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A WOMAN CONGRESSMAN.

Colorado Sure to Elect a Woman to
The Next Congress:
Anderson Mail.

Out in Colorado there is in progress a lively political battle, one that is making the atmosphere sizzle, even at this early day.

The fight is over who is going to represent the State in Congress from among the many bright woman politicians in both the Republican and Democratic parties.

For there seems to be no doubt that there will be a "lady Congressman" from Colorado next time. This is now practically conceded by the wise men in both parties.

Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker, a democrat, is suggested as one who might win the honor. Congressman Rucker is known to have announced that he is ready and willing to step down and out to make room for Mrs. Decker whenever called upon to do so. It is understood that the Democratic party of the State is perfectly satisfied to have Mrs. Decker succeed Mr. Rucker, and whether it is or not will make no difference to Mrs. Decker, for she will likely enter the race. She is conceded to be a brilliant woman well versed in parliamentary usages, posted to a degree on economic and political questions, and an orator of considerable note—all combining to equip her for the duties of a "congressman." With her are all the Democratic suffragists in Colorado.

Pink Pain Tablets—Dr. Shoop's—stop Headache, womanly pains anywhere, in 20 minutes sure. Formula on the 25c. box. Ask your druggist or doctor about this formula—it's fine.

Hambrick & Austin,

To The Old Carolina Veterans."

BY T. JACKSON.

Here's to Old Carolina Veterans,
From the land of pine and tar,
There never has been danger—
Too great for them to dare.

Four years they wore the grey of
South Land,
And kept their banner high,
A thin grey line around it,
Resolved to do or die.

Four years they wore the grey of
South Land,
And raised the rebel yell,
On many a well fought field,
Mid storms of shot and shell.

Four years they wore the grey of
South Land,
While comrades around them fell,
How well they did their duty,
The records and songs will tell.

But the old thin grey line,
That once was young and gay—
Are answering to the last roll call,
And passing fast away.

Their heads have frosted over,
Black locks have changed to grey,
The thin grey line is breaking,
And going nature's way.

But when they cross life's ocean,
And reach the other shore,
God rest the souls in Heaven,
That meet on earth no more.

SPECIAL TERM TO TRY WATKINS.

Asheville, Sept. 25.—A special term of superior court beginning October 25 has been called by the Governor, whereat F. C. Watkins, constable of Black Mountain township, will be tried for the killing of John H. Bunting, a traveling salesman of Wilmington, and the wounding of Paul Cameron Collins, cashier of the Bank of Hillsboro, on August 7, while they were guests at a Black Mountain hotel. Watkins maintains that he shot in self-Defense, being called in to quell a disturbance by the men.

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FIND THIRTY-SIX BODIES.

Discovery of Section Hands on Louisville & Nashville Railroad Swells Death List of Flood to Approximately Two Hundred.

New Orleans, Sept. 25.—Section hands on the Louisville & Nashville railroad found the bodies of 36 sailors and fishermen near Dunbar station, Louisiana, late today. This brings the total number of dead resulting from last Monday's hurricane up to approximately two hundred. The bodies were badly decomposed and were buried near the old track bed, without identification.

Dunbar is a small station on the Louisville & Nashville railroad between New Orleans and Bay on St. Louis, Miss. It is not far from the rigolets, which connect Lake Borgne, an arm of the Gulf of Mexico, with Lake Ponchartrain. During the hurricane many light draughts sailing vessels, heading for the inland waters, were swept ashore in this section. From day to day the body of a drowned sailor or fisherman from some of these wrecked schooners has been found and estimates on the total number of dead have been based on the former rate at which these bodies have been discovered.

When 36 bodies were found in one place at one time today, all former estimates as to the number of persons who lost their lives in the gulf coast hurricane were completely upset. Diligent search throughout the same section failed to reveal any more bodies. The clothing and appearance of the drowned men plainly showed their calling, but there was nothing which would lead to individual identification.

Taft and Cannon May Come to Mr. Morehead's Rescue.

Winston Sentinel.

It has been figured out in this bailiwick that by announcing that he would not accept a re-nomination Congressman John M. Morehead of this district, lost much of his influence with the "powers that be" in Washington. Perhaps this is how and why his endorsement in the censor supervisorship failed to land his man.

It is now reported that Congressman Morehead will not only be supported by Cannon, but that Judge Taft is very much opposed to the way the appointment of Professor Glasson was manipulated and that the row will assume national proportions. It is expected to have some important southern significance at least. Nobody pretends to know all about it, but the charge is made by Mr. Bramham, of Durham who knows all about it, but the charge has seen directly made that Committeeman Duncan went over the head of Congressman Morehead.

There is one best in everything. The range best is the Malleable, made in South Bend, which will be exhibited at the store of Long, Bradsher & Co., the first week in October.

Social Clubs and Liquor.

Gastonia Dispatch.

Mr. A. L. Bulwinkle, of this city, at the request of Sheriff T. E. Shuford recently wrote to Attorney General T. W. Bickett, requesting an expression of opinion as to the construction of the statute, section 64, revenue law, relating to clubs and the dispensing by them of intoxicating liquors. The law is very plain and Attorney General Bickett's construction of it is in keeping with the popular conception, to-wit, that no social club can be chartered for the purpose of selling or giving away spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or any mixture of them. No reference is made to the locker system, which is the one so generally resorted to, and which is the scheme by means of which the prohibition law is circumvented.

North Wilkesboro Hustler, 17th: The most unique marriage that has occurred for some time was performed on the Brushy mountain Sunday at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. A. Parker, near Gilreath, when Miss Texie Parker, 17 years of age, became the wife of Mr. Riley Moore, the groom also being only 17.

Convicts May Grade Mattamuskeet R. Route.

Raleigh, Sept. 24.—Governor Kitchin and Council of State adopted a resolution relative to the Mattamuskeet, railroad situation to the effect that the state convicts will be allowed to grade an extension of the road from Belhaven to Washington as soon as the grading from Fairfield to Belhaven is completed, provided the town of Washington and people of the section traversed will provide without cost to the state, rights of way and terminals at Washington and Bath; provide all material, necessary for the grading with out expense to the state or railroad property and provided a satisfactory position as to equipping and operating the road is submitted. It seems that the council did not at the conference yesterday and today consider the matter of bond issues or other means of equipping and operating the main line of the Mattamuskeet road for which a \$500,000 bond issue has been proposed.

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