

# The Statesville Mascot.

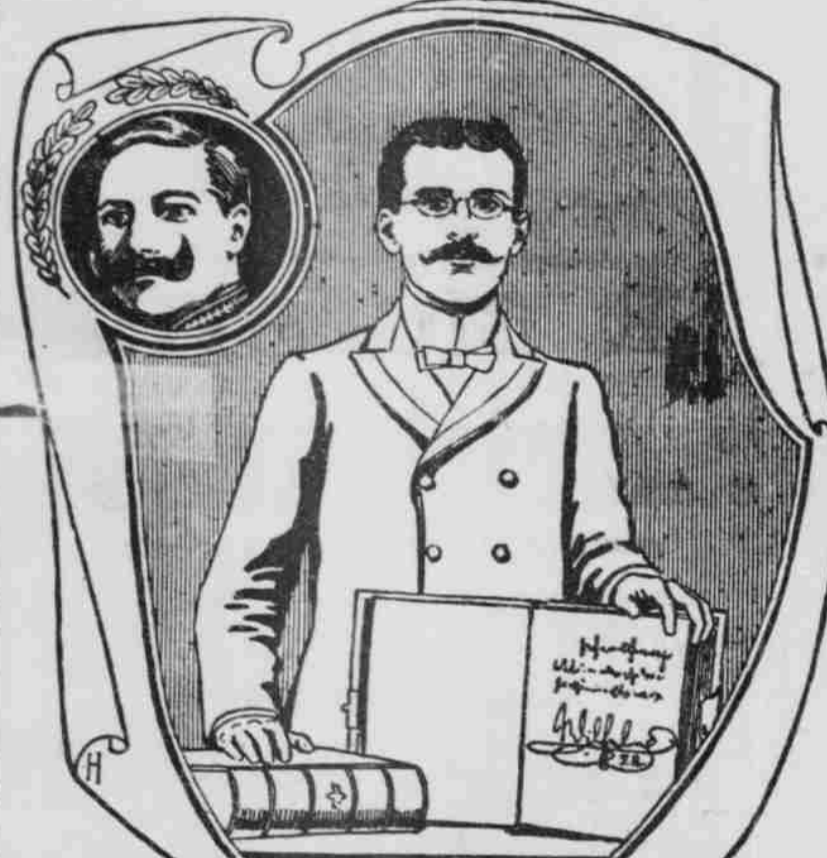
WE GUARANTEE TWICE AS LARGE A CIRCULATION IN IREDELL AND ALEXANDER COUNTIES AS THAT OF ANY OTHER PAPER PUBLISHED

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## A PASTOR WHO WAS BEFRIENDED BY AN EMPEROR SAVED BY PE-RU-NA.



Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text. This honored pastor in a recent letter to the *Peruna* Medicine Co., of Columbus, O., says concerning their famous ointment, *Peruna*:

Gentlemen: "I had hemorrhages of the lungs for a long time, and all despaired of me. I took *Peruna* and was cured. It gave me strength and courage, and made healthy, pure blood. It increased my weight, gave me a healthy color, and I feel well. It is the best medicine in the world. If everyone kept *Peruna* in the house it would save many from death every year."

Thousands of people have catarrh who would be surprised to know it, because it has been called some other name than catarrh. The fact is, catarrh is catarrh wherever located, and another fact which is of equally great importance, is that *Peruna* cures catarrh wherever located.

Catarrh is an American disease. Fully one-half of the people are afflicted more or less with it in some form. Provisions for the discovery of *Peruna*, catarrh was considered well high.

## The First National Bank OF STATESVILLE, N. C.

Transacts a Regular Banking Business. Deposits received subject to check on sight. Interest paid on time deposits. Money loaned on good collateral and personal security. Special attention paid to collections on all points, and credited or remitted at lowest rates. Accounts of Corporations, Merchants, Manufacturers and Individuals solicited and received on the most favorable terms.

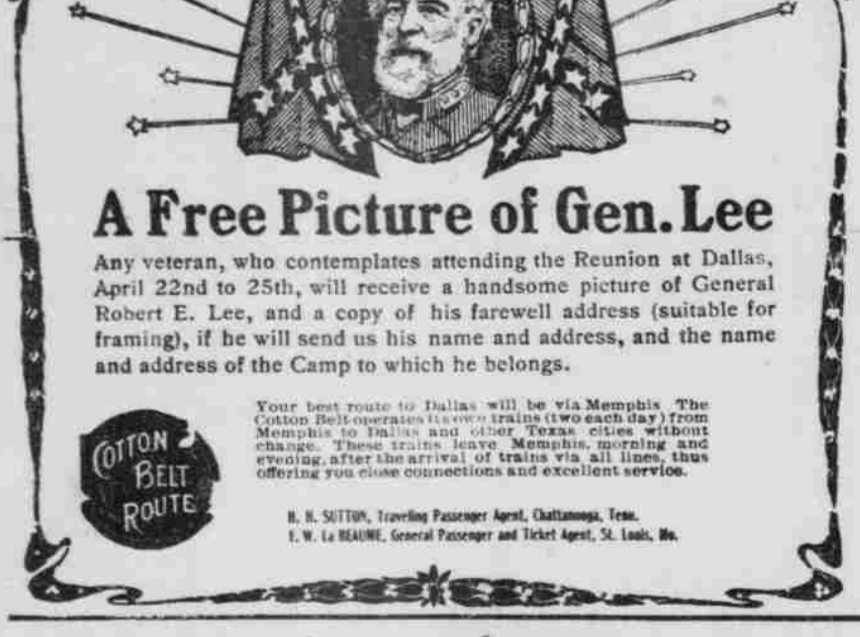
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GEO. H. BROWN, Cashier.

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

DIRECTORS: M. K. STEELE, President, J. H. Turner, J. H. Wyoff, Eugene Morrison, A. S. Saunders, C. M. Steele, Dr. W. J. Hill, R. Clark, W. L. Alrough, Dr. F. K. King and D. M. Asstley.  
This company transacts a general banking business. Receives money on deposit subject to check, makes collections, issues drafts, certificates of deposits, etc. We solicit the accounts of corporations, firms and individuals. We shall be pleased to hear from those contemplating a change of banks, or opening new accounts. All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and careful attention, with the utmost liberality consistent with safe and prudent banking.

## SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

Three per cent allowed on Savings Deposits, compounding quarterly on amounts of \$5 and over. Dividends of 25 cents and over may be made in this department daily during business hours.



### A Free Picture of Gen. Lee

Any veteran, who contemplates attending the Reunion at Dallas, April 22nd to 25th, will receive a handsome picture of General Robert E. Lee, and a copy of his farewell address (suitable for framing), if he will send us his name and address, and the name and address of the Camp to which he belongs.

Your best route to Dallas will be via Memphis. The Memphis to Dallas via Memphis, Tenn. is the shortest route. Memphis to Dallas via Memphis, Tenn. is the shortest route. Memphis to Dallas via Memphis, Tenn. is the shortest route.

MON. 11. 31. 1902.

**HON. BENJAMIN F. LONG, ESQ.**  
**His Candidacy for District Judge—The Friend of the People—His Warmly and Almost Constant Monthly—Some Recent Editorial on Him.**

The friends of ex-Solicitor Benjamin F. Long, Esq., have felt for some time that he was the logical candidate for the Superior Court judgeship in this district and his nomination would be practical, and if it could be known that he would accept the position, his friends have been anxious for him to allow his name to be placed before the convention and be finally elected to do so and to accept the nomination tendered him.

We take pleasure in reproducing below some of the articles which have appeared in the *Statesville* endorsing Mr. Long's candidacy.

Mr. Long, Esq., of Statesville, N. C., is a friend of the people of Irredell and the Democracy of Irredell will gladly support him for any office to which he may aspire. He enjoys the confidence not only of Irredell but of the people of the State, who are known because he could always be depended on in every struggle for the party to which he has always rendered valuable service on the floor and around the council board.

Mr. Long, Esq., is a man of high character and a great deal of ability. He is a man who can be depended on in every struggle for the party to which he has always rendered valuable service on the floor and around the council board.

For some time, when our old Solicitor, Hon. Benjamin F. Long, Esq., was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Superior Court judgeship in this district, it was generally understood that he would be elected. He is a man of high character and a great deal of ability. He is a man who can be depended on in every struggle for the party to which he has always rendered valuable service on the floor and around the council board.

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Virginia, where he completed the course in 1878. In 1879 he located in Statesville, and although a stranger, he soon gained such a hold as to be elected solicitor of the inferior court. His record in this position was such that he was elected solicitor of the Superior court, a position which he filled with signal ability and satisfaction for eight years. In 1894 he was nominated for Superior court judge but with the rest of the Democratic ticket was defeated by the Fusion landslide. Since that time he has been quietly practicing a profession in Irredell and neighboring counties and adding constantly to his store of legal learning and reputation as a well rounded and thoroughly furnished lawyer. He is a tireless worker, a hard student, an accurate thinker and a clear reasoner. These traits add to his well known poise and self control fit him admirably for the judgeship. Perceptive man, clear, honest and upright, he would do the right thing regardless of consequences.

Politically, Mr. Long has always been a staunch Democrat, who has given his mind and services freely to his party's welfare in almost every campaign in recent years. He was at one time mayor of Statesville, but has never been an office seeker. And at this time his nomination for the judgeship was made only after prominent men in all parts of the district had urged him to come out as a candidate. Everything points to his nomination for the judgeship.

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To the Public School Teachers of North Carolina. The authorities of the State Normal and Industrial College desiring to render every possible service to the educational interests of the State have decided to offer women teachers an institute of one month.

This is intended especially for those teachers who desire to better equip themselves for their work, but who, for various reasons, are unable to pursue the full course.

A matriculation fee of \$5 will be charged which will entitle the person paying the same to all lectures, library privileges, use of text books, and other conveniences of the college.

The department of Pedagogy, lectures on the best methods of teaching all the common school studies will be given, and the students will have an opportunity to spend some time in the Practice and Observation School. In addition, lectures on laboratory work will be offered in the different departments of science.

Besides the regular faculty of the State Normal and Industrial College, superintendents and other prominent educators to deliver special lectures. The Institute will begin April 29th and close May 24th.

It is your intention to avail yourself of this opportunity, or if you desire further information, please write to CHAS. D. McIVER, President.

Fewer School Districts and Better Schools. The Baltimore Sun has an editorial on "Better Country Schools," it is wise and full of thought. It should be read by every school committee in North Carolina.

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Every Democrat and six Republicans voted against the passage of the Subsidy bill in the Senate recently. Of course Senator McLaurin of South Carolina, voted with the other Republicans for it. And yet he hasn't the manhood and decency to say he is a Republican and not a Democrat.

Practically starving. "After using a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure my wife received perfect and permanent relief from a severe and chronic case of stomach trouble," says J. K. Holly, real estate, insurance and loan agent of Macomb, Ill. "Before using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she could not eat an ordinary meal without intense suffering. She is now entirely well. Several physicians and many friends had failed to give relief." You don't have to fast. Eat what you want, but use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure with always digests it for you—Stimson & Anderson.

The Charlotte News of the 18th says: Fire at Lenoir early this morning destroyed the Chestnut and Lenoir depot, two boxes cars of the narrow gauge line and four box cars belonging to the S. A. L. railway together with one hundred barrels of cotton. Appeal was made to Charlotte for help and a detachment of the fire department responded with an engine. The loss amounts to about \$15,000.

Gould Not Breathe. Coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, other throat and lung troubles are quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure. One Minute Cough Cure is not a mere expectorant, which gives only temporary relief. It softens and liquefies the mucus, draws out the inflammation and removes the cause of the disease. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. "One Minute Cough Cure will do all that is claimed for it," says Justice of the Peace, Q. Hood, Crosby, N. H. "My wife could not get her breath and was relieved by the first dose. It has been a benefit to my family."—Stimson & Anderson.

John Nipper shot and killed Quincy Adams near the Falls of the Neuse Friday morning. Both were white. Adams went to Nipper's house and assaulted him.

For completion. The complexion always suffers from biliousness or constipation. Unless the bowels are kept open the impurities from the body appear in the form of unsightly eruptions. DeWitt's Little Early Riser keeps the liver and bowels in healthy condition and removes the cause of such troubles. C. E. Hooper, Albany, Ga., says: "I took DeWitt's Little Early Riser for biliousness. They were just what I needed. From feeling better now than in years. Never griped or distressed. Safe, thorough and gentle. The very best pills.—Stimson & Anderson."

Congressman Blackburn has introduced a bill to reduce the tax on spirituous liquors from \$1.10 to 70 cents a gallon.

Four Two From Deaton. "Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine. Infallible for coughs and colds, 50c, and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by W. F. Hall. Trial bottles free.

The Republican State Executive committee will meet in Greensboro April 5th.

Job Couldn't Have Stood It. If he'd had Itching Piles. They're terribly annoying; but Buckler's Aranea Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. Beware of cheap, paltry, boddy eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. F. Hall.

The ship subsidy bill passed the Senate Monday by a vote of 42 to 31. Senators Allison and Dilliver, of Iowa; Spooner and Quarles, of Wisconsin; and Proctor and Dillingham, of Vermont, Republicans, voted with the Democrats against it. McLaurin, of South Carolina, voted for the bill.

Surgery is no longer necessary to cure piles. Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cures such cases at once, removing the necessity for dangerous, painful and expensive operations. For scalds, cuts, burns, wounds, bruises, sores and skin diseases it is unequalled. Beware of counterfeits.—Stimson & Anderson.

### I Coughed

"I had a most stubborn cough for many years. It deprived me of sleep and I grew very thin. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was quickly cured."—R. N. Mann, Fall Mills, Tenn.

Sixty years of cures and such testimony as the above have taught us what Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will do for you. We know it's the greatest cough remedy ever made. And you will say so, too, after you try it. There's cure in every drop.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by druggists and all dealers in medicine. W. F. Hall, Lowell, Mass.