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THE NOMINATION TWINS

WHICH WILL WIN?

but by scientific economy.

about 40,000 fourth-class postoffices.

Five Deaths From Storm.

-Mr. W. P. Poe, of Spencer, is

FOR WOODROW WILSON.

These, added to a large number •

in the ballot box.

Judson Harmon

· William Howard Taft.

business visitor to Charlotte today.

MOORESVILLE STRONG

Pr eident Taft

In a Special Message to Con-

Is Not Convinced That Such

Policy Would Result in

Cheaper Rates to The Public

-Commends Record Made

dent Taft today informed congress

the government buy and operate all

postal system. Mr. Taft said that if it

could be shown that the public would

After referring to the practical wip-

'There is only one recommendation

in which I can not agree-that is one

which recommends that the telegraph

lines in the United States should be

made a part of the postal system and

operated in conjunction with the mail

government ownership of public utili-

ties which are now being conducted

by private enterprise under franchises

is that private enterprise should be

them. This principle I favor because

the best public policy thus greatly to

"Of course, if it could be shown that

efficiency, the argument might be a

isfied from any evidence that if these

ing out of the postal deficit and other

features of Mr. Hitchcock's administra

ting the postoffice department's

port to congress today, said:

from the government.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 22.-Presi- By Associated Press

differently of the plan, but that he ed were at Acona.

tion of affairs, Mr. Taft, in transmit-

benefit by receiving service at a less Many negro cabins were swept away

price than is now paid he might think The cotton gin and desidence destroy-

was not convinced such would be the no fatalities reported from Acona.

strong one in favor of the adoption announced early next week.

of Telegraph Lines.

in Department.

By Associated Press.

Does Not Approve

PRICE in Charlotte 2 Cents a Copy Daily—5 Cents Sunday.

National Cash Register Company Officials Are Indicted

Thirty "Men Higher Up," as Well as Lower Down, Indic- By Associated Press. Trust Law.

charges of Monopoly, "Restraint" Etc-Adams Exbress Company Also Indicted By Associated Press.

on of the Sherman anti-trust law by with European labor. special federal grand jury here to-List of Men Indicted. The following officers and employes the National Cash Register Co. are

alter Cool. E. H. Epperson, Myer N. By Associated Press.

There are three counts in the in-

eling their machines.

Charge of Monopoly. rash register business by the same speaker are greatly exaggerated.

Adams Express Also.

ed on 11 counts, charged with having friends assert the reverse. attempted to collect more than the it is charged that competitors were riven out of business through inter-

erence with their employes, by libellis their machines, cutting prices and elling imitations of competitive mait is charged that the company's

competitors as well as making pplications for patnents on the manines and improvements invented

ment to restrain them from attempt-

Shaw, E. H. Bunstine and H. G. led and made defendants to it, were

Prof. John S. Teague, superintendthe of the gradedschool at Fletcher, Lear Asheville, is here on a visit to his brother, Mr. Charles C. Teague, of East Ninth street.

SUNDAY BALLOT.

Special Ballot, good for 25 votes each if they comply with . the rules of the Contest Department and are turned in on beof fore March 1st, 1912.

Kansas City, Feb. 22.- "My hat has head has been in it," said Governor today when his attention was called to Colonel Roosevelt's statement made last night to W. A. Eirich, at Cleve-

Washington, Feb. 22.-Josiah T on 11 Counts-Other Indict- Rose, representing the Atlanta Steel Company, of Atlanta, before the senate finance committee today vigorous ly protested against the house steel tariff revision bill. He said to meet incinnati, O., Feb. 22.-Thirty offi- the foreign competition that would foland employes of the National low the proposed reduction, wages Register Co. of Dayton, O., were would have to be cut, placing Americted on charges of criminal viola- can skilled labor practically on a par

Range, Edgar Park alias C. D. Whether Champ Clark, speaker of the William H. Muzzey, William house, or Woodrow Wilson, governor of New Jersey, shall have the support of the Oklahoma delegation to the The first count charges that nearly by the state convention which meets competitors concerned have been here today. Uninstructed delegates hold the balance of power.

The Clark supporters claim the conperation for the last twenty years vention will be a mere formality, bea last three years. It is said to delegates have announced preference been effected by bribingemployes for the Missourian to secure a delegacompetitors and transportation, tel- tion to Baltimore pledged to vote for

ring the credit of competitors in The Wilson men, however, cheered Jersey executive in the county conven-The second and third counts charge tions held February 17th, assert that e defendants with monopolizing the the claims made by friends of the Many men experienced in politics

established rates for shipments. Seven ventions show that out of 76 counties incinnati manufacturing firms were 66 have 554 delegates in today's conso indicted charged with attempting vention, and 192 of them were instructtransportation at lower ed for Clark, 192 received no direct those established by the instructions and 170 were directed to vote favorable to the candidacy of Wilson. The remaining delegates attitude will not change the contest. Governor Judson Harmon, of Ohio,

be made temporary chairman.

was D. H. Linebaugh, of Atoka, a sup-

After a conference between porters of Wilson and Clark early tomen had proposed a divided delegation was reached, although it is understood that the proposal is still pending and may be accepted as a compromise in the event of a deadlock in the con-

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

Senate:

enator Kern.

he did not favor and second-class mail matter commission's report, recom- telegraph service could be furnished mending increase of second-class rate to the public at a less price than it there will appear to 2 cents, which the president ap- is now furnished to the public by the ly three days longer. If you want wasn't much in the room.

Met at noon.

Colombian Minister To United States Is Separated From His Post at Wash.

Colombian government this morn-

on taken up by the Colombian min- United States is thus closed. Washington in notifying the Colombia, it continues, will maintain to commend in Mr. Hitchcock's departde department that the visit to her international policy.

Colombia of Secretary Knox would be only upon the rural routes and the city Wel Ospina, Colombian minister Colombia's claims in connection with department. It will take some time to the United States, was recalled by Panama had not yet been arbitrated. perrect these additions to the activities The notification given by the Colof the postoffice department and we

was taken because neither it nor his post at Washington and that the an extra burden in this very extendle Colombian people upholds the posi- incident between Colombia and the ed department."

ted on Charge of Criminal been in the ring a long time and my Violation of Sherman Anti- Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, here

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 22 .-

declared that the Oklahoma delegation The Adams Express Co. was indict- will be uninstructed. Speaker Clark's

H. Doyle, of the criminal court of appeals, a Clark-Harmon advocate, shall

Judge Doyle's selection by the state committee voted 39 to 29. The defeated candidate for temporary chairman

Washington, Feb. 22.

Washington's farewell address read

postmaster general's annual report, I do not think it in accordance with suggesting government ownership of

Adjourned at 1:20 p. m. until

properties were taken over by the government they could be managed Bills on unanimous consent calenany more economically or any more Supreme Court May Hand dar were considered. efficiently or that this would enable the government to furnish service at any smaller rate than the public are now required to pay by private compa-"More than this it seems to me that the consideration of the question ought to be postponed until after the postal savings banks have come into complete

and smooth operation and after a par-

cels post has been established, not

The president found much, he said, ment. "I can not speak with too great this case as speedily as possible and sues.

Hiichcock Plan

TALPH WILDER

was the sentence imposed by Recordemphasis," he said, "of the improve- er Smith this morning on Will Davis gress President Discourages der the president. He showed that there two pints of cocktail whiskey yester Posimaster General's Plan was a surplus of \$219,118.12 at the day to C. L. Austin, of Asheville, at end of \$17,479.770.47 two years before. the Reader's Club, on South Church For Government Ownership This was not to be accounted for, the street. Mr. Cliff Newell, attorney for president pointed out, by reductions Davis, gave notice of appeal and the of force or an pratoffices or salaries, bond was fixed at \$1,000. "It must be By Associated Press. a justified bond, too," added the re-Mr. Taft approved the adoption of a corder. parcels post, recommended by Mr.

Chief Christenbury got information Hitchcockk; said that the placing of from Plain-Clothes Officer Jim Johnassistant postmasters in the civil serder the classifed service of postmast-Reader's Club yesterday afternoon. private concerns. system. Preparations are being made. busy and followed the clue given him. ie said, to establish this system at C. L. Austin, who was waiting the 6:25 train for his home at Asheville, city visiting relatives. He was told by thec hief that a young man was suspected of having sold him (Austelegraph lines as an adjunct of the advices received here today from Lexback to the police station with the chief and described the man who had was also required by Desk Sergeant John M. Scuttion, who is also a magstrate, to give a \$100 bond to insure his presence at recorder's court this

Upon the description furnished by Austin of the man who sold the whiskey and the description of the locality where he got it, Officer Jim fering.

resterday that town must be tion of the whiskey salesman. · Eighteen ballots in one batch · him the two pints of cocktail whisfor the New Jersey governor. Iname of the salesman, nor even the already received gives that curred in a building,

• strong from Rutherfordton. He • Square?" asked Solicitor Parker.

the government should itself conduct | is also the choice of a former citizen who now resides in In the ranks of those of oppo- fellow, who was telegraphs, which the president said increase the body of public servants. site faith the Hon. Theodore and when we got to the Selwyn hotel The ballots will be printed on-

telegraph companies, and with equal to vote clip the ballot today and send it in. The results will be your whiskey," said the resorder. fellow over there (indicating Davis),

Down Opinion on Charlotte School Matter Next Week

Special to The News

Raleigh, Feb. 22.—The failure of certainly last evening. the supreme court to hand down a ed without this case being included Hogota, Colombia, Feb. 22.—General inopportune, owing to the fact that deliveries, but also throughout the decision in Charlotte's noted school in the list of opinions delivered it bond appeal, in which so much inter- is pointed out that the tieup in court est centers, means that there can may be of several weeks duration. ombian government today, says that may well await their complete and be no settlement of the case until sion is that the delay in opinion is The action of the Colombian govern- General Ospina is "separated" from successful adoption before we take on Wednesday evening of next week due to the time required in grouping when the next delivery of opinions is authorities and writing the opinion

a decision was really expected very Now that a delivery day has pass-

However, the most general impreson which the court is to base its ruling, rather than any failure of the Court has been urged to decide court to reach a decision on the is-

Three Automobiles Free In The Great Voting Contest

there, but that he could get it for me. I didn't notice where he went, but he brought me two pints after a while and I gave him \$1.25."

"Was there anyone else in the room?" asked the recorder. "Yes, there was another fellow the one who went down there with me, but I can't recall his name, though I have seen him before."

Davis, when put on the stand, denied that he was at the club yesterday at noon, or near that hour, the time at which Austin alleged he bought the whiskey. He stated that he was there about 9 o'clock and stayed about half an hour, but was at home at dinner at the noon hour. He went back in the afternoon about 3 o'clock to meet a man by appointment and on business, he said, but the man still had not come when Officer Johnson went around to the club about 7 o'clock and arrested him for the sale of the liquor.

Davis was unable to give the \$1,000 justified bond at a late hour today and was sent to the county jail.

Heavy Snowfall in Chicago +++++ Gives Employment to Thousands of Unemployed Men-

Traffic Body Tied Up in Detroit, While at Cleveland, Here and Elsewhere.

ands of unemployed here. More than parties throughout the Carolinas a thousand men were given work by will win automobiles and these three son, that he was suspicious that there the city and thousands more were set will be those who enter early and vice should be followed by placing un- was a whiskey sale pulled off at the to work by the traction companies and cover their fields thoroughly. These

The men worked all day vesterday This led him to the Southern pas-jed that snow shoveling would give five in each district into which the many idle men could not attempt the go a piano, a \$100 furniture outfit, a

Traffic in Detroit Tled Up. Detroit, Mich., Feb. 22.-Although swept the lower half of the state yessomewhat today, traffic in all directions is practically at a standstill Roads out of Detroit had snow plows in operation by dawn and it was ex pected trains would be running nearly on schedule time by tonight. Cleveland in Grip of Storm.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 22.-A howling blizzard grips Cleveland and Northern Ohio today. Traffic is badly disarranged, telephone and telegraph wires are down and there is much suf-

Morgan Shuster Reaches New York. New York, Feb. 22 .- W. Morgan Shuster, erstwhile treasurer-general of paper. Votes will be allowed on re-Persia, arrived here today.

H. H. Topakyan, consul general of Persia in New York, greeted Mr. printed below, Shuster and the responsibility of Per-Mr. Shuster asserted that Persia

that the crushing of Persia was a last-

Earth Shocks Felt. done so far. The shocks, however, the same chance.

continue at frequent intervals.

The News' Magnificent Offer is To the People of North and South Carolina-Few Hours Spare Time Only Needed to

You Are Invited to Enter Biggest And Farrest Circulation Campaign Launched in The Carolinas - Other Valuable Prizes Offered.

ONTEST DEPARTMENT OPEN EVENINGS.

The Contest Department of THE NEWS will be open -Those that are interested in the contest are invited to call. Representatives of the Contest give full information to all those that call. The Contest department can also be reachdepartment can also be de ed by Telephone, call No. 115 de aid ask for the Contest De-

THREE AUTOMOBILES AND TWENTY OTHER PRIZES. ing in value \$6,500, are offered free Kept at Work Day And and without obligation by THE NEWS to the energetic people of the Carolinas. To fully realize the true liberality and magnificance of this offer, with the attendant opportunity to those who care to avail themselves of it, it must be well considered. It is not often in one' slifetime that the chance comes Ohio, Wires Are Down and to win a splendid touring car for a few weeks of pleasant work among Much Suffering is Reported friends, but such is the chance now

Under the plan adopted for the present contest, any person, with a few Chicago, Feb. 22.-Heavy snowfall on a prize that will pay handsomely, n Chicago was a great boon to thous for the time expended. At least three three grand prizes are to be awarded regardless of district lines. The other twenty district prizes will be awarded states have been divided.

Into each of the four districts must \$50.00 bank account, a \$25.00 gold watch and a \$12.50 jewelry credit. The small prizes can be won with

comparatively small effort to those who have not the time nor inclination that will be necessary to finish in the automobile class. The contest is now just a week old. Nominations will be received for some

time yet, but there is a certain advantage in an early start which should be seized by those who are determined to become winners. Names should be sent in at once so that receipt books and full particulars may be sent in return. Votes and votes only will decide

the winners, and these are secured in two ways: By clipping and sending in the ballots that appear daily in the paper and by securing prepaid subscriptions, either old or new, to the newals and payments made by old subscribers, according to the scale

Those who enter with spirit and deermination will be given personal aswhich has been expressly organized and England and reiterated his views for this purpose. The prizes are well worth many times the effort that will be required to win them and the work will be a pleasure to those who take

Receipt books and full particulars 22.—Reports from San Jose, Costa will be sent upon request. Send for Rica, state that the earthquake re-them today. No matter in what part of ported last night has been felt gen- either state you may live, the dierally over the whole of the high pla- vision of districts equalizes competiteau, but no serious damage has been tion and gives every person exactly (Continued on Page Three.-

My Choice For President

If I Could Select the Man I Would Name

Name

Address

Cut this out and mail or hand in to The Charlotte News, Charlotte, N. C. Results will be published from day to day and in no case will the name of the voter be given out unless so requested.