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## GOVERNOR GLENN TELLS WHY HE IS NOT IN THE RACE FOR THE UNITEC STATES

Statement Issued by Gover- RA1 & TROUGH POLICE nor in Which he Declares He is Not in The Race Against Senator Overman For U. S. Senate.

### Is Willing to Sacrifice His Sake of Harmony — Will Still Be a Worker-His Ambitions.

Special to The News.

Raleigh, N. C., April 14.—Governor Clienn issues a lengthy statement, in which he announces that he will not be a candidate for the United States senate, but will support Senator Over- darted down North Tryon street and

The statement declares his cherishtetires for harmony.

istration as governor and says the appeared—as if into a cloud of dust, people having made him what he is politically he would not fear again politically he would not fear again to put his destiny in their hands. Negroes Were But in the present action he is actuated by the desire to serve the state by preventing a bitter contest and still higher motive to help humanity. With hostile persons and papers Special to The News. saying he is using the temperance campaign as a stepping stone to his

He appeals to all to rally to the at an extra term of court. ever his ambition," but better than a special train.

tent," and no selfish aims, but only for the public good. Enlisting now from Columbia. May and in November to battle for DEATH OF COL. R. H. N. DAVIDSON the Georgia peach crop, the Florida tee from interference with the names pure democracy and state's rights.

### As to Liquor Shipments.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., April 14.—Sena-

### Mr. Chas. Heath Dead.

8 o'clock at his home at Harmony. The funeral services were conducted at Clarksbury church yesterday mornlong time and it was realized some and esteem of his fellow-men. time ago that his condition was hope-I

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Heath, of Harmony, and was about 40 years old. He is survived by a wife and one child, his mother and Naval Bill a number of brothers.

#### In Honor of Senators. By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., April 14.—Sena- By Associated Press. tor Taliaferro today announced that resolutions eulogizing the memories of his late colleagues, Senators Mallory and Bryan, May 2nd.

## Delaware

Dover, Del., April 14.-Last night's action of the democratic state committee in agreeing upon a form of endorsement for Judge Gray as Dela- Two Deeds Filed for Registration in ware's choice for the presidential nomination removed all doubt regardtion meeting. The delegates gathered day.

Judge Gray in control. out. This is construed by the friends feet, the consideration being \$900. of Bryan to mean that that gentleman

Say Rates Are Confiscatory.

Topeka, Kas., April 14.—The court Mrs. M. C. Quinn a lot adjoining. The Special to The News. order recently issued to restrain the consideration is not given. state board of railroad commissioners and Attorney General Jackson from putting into effect the new schedule court. The temporary injunction was place tonight at 8 o'clock. obtained by the railroads, who assert that the proposed rates are confiscatory.

## S TION TO SAFETY

Him Throu

down in the city hall, at least there proved to be some kind of attraction in that direction today at noon when Political Ambition for The a negro who had shatehed a pan of trousers from a sidewalk display in front of a clothing merchants' place of business on East Trade street. The merchant, who had a rather watchful eye, discovered the theft and gave chase to the negro who made a record sprint toward the square with the merchant in hot pursuit, yelling at every step:

"Catch him! Head him off! Stop him!"

At the square the negro turned and turned abruptly into the ally way leading straight into the gapping ed ambition was to be United States jaws of the police station where half senator and the withdrawal from the a dozen blue coats were lounging race six years ago in favor of Mr. around. But the negro didn't stop. C. B. Watson was for the sake of He dropped the pair of tronsers and harmony. If he should get in the ran on. With a bound like a frightrace against Senator Overman the ened deer he cleared the steps to the contest would be fierce, so he again basement and emerged on the Fifth street side of the building where he He reviews his "strenuous" admin- caught a new supply of wind and dis-

## Well Guarded

Columbia, S. C., April 14.—Ned and sires to be untrammelled and have it understood he is working for what he believes the best and greatest he best and gre

he realizes this is the "flood-tide" of Richland Volunteers, under command by the residence in Charlotte has been he said, "It may not be amiss to state this political career and in refusing to of Capt. Allen, who were placed unless the said that one continue to use it as before only of the minority. It was said that one continue to use it as before only of the minority of the mi take the pointest "current" he tooses to of all his "ventures," surrenders, for the party left here at 8 o'clock on closed a five research to the party left here at 8 o'clock on closed a five research to the building delegates proposes to of the building deleg

He takes this course with "no vain governor decided to be on the safe this course with "no vai regrets or intention to sulk in my side. No news of trouble has reached here today. Lexington is 12 miles this

for Bacon reported from the com- home at the age of 75 years. He was mittee on judiciary today the bill fa- well known in this section, where he voted by the minority on the subject frequently visited at the home of his

liquor to prohibition states. The Col. Davidson was a grandson of bill is substantially the same as the Major John Davidson. He was a leadone previously offered by Mr. Bason, ing man in his town and section, and for 14 years was in congress, part of the time during Mr. Cleveland's administration. Me made an able representa-Statesville, N. C., April 14.-Mr. tive of the people. He had been for Gary to Be Head Charles Heath died Sunday morning at years an elder in the Presbyterian church of Quincy, as his father had

The deceased was a polished and ing by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Brantley, courtly gentleman of the old school, and the interment was in Clarksbury and a man of the strictest integrity, cometery. Mr. Heath had been ill a and who held the universal respect

received by his cousin, Miss Sallie Davidson, of this city.

## Resumed

he would ask the senate to consider the house resumed consideration of court today by Hattie Massey, adminisamendment by James, of Virginia, against the Southern Railroad. The

the Clerk's Office.

sold to Mr. J. H. Howell a one-half in-time last September. The complaint The delegates will be instructed to terest in the Harvey Taylor place in has not been filed, and the amount of vote and work for Gray, but the con- Crab Orchard township, containing 244 damages asked is not known, but will cluding portion of the plank in the 1-4 acres, the consideration being \$975. probably be \$15,000. platform endorsing the candidate, Mr. E. J. Heath and T. J. Redfrow, This is a case in which the plaintiff which excluded consideration of any have sold to Mr. N. J. Alexander a lot alleges that the defendant left a stairother candidate, has been stricken in Matthews containing 2,000 square way in course of construction unguard-

The Durham & Murphy Land Compa- an employe, fell through it. is to be the second choice of the ny has sold a vacant lot on East Mr. J. E. Little is representing Mr. Eighteenth street, North Charlotte, to Greenhill, Mrs. Lily Wilson. The consideration was \$500. The same firm bought from

Declaimers to Contest. The declamation contest which is a of freight rates came up for hearing part of the closing exercises of the Gooch, W. H. Hunt and others. today in the United States circuit| Southern Industrial Institute will take

Newton on legal business.

Trousers-Merchant Police Station-Disappeared on Fifth Street in Cloud of

There is evidently some sort of magnatism about police headquarters

Florida Ex-Congressman Who Was Well Known Here. Col. R. H. N. Davidson, of Quincy,

of regulation of interstate shipments uncle, the late Mr. Brevard Davidson. been before him.

The news of his death was recently

Washington, D. C., April 14.—When

Bay, Philippines, was pending. appropriation should be made until duties about one year ago at Salısthe question of permanent naval sta-bury. The complaint has not yet been tion is determined. Chairman Foss filed, and therefore it is not known contended for an appropriation for what is the amount of damages that

### LAND TRANSFERS.

Mr. F. M. Shannonhouse has gone to



New York, April 14.-Although the

democratic state convention was called

to meet at noon, indications were that

it would be much later, as the state

committee awaited the determination

of the court in the McCarren injunc-

tion case. A lively convention is pre-

of a fight by the Bryan followers to se-

a vote before the convention.

Scores Republican Party.

Mr.r E. Y. Webb's Baby III.

Dr. I. W. Faison returned last night

attend the baby of Congressman E. Y.

Webb, which has been seriously ill for

several days. The baby is still very

the little 31/4-year child of Mr. and Mrs.

ternoon at 4 o'clock, was held this

ment took place at Steel Creek ceme-

tery. Rev. J. A. Baldwin conducted

Cotton Receipts.

The cotton receipts today were 29

bales at 101/4 against 2 bales at 111/4

on the same day last year.

Craig Leads Race

ill, but it is thought it will recover.

convention.

#### Bryan's Chance Joint Session Will Re-Ice All In New York Cars Of Fruit

Standard Ice And Fuel Co. Closes 5 Year Contract With Fruit Growers' Express-May Handle 10,000 Cars.

The Standard Ice & Fuel Company,

continue to use it as before only of the Buffalo delegates proposes to oficing of fruit and vegetable cars at point. This business in late years has reached enormous proportions. It includes practically all of lina strawberry shipments. With a good season the business amounts to

between 5,000 and 10,000 cars. The Georgia peach shipments are generally iced from the starting point and conveyed to Atlanta, Ga., where the cars are made up into long trains. The ice boxes are filled there and dispatched through to Charlotte where they are refilled. From here they are sent through to Alexandria, Va., for re-icing and from there

nual meeting tonight of the Automo- of confidence and labor unemployed South Carolina Arabs, with cold feet bile Club of America Elbert H. Gary, because capital is afraid. "In the to be warmed, will take their pleasure By Associated Press. chairman of the United States Steel wreck of our industrial prosperity, in gaily in the neck at Asheville, so says Corporation, is to be elected to the the corruption of official life, in the inpresidency in succession to Colgate vasion of home rule, in the unbalanc-Hoyt, who declined a renomination. ing of co-ordinate branches of governing 100 because we don't want to put climes of the Western Hemisphere, Cornelius Vanderbilt will be among ment, in the transgression of princi- the number at so low a figure. Ranthe new members of the board of ple of equality before law, in ignoring doph says he will be satisfied with 150.

### DAMAGE SUITS STARTED.

Summons Served in Cases of Massey vs. Southern, and Greenhill vs. Dowell Manufacturing Company.

A suit was instituted in the superior the naval appropriation bill today the tratrix of Walter Massey, Icolored, striking out the appropriation for de-suit is for damages for the killing of veloping a naval station at Subig Walter Massey, who was a fireman for the defendant company, and who was Crumpacker (Indiana), thought no killed while in the discharge of his

Messrs. Shannonhouse and Jones are representing the plaintiff in the mater. Another suit institued today was that of Mr. P. E. Grenhill against the Dowell Manufacturing Company. in Two deeds were filed in the office of this action the plaintiff will ask daming the outcome of today's conventhe clerk of the superior court to ages because of a hurt received by falling through an unguarded stair-Messrs. C. E. and M. A. Wood have way in the company's building some

ed at night and the plaintiff, who was

### New Incorporations.

Raleigh, N. C., April 14,-A charter was issued the Bank of Stem, Granville county, at a capital of \$50,000 au- Special to The News. thorized: \$5,000 subscribed, by J. H.

Baird and others. Kitchen, 3.37; Horne, .56.

# Oasis & Omar

### South Carolina Will Hold Joint Session at The Asheville Summer Outing of Former.

dicted, in view of the contest over the McCarren delegates and the prospects day taken to Lexington to stand trial day taken to Lexington to stand trial of through Charlotte for the north.

About the only thing that seemed to describe the north of the The Standard people have used the Denver convention in spite of the efsupport of state prohibition. He says The prisoners were guarded by the he realizes this is the "flood-tide" of Richland volunteers, under command he realizes this is the "flood-tide" of Richland volunteers, under command he said, "it may not be amiss to state he residence in Charlotte has been he said, "it may not be amiss to state closed a five years' contract with the nation of Bryan for the presidency, and at a recent meeting of the governing Fruit Growers' Express (the Armour that Chairman Conners and Charles F. | boards of the two temples at Columbia, ty of permitting the resolution to go to of Oasis Temple.

The following letter has been mailed Justice Crane modified the order re- to the illustrious nobles of the two temstraining the demo ratic state commit- ples:

vegetable crop and the Eastern Caro- of the McCarren delegates on the tem- boards of Omar and Oasis Temples porary roll of the state convention, so held in the City of Columbia on March that while the committee may not first, 1908, it was decided that the two gates from the temporary roll, the con- the Oasis of Asheville, Desert of North test may be carried on the floor of the Carolina, on June 12th, 1908, and that the ladies would be invited to accompany them on the pilgrimage. You are When the convention convened, therefore commanded to so arrange Thomas Carmodic, temporary chair- your affairs that nothing will prevent man of the democratic state conven- you from being present, and if you are tion, in his address, said every interest a married man and don't bring your that may be affected by public policy, wife with you, the tortures that are and every kind of business that re- inflicted on the ignorant are nothing building of four battleships. sponds to public confidence tells the in comparison with what we will do to

dismal story of republican misrule and call loudly for its overthrow. "In Oasis and Omar are striving to see The Big Fleet Of the Auto Club days of greatest abundance we find who can best work and best agree. suffering poverty and want," he declar- But we must not do all the agreeing New York, April 14.—At the an- ed. He said capital is idle for want while they do the work. One hundred

cipal cause of the great evils of our The program is a very elaborate one, ters today. It cast anchor off Coronpublic life; is found the indictment The nobles and visitors and their wives ado Beach this afternoon at 1 o'clock lative body been invited to require men of the republican party," he declared. will be received in the ball-room of the He charged that "In return for ex- Battery Park Hotel on the evening of of the 16 ships will be marked by tortionate campaign contributions the 11th. A business session will be ceaseless round of gaieties. manufacturers were permitted to write held at 4 p. m., on the 12th, attended the protective features of the Dingley by all the officers and the Arabic patrols of both temples in full regalia. He added: "And the whole royal The first section of the ceremonial sesfamily of parasites that had purchased | sion will be held immediately after the the republican victories and paid for business session, after which a recess them and were getting their reward in | will be taken for dinner. The second the tribute that they were permitted to section will commence at 7:30 o'clock. exact from honest capital and frugal | The traditional banquet will be given at the Battery Uark Hotel on the evening of the 12th at 10 o'clock.

Quinn is For Bryan.

from Shelby, where he was called to By Associated Press. Peoria, Ill., April 14.-One of the principal features of the Bryan rally tonight will be the fact that Frank J. Quinn will be the presiding officer. Three years ago, at Springfield, Quinn says: "Here am I," and then obeys the Smith, of Hartsville, S. C., while being joined the Sullivan forces against Bry- call to carry the gospel into the dark brought to the lunatic asylum this The funeral of Feimster McKnight, an, but all difficulties seem to have corners of heathendom, is the embodi-morning, threw himself through the been amicably settled and Quinn has ment of sincerity, and his every word window of the A. C. L. train when 17 J. F. Owens, who died yesterday af- accepted the offer to preside.

#### No. 10 Palmer street, and the inter- All Quet Once Mcre In Pensacola, Fla.

By Associated Press.

the arrival of four more companies home of Mayor and Mrs. William A. down again, facing Mr. A. G. Clarkson, of Florida state troops this morning, Graham, the bride's parents. Among of this county. the 40 strike-breakers from New York, those from Charlotte who attended the Smith's hat first blew out of the winwho have been held at police head- wedding were Mrs. George W. Graham, dow and suddenly Smith pushed himquarters for safe-keeping, were moved Jr., Mrs. Eugene Graham, Mrs. S. B. self head first out of the car and his from that place to the barns of the Alexander, Jr., Misses Julia and Vio-body bumped along the cross ties for In Ashe County Pensacola Electric Company, where let Alexander, Miss Minnie Moore and some distance. quarters had been provided for them. Miss Anna Morrison. Miss Julia Al- Railroad Commissioner Earle, sitting

ceived here as to the result of the have made no demonstration. Another charter was isued to the Ashe county democratic convention gu- The arrival of three companies of eymoon.

Madison Drug Company, of Rocking- bernatorial contest show nine votes for militia this morning make a total of ham county, at a capital of \$5,000 au- the county in the state convention are 14 companies now here to suppress thorized, \$1,600 subscribed by C. A. to be divided as follows: Craig. 5.7; any violence that may be attempted by, have returned home after a visit His head is crushed and his shoulder when cars are started.

#### A NEGRO SHOOTS HIS PARTNER Quarreling Over a Woman Harrison North Puts a Bullet Into Albert Wilson - Borrowed a Gun With

Which to Do the Work. Two negroes, Harrison North and Albert Wilson, quarreled last night over a woman, and as a result Wilson is in the hospital with a dangerous wound in the abdomen, and North is in jail, committed without bond, awaiting the result of his victim's

The shooting occurred in the field beyond the South Graded School about 12:30 o'clock. From the statements made to the officers, the two were in company with two negro women, and one George Hill, and in some way the quarrel started, and Hill, who seems to have been a friend of North handed him a pistol, with which he shot his companion. The police were immediately notified, and Officers Youngblood, Bell and Earnhards went out, and found brought at once to the station.

The wounded man was first brought that the wound was of such a serious nature, he was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital, where he is do-Shriners of North And ing very well, though the wound is them and it was not long until all the still considered serious.

#### DEATH OF MISS HARKEY

Devoted Christian Woman Falls to Sleen.

Miss Susan S. Harkey, aged 73 years, died at her home in this city today. The summer outing of Oasis Temple, Cullough, have been living together in crowded. Charlotte for 21 years, and have shar-

> ment will be in Elmwood cemetery. All who knew Miss Harkey will testi-

christian character. Her end was peace and victory. strike the names of the McCarren dele- temples would hold a joint session in another residing in Indian Territory, also two brothers, Mr. John S. Harkey, of Texas, and W. F. Harkey, of Mecklenburg county.

Wants More Battleships.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., April 14.-President Roosevelt will send a message to congress today advocating the

### against the soldiers because there is Ends Cruise no motive shown, and added that the character of the soldiers was good.

San Diego, Cal., April 14.—After the long and notable cruise through the southern seas and changing for their re-enlistment the senator said the American battleship fleet, now would but add insult to injury. It under the immediate command of Ad- would be without precedent for it may miral Thomas, returned to home wa-

Fleet Sighted. San Diego, Cal., April 14.—The fleet was sighted at 10:03 a. m.

### DR. BROWN AT ST. MARK'S

There Are Daily Services During Holy Week. During Holy Week there are daily services at St. Mark's Lutheran church

Dr. Brown will also preach Good Friday at 11 a. m., and will remain over Easter Sunday.

A man who, like Dr. Brown, lays him- Special to The News. self upon the altar of the church and Columbia, S. C., April 14.—Mr. E. E. commands confidence. Dr. Brown will miles from Columbia, and will likely resume his work in the Orient in the die from his injuries.

Graham-Clark Wedding Today. tague Clark were married this after- Dr. Powe, of Hartsville, who were noon at 3 o'clock, the ceremony be-sitting across the aisle from him. Pensacola, Fla., April 14.-With ing performed at the beautiful country | Smith raised the window and sat

> Mrs. Hugh Miller, and baby, of Shelto Mrs. Minna T. LeGrande.

Great Crowds of Negroes Flock to Congress Hall Early in Day - Almost Every Seat Taken by The Blacks.

#### Unusual Interest Attached to The Speech of Senator Foraker On Brownsville Inquiry—Synopsis of His Address.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., April 14.-Seldom, if ever, in its history has the capitol contained as many negroes as thronged its corridors and crowded its galleries today. They were attracted North in the house of a woman near there by the announcement of Senator the scene of the shooting and was Foraker's speech in defense of the negro soldiers who were discharged by to the station, but when it was found President Roosevelt on acount of the Brownsville riot.

> As soon as the senate public galleries became available they crowded into sion cards are not necessary was occu-

In one of the men's public galleries

there were only four wihte men in the

entire section. Fully two-thirds of the seats in the reserved galleries also were filled by She and her sister, Mrs. Mary Mc. negroes. The corridors were also Senator Foraker, in his speech, made

"Before entering upon this labor,"

that have been made, that the puprose The funeral services will take place of this investigation has not been to at 4 p. m. at her late residence, corner embarrass the president or anybody Alexander and Nineth streets, conduct. else; nor has it been to make capital ed by her pastor, Dr. Holland. Inter- of any kind, political or otherwise, against anybody or for anybody." In his opinion the evidence given by fy to the beauty and ripeness of her the soldiers was such that nothing remains to show their complete vindica-

tion. He said the testimony by most Miss Harkey is survived by two sis- of the witnesses against the soldiers "is ters, Mrs. McCullough, of this city, and sufficiently contradictory to show that it is unreliable." (Continuing, he said: "It is unnecessary to go over this evidence in a delayed way, for, conceding for the sake of argument that the witnesses undertook to testify truthfully, the flimsy and unreliable character of the whole of it is fairly indicated by the estimony of the four principal so-call-

He added that without their testimony there is no credible evidence to support the charge that the first shots were fired from the baracks. He declared that the case falls

which he said should greatly strengthen the presumption of their innocence. Regarding the discretion given the president in the Warner bill, providing if that bill was passed, "our action already adjudged them guilty. The senator concluded with very complimen-

tary reference to negro soldiers. Miss Estelle Reed, of Savannah. Ga., who has been spending the past week or two with Mrs. Clayton, in Salisbury, will be with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Watt, on East Ninth Street

## at 8 o'clock. Dr. C. L. Brown is assisting the pastor, and is delivering able Jumped From Car of Train

for a week.

Smith, who is a carpenter, has been regarded as weak-mineded, but not dangerously insane. He was under the Miss Alice Graham and Mr. Mon-care of Police Chie Kirkpatrick, and

Two companies of militia are now exander played the wedding march. on guard at the car barns, but so far Mr. and Mrs. Clark will pass through and stopped the train, which went back Raleigh, N. C., April 14.—News rethe strikers and their sympathizers Charlotte this evening on their way and Smith was placed aboard in an unnorth, where they will spend their hon-conscious condition and brought to

Columbia. He is being atended at the asylum infirmary but canot survive his injuries. badly torn.