

### The Bonus Votes Are Big Factors in Final Scores

**NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS.**

It has been decided by the publishers of the News and Times-Democrat to add another inducement to those already offered in the Great Popularity contest now being conducted by these publications.

Commencing at once subscriptions to the American Textile Manufacturer-formerly the Textile Excelsior—will be accepted under the rules of the contest and votes issued according to the following scale:

\$2.00 One Year.....1500 votes  
\$1.00 Six Months.....600 votes  
\$4.00 Two Years.....4500 votes

**How to Secure Votes in News' Great Contest.**

In addition to the ballots published daily in the News, votes may be secured by turning in paid-in-advance subscriptions, which will entitle a candidate to votes according to the following schedules:

**Old Subscribers.**  
\$5.00, One Year ..... 5,000 votes  
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\$1.00, Ten Weeks ..... 600 votes  
\$1.00, Two Years ..... 15,000 votes  
\$1.00, One Year, Times Democrat ..... 600 votes  
\$2.00, Two Years, Times-Democrat ..... 1,500 votes

### How The Vote Stands

At the close of balloting, at 2 p. m. Wednesday, February 10th, 1909, the standing of the candidates in the News' great popularity contest was as follows:

**DISTRICT NO. 1.**  
At least three prizes will go in this district.

Miss Stecker Reid, West Morehead street	60,240
Miss Muri Pickard, Seversville	52,980
Dr. Brodie C. Nalle, 702 South Tryon street	70,625
Miss Nancy Lee Summerow, 213 North Church	80,625
Miss Clara Anthony, West Trade street	82,185
Mr. E. F. Creswell, 529 South Church	106,589
Miss Nettie Wilkinson, West Seventh street	52,365
Mr. G. J. Miller, 306 West Seventh street	50,350
Mr. J. K. A. Alexander, 4 South Tryon street	50,679
Miss Alma Williams, 1209 South Tryon street	76,235
Miss Goldie Walker, 10 West Bland street	127,995
Mr. L. W. Wintgate, 911 North Graham street	85,705
Miss Anna Dell Joyner, 800 Pine street	52,645
J. R. Anderson, 1011 North Church street	121,895
Miss Esther Bowden, 312 South Poplar street	125,005
Mr. C. P. Astor, 297 W. Fourth street	51,145
Mr. R. W. Taylor, 317 Pine street	51,572
Miss Amalda Simmons, 408 West Fifth	75,345
Miss Bessie Neely, 416 Smith street	105,120
J. P. Boyd, 304 W. 7th St.	80,635

**DISTRICT NO. 2.**  
At least three prizes must go in this district.

Miss Beatrice Blake, 309 East Ninth street	65,645
Miss Essie Stokes, 305 North College street	88,455
Mrs. L. J. Petzer, 306 North Broadway street	51,165
Miss Sarah King, Villa Heights	83,120
W. R. Murray, 801 North College street	80,525
Miss Blanche Leake, Lawyers' Road	51,415
Mrs. Emma Wallace, 904 E. Seventh	71,265
Mr. Martin Helms, Oakhurst	50,490
W. H. Stillwell, 813 East Seventh street	52,295
H. W. Warner, Piedmont Ave	67,185
Miss Samie Watson, 199 North Long street	73,785
Miss Jennie Gribble, 513 E. Ninth St.	65,895

**DISTRICT NO. 3.**  
At least three prizes must go in this district.

Miss Miriam Long, Dilworth	83,462
Miss Nellie McKean, 4 East Second s	70,175
Mrs. F. M. Dobbis, 7 South Brevard street	82,590
Mr. Walter F. Cochran, Buford Hotel	50,165
E. F. Blach, 201 East Bland St	90,739
M. H. Epps, Kingson avenue	50,885
J. W. Hines, Cleveland avenue	73,390
Dr. W. H. Wakefield, Elizabeth Heights	70,745
T. K. Cole, 301 Rensselaer ave.	82,340
J. H. Lillinger, East Trade Street	81,625
George H. Burango, 301 Kingston ave.	91,485
Mrs. Dr. Moore, 304 Templeton avenue	84,480

**DISTRICT NO. 4.**  
At least three prizes must go in this district.

P. A. Titman, Lowell	92,462
Miss Margaret Boat, Hickory	88,995
Miss Nannie Stroup, Pineville, S. C.	83,095
Mr. J. M. Shannhouse, Shelby	92,955
Mrs. Edgar Love, Lincoln	69,505
Miss Edna Jenkins, Gastonia	103,555
Miss Estelle Wolfe, Hickory	135,020
J. E. McClure, Pineville	82,084
Mr. J. E. Gaston, Belmont, N. C.	80,810
Mr. J. A. Ellis, Grover, N. C.	85,590
Miss Jet Hawley, Mooresville	103,760
J. F. Almond, R. F. D. No. 6	64,290
Mrs. T. M. Pearson, Gastonia	85,515
W. C. Barnett, Pineville	50,120
P. E. Hager, Huntersville	102,775
Miss Adelaide Erwin, Morganton	102,625
Miss Blanche Howe, Newton	117,785
Miss Mary Astia Glover, Statesville	106,625
Miss Rena Munday, Lenoir	115,426
Miss Hattie Burgin	62,425
Miss Cora Steele, Rock Hill, S. C.	113,315
Miss Nannette Jones, Waynesville, N.	122,510
Miss Mary Pharr, R. F. D. No. 1	55,556

**DISTRICT NO. 5.**  
At least three prizes must go in this district.

J. L. Miller, Concord	111,675
Mrs. S. A. Epps, Fort Mill, S. C.	92,765
Mr. J. H. McClurry, Fort Mill, S. C.	89,045
Mr. James Doster, Gibson, N. C.	103,695
Miss Lucile Bernhardt, Salisbury	112,895
Miss Lemma Coldfelter, Lexington	127,600
Miss Evelyn Diggs, Rockingham	75,765
Miss Kate Ingram, High Point	102,740
Paul Greene, Thomsville	75,385
Miss Hazel Pillow, Hamlet	128,625
William Thomas Greene, Monroe	72,240
Miss Winifred Carraway, Wadesboro	125,645
Miss Lou Henderson, Monroe	80,740
Miss Ruth Colvin, Chester	75,385
W. N. Dorsey, Ellenboro, N. C.	115,930
Geo. M. Feagin	96,834

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Sergeant-Instructor—"Wot yer been doin'?" Strokin' yer 'ead?"—Punch.

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### Some Plays and Players

Fritzi Scheff has left New York and is now on the road with "The Prima Donna."

"Little Lord Fauntleroy" has been revived in London with Lenton Murray as the little fellow.

John Slavin is to appear next March in a new musical comedy by Harry B. Smith and Raymond Hubbell.

Charles Walcott has been engaged for Henrietta Crossman's new play, which will be produced in Washington next Monday.

During his spring tour, which begins at Philadelphia next Monday, William Faversham will appear in "The World and His Wife" only.

Charles Grapevin has accepted a new play, entitled "A Brave Cavalier," by J. Stacey Hill and Thomas Addison, for performance in the spring.

Albert Chevalier denies the report that he will soon appear in America under the management of William Morris, Inc., and says he has other plans.

Henry R. Harris recently appointed Valentine E. Kennedy, formerly business manager of the "Third Degree" company, to be manager of the Hudson theatre, New York.

Miss Gertrude Coghlan, who has been appearing since the beginning of the season as both Elliott in "The Traveling Salesman," has temporarily withdrawn from the company on account of ill health.

On or about April 12th, Chauncey Oldock will come to New York in "Ragged Robin," a new play, in which this popular singing comedian has made one of

a great attraction in this company, and the moment she appears upon the stage she is instantly recognized and receives hearty reception. She sings her songs in an up-to-date fashion, and her selections please the fastidious.

Tonight the powerful play "At Risk of His Life" will be offered, which has sometimes been referred to as the companion play to "Lost Paradise."

### AMUSEMENTS

**DeKoven Male Quartette.**

One of the best male quartettes in America today. This sounds like a broad statement but those who hear them at the Auditorium Saturday night will say with one accord that they have never heard a better one. The DeKoven Male Quartette comes to us endorsed by press and critics all over the country. They are assisted by the talented Miss Smith, soprano, reader and pianist.

"The DeKoven Male Quartette won the hearts of a big audience at the Bedley auditorium last night. From the outset the entertainment was artistic and clever and the audience was thoroughly pleased to its every merit. In addition to several choruses which they rendered with splendid temperament, the quartette sang such old favorites as "Dixie," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," and "De Sand Man," each of which so captivated the audience that several choruses were demanded by prolonged applause. The voices harmonize perfectly and evince talent as well as superior culture and training."—Staunton (Va.) Leader.

Seats will go on sale today at Jordan's.

**"The Blue Mouse."**

One of the most amusing scenes ever presented on the stage takes place in the second act of Clyde Fitch's uproariously funny farce, "The Blue Mouse," which will have its initial presentation at the Academy of Music next Friday, February 19th.

In this act Mr. Fitch has arranged a amusing scene which is a departure from the ordinary as to prove one of the novelties of the play.

**Treats Negro With Fairness.**

The clamor over "The Clansman," which comes to the Academy of Music, Saturday, matinee and night, February 20th, has been high, but careful critics are pointing out that it treats the negro with fairness. It shows us the intellectual negro in the lieutenant-governor of South Carolina the "lithal and loyal blacks in Uncle Nelse and Mammy Eve, together with the baser types such as the Sheriff Aleck and the militiaman Gus. All this in a setting of the historic Reconstruction period which the play portrays with marvelous fidelity, while it brings before the spectator the awesome ritual and glorious achievements of the Ku Klux Klan.

**Vernon Stock Company.**

The Vernon Stock Company drew another large crowd to the Academy of Music last night, where they presented Mark Swan's rip-roaring comedy, "The Runaway Match." The play is exceedingly funny and kept the audience laughing throughout the whole performance.

Bertha Pullen, who has made such a splendid impression in some of the leading parts of the company, made a dashing appearance as a French song-brette, singing her dainty serio-comic songs. It must be acknowledged Miss Pullen is one of the prettiest actresses that has ever appeared in this city with a stock company. Eva Chambers, with her brilliant soprano voice, is al-

so the greatest hits of his successful stage career.

"Marse Covington" will be revived by E. J. Connolly, who starred in it last season as the feature of the Orpheum road show. It will open in Utica next Monday and the booking will be made by M. S. Bentham.

Charles Hawtreay has recovered sufficiently from the effects of a operation he undergoes in London after his complete recovery it will be in a revival of "Jack Straw."

After a series of adventures and misadventures during her recent experience Henrietta Crossman will soon return once more to the legitimate. She will make her re-appearance in a new play at Washington, D. C. next Monday.

George Hazelton, the author of "Miss Nell," is to return to the stage to play the part of Poe in his own play, "The Raven," which is now being acted by Henry Ludlowe with remarkable success. Ludlowe will return to Shakespeare.

Grace Reals, late leading woman of the Bush Temple Stock Company, in Chicago, and other similar organizations, will invade the vaudeville field next month in a costume sketch by Frank Ferguson, entitled "A Woman's Wit," which is praised by critics.

Ann Murdock, who played the chief feminine role in "The Call of the North" with remarkable success, has signed a contract for five years with Manager Henry B. Harris. Miss Murdock is not yet out of her teens and is one of the youngest leading women in the history of the American stage.

**Jury Finds Negro Insane**

**Henry Young, who Made Criminal Attempt Upon Mrs. Moss of Albemarle, is Declared "Non Compos Mentis."**

Special to The News.

Salisbury, N. C., Feb. 11.—The jury in the case of Henry Young, who attempted Mrs. James R. Moss, while alone at her home near Albemarle one day in December, was called in Rowan court yesterday and it was decided that the negro is now insane and Judge Jones sent him to the penitentiary to be confined in the criminal department and he will be tried later should he recover. Young had a narrow escape from being lynched and he was taken from the Albemarle jail to Charlotte and then brought to Salisbury. Mrs. Moss' husband and a neighbor had a terrible encounter with the brute before he could be taken. Mrs. Moss having succeeded in fighting him off while her cries brought rescuers. It was believed at the time of the attack that the negro was under the influence of some drug.

"You see," said the professor, "the science of chemistry depends on the discovery of certain affinities."

"Pardon me," interrupted Miss Prym. "I trust the conversation can proceed without drifting into scandal."—Washington Star.

The Sunday School Teacher—"And now, children, can you tell me, when Balaam and his ass conversed, what language they spoke in?"

Little Harry Green—"Please, sis, Assyrian."—The Bellman.

**WASHINGTON'S PLAGUE SPOTS**

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### Old Wake Forest

(Continued from page 1)

"The Baptist State Convention, which was formed in 1830, at its second session in 1832 ordered the purchase of a farm for school purposes. Accordingly a farm of 615 acres was purchased at a cost of \$2,000, and was rented out for the first year.

"Prof. Wait and his family moved to the farm in 1834 and began the school. The first student to enroll was J. M. Crosshaw, whose venerable face graces this auspicious occasion. At first the number was 16, which increased to 72 before the end of the year. The students roomed in log cabins, which had been slave quarters, and the carriage house was chapel and lecture room.

"A petition was made to the legislature of 1833-34 for a charter for Wake Forest Manual Labor Institute. The House of Commons granted the charter by a good majority, but it passed the senate only by the casting vote of Wm. D. Mosley, which vote it is said cost Mosley the governorship of the state. The opposition was probably due to fear and distrust of an institution under the direction and care of a denomination. Others were opposed to manual training in schools.

"According to the meagre charter, there was no exemption from taxation and no right to confer degrees. So meagre was it that some of the trustees were opposed to its acceptance.

"In 1828 a more liberal charter was granted without opposition and the institute became a college.

"The degree to which it was controlled by the trustees in the early days is shown by the following regulations: Each student over 16 to be allowed three cents an hour for work; three hours each day, except Sunday; to be devoted to manual labor; no student shall be allowed to go to any store unless accompanied by some member of the faculty; six cows to be purchased for the institute; the faculty to be required to visit the rooms of the students.

"Financially the school was a failure. At the close of the second session (1836) the treasurer's book showed that the institute was in debt \$3,343.21.

"Prof. Wait's influence was great and abiding. He was deeply interested in the welfare of the students in every respect. Those who were fit for college he urged to proceed. Out of the little band came many useful and influential men.

"During the first year plans were made for the erection of a school building that was to be the finest of its kind in the state. The idea of a theological school was dropped even before the institute started. Of the 72 students who entered the first year only 18 were professors of religion and only three or four were ministers.

"In August a revival visited the school which resulted in forty-five conversions.

A number of short congratulatory addresses were made by college representatives and others, after which the college hymn, "O Alma Mater," led by the college glee club, the 385 students, faculty and friends joining heartily in.

To-night at 8 o'clock, Dr. W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University, will make an educational address.

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Myer—"So? Who is he?"

Gyer—"He's a government weather forecaster."—Chicago News

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