Union streets, Brooklyn, to talk over the market conditions.

In a short time a four-handed pistol conflict was in progress, in which one of the men was probably mortally wounded.

The other three were more or less injured and a bystander who had no part in the conflict received a bullet in his leg.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE, SHOPTON.

Mr. Moore Has Arranged for the Third at Shopton, July 16th. Mr. C. C. Moore, chairman of the Farmers' Institute committee, has arranged to hold the third institute in Mecklenburg at Shopton on July 16th. The farmers, and their wives and children, of Berryhill, Steele Creek and Pineville, will be expected to attend this meeting and bring with them well filled baskets. Speakers will be on hand to answer any question pertaining to the farmers interest.

Funeral of Miss Carrie Johnson.

The funeral of Miss Carrie Johnson, whose death occurred yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Johnson, at No. 209 North Cedar street, took place from the residence this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. A. R. Shaw, pastor of the Tenth Avenue Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. W. W. Orr. The interment was at the Paw Creek Church burying grounds. Besides the parents, the deceased is survived by two brothers and four sisters.

A Very Drunk Negro Man.

Officers this morning brought in Will Pratt, a colored man who was making things stormy down on Middle street. Pratt is charged with being drunk and disorderly and with raising Cain, and frightening the natives. He was locked and left to sober in a cell at police headquarters.

Christian Science Services.

Christian Science services will be held tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. at the hall, No. 5, West Fifth street. Subject: "Life." The public is cordially invited.

A PERSONAL FIGHT NARROWLY AVERTED IN HOUSE TO-DAY

A Serious Difficulty Occurred in House To-day Between Hon. George N. Southwick of New York and Chas. L. Bartlett of Georgia.

But for Intervention of Friends Personal Encounter Might have Taken Place. Bartlett Threatened to Use Knife if he was Accused of Lying.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—What promised to be a serious personal encounter between George N. Southwick of New York, and Charles L. Bartlett of Georgia, was prevented early this morning in the House by the intercession of friends.

Southwick sought to pass a resolution increasing the pay of the tally clerks. Bartlett, member of the committee on accounts, asked if the resolution had been passed upon by a committee of the House. The speaker informed him it had not. Bartlett objected. During this time Southwick was pleading with Bartlett to let the resolution through, but the Georgian was determined it should not pass. Backing away from Southwick he took a position on the Republican side. Then Southwick made the remark that there had been a good deal of lying in the committee on the resolution and made a movement toward Bartlett, thinking that a personal assault was intended. Bartlett who had a silver pen-knife in his hand remarked that Southwick dare not say he had lied or he would cut him. Friends interferred and the threatened encounter was averted.

THE HOUSE WAS MERRY.

Members Sang Old Songs on the Eve of Adjournment. By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—The animosities and political differences of the present session of Congress were totally forgotten or laid aside in the House today and the sweet singers among the members joined in songs that are sung about every hearthstone in the land where the English language is spoken.

Gathered about Mr. Watson of Indiana, who has a fine baritone voice, Mr. Tawney of Minnesota who has a high tenor, Mr. Campbell of Kansas, Mr. Webb of North Carolina and Mr. Olmstead of Pennsylvania and others whose musical qualities are well known with the House and galleries to join in the choruses, the historic chamber rang with melody during the long and tiresome waits today occasioned by the delay in agreeing to the conference reports.

THE TEXAS COTTON CROP.

Dr. Orr Says Cotton and Corn Crops Look Fine. Dr. W. W. Orr, pastor of the East Avenue Tabernacle, returned to the this morning after a month's absence in Texas where he held special meetings and revival services during June. Dr. Orr traveled over a good section of the State and was very much impressed with the splendid condition of the cotton and corn crops. He says the corn crop in Texas is made and it cannot be equalled in any section of the country. Concerning the cotton crop, Dr. Orr said it was also fine.

Texas had an abundance of rain last week which was followed by a dry spell and plenty of hot sun this week. This he said was very much in favor of both.

"The cotton growers of Texas are expecting a big yield this year which will surely follow unless the boll weevil makes its appearance," said Dr. Orr. "The boll weevil is an uncertain thing. Last year it did very little damage. The worm made its appearance during the first of the season, and they seemed to be plentiful but a wet spell followed by a dry spell and hot sun caused them to almost completely disappear."

Missionary Meeting.

Special to The News. Asheville, N. C., June 30.—The fourth annual conference of the Young People's Missionary Society met at Kenilworth Inn in this city last night for a ten days session. About 200 delegates had arrived last night and it is expected that 300 will be in attendance by Monday. The purposes of these conferences is to enable the missionary secretaries in charge of young people's work and the leaders in the Sunday schools and other young people's organizations to spend a ten days' of uninterrupted prayer and Bible study. The conference is also intended as a training school for leaders and secretaries of Sunday schools and church organizations.

MAN HANGED HIMSELF.

Man Who Caused Death of His Wife Hanged Himself in Prison Cell. By Associated Press. Philadelphia, June 30.—Charles Von Canegan, whose wife died of wounds inflicted by him last Monday, hanged himself in his cell in the county prison today.