FROM EARTH.

Death Occurred Sunday Morning at of Deceased

The whole of Oxford was cast into gloom when the sad intelligence was quickly spread Sunday morning that Mr. J. F. Edwards was dead, his death taking place in his room over on Main Street adout 6 o'clock. Mr. Edwards had been sick but a short while, the first indications appearing condition was critical, but he seemed that brakes the law must come in. to recuperate in a hopeful degree and until near the end, indications of recovery were good. His physiclans say that death was due, perhape, to an overstrain in lifting ness and tidy looks. heavy weight. The remains were funeral services, which was held Tues- ing for them. day Morning at ten o'clock in the presence of an enermous crowd of people, after which the remains were ingcarried to Raleigh to the last resting place. The News and Observer, in connection with the arrival of the bbdy at Raleigh says: "Mr. J. F. was a successful business man and which would add much to the city. was generally beloved by people of his beloved city. The funeral was held in the Baptist church at Oxford at 10 o'e'pek yesterday, and his repained by a large delegation of the light of many. people of Oxford, who came to show their appreciation of his worth. All the stores in Oxford were closed during thefuneral and his remains were followed to the station by the Odd Fellows, the fire company, which bears his name, and a large concourse of people. The services in Oxford were conducted by the Rev. A. B. Dunaway, assisted by Rev. R. H. city were completed by Rev. W. C. democracy than ever before. Tyree, assisted by Rev. Mr. Cole and Rev. R. H. Marsh. All the minsters paid high tribute to his worth

as a benefactor to those in want. Among those accompanying the remains to this city were Rev. R. H. Marsh, Prof. J. C. Hener J. S. King. P. H Montgomery, I. W. Mangum, A. Robert Baskerville.

Col. Chas E. Johnson, N. B. Brou- boards. ghton, T. H. Briggs, John T. Pullen, There are several remedies for per, A. H. Mooneyham.

ever known," declared Mr. T. W. Progressive Farmer and Gazette. Winston, who perhaps knew the detown felt a hopeless loss, and no man Remedy.—Sold by all Druggists. could have had better things sald of him. The hold he held upon the friendship of the people is shown by the vast multitudes of those who went to see the remains as they reposed in the church, Mr. Edwards was one of the most generous of There is no telling how much in his honorable life he has given away. If the truth were known, those whom he has helped financially and made a small army, though, all his benefactions were made in the quietset manner and unknown to the world. And few subscription, lists of any nature were circulated without having J. F. "Ed wards" at the head for a generous amount. The Lodge of Odd Fellows, of which he was an active member was the recipient of his aid, the Orphanage at Goldsboro having been helped most substancially. The Edin recognition of his valiant aid in protecting Oxford from conflagration in the past, and has been a innstitution very dear to him. The vahaving the welfare of the town in mind have always found the name

HARGROVE ITEMS.

The Sunday School lesson last Sun-!AMES FURNIE EDWARDS ANSW- forgiveness. It was discussed by ERED TO THE LAST SUMMONS Mr. T. J. Smith, Mr. R.A . Averette, Mr W. G. Dean, and J. D. Allen. Our Sunday School still continues to flourish under the superintendence of Mr. Ed Howard, who makes us a cap-Six O'lock-Funeral in Oxford And ital superintendent. We give many of Durham, after a brief stay Interment in Raleigh-Sketch of Life thanks to our commissioners for the this county have returned home. good road and steel bridge which the: gave us. There has been a good many fish frys this season. A few days age Sheriff Wheeler and a few others seined the river here and caug Baird and Chamblee's hardware store caught one and weighed it in Mr. the farmers have failed to find an The card used were painted by

the preceding Monday afternoon at the finey trib they must come, not Perhaps no other man in the county three o'clock. For a day or two his only the finey tribe, but the tribe would be missed so much.

shrouded then carried to the Bap- kept institution. Much honor to Mr. ciation recently, held with tist Church where they lay until the Sam Daniel Superintendent for car- Creek Church in Person County, The

> Mr. Frank Hobgood gave an entertainment Saturday night complimentary to Miss Janie Clayton. Delicious refreshments were served in abundance. Dupree regrets that he was unable to be there.a

Edwards died in Oxford at 6 oclock | Our town has taken a bright appear Sunday morning after a six-days ill- ance. Mr. Z. W. Allen has painted ness of acute indigestion. He was two of his houses, and has commnece formerly a resident of Raleigh but on the third one and ere long may we had lived in Oxford for 42 years. He see all the houses in town painted

Mrs Bettie Wright and children, of

mains brought to Raleigh and laid Mr. Crybies and family spent a few to rest in Oakwood Cemetery, accom- days with Mr. W. G. Avery to the de-

> to enjoy hay rides, while Providence churches are "Crowded out" entirely. enjoys fish frying. Why not combin By all means let's go back to the Stem under the canopy of the moon- three day session. light as we have one of the best roads to hay ride on in the county, and all the merchants could enjoy the festivities.

Marsh and Rev. F. M. Shamburger, over, Now we should go to work and Fred Daniel and Jack Allen, Welcome The services at the grave in this roll up this fall a good majority for come again.

> Curing tobacc; season has opened up. Manyers have come. They report a good crop.

How to Treat Gapes.

Dupree.

Gapes is a paresitic disease. Some Williford, W. R. Harris, W. R. Pe- poultrymen claim that the common gram, F. C. Spencer, W. O. Chappel, garden slug and earthworm, by har-J. M. Morris, W. H. Britt, Claude boring the embryos and eggs of the King, P. A. Wood, C. A. Carrol J. grape worm, keep up the infection. W Wilson, J. R. Wood, S. F. Smith, One thing is certain, when the ground H. H Howard, J. F. Meadows, G. W. once becomes impregnated with the King, C. D Osborn, C. D. Ray and S. parasite it will not be fit to raise A. Fleming, and also two colored mer chicks on for several years, unles it who had been in his employ over is given a heavy coating of time and twenty years-Henry Jenkins and salt and plowed deeply. All drinking vessels and feed troughs should be The other pall bearers were select scalded frequently, and no feed ed from th Odd Fellows from Oxford, thrown on the ground, but rather fed and the nonorary pall bearers were in troughs, pans or even flat, clean

W. N. Jones, T. W. Blake, W. A. Coo curing chicks troubled with gapes, such as the box and lime treatment; Mr. Edwards is survived by two the recovering the gape worm from brothers. Messrs C. B. and E. W. Ed- the windpipe with a horse hair, or a spending the week with her Aunt, friends in honor of their guests, Miss wards, of this city, and one sister, gape-worm 4extractor; but to my Miss Carrie Fuller, in Oxford. Mrs. W. R. Mitchiner, of Wilson's mind, the simplest and best remedy "Mr Edwarde was one of the best a bread pill given three times a day. men I have ever known. In my This will kill the worm after one or intimate acquaintance as a business two doses. If chicks aare too small man and friend for ten years, and to swallow a bred pill, a few drops judging from by own knowledge ever of turpentine in drinking water is

ceased better than any one else. To keep your health sound; to avoid Every where on the streets people the ills of advancing years; to conspoke in the most feeling manner of serve your physical forces for a ripe the sad occurrence. The whole and healthful old age, guard your

ing, and he was universally esteemed by all who knew him, white or black. Mr. James Furnie Edwards was born in Wake County on October 1st, 1846, the son of Edward and Nancy A. M. August 1, 1910. years ago, to enter the employment sons. of the late Rev. Lewis Wiley who Brather Hilliard, ever since his curate in answering. Those present State Vs. Tazwell Johnson; larran a small shop in which, in addi- affiliation with us has been of great were Misses Pauline and Annie cency. tion to his regular business he was good and pleasure to our noble order. Belle Edwards of Henderson, Madeagent for the American Bible Socie- He has been a true and steadfast ma- line Crews, of Tar River, Eunice, An- zlement three cass all nolprosed. ty. Before very long the young man son; a christian and an honorable nie, Ruth and Naomi Crews, Crystal, launched out for himself, his busi- man; his life has been dedicated to Katie and Thelma Bobbitt, Hattle continued. ness being rather of a composite na- the uplift and betterment of his Harris, Jewel and Ida May Floyd. ture. He was a renovator and repair fellow man; and the manner of his Messrs Clarence, Robert, and Claud guilty, 4 months in jail with priver, a general machinist and tinner, life through all its relations has Crews of Ta River, Thomas Bobbitt, liege to be hired out. having served his tinner apprentice- been such as may well be taken as Tom and Richard Harris, Wilmot State Vs. R. V. Yates A. W. & D. was named in honor of the deceased ship in Raleigh under one Keuster. a guide and respect. From the small beginning the ma- Be it therefore resolved: chine shop envolved into a larger bu- First, That we deeply deplore the expressing thanks to Mrs. Floyd and 69 and cost. siness, when he entered into part- loss of so good and true a brother; her daughters for their hospitality. nership with Mr. Rogers, which last- Secondly. That we tender to the grief ed for several years, the firm name stricken family of the departed our rious town clubs, the Granville Combeing Edwards and Rogers. In 1892 sincere and deepest sympathy in larger hardware store and repair lodges' appreciation of his many vir- It is well adapted to the culture of on payment of cost. shop, Mr. Thomas W. Winston co- tues; of Mr. Edwards upon its roll. That partnership of ten years duration, his generousity was an unbounded when in 1902 Mr. Winston, retired among our records as a memorial to terms to suit the purchaser, is a matter of public record. While to enter a new field. For a number our brother and that these resoluhe left considerable money Mr. Ed- of years thereafter, Mr. Edwards con- tions be spread thereon; wards was not a rich man. His in- tinued alone. About four years ago tegrity, his peculair aversion to he sold the hardware store to Baird clutions be sent to the family, and anything questionable in business, and Chamblee who now operate it at copies sent to the Orphan's Friend his innumerable donations presented the same place, the late owner retir- and Masonic Journal; and the Oxford the accumulation that his untiring ing to rear where he continued to Fublic Ledger for publication. energy and close application to busi- repair, tinning, and plumbing shop. ness would have other wise brought He was the oldest business man

as a reward. Mr Edwards person- in Oxford, at his death leaving Mr.

ally, was very quiet and reticient. J. G. Hall the premier now. In ad-

Was a man of few words and many dition to the relativee enumerated

STEM ITEMS.

day was a subject of much thought o Happennings of Those who Come and go-Lack Land sends in a bit of

> Miss Willie Lee Stem, of Durlington visited this section recently.

Rev. G. C. Duncan pastor of Leigh time with us recently.

ht a large quantity of fish. They throughout this community, and present in unusually large numbers.

When Sheriff Wheeler goes after Granville sustains an irreparable loss

conveniencce.

session only lasted two days which were hot and dry. Dr. A. B. Dunaway acted as moderator, J. C. Howard, Clerk, and Smith Humphries, Treaas-

The business of this seion was badly hampered on account of the absence of some brethern who were appointed to make reports on different objects of the constitution. Dr. Taylor. Dunaway said he would appoint brethren that would attend the next session and be prompt with their reports. We all said so, "Note it be,"

Two days are too short a time for Durhaam, are visiting Mrs. J. H. Ter- the proper transaction of the busi- son Howell. ness of the Flat River Association, and for the best interest of the cause ion Taylor. it represents the time alloted for the discussion of each object is usually Newton. taken up by some long winded speak-Our neighboring town Stem, seems er, and the representitives of the Elbert Crews.

Among those who visited our grape Taylor. vine last Sunday we remember were Misses Allie and Janie Gooch, Ettie Taylor. and Maggie Washington, Bessie and Miss Allene Cooper, with Mr. Al-Our political Convention is about Lulie Daniel, and W. E. Meadows, ston.

Lack Land. BOYS CORN CONTEST.

Prize to be Awarded to a Large Num

The following is a list of prizes son, of Stovall. to be given to the boys of the corn Stags, Mr Gordon Hunt, Marsh Ray Cumbie's mother Mrs. Bettie Downgrowing contest of Dutchville Town- and James White. Township.

B. G. Rogers-\$5.00 O. B. Allen-\$1.00, Cozart os.-\$2.50, Citizens Bank-\$3.00, I. W. Bullock-\$5.00 pair shoes, R. H. Rogers-50c, W. L. Lashley-\$1.00, W. M. Fleming—\$2.50,

W. A. L. Veasy-\$2.00. R. F. D. No. 7.

After taking and enjoying my vacation I am glad to meet my patrons

Miss Bee Cottrell of Route 7,

Mr. and Mrs John M. Berkley, of is turpentine-two or three drops on Goldsboro, N. C. and Miss Ruth Lanier of Washington, D. C. are a meeting of the Lama Club, an cr- case of Mrs. Rhodes for killing nespending some time with Mrs. Mar- ganization of a few neighborhood gro, is in progress as we go to Press. tha Chewning.

Misses Martica and Lidia Howard, being always full of hilarity. since, he is the best man I have good.-Uncle Jo, in Raleigh (N. C.) of Durham, N. C. are visiting Miss Bessie and Clyde Eakes.

Mise Martha and Hallie Elliot of with Miss Sue Currin.

were in Oxford this week. Jos. P. Hunt.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

Oxford Lodge, No. 396 A. F. and

Edwards, his parnets being origin- Whereas, in the death of our belov- ished by the wiset of men." ally from Franklin County. As a ed brother. Francis W. Hilliard our When we were ushered back into Capais continued. lad Mr. Edwards was employed in fraternity has suffered an irrepart the parlor there had been a list of State Vs. James Newton; failed to the paper mill at Milburnie where able loss, it is meet to testify to questions prepared, each, to be ans- list property, plead guilty judgement he lost a portion of one hand. From the esteem and veneration in which wered by the name of a flower, Miss suspended upon payment of cost. there, he came to Oxford forty two his memory is cherishde among Ma- Eunice Crews won the prize of a State Vs. James Crosby larcency co

Fourthly, That a copy of these res-F. M. Pinnix Chrm.

J. S. King. P. H. Montgomery.

gone as far as any other man's liy- P. Chamblee in one of his neices. Drug Store, years.—The Family.

A LARGE DANCE.

It Was Given in Honor of Visitors Crowd Present.

that has been given in Oxford was meeting. the one given in honor of the young Misses Gertrude and Exie Duncan, ladies, Miss Agnes Ravanel, Miss Sil- Mrs. Founde Stone of Clarkeville. in ina Ravanel, Miss Margaret Sims, Va., and Miss Bessie Worsham of and Miss Margaret Manning, all Crews, Va., were the guest of Mrs. from Sauth Carolina, who have been Frank Pattillo, the past week. Street Danville Va., spent a short on a house party at Miss Mary Cooper's for two weeks. It was one of the largest dances that has been given and Mrs Allbright, of Manchester, Va Tobacco "Will" is playing havor in Oxford, and the spectators were have been visiting their Aunt, Mrs.

Allens store, and it pulled the scale effective remedy for its eradication hand by the young ladies that com- Boston Va., aided Rev. P. H. Fon- words the handrull of Republicans in In the death of Mr. J. H. Bullock, posed the house party at Miss Coop- take, in a pretracted meeting at this county held their conventions er's. Two cards were made alke Amis Chapel, beginning the fourth for the election of delegates to the so as to make a pair for each couple Sunday and continuing through the various conventions. Several of the Mr. E. D. Hunt's "House of seven sion. The dance lasted until 2 o'clock There were eleven receive for Bap- ty Republicans in all were present, While passing the county home for Gables" at Stem, is nearing complete after which time Miss Mary tism. The baptizing will be at A considerably larger number of Lem the aged and inform a few days ago tion, and when finished will be a Cooper gave a delicious and sumpt- Amis Mill pond, the first Sunday, ocrats were at various times dis-I was much impressed with its neat- thing of beauty, and a model of uous supper to the escorts of the P. M. at 4 o'clock. visitors. Durham Band furnished the It had the appearance of a well We attended the Flat River Asso- music. It was good. The following Mill were present;

Miss Mary Cooper, with Mr. W. L. Mitchell, Miss Agnes Ravanel, with Mr. Roger Grant.

Miss Selina Ravanel with Mr. Ham lin Landis,

Miss Margaret Sims, with Mr. Mott Pinnix. Miss Carole Weaver with Mr. Marshall Pinnix.

Miss Martha Ferebee, with Mr. Lee Miss Lizie Pearson, with Mr Nelson Ferebee. Miss Margaret Irwin, with Mr Marl of them.

Landis. Miss Julia Winston with Mr. Mar-

Miss Mary B. Williams, with Mr. Miss Roberta Rucker, with Mr.

Miss Sophrona Cooper with Frank Hancock. Miss Lucy Landis, with Mr. Jim

Miss Fannie Web, with Mr. Augus- County last week. tas Graham. Miss Gold, of Richmond, with Mr. Tom. Howell.

Miss Celia Winslow with Mr. Garland Atwater. Miss Annie Gregory with Mr. Wil-

son, of Stovall. Miss Jackson with Mr. Taylor Jack

ship by the citizens of Dutchville Chaperones Mr. and Mrs. Winston, Landis, Mr. and Mrs. James Horner, Julia Chandler. Mrs. Kate White, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robards, Mr. and Mrs Lewis, Mr.

and Mrs. Rome Honor, Mrs. Hunt.

SOCIAL FUNCTION.

Home of Misses Jewel And Ida May Floyd, Music Instrumental And Vocal.

The pretty country home of Misses Jewel and Ida May Floyd was a place of amusement and galety Saturday A Good Many Criminal Casesevening when the Misses Floyd is entertained a larg number of their es Pauline and Annie Belle Edwards, of Henderson, and Miss Madeline Crews of Tar River,.

well arranged—consisting of vocal til Thursday at 2 o'clock. instrumental solos, duets, recitation State Vs. Clifton Clevis; nolprosed. Durham, recently spent several days and cake were served in the dining ued. room, here the color scheme of the State Vs. Paul Murray; Retailing Messrs. E. M. Hart, L. G. Lump- club was noticeable. The future des- nolprosed. kins, R. D O'Brien and D. W. Frazier tiny of each one was read while we partook of these rich bounties. It continued from order. was horrible to read that some of State Vs. R. T. Moss and Harris; a us would be "old maids" and "old sualt, not disposed of.

bachelors" but these were intersper- State Vs. John Philpott; slander, sed by consoling remarks from Mrs. not guilty. Floyd, which made us cheer up, "a State Vs. Graham Byrd C. C. W. little non-sense now and then is rel-continued.

box of cards for being the most actinued. and Ray Crews and Jimmie Floyd. W The crowd dispersed at 11, o'clock Defendent council waives bill \$10.

FARM FOR SALE.

grain and tobacca, is well watered Thirdly, That a page be set apart and has plenty of wood. Price low, fendent called and failed misi ci fa.

> CARD OF THANKS. The family of the late J. F. Ed-

wards desire to express to the peo-

T. Lanier.

ple of his adopted home their appreciation of the many acts of kindness shown in his sickness, and for disposed of. the very many expressions of sympathy at his death. In our sad loss, it is a comfort to know how highly The live Beavers are gone, but he was esteemed by all the people deeds. His simple word would have in the News and Observer, Mrs. M. you can get the liniment at Lyon's with whom he dwelt for forty two 2 o'clock. We will give a full account

Northern Granville Notes.

Misses Rosa and Bessie Frazier, of One of The Nicest That Has ever Henderon N. C. spent the week after Been in Oxford-A Very Large the fourth Sunday, with the family THE RADS HELD COUNTY CONof their uncle Mr. D. C. Frazier, One of the most enjoyable dances and attended Amis Chapel protracted

Mr. Tem Pattillo, of Lynchburg Va.

Misses Maggie and Mary Yates, C. W. Sneed.

They were unusually attractive and week. There were large orderly and precincts of the county were unrepwere kept as souvenirs of th occa- attentiv congregations every day. resented by delegates, but about for-

> Mrs. P. H. Fontaine, and son, Henry of Woodsdale, N. C. were at the meeting two days last week.

Misses Brooks and Paylor, of Per- this time to be slaughtered by the sen County, N. C. have been visit- Democratic nominees, but for reason ing the Misses Clements.

Mrs. Susan Norwood who had a was not done. A caucus was held be right severe attack the fourth Sun- fore the convention assembled and day night, we are glad to learn is everything seems to have been arvery much improved.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Luther Carrington and Mrs. D. T. Winston, who have Typhoid fever, are no better. Hope the change for the better will soon come for both

Mrs. Willie Woods, is also on the the State. Miss Sophy Tailor with Mr. Gib- sick list. We wish for a speedy re-

Mr. J. K. Chandler, of Ken bridge, well-oiled smoothness the machine be Va., spent the week of the meeting gan to work. Charles Hester of visiting relatives and friends in this Fishing Creek, Register of Deeds in end of the county, and edge of Vir- the days of long ago, thereupon mov-

. was at Amis Chapel a few days last week. Miss Lillie Wilkerson, of Stovall,

Miss Edith Spratley with Mr. Carr N. C. has been visiting her sister Mrs. J. P. Williams. ited relatives in this end of the

Oxford, Route 7, have been visiting siness would be the appointment of their sister, Mrs. H. G. Clark.

Mr. Johnie Fontaine, of Woodsdale, N. C. spent the week of the meeting visiting friends around Amis Chapel. Mrs Alice Cumbie and children, of Halifax County Va., visited Mrs. J. H. Gooch and L. V. Fence. ey the later part of last week.

Chandler.

Mr. W. M. Berkley, of Rolling Hill, A Pretty Entertainment at The Va., visited relatives in this neighborhood last week. "Daphnie."

GRANVILLE SUPERIOR COURT.

Most All Disposed of. The Case we go to Press.

The Granville Superior Court convened here Monday, with Judge Lyon The first thing for amusement was of Bladen County Presiding. The young ladies which meets weekly, There was no trouble in getting Jury for this case. It began about 5 The program for this meeting was o'clock Tuesday P. M. and lasted un-

Refreshments of ice cream | State Vs. Frank H. Chapell contin-

State Vs. Tom Parker; abandoment

State Vs. Jim Slaughter; F. & A.

State Vs. S. P. Jones, embez-

State Vs. Ruth Perkins; larcency,

State Vs. James Prodgen and Tom

Harr's; F. & A. nolprosed. State Vs. Tom Harris, Eli Hester, I have for sale a farm of 68 acres Walter Clymbsy, Harris and Hester ning the taking of the votes much he took as a partner in his then their affliction, and to testify to the situated 2 1-2 miles from Oxford. waives bill judgement suspended up disorder prevailed, Gill, Oakey, Hes-State Vs. W. H. Clarke, slander, de talk or at least being on the floor

> nolprosed. State Vs. Henry Daniel; larcency, defendent pleads guilty, 8 months in jail C. C. W. Ruffin O. Lawson; defendent pleads

State Vs. John Hamlet; buglery,

guilty, \$20.00 and cost. State Vs. Henry Hodge: purg not

MRS. RHODES ACQUITTED.

The verdict came in today about fellow who shall name the postmaster of trial next week.

REPUBLICANS IN ACTION

VENTION LAST SATURDAY.

Good Deal of Pow-wowing-The Row began as How The Votes on Delegates Should Be taken-The Meeting Was Very Unceremonious-Everybody Tried To Speak

at Once. On last Saturday at noon in the Court House here the regular two year contest betwen the "ihs" and "outs" of the Republican party of tributed about the hall, drawn thither presumably by the desire to see the Republicans in action.

It had been expected that a county ticket would have been put out not apparent but still guessable this ranged at this caucus except the selection of the delegates to the State Convention. The great fight was over who should be the six delegates from Granville since the State Convention selects the State Chairman and this means the selection of the official federal pie distributor for

Dr. G. T. Sikes of Grissom called the convention to order and with ed the temporary organization be-Mr. Tom Chandler, of Durham, N. made permanent. Dr. Sikes hastily put the motion and upon hearing as few scattering "ayes" declared it carried, not giving Hester the chance to put the motion which meant his own selection as Chairman an opportunity which courtesy demand-Miss Grace Bowen and Brother, vis to that he should have given the Fish ing Creek man. With equal haste, Sikes thereupon without any motion Misses Julia and Hettie Hunt of from any one, stated that the next bu a committee on credentals and proceeded to appoint Harry Dayle, Coley Gill and R. H. Rogers. He did the same with reference to the committee on platform and on this committee appointed Messrs, Forabow,

At this point the irrapressible Ben Therpe Esq., arose and in his Miss Janie Amis of Durham, N. C. usual manner entertained (?) and a-Mr. and Mrs. Niles, Mr. and Mrs. W. has been visiting her cousin Miss mused the convention until the chair man out of the abundant kindness Mr. Alva G. Chandler, of Suffolk, of his heart and consideration for Va., spent the week of the meeting these who were forced to sit and with his parnts, Mr. and Mrs C. S. listen forced the worthy brother to take his seat. Why is it that a man who can't talk will insist on making a speech? Wonder if the caucus had agreed to let Squire Thrope have so many minutes in which to speechify?

At this juncture Biblie Brown movd that the delegates to State convention be elected one at a time, Royster moved that none but delegates be premitted to vote. He did not of Mrs. Rhodes is Being Tried as add that the delegates should not vote but once, but the convention evidently thought his motion as made was a necessary one for it went through with a celerity equalling that with which Sikes had put the motion making himself chulrman,

Here is where the row began. Various motions were made as to how the vote on the delegates should be taken. Finally the chairman ruled that each delegate could vote for six men at once or only one. A slate of delegates had evidently been preared and placed in the hands of Squire Thorpe for the purpose of bay rig him to nominate them as the old gentleman rose several times in the ineffectual effort to get thear mes before the body, finally succeeding in naming C. J. Roberts, C. P. Hester, R. H. Rogers, Harry Davis D. A. Moore and J. T. Covart, Others were placed in nomination among them being Postmaster Brown by his clerk Waller, When Brown's name was placed before the convention he seemed to realize that he was up against it as he rose and said: "Mr. Chairman," we have only about fifteen Republican voters in South Oxford and if this kind of a thing keeps on much longer We 'll not have any left". In the primary on the Saturday before, Browni had beaten out the Cozart-Peace wing State Vs. Peter Ellis; larcency of the party securing his election as a delegate by an overwhelming major ity of the nine Republicans who were present, and the effort of his politicals enemies in the convention was towards preventing his going as a delegate to the state convention. Upon the vote being taken it was found that Cozart had 25 votes. Roberts 21, Gocch 22, Hester 21, Rogers 20, Sikes 20 and Brown 17. This showed that Brown was beaten. Duter and Squire Thorpe all trying to at the same time.

> After the selection of the delegates to the State convention Squire Thorpe evidently with a view of conciliating those who had been defeated, nominated Moore, Royster, Brown, Davis, Peace and Jenkins as delegates to the Congressional Convention. The motion met with mo opposition, since the nomination of a candidate for Congress is a small matter in the eyes of a Republicant compared with the selection of the

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