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NAMED BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mortor, Lane, and Nunn for Craven

Special to The Sun.

Raleigh, N. C., Mar. 6.—The bill just introduced and passed in the Senate carrying the legislative appointments for county boards of education through out the State, except the six counties that elect their own boards, the appointees to qualify and organize on the first Monday in July carries the following names to comprise these boards:

- Alamance—W. K. Holt, S. E. Tate, J. Wesley Whitehead.
Alexander—V. W. Teague, H. J. Burke, R. L. Downs.
Alleghany—J. Lundy Joiner, Eugene Transour, Jno. W. Poole.
Anson—Edward P. Liles, Chas. H. Rivers, J. L. Pratt.
Ashe—W. F. Lewis, Alvin Lewis, F. M. Miller.
Beaufort—E. W. Ayers, W. M. Butt, Thad R. Hodges.
Bertie—T. A. Smithwick, T. C. Bond, Rayner.
Bladen—A. M. Kelly, A. McA. Council, N. M. Boaty.
Brunswick—Asa Edwards, Jno. A. Robinson, J. B. Rourk.
Burke—J. T. McGimsey, J. H. Hoffman, J. E. Coulter.
Cabarrus—W. F. Smith, G. F. McAllister, J. P. Cooke.
Caldwell—Milton Greer, M. G. Shearer, P. G. Moore.
Camden—Almon W. Williams, Geo. W. Spencer, E. M. Deford.
Carteret—J. F. Morris, C. N. Mason, C. P. Day.
Caswell—W. A. Maynard, R. I. Newman, T. J. Hackett.
Catawba—J. F. Dillinger, A. C. Link, E. A. Hoyle.
Chatham—E. B. Phillips, A. R. Norwood, J. B. Atwater.
Cherokee—W. D. Sparks, J. M. Richardson, P. E. Nelson.
Chowan—J. E. Twine, F. A. Ward, Jno. M. Forehand.
Clay—J. O. Scroggs, R. M. Tiger, S. H. Allison.
Columbus—A. P. Porter, Misses Meares, J. E. L. Wincock.
Craven—Jno. S. Morton, Daniel Lane, E. A. Nunn.
Cumberland—Jno. W. Hall, A. D. McGill, Jno. A. Oates.
Currituck—Samuel Scott, E. D. Bowden, W. J. Jafe.
Dare—T. J. Fulcher, S. A. Griffin, R. C. Evans.
Davidson—J. W. Clegg, S. H. Averett, B. I. Harrison.
Davis—Albery E. Ellis, S. A. Woodruff, T. E. Bailey.
Duplin—L. A. Beasley, W. B. Southard, M. W. Westbrook.
Durham—W. T. Hangum, G. C. Stallings, J. W. Umstead.
Forsyth—Jno. W. Pinnis, L. S. Hauser, Jno. F. Griffith.
Franklin—H. D. Egerton, A. W. Perry, Jno. C. Winston.
Gaston—J. H. Rudasill, H. A. Rhyno, S. N. Boyce.
Gates—J. S. Felton, R. W. Simpson, T. E. Hoffer.
Graham—J. M. Edwards, M. T. Maxwell, S. P. Harwood.
Granville—J. O. Blalock, J. A. Morris, E. B. Meadows.
Greene—Jno. Harvey, W. A. Darden, L. V. Morill.
Galliard—W. T. Whitsett, C. H. Ireland, J. C. Kennett.
Halifax—T. H. Taylor, J. A. Collins, W. P. White.
Harnett—G. Bradley, Jno. M. Hodges, T. W. Harrington.
Haywood—T. L. Gwynne, D. M. Cagle, J. K. Boons.
Henderson—N. W. Posey, J. P. Patterson, C. Oates.
Hertford—Jno. E. Vann, Uriah Walden, C. W. Parker.
Hyde—Z. F. Fortson, M. E. Credle, W. P. Barrus.
Jackson—J. J. Barry, W. E. Sherrill, R. L. Madison.
Johnston—W. O. Wilson, Geo. P. Woodard, J. J. Rose.
Jones—Geo. Nobel, Frank Jenkins, F. H. Foy.
Lee—E. M. Judd, M. A. McLeod, Thomas B. Lambeth.
Lenoir—R. B. Lewis, J. C. Davis, Geo. B. W. Hadley.
Lincoln—J. Frank Leatherman, R. B. W. Johnson, H. L. Wigman.
Macon—J. T. Patton, W. L. Higdon, W. B. Lela.
Madison—E. M. Bryan, Theo. Murphree, J. B. W. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Martin—J. W. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Metcalf—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Montgomery—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
New Hanover—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
New River—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Onslow—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Orange—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Pamlico—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Perquimans—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Pitt—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Polk—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Randolph—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Richmond—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Robeson—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Rockingham—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Rowan—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Sampson—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Scotland—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Stanley—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Stokes—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Surry—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Swain—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Transylvania—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Tyrrell—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Union—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Vance—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Wake—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Wayne—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Yadkin—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.
Yancey—J. W. W. J. T. Walden.

EFFECTS OF THE BLIZZARD

Baltimore Suffers Considerable Damage

By Wire to The Sun.

Baltimore, Md., Mar. 6.—Although Baltimore is still cut off from the world so far as a telegraph and telephone are concerned and trains are running the best they may without much effort to maintain schedule time. A story of great damage wrought by the blizzard that the city is beginning to come out. Hundreds of miles of wire are down in the city alone direct damage at least \$250,000. For forty miles, in all directions wires are down. The Western Union has more than one thousand poles on three separate lines with one hundred and forty wires between Baltimore and Harford Grace down. The condition is about the same between here and Washington. The Postal Telegraph Company is affected the same way.

Manager for Fayetteville Team.

Fayetteville, N. C., Mar. 6.—Mr. F. H. Cotton, of the financial committee of the Fayetteville baseball company, holders of the franchise in the Eastern Carolina league, recently secured for this city, states in a telegram from Philadelphia that he has secured Charles Morse as player-manager of the Fayetteville team, on the recommendation of Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Americans.

Loses His Home by Fire.

Anderson, S. C., Mar. 6.—Fire destroyed the home and contents of Mr. P. A. McSwain here yesterday, entailing a loss over the amount of insurance carried of about \$900. The house was a five-room cottage, excellently furnished, and only a small part of the household goods were saved. The house was a total loss. The flames started from a defective flue in the cook room. He carried \$1,250 insurance.

FLEECED BY NEGRO SHARP.

Greensboro Man on His First Visit to Philadelphia, Walks Into Trap. Philadelphia, Mar. 6.—William Graves, of Greensboro, N. C., on his first visit to Philadelphia, had an experience yesterday morning that he is not likely to soon forget. Shortly after he arrived in the city he was met at Eleventh and South streets by Adell Williams, a negro, who was quick to perceive that the man was a stranger and he lost no time in getting into conversation with him.

Rules Out Evidence.

Nashville, Tenn., Mar. 6.—Judge Hart ruled out any further evidence from the State in regard to the location of parts. The State sought to show that north post was a little to west of south one, and that Robin Cooper could not have been shot between them. Judge also refused to allow State to offer photographs of posts taken day after killing.

Road and Bridge Completed in Durham County.

Durham, Mar. 6.—The new bridge over Little river, the first of re-reinforced concrete construction, has been finished, and the Durham-Roxboro road, costing \$75,000, is through to Quail Roost, fifteen miles distant. The bridge was put up by the Carolina Engineering Company, of Burlington, and the road surveyed and built by Mr. G. C. White, engineer. It is one of the handsomest things of the kind ever built in North Carolina. The bridges are drying out, but they are good for fifteen tons and are warranted to hold. The Little River bridge is 300 feet long and there are many smaller ones that will be necessary for the best passage.

Catcher Schmidt Quits the Game.

Fort Smith, Ark., Mar. 6.—Charles Schmidt, catcher of the Detroit American League baseball team, yesterday bought a half interest in a local business, and announced that he was through with organized baseball. The refusal of President Navin, of the Detroit Club, to increase his salary is said to be responsible for Schmidt's decision.

Sunday Baseball in Indiana Left With Counts.

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 6.—Governor Marshall, late today sent a special message to the Legislature saying he would neither sign nor veto the Broley bill legalizing baseball on Sunday, but would leave the question of its legality to the courts.

SIMMONS FOR THE JUDGESHIP

Rumor Surprise in Political Whirl

The Charlotte Observer of yesterday carried the following story from Washington in its news columns:

Washington, Mar. 4.—The politicians in North Carolina may be yet furnished with the greatest surprise of their lives before the North Carolina eastern judgeship is definitely decided. A gentleman who has recently spent several weeks in Washington says he would not be surprised if President Taft places the mantle of Purnell on the shoulders of North Carolina's senior Senator, Furnifold M. Simmons.

Grand Commander Willard Visits Knights Templars at Durham.

Durham, Mar. 6.—Grand Commander Willard, of Wilmington, spent Wednesday night here and visited the Knights Templars in an official capacity. The fraternalists gave a spread and followed it with work in the degree, keeping the lick up until midnight. The condition of the order was very pleasing to the visiting lecturer and inspector.

Georgia Mob Lynches Negro Murderer.

Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 6.—News reached here today of the lynching at Blakely, Ga., last night of John Fowler, colored, who was in jail at that place charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Murchison, Monday. The negro was taken from the jail by a crowd of about twenty-five and shot to death.

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Messrs S. M. Brinson and Prof. H. B. Craven spoke on the importance of accuracy in school work.

Miss Cleo Reel talked on "How to Teach Reading to Beginners." Miss May Hendren gave a splendid and interesting talk on her tour through Europe last summer. Prof. Moser gave a talk on the general work of the county teachers association for the past year. The session proved to be a very pleasant as well as a profitable one to each individual of the association.

New York Cotton.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows: Mch., May, July, Oct., Spots, Sales, none.

New Bern Market.

Table with columns: Prices, Sales, 20 bales.

Liverpool Market.

Table with columns: Mch., Mar-Apr, Apr-May, May-June, June-July, July-Aug, Aug-Sept, Sept-Oct, Oct-Nov, Nov-Dec. Rows: Open, Close.

Receipts 21,000; American 14,000; sales 6,000; spec. and expt. 300; American 5,000; spots, dull; mid. 5.13; futures opened irregular near sellers 1 to 2 decline; distant sellers 1 to 2 decline; closed quiet.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Our popular, congenial and courteous county treasurer, Freeman S. Ernaul, did a very pleasant stunt this morning. The ever willing gentleman in a pleasing manner presented to the ladies of the county teachers association a handsome basket of the choicest fruits, which delighted the hearts of all the fair ladies.

The Christian Church Sunday School will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church on Hancock street.

Several two-mast schooners lying in Trent river, near Union Point, are being loaded with lumber from here, which will be shipped to the northern market. The three-mast schooner Geo. F. Phillips, mastered by Capt. E. B. Gaskin, took on a cargo of 325,000 feet of lumber at the Pipe Lumber Company of this city and sailed this morning for New York City, where she will discharge her cargo.

Any one wanting a New York American tomorrow can get one from Mr. Johnson, the blind news-dealer.

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IRISH POET BURIED AT SEA.

By Wire to The Sun.

Boston, Mass., Mar. 6.—Moses Teggart, a poet chiefly known for his verses in Irish and Scottish dialect, died and was buried at sea on the recent voyage of the Carthaginian to this port. Mr. Teggart was born in the north of Ireland. He came to America twenty years ago.

ANTI-JAPANESE BILLS KILLED.

California Assembly Makes Another Attempt for Separate Schools. By Wire to The Sun. Sacramento, Cal., Mar. 6.—Another vain attempt was made by the anti-Japanese element in the assembly today to exclude Japanese from the public schools. An unimportant school bill was called up for passage, when an amendment barring not only Chinese and Japanese but all Asiatics was offered. The amendment was voted down.

Helena, Mont., Mar. 6.—The legislature was in session until midnight. After a hot fight the Clayberg anti-Japanese bill, framed after the California measure which would have prohibited the holding of lands by the Orientals, was killed by a vote of 24 to 22.

\$2,000 For Light Infantry.

Raleigh, N. C., Mar. 6.—A warrant has just been issued on the State Treasury for \$2,000 in favor of the Independent Light Infantry of Fayetteville, this being the amount of a special appropriation secured through the Cumberland representatives for this company, which by reason of peculiar circumstances is not a part of the North Carolina National Guard, the check representing back pay for the company. The Fayetteville Light Infantry was organized in 1775 and under the provisions of the Dick law was not made a part of the National Guard. The company is the second oldest in the United States.

WILL NOT BE RE-APPOINTED

Negro Postmaster at Florence S. C. To be Replaced by H. M. Tassell, White—Members of Cabinet Sworn In At White House. Washington, E. C., Mar. 6.—It was stated at the postoffice department this morning that H. W. Wilson, negro postmaster at Florence S. C. will not be re-appointed by President Taft, but H. M. Tassell, white will be appointed. The announcement is taken to mean that Taft does not intend to appoint negro federal officials where objected to, because of their race.

At ten o'clock this morning six members of the new cabinet were sworn in at the White House, namely: Secretaries Knox, Hitchcock, Von L. Jeyer, Ballinger, Wilson, Nagel. Secretary Wickerman was sworn in department of justice yesterday afternoon. McVeagh will take oath on 15th March.

Senator Depew offered an amendment to constitution in the Senate today, which if passed will change the date of inauguration and meeting of Congress from March 4th to last Wednesday in April. Lodge objected to consideration on ground that it was general legislation and as the House was not in session no action could be taken. It was referred to committee.

WEEK'S OPINIONS.

Handed Down By State Supreme Court. Raleigh, N. C., Mar. 6.—The opinions delivered this week by the Supreme Court were as follows: Willis vs. White, Craven, partial new trial. State vs. Dannenburg, Carthage, reversed. Pollock vs. Household of Ruth, Craven, affirmed. Gooding vs. Moore, Craven, new trial. State vs. Hathaway, Nash, new trial. Eatman vs. Eatman, Wilson, affirmed. Wagner vs. Atlantic Coast Line Ry, Edgecombe, affirmed. Briggs vs. Staton, Edgecombe, affirmed. Cozad vs. McAden, Graham, petition to rehear sustained, new trial. Hammond vs. Atlantic Coast Line, Craven, per curiam, affirmed. Doyle vs. VanDusen, New Hanover, dismissed for failure to print record. Cox vs. Hughes, Lenoir, dismissed under rule 17. Daniel vs. A. C. L. Railroad, Pitt.

A New School Building.

Tarboro, Mar. 6.—If the majority of voters of township No. 1 says Tarboro must have a new school building, bonds will be issued for \$25,000. An election has been called for the 6th day of April to determine whether we shall have an up-to-date, commodious school building or continue with the present wooden one.

"CAMILLE" PACKS HOUSE

Standing Room Only Last Night.

The Vernon Stock Company played to a full house at the New Masonic Theatre last night. The bill was "Camille," and standing room only was offered for sale long before the curtain went up.

As was advertised, this was the company's strong point and the people availed themselves of the opportunity to see this favorite company present the thrilling drama. Miss Radinoff, as Camille, and Mr. Wolfe as Armond, were commented upon as great in their parts. Dainty and personally magnetic Miss Radinoff tripped lightly, adding much to her already popular favor.

The stage settings and scenic effects and costumes were of an elaborate order and those who missed seeing Camille last night missed a treat.

Tonight the company will present "Slaves of Opium." The scenes will depict Chinatown, New York, giving an idea of conditions of that community where dwell only the yellow perils. This is the last performance of this engagement. Be out tonight and see "Slaves of Opium" presented by this excellent company.

PROGRAM AT AMUSEA TONIGHT.

"Return of Battleship Fleet."—Don't fail to see these huge monsters of war. The film is a very long one, and can't fail to interest you. "Catch Your Own Fish."—This picture will point out the advantage and necessity of "padding your own canoe," in more ways than one. Music and Illustrated song.

KILLED BY FALLING BRICK.

Caroleen, Mar. 6.—Mrs. M. E. Callahan was instantly killed this morning in an unusual manner. While walking in the yard of her home a brick, blown from the top of a tall chimney by the wind, struck her on the head, fracturing her skull. Mrs. Callahan was dead when discovered by neighbors.

The Callahan home is located near Ellenboro and is one of the oldest and most historic residences in Rutherford county.

BLEWETTS FALLS WORK STOPS.

Owing to Litigation Employees are Discharged and are Seeking Other Work—Over Two Millions Already Expended There. Wadesboro, Mar. 6.—Owing to litigation between opposing interests the development of the power plant at Blewett's Falls has stopped. The hands, except those left to protect the property, have been discharged. Many laborers have gone to Blacksburg, S. C., on similar work in progress. Two million dollars have already been expended at Blewett's Falls, and it is estimated the completion of the power plant will require almost that amount.

Two Stores at Greenville Broken Into.

Greenville, N. C., Mar. 6.—Two stores here were broken into a night or two ago, but the work indicated that it was done by amateurs. The only thing troubled in one of the stores was the cash register, from which two or three dollars in left-over change was taken and from the other store all that could be mislaid was a little snuff, tobacco and sugar.

WILL HARNESS HAW RIVER.

Burlington, Mar. 6.—Following his success of interesting capital sufficient to build an electric line connecting Burlington, Graham and Haw River, which is now in course of construction, Mr. J. W. Murray is engaged in the promotion of the largest enterprise this section of North Carolina has known—the Southern Traction and Power Company, chartered Saturday with authorized capital of \$33,500,000, \$2,500,000 of which your correspondent is assured has been subscribed by New York, Philadelphia and Richmond capitalists.

The purpose of this corporation is to develop the water-power of Haw river in Alamance county and transmit it to the many manufacturing plants in and surrounding Burlington.

Falls sufficient to develop 1,400 horse-power have been secured. Mr. Murray appeared before the board of aldermen last night asking for franchise to enter the city with his lines.