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THE ELECTIONS.

Generally Republican, Although Democrats Carried Maryland and Kentucky

Condensed from the Dispatches of Tuesday night. South Law, Republican and fusion candidate for mayor of Greater New York, was elected over Edward M. Shepard, Democrat, by about 30,000 majority. The other nominees of the fusionists were also elected.

In Ohio, Governor Nash, Republican, was re-elected by over 50,000 majority. The Legislature elected a safe Republican majority in each branch, insuring the reelection of Senator Foraker.

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STATE NEWS.

A lot of gamblers were arrested at the Weldon fair last week.

Goldsboro Tuesday voted \$110,000 of improvement bonds.

W. E. Fountain, a prominent business man, of Tarboro, died Friday.

The home of Judge W. B. Council, at Boone, was destroyed by fire Saturday.

Doc Leffer, of Concord, went home Saturday evening and found his wife dead in bed.

Two wooden stores in Greensboro were burned Tuesday. There was \$500 insurance on the buildings.

Five members of the Harpo family living near Ekin have died since September 1st of typhoid fever.

Salisbury defeated Tuesday a proposition to issue \$90,000 of improvement bonds by a large majority.

"Peg Leg" Williams is again in the State after negroes to carry to Kansas, Tennessee and other States.

Mamie Cowles, colored, of Charlotte was perhaps fatally burned Saturday night by the explosion of a lamp.

John Wilkins, a flagman, was killed in the railroad yard at Greensboro Tuesday. A car fell off a trestle with him.

Henry Lee, who was the substitute of the late Gov. Elias Carr in the war, is at death's door in the Soldiers' Home at Raleigh.

Charlie Bennett, colored, was found dead in the woods near Goldsboro Sunday morning. He died of heart disease Saturday night while gambling with other negroes.

The Raleigh aldermen have adopted an ordinance imposing \$10 fine on men and boys who ogled and annoy school girls on the street and college grounds.

Robbers broke into the house of one Bower, a mining engineer, at Marsburg, and robbed him of \$250 in money, watch and other property Saturday night. There is no clue to the robbers.

James S. Williams, of China, this State, was crushed to death at the railroad yard in Columbia, S. C., Tuesday. He was making repairs on a freight car when a shifting engine struck him.

Tom Oxenham, a white shoemaker of Charlotte, tried to shoot Dr. McManaway in front of a Charlotte drug store Saturday, but he was disarmed. The trouble arose over a bill which Oxenham owed the doctor.

Miss Bettie Coward, a student at the Greensboro State Normal, died Saturday night of meningitis fever. She lived in Greensboro and had the disease when she went to the college. Her remains were taken to Greensboro for interment.

Henry B. Kline, a recent employe of the Wrayph salt mine, at Asheville, stole \$800 worth of extract of tubercle bacilli from the sanitarium and skipped to Texas. He has been arrested at Wichita Falls, that State, and a requisition will be issued.

Tom Abernathy's barn, a few miles south of Charlotte, was burned Saturday. Several barrels of cotton were destroyed as well as a lot of hay. Abernathy was at church, and it is said a negro living on the farm saw another negro set fire to the barn.

Saturday in Wiler Wade Aycock, a bar keeper, was shot and killed by his clerk, George Gay, who then shot himself, but his injuries are not regarded as fatal. There is no known cause for the crime, but as Gay was said to be addicted to the morphine habit it is supposed he was crazy when he did the shooting. Gay is in jail.

Mamie Morehead, colored, was shown probably fatally wounded in her house in a Charlotte suburb Saturday night. Several negro men were in the house, and she accused Melvin Feimster of stealing her money. He got mad and left. Soon afterwards some one knocked at the door and when the woman went to the door she was shot. The police have captured Feimster. There is no doubt of his guilt.

Louis Council Hanged. Fayetteville Special to Raleigh News and Observer, 3rd.

Lewis Council, the Cumberland county rapist, five times respited by the Governor, was hanged inside the jail here today at 10:15 o'clock.

The prisoner protested his innocence to the last. He was attended by Father Marion, of the Catholic church, who after the death warrant was read by Sheriff Burns, and after solemnly questioning the prisoner proclaimed to the witnesses "I hereby proclaim in spite of Governor R. D. Aycock, that I am innocent, and that this man dies innocent, God by Lewis."

When the trap was sprung the rope broke, and Council's body fell to the floor beneath.

The prisoner regained his feet and coolly walked upon the trap, and in a few minutes was hanging from another rope provided for an emergency.

The rope which broke was secured from Wase county, where it is said to have been used on a number of similar occasions.

The body was buried near Wade, in the night, after Father Marion conducting the funeral.

When you feel that life is hardly worth the candle, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, tone up your liver and regulate your bowels, making you feel like a new man. For sale by Stimson & Anderson.

The latest news from Miss Sona, the kidnapped American missionary, is that she is alive and well. The ransom has not yet been paid.

A plot to massacre the American garrison at Morehead, Luzon, has been revealed by the wife of one of the conspirators. Several of the town officials are implicated in the murderous scheme. The plan was to fire a house, close by the barracks, and when the men rushed out to shoot them.

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TAYLORSVILLE NEWS.

We learn that only one free rural delivery route was decided for Alexander county, that via Hadden into Miller's township with J. N. Campbell as carrier.

A meeting is being conducted at the Baptist church this week. Pastor Gwaltney is being assisted by Rev. E. S. Reeves, of Statesville.

Rev. J. A. Weston, an Episcopal minister from Hickory, preached in the court house here Tuesday night.

R. Z. Linney, E. G. went to Statesville Monday night and went from there to Newton to appear in Dr. Moore before Judge Council yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Moore, of Lileston, went to Newton the first of the week where his suit was heard yesterday before Judge Council.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Melanosh went to Newton Tuesday to attend court and visit Mrs. Melanosh's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Seagle.

The board of county commissioners did but little Monday of any interest except talk over court house. They are thinking of building out of red sand or soap stone rock, which is found all around town, and which can be worked as cheap as any other than brick and will make a strong building and one just a little different from any in the State.

Register of Deeds Jno. C. Bell is married. He and Mrs. Bell are boarding at P. A. Hudson's, and we understand will go to housekeeping soon in one of Dr. Little's dwellings.

R. A. Wilson, who lives near town, is trading for Mrs. Boggs's dwelling occupied by H. J. Gadden, and will move his family to town, and Mr. Gadden will move to one of Dr. Little's dwellings west of the Presbyterian church.

GENERAL NEWS.

Two cases of tubercle plague have broken out at Liverpool. Several new cases are also reported from Glasgow.

A negro was burned at the stake in Perry county, Miss., Saturday night, for the usual crime.

The world's greatest oil rusher has been opened up at Beaumont, Texas. It has a capacity of 200,000 barrels a day.

A New York boy, aged 16 years, was 6 feet and 3 inches tall, died Tuesday.

President Roosevelt has accepted a list of the Charleston exposition on February 12th.

President Roosevelt has issued his proclamation designating Thursday, the 28th as Thanksgiving day.

Prof. David Anderson, a well known leader of the Free Will, S. C. group, died recently in a branch near his home. His mind was affected.

Dr. Saulemets, the venerable President of the republic of Colombia has been kidnapped by orders of political leaders who had already stripped him of power, and is being hurried to Hacienda.

Wm. Hale, the negro who fired into the crowd at the political meeting at Ferrum, Va., and killed two men Saturday, was located in the mountains, but after firing on the posse escaped.

The body of an Italian was found wrapped up in coffee-sacks in a garage barrel in Chicago Tuesday. The head had been cut off. His identity is unknown and there is no clue to the murderer.

Dan Hogan, a Chicago sporting man, was shot and killed by his son Dan Hogan, Jr. Tuesday at Wilmington, Ill. The old man was beating his wife when the son shot him. Young Hogan has been released by the coroner's jury, which returned a verdict of "justifiable homicide."

At Yuma, Ariz., Sunday, Thomas Hart, under sentence for murder, and a Mexican, overpowered the jailer, took possession of a switch engine, ran it four miles in the country and escaped.

New Advertisements. McLain & Alexander have a heater for sale.

Flannery & Co. give you notice of dissolution of partnership.

J. H. Weston, admn. has an important notice.

Read Dr. Moore's dental notice. A bunch of keys has been lost.

Fry & Pfifer have a lot of trunks, shoes, etc.

If you want to warm this winter wear what Mills & Allison offer. See B. B. Boyd, at Barium Springs for your horses for cash or on time.

Read N. B. Mills & Co. dress goods special.

For lamps, glasses and tinware see R. D. Aycock.

The Big Store sells sewing machines and lots of other things.

The Sherrill White Co., tell some secrets in their ad this week.

Cooper and Gill want to sell groceries and buy turkeys, chickens, etc.

If you want a watch chain call on R. Eckert.

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Clothing. Clothing. Do you wear Clothing? If so, it is your attention we want, and it means a positive saving of cash to you.

All Wool Suit for \$5.00. Impress you? Would be cheap at \$7.50. Big fine Overcoats, Hats, Shirts, etc., at prices below competition.

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Poston Bros. Ladies', Men's Knit Underwear. Children's Pants and Vests. Ladies' Vests, Pants and Skirts. Men's Shirts and Drawers, prices right.

Strongest line of HEAVY SHOES. It will pay every farmer in Iredell county to see our shoes before they buy.

Sloop & Miller, The Shoe Men. M. K. STEELE, President. EUGENE MORRISON, Vice Pres.

Statesville Loan & Trust Company, STATESVILLE, N. C. CAPITAL, \$25,000.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. Three per cent allowed on Savings Deposits compounding quarterly on amount of fund.

LOST DOG. His name was Jack. Stolen last Christmas and can't get back. White setter, medium size, black spots on back and over left eye.

Great Guns. Are the Martins Repeating Shot Guns, \$24.00. Just received a new lot. Also a complete line of shells and gun repairs.

W. H. COFFEY. Oct. 24, 1901.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS. If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels regular and you'll force in the shape of the candy.

EAT 'EM LIKE CANDY. Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good. Never Sickens, Weakens or Grips. It is the only candy that will keep you regular.

Best Groceries. And let us say to the readers of "The Mascot" that we want your trade. We have every facility for doing business.

Wanted: Turkeys, Chickens, Butter, Eggs, Partridges, Geese. And all kinds of good country produce for which we pay highest cash prices.

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