

Huyler's and Royster's Candy is the best of all. Florida Vegetables, Bananas, Apples and Oranges.

N. P. Murphy.

Salisbury Daily Sun.

THE FLOWERS COLLECTION

Easter Candy

Lowney's Chocolate Bonbons just received, 60c per pound at

T. W. Grimes Drug Co.

Next Door to Postoffice.

VOL XV

SALISBURY, N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 2, 1904

NO. 29.

PRICE TALKS.

DELEGATES ALL BACK.

BLACKBURN WAS THE CHOICE.

Mr. Price Himself Called Upon Delegates to Convention

All the Rowan delegates to the Wilkesboro convention returned to Salisbury last night. All were tired and jaded and showed the effects of the strain, consequent upon the tedious fight at the convention. This morning's Charlotte Observer says of the convention:

All of the counties except Alexander and Alleghany answered to the call from the secretary, T. W. Lambeth, the spokesman for the delegation from Alleghany, said that his county would not vote. But a Mr. N. S. Myers came forward and submitted a few remarks, declaring that his people were for Blackburn. Therefore, Alleghany was counted.

The nomination was finally made by what the chair called acclamation. There were calls for Blackburn. The house was in an uproar. Blackburn came out from behind a wing of the bar where he had been half-way hid. He had the air of a conquering lord. There is no doubt about his having his crowd well in hand. The boys were with him, or at least they made out like they were.

Blackburn said: "I am not able to talk. For two weeks I have been hard at work. Our Democratic friends, as they have a right to do, have opposed me. Certain gentlemen have said that the eighth was against me. They will know now that it is not. A certain man published circulars against me. I don't blame the Democrats for opposing me, but the Republicans who ate Republican bread and used Republican money should not be guilty of such work. That Republican should be man enough to come up and say that he did wrong. Why was the Democratic press against me? Because they knew I could whip them."

"Yes, Price, a personal friend of mine, fought with me four years ago. He is a gentleman. You can often fight a wrong. Price is here for me now. We will take care of our friends."

"We have got a chairman on that committee who was elected by my friends two years ago. He is in town, but will not come here. We have a man on that committee on credentials who has not voted the Republican ticket for twelve years. He escorted Bryan through the State. He betrayed the Republican party. He would betray anybody. Men of Alexander, where is your man? He is closeted with a Democratic manipulator!"

MR. PRICE TALKS.

In an interview today with Mr. A. H. Price upon his return from Wilkesboro he said to a SUN reporter:

Mr. H. E. C. Bryant, the representative of the Charlotte Observer at the convention, was evidently misinformed as to the remarks made by me at the convention. I know that Mr. Bryant is my personal friend and would not intentionally do me an injustice. He was not in the convention, when I spoke. My remarks were in explanation of my candidacy and in defense of the outrageous assault made upon me. The statement by Mr. Bryant quotes me as saying that I was persuaded into the contest is a mistake. On the contrary I distinctly said, that while it was a fact that certain gentlemen urged me to announce myself as a candidate and while their advice had great weight with me, yet I said to the committee that I was in this contest upon my own responsibility.

After reviewing my political history I then proceeded to answer the vile and slanderous charges made against me to accomplish my defeat, and to defend my record as a government officer. I further deplored the fact that Republicans should resort to methods in conducting their campaigns that reflected upon the character and integrity of other gentlemen.

I do not wish to be placed in the attitude of endorsing the remarks made by Mr. Blackburn, in his speech, reflecting upon the loyalty of the Republicans in attendance at the convention, and I stated to

a good many gentlemen that I thought his remarks were extremely inappropriate.

I said that we had criticized the Democrats for their methods of coercion and intimidation, and that we should practice what we preach. As to the position my friends took in the convention, I have this to say:

"That they have stood by me loyally and have made a personal sacrifice for me, and I thought it was right and just to leave to their judgment and discretion the course they pursued. They saw that it was useless to pursue the fight further, and I appreciated their position. Nor did I have any desire or inclination to bolt the convention."

I am not sore about the result, but I feel deeply wounded on account of the unjust charges made against me.

TOLD IN BRIEF.

Items Personal and Otherwise Picked Up on the Rounds.

Mr. H. H. McAllister, of Asheboro, is in Salisbury today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cauble went to Mooreville this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Whitlock went to Winston this morning.

Mr. D. J. Carpenter, of Catawba, was in Salisbury this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fleming went to China Grove this morning on a visit to relatives.

You get heaping returns for money invested here. Burt's.

H. B. Varner, Esq., of Lexington was in Salisbury for a short while this morning.

Mr. J. H. L. Rice, of Cooleemee, was in Salisbury yesterday on business.

Miss Rosa Holmes went to Lexington, where she will spend Easter with friends this morning.

Samuel Wiley, who is attending Trinity Park High School, is at home for the holidays.

The Bart Shoe Store is the house of low prices, good goods and plenty of them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cauble left this morning for Mocksville, where they will spend several days with relatives.

Miss Bernice Pharr, of Concord, and her brother Witt, are visiting their sister Mrs. C. L. Miller, on Chestnut Hill.

Mr. Luther Grimes and wife, of Davidson county, came over this afternoon to spend Easter with Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Miller.

Miss Laura Alexander, of Charlotte, is spending a few days with Miss Grace Lee and Mrs. Bun Byers at Spencer.

Miss Annie Pitts, who has been conducting the school at Zeb, left this morning for her home at Catawba to spend Easter.

Mr. John W. Glover leaves tomorrow for Statesville with his Ferris Wheel, which he will operate with the Pierce Amusement Company this season.

Patrons of Rock school-house who were in Salisbury this week say that the school recently closed and conducted by Esquire P. A. Sloop was the best ever held there.

Mr. John Josey, of Faith, who was so badly injured about two weeks ago by being struck over the heart by a shingle, was able to be in Salisbury today. He is still suffering greatly from his injuries.

Ballow Home Place Sold.

Mr. Jno. L. Rendleman today bought the Ballow home on Fulton street. Mr. Rendleman will shortly move into his new home.

Just received, California fruit, pineapples, grape fruit, oranges, apples and bananas. Best stock on market at Saleby's candy kitchen.

NEW AND HANDSOME PACKAGES of perfumery at Cornelison & Cook's.

Pure Brown Leghorn eggs for sale. 75c per setting of 15 eggs. P. T. Robinson, 408 S. Ellis St.

Nice Furnished Rooms for Rent, 229 E. Innis st., near fountain. If

Don't Wait, Buy Now!

We are selling real estate every day. Bargains can be had if you see us. Every one that buys from us makes money.

MAUPIN BROS.

MASS MEETING HELD.

MR. J. W. BAILEY SPEAKS.

The Anti-Saloon League of Rowan in Session Today.

The Anti-Saloon League of Rowan county met at the court house today and was addressed by Mr. J. W. Bailey, editor of the Biblical Recorder.

The meeting was called to order by President Burton. In a few words, Mr. Burton declared the object of the meeting, which he said was to organize the county thoroughly and learn to know the individual members better. Mr. Burton also said that the league met in the interest of no political party, but that it hoped through the Democratic party to accomplish its ends.

Mr. Burton was re-elected chairman and Dr. Foust secretary of the executive committee.

Rev. Dr. J. N. Stallings presented the resolutions, and after reading them serially, they were adopted as a whole.

Mr. J. W. Bailey, chairman of the State Anti-Saloon League, was then introduced. He began by saying in all his travel through eight counties of the State, making addresses in the interest of education and good government, he had never made a speech in Rowan. It is no secret, he declared, that the moral forces have had to stand back. His father had to do it, and he was not ashamed of it.

He felt that the real object of this league might not be understood. He wanted it known as an organization of the moral forces of the State, one which could stand upon the platform "The Saloon 1 to 65 per cent. In Graham, where under saloon regime lost \$7,000, the dry town had made \$14,000. Raleigh the dispensary lost \$100,000. Drunkards had been denied the privilege of buying liquor."

He closed by saying there should be no surrender to those who said the law could not be enforced.

After Mr. Bailey's address, various committees were appointed throughout the county precincts. The meeting was then adjourned.

An Illicit Distillery Near Troy.

Deputy Collector McDonald and Deputy Marshal B. L. Cox desecrated an illicit distillery located about one and one half miles southwest of Troy last Thursday night. No one was discovered at the still, but evidences of recent operation were visible. The running supplies on hand consisted of about 35 gallons of beer and a small quantity of malt. The surroundings showed that it had been located at that place for several weeks.—Troy Examiner.

Yesterday's Game

A good crowd witnessed the game of base ball between the Livingstone and Bennett College teams on the Livingstone ground yesterday. Some good work was done but the game as a whole was weak. Neither team, it is said, was in usual form yesterday. This is the second defeat Bennett has sustained at the hands of the Livingstone team.

Dr. Smoot Locates at Spencer.

Dr. M. L. Smoot, who has been practicing dentistry in Salisbury for the past two years, has changed his location to Spencer. Dr. Smoot has met with flattering recognition as a physician of more than ordinary ability and it is gratifying to know that he will not restrict his professional work to the Spencer field exclusively.

Double Violets for sale, 50c. per hundred. Mrs. P. D. Rouché.

A young, healthy, strong and gentle horse for sale! Price \$140. Apply to Brown Shoe Store.

Big Easter Sale on California sweet oranges this week, 20cts dozen at Saleby's candy kitchen.

GAME EGGS

For sale—\$2 50 per setting. Mugs, wumps, warhorses and Shaw's. G. A. JACKSON.

Dollar Soda Water Coupon Book.

This coupon book contains twenty-four five cent coupons which will be received as cash in payment for any five or ten cent drink served at our fountain. Salisbury Drug Co., 115 N. Main street.

CHURCHES TOMORROW.

Where Services Will be Held in Salisbury and Spencer Tomorrow.

Faith Reformed: morning worship; Reception of members and administration of the sacrament. At 7:30 p. m. the Bible school will hold Easter services.

Chestnut Hill Academy: Easter sermon at 3 p. m. by Rev. L. M. Kerschner.

St. John's Lutheran: 11 a. m. confirmation, preparatory services and the Holy communion. At 8 o'clock Easter service by the Sunday school. 3 p. m. Sunday school. All are cordially invited.

Lutheran, Chestnut Hill: Sunrise 6 a. m. Sunday school 9:30. Confirmation, confession and absolution 11 o'clock. Dedication of the church at 3 o'clock. Rev. Wilson preaching the sermon.

Lutheran, Spencer: There will be Easter services Monday night at 7:30. An interesting program has been arranged.

Church of the Sacred Heart—Holy Communion at 8 a. m. High Mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening Devotions at 7:30 o'clock.

Church of our Lady of Refuge, Spencer—Mass and sermon in the morning at 6 o'clock.

St. Luke's Episcopal: Services will be held tomorrow at the usual hours.

First Presbyterian: Rev. Dr. J. Rumpel will preach morning and evening at the usual hours.

First Methodist: The usual services will be held at the morning and evening hours.

Baptist: Rev. J. E. Smith, of Concord, will preach at the Baptist church morning and evening.

YESTERDAY'S SHOOT.

Mr. Adams Hits 98 Out of One Hundred Shots.

The third shoot of the Salisbury Gun Club was held yesterday resulting in the following scores:

Shot	Broke
T. E. McLan,	55
Dr. A. H. Dreher,	57
C. E. Roberson,	15
P. W. Brown,	40
Dr. Nighbert,	20
E. J. Adams,	56
R. L. Crawford,	15
J. W. Neave,	20
A. H. Boyden,	15
R. L. Crawford,	20
Hodge Krider,	10
S. R. Roberson,	15
Grey Barber,	50
U. J. Barrier,	25
C. B. Adams,	100
H. C. Williams,	25

In Honor of Mrs. Neave.

Mrs. E. B. Neave, who has been the guest of Mrs. I. C. Maffitt, left last night for her home at Salisbury. Mrs. Neave was the guest of honor at a tea given by Mrs. A. M. Young last evening.—Charlotte Observer.

Mrs. Wyatt in Georgia.

Mr. J. T. Wyatt, of Faith, received a letter this morning from Mrs. Wyatt in which she stated that she had about perfected the organization of a company for the development of another big granite property in Rowan.

Dr. Meroney's Preparation.

Dr. L. J. Meroney, a former Salisbury man who has been practicing dentistry with much success in Philadelphia for the past 15 years, has introduced on the Salisbury market a preparation—a tooth powder—Creme de Violet. It has been placed on sale here at Klutz & Company's store.

THAT is a marvel of beauty—A Saleby's candy kitchen window arranged especially for the Easter trade. All pure candies arranged in artistic shape.

DAIRY SMILES

are fragrant and delicious. Will make you smile forever. Cornelison & Cook.

Request from Mr. Jackson.

Owing to the misfortune which befell me in the loss of my plant by fire on the night of March 15 I most earnestly request all persons who are indebted to me to call and settle their accounts at once, so that I may rebuild without having to borrow money for this purpose. Very respectfully, M. L. JACKSON.

Graphophones: On installment, \$1 per month. Address Drawer D, Spencer, N. C.

FAITH CURIST CAUGHT

GOES TO NEAL, BECOMES SICK.

Went to Cooleemee to Cure a Case of Smallpox.

News was received in Salisbury yesterday from Cooleemee that a Faith Curist, who went there for the purpose of ridding a stricken one of smallpox, has himself contracted the disease. He has been quarantined and will be given the same medical attention as other patients.

EXPECT TO ENLARGE WORK.

Messrs Phillips and Butler Return to Boston.

Messrs. James Phillips, Jr., and Hon. Wm. H. Butler, of Boston, who have been here on business connected with the Union Mining Company's interests, left this morning for Boston after spending two days here. Mr. Butler stated that operations at the Union would probably be extended very shortly.

NO PAPER MONDAY.

The Sun Will Not be Published Monday Afternoon.

The Sun will not be issued Monday afternoon, following a custom adopted seven years ago in giving its employees a day off on Easter Monday. Should anything of especial concern transpire it will be chronicled on the Sun's bulletin board in front of the office.

Services at Chestnut Hill.

Rev. C. P. Fisher, of Mt. Pleasant, preaches tonight at Haven church, Chestnut Hill. This is the last series of Holy Week services. After the services tonight the note held by the Board of Church Extension will be burned, and tomorrow at 3 o'clock the church will be dedicated as a new church.

The sermon last night by Rev. Bodie was one of the deepest, clearest and most powerful of the whole series. The Lutheran church in Rowan county is fortunate to have this talented and eloquent Georgian in our midst. He told the story of the crucifixion with thrilling and heart searching effect.

Dr. Jones Returns.

Dr. L. W. Jones, who has been living in Washington for the past 16 months, returned to Salisbury this morning. He is but a little improved in health.

Rev. Mr. Parrish to Shelby.

Rev. M. E. Parrish left this morning for Shelby, where he will preach the first sermon to his new charge tomorrow. He returns to Salisbury Monday and during the third week in April will move his family to Shelby.

Game of Ball Monday.

The Livingstone College baseball team will play Shaw University of Raleigh on Livingstone's grounds Monday.

A Spencer Man Married.

Says the Concord Times: Mr. Solomon Winders, of Spencer, and Miss Annie Moore, daughter of Mr. L. H. Moore, of No. 7 township, were married last Wednesday, the ceremony being performed at the parsonage by Rev. Mr. Rowe. The marriage was quite a surprise. The bride is a sister of Deputy Sheriff J. G. Moore, of Concord.

New Ads.

D. Oestreicher.

Spot Cash Store.

Brittain.

Klutz & Rendleman.

Legal notice, Walter H. Woodson, Attorney.

House For Rent! Apply at Reid's store.

O MORTAL, WHAT A TREAT FOR THEE!

Honey Comb Chocolate Chips are most elegant. 50c per pound. Cornelison & Cook.

Received this week best assortment of fish I have had this season. See me before buying and leave order for Easter shad. Prices always the lowest.

W. A. BROWN, phone 111.

See It? What?

The window at Saleby's candy kitchen. Good to look at, good to eat. All candies at this place are pure, fresh and cheap.

ANOTHER SERVICE FOR MEN.

Service For Men Only Closes Mr. Comann's Meeting Here.

The following church announcement for tomorrow afternoon is made:

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev. D. H. Comann will again preach to men only. This will be the last service of this kind by this earnest and forceful man of God. The men who heard him last Sunday afternoon as well as those who have heard him during his ministry here are warranted in coming again and bringing their friends. Some have not yet had the privilege of hearing Mr. Comann, others, it may be, have not yet availed themselves of the privilege. Tomorrow's services will close his ministry here as the must leave Monday to fill other engagements. Let every Christian pray for a great spiritual outpouring on these closing services. Let every man come to the 3 o'clock special service. This service is held for you, that you may be assured of soon having a chance to hear the pure gospel preached. Nothing unchaste or unseemly will be said or done.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

An Air Tank Explodes, One is Killed Six Injured.

Meadville, Pa., April 2.—One man was killed and six injured today by the explosion of an air tank in the Erie Railroad machine shops. The building was wrecked.

THIEVES ARE ARRESTED.

Store Breakers at Asheboro Were Arrested Yesterday.

Asheboro, April 1.—The negroes who broke into Wood & Moring's store Tuesday night, were captured late last evening a large quantity of the goods stolen were recovered, though not all. The prisoners, two negroes, were bound over to the July term of court.—Charlotte News.

DECK HANDS KILLED.

Fatal Accident on Board a Vessel Near Newbern.

Newbern, N. C., March 31.—The steamer Sarah Louise, owned by Messrs. R. B. and E. E. Williams, had a serious accident to befall her today while enroute to this city from Fort Barnwell, a place about 19 miles from here. While the boat was under way the bottom blow pipe burst or the blow cock at the rear end of the boiler blew out, which caused the death of two deck hands by scalding them. One of the men lived for three hours, while the other was so badly burned he jumped overboard and was drowned. Fireman William Loveliner was burned on his right shoulder, but not seriously. A phone message from the place of the accident conveys the news that the boat is not disabled and will continue her trip.

He Didn't Send It.

EDITOR SUN:—Allow me to say that the telegram sent to Mr. C. E. Mills with my signature was not from me but was sent in a jocular spirit by an opponent of Mr. Blackburn.

A. L. LINGLE.

The Mountain Still There.

Bangor, Me., April 2.—The story recently reported of the disappearance of Bald Mountain in Tibique Valley is now declared untrue. The mountain is still there.

Tomato Plants!—Now on sale at Mrs. M. O. Linton's green house.

Special sale on California sweet oranges, 20cts a doz at Saleby's candy kitchen today and tomorrow.

For rent, 6 room cottage, 518 East Fisher street. City water and large garden. H. M. Brown, Evans Office.

For Saturday's Easter Trade you will find Armour's fine beef, mutton, veal and beef liver; also 200 finest dressed chickens and 500 pounds smoked sausage. Large supply of good country pork. Don't forget that we can give you the best home made lard on the market. C. H. Holmes.

Bread! O'od Homestead bread. Best! Fresh every day. C. L. Hall.

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT."

Then be sure you get Wiley's Easter candies—the best 60c goods ever sold. Cornelison & Cook.

To The Ladies.

Call and take a look at my Easter Millinery. I have a full assortment, stylish and pretty. F. M. Watters, 116 N. Main St. U. S. 4-1rs.

RUSSIA'S GREAT ARMY

HER GREAT STRENGTH IN FIELD

Report of Another Japanese Attack Not Credited

Paris, April 2.—It is reported here on good authority that Russia now has one hundred and seventy thousand infantry, seventeen thousand cavalry and two hundred and fifty-six cannon in Manchuria. It is estimated that by June the Russian forces will be nearly three hundred and fifty thousand strong.

Tokio, April 2.—The report of a renewed attack upon Port Arthur, Wednesday is denied here.

London, April 2.—The report of a Japanese attack on Port Arthur Wednesday is not credited here, as the reports received from Port Arthur, at St. Petersburg contain no mention but report everything quiet. The reports from Northern Korea indicate the rapid advance of the Japanese and foreign newspaper correspondents foreshadow the beginning of actual land war within a short time.

St. Petersburg, April 2.—It is reported from Vladivostok from a Chinese source that the Japanese marines landed at Putiatian island, thirty miles from Vladivostok and killed fourteen Russian families. It is not believed to be true here.

Paris, April 2.—A report has been received here that a Japanese force has landed at the mouth of Tunun river one hundred miles southwest of Vladivostok. It is stated that according to the request of Admiral Makiroff eighteen thirty knot torpedo boats are to be sent to Port Arthur by rail.

St. Petersburg, April 2.—It is reported that the enthusiastic American legation at Tokio at Perry banquet, have made an unfavorable impression here.

St. Petersburg, April 2.—It is reported that Japanese troops recently landed at Halyantao island near Port Arthur and took possession of the Russian coaling station there.

MURPHY STILL FOR CLEVELAND.

Says He Will Carry Fight to the State Convention.

New York, April 2.—Tammany Leader Murphy stated today that he is still determined to work for an unconstituted State delegation and would carry the fight to the State convention in spite of a growing sentiment for Parker. He is still in favor of Cleveland.

ROOSEVELT'S STRENGTH.

He Already Has a Long Lead on the Delegates.

Washington, April 2.—According to returns received here so far the total number of Republican delegates chosen to the national convention is three hundred and eight. Of this number is 248, about three fourths of whom are specifically instructed for Roosevelt. The total number of delegates will be 988.

For rent, 6 room cottage, 518 East Fisher street. City water and large garden. H. M. Brown, Evans Office.

For Saturday's Easter Trade you will find Armour's fine beef, mutton, veal and beef liver; also 200 finest dressed chickens and 500 pounds smoked sausage. Large supply of good country pork. Don't forget that we can give you the best home made lard on the market. C. H. Holmes.

Bread! O'od Homestead bread. Best! Fresh every day. C. L. Hall.

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT."