

# The High Point Enterprise.

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HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA.

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## BIG LINE OF

new val-laces 5c yd.  
Beautiful line of figured crepes for 10c  
Dainty line of figured dimity 12 1-2c  
Good values in hosiery at 25c, 50c and \$1.00

Just received new line of parasols for children, 25c, 50c and \$1.00, for misses and ladies, \$1.00 to \$1.35. Something new every day.

Leonard-Beavans  
Stamey Co.



## WALKING SHOES.

should be particularly sturdy as well as perfectly comfortable. All the enjoyment of walking shoes will be lost otherwise. We have prepared a display of walking shoes for men and women which is simply ideal. Have a look at it and you will see at once how well adapted to strenuous service the footwear is.

THACKER'S.

We have moved into our new quarters, 131 S. Main Street and invite you to inspect our portables, showers, domes and "everything electrical."

Comstock Electric Co.  
131 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
Next to Mattocks' Store



is always the kind that rewards the housewife or cook for using the HIGH POINT MILLING CO.'S flour, it is always sure to give the utmost satisfaction, and "win golden opinions from all sorts of people" for her skill as a good bread maker. Our superior White Frost and Luxury is unexcelled for high quality and fine flavor, and is pure and healthful.

Yours truly,  
HIGH POINT MILLING CO.  
\$7.75 Buys  
a warranted 20 year Gold Watch with a 16 size Elgin movement at the Queen Jewelry Co

## A New City Hall For High Point Should Be Erected This Year

For some months past the City Council has been discussing the question of erecting a modern and commodious City Hall on the lot purchased by the former council for this purpose, located at the corner of Commerce and Rankin streets, and the matter has now reached the point where some action looking to an expression of the opinion of the citizens of the city will soon be arranged for.

Some years ago a former administration purchased a small piece of ground located on Jordan street on which to erect a fire station for the North Side Hose Company and a portion of the upstairs of this building has been used since that time as a municipal court room, pending the erection of a suitable building for the accommodation of all the departments of the city government.

The building of the large garage adjoining the present building will close up all of the windows on the south side and will leave the building practically useless except for a fire station as seems to have been originally intended.

The city has the right under the law to provide the new building but it is the intention of the Mayor and Council to first lay the entire matter before the people before anything definite is done.

A mass meeting to which every citizen will be invited, will be called at an early date, as the city must at once begin the erection of at least a portion of the new building in order to provide a place for the South Side Hose Company and the new motor truck and it is the hope of the members of the Council who have expressed themselves, that the entire building be erected now and the entire business of the city be properly housed in one building, as it should be.

If the new City Hall is built now, it will provide an ideal market house on the entire ground floor and this will be sufficiently large to accommodate six or possibly eight stalls well equipped under the most approved sanitary regulations. This arrangement will bring a nice revenue to the city and will help materially in paying the interest on the outlay.

The next floor, which will have its main elevated entrance from Commerce street front, will provide ample court room, arranged in an ideal manner so as to avoid noise and confusion, a council chamber, Mayor's office, City Clerk's office, collector's office, superintendents' offices, Police department, etc., and the third floor will be arranged for a public hall suitable for all kinds of worthy displays and exhibitions and to be a general free meeting place for citizens of the city.

If the citizens approved the plan as outlined (and certainly no serious objection can be raised to it) then High Point will soon be able to point with pride to at least one public building (not including our school buildings) a building worthy of any city in the State.

If the city council can finance this proposition as it seems they can, then surely the people will get square behind the matter and give it a unanimous endorsement.

## Becker-Raiders' are Called to Help Convict Old Chief

New York, May 19.—District Attorney Whitman yesterday stole a march on the defense in the trial of Charles Becker, when he subpoenaed two of the members of the old Strong Arm Squad as witnesses for the State against their former commander.

The men served are Charles Steinert and James C. White, who figured soon after the first Becker trial in an indictment for perjury. It was charged they had "framed up" Jack Zelig, the leader of the gang in which were "Lefty Louis," "Dago Frank," "Whitey Lewis" and "Gyp the Blood." The indictment against them subsequently was dismissed.

Every bluffer's bluff will be called some day, father time can be bluffed. Protect that dear wife and the kiddies, with the best life insurance contract that can be written! Let C. B. Overman tell you about it.

## Dominican Defiance Disturbs Washington

Fighting Reported by Commander Bierer of Gunboat Wheeling.

Washington, May 19.—News today of the latest activities of Dominican revolutionists caused no little concern among State and Navy officials here. Commander Bierer of the gunboat Wheeling at Santo Domingo City, reported the rebels had defied American officers in charge of a custom house near Comendador and forced 50,000 rounds of ammunition across the border from Hayti.

At Dajabon, also on the Haitian line, the commander reported General Dorcilien, with 300 or 400 men, had threatened to attack the custom house, and the situation there is considered acute.

President Bordas is continuing his attack on the rebel stronghold, Puerto Plata, and small revolutionary bands are operating in the vicinity of Santo Domingo City itself. On the night of May 14, the report said, rebels fired about 50 shots across the river at the capital and disappeared.

Captain Eberle of the United States cruiser Washington has been obliged to caution President Bordas to cease reckless firing into Puerto Plata, where the lives of Americans and other non-combatants have been endangered.

## BRAGAW-HARDING.

The following invitation has been received by friends here: "Mr. William Bragaw requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter, Katherine Masters Bloom, to Mr. Edmund Hoyt Harding, on the morning of Wednesday, the third of June, at half after ten o'clock, Saint Peter's Church, Washington, North Carolina."

## NO PAPER TOMORROW.

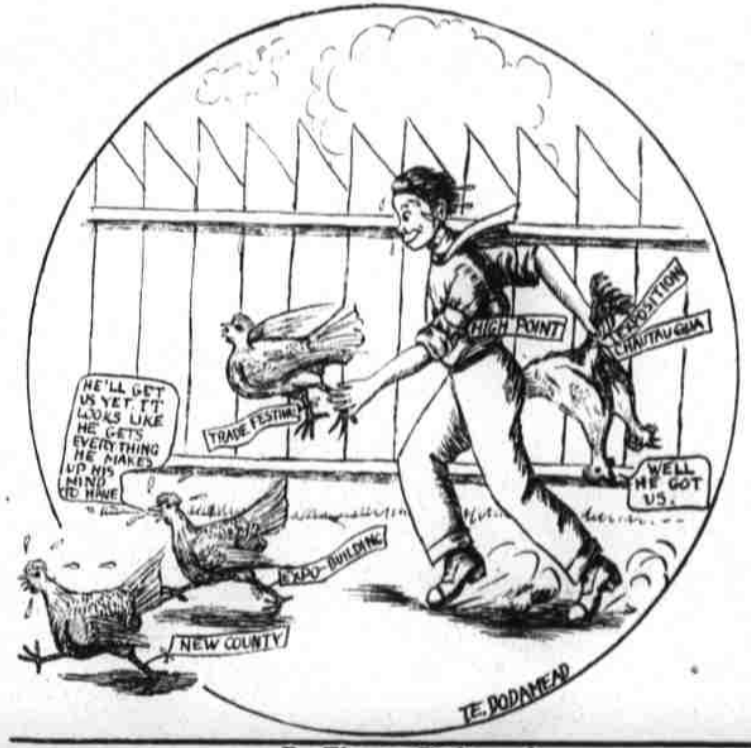
There will be no paper on account of Decoration Day, holiday being given employees.

## All Banks Close.

All the banks of the city will close Wednesday on account of Decoration Day.

## IN INTEREST OF MR. WHARTON.

Messrs. E. B. Wheeler, of Whitsett; C. A. Wharton, of Gibsonville, and John W. Wharton, of Guilford county, are here today in the interest of the nomination of Mr. C. A. Wharton.



By Thomas Dodamead.

## WOMAN'S CLUB.

An adjourned business meeting will be held Wednesday, the 20th, at 4 p. m. at the home of the president. The special purpose of this meeting is to hear the reports of the delegates to Fayetteville. The meeting will be somewhat social and a large attendance is expected. Mrs. H. A. White, president.

The Economics Department of the Woman's Club will hold its final meeting on Friday afternoon May 22, at the home of Mrs. T. J. Gold. A covered dish luncheon will be served by members of the department and officers for the coming year will be elected. It is hoped that every member will be present. Mrs. T. J. Gold, chairman.

## Opening New Freight Station June 1 MEANS GREAT CONVENIENCE TO SHIPPERS.

It is now a positive fact that the new station of the Carolina & Yadkin River Railway Co. will be opened for business on Monday morning, June 1st. They will be ready for handling less car load freight through their commodious freight station; their track facilities will be up to date in every respect; their coal chute for public use will be one of the greatest conveniences. Mr. Price states that sufficient force will be put on to take care of all business offered. Package car service in connection with the South-bound, Atlantic Coast Line and Norfolk & Western is now being arranged for, and it is their intention to move practically all less car load traffic under package car system. There will be no danger of teams getting tied up in mud as crushed stone driveways are being made covering the entire station grounds and team tracks. Particular attention will be given to the prompt placing of cars for team track loading and unloading.

## OFFICERS B. & L. ELECTED.

At a meeting of the board of directors of High Point Perpetual Building and Loan Association held May 8th, 1914, Mr. E. A. Snow, who had been vice president was elected to the position of president to succeed Mr. J. P. Redding, whose death caused this office to be vacant. Mr. C. M. Hauser was elected vice president and Mr. A. E. Tate was elected to fill the vacancy on the Board of Directors.

## DEATH OF JOHN HALL TATE.

The funeral services over the remains of Mr. John Hall Tate were held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock conducted by Rev. M. L. Kesler, of Thomasville.

Deceased had been a sufferer for the past three years from tuberculosis of the throat, during which time nearly every remedy had been employed for his relief. He died late Saturday night after being confined to his bed for some weeks. He was the only son of Mr. John H. Tate. He was a young man of exemplary character and the news of his death will be heard with regret by a large circle of friends.

Mr. Ulrich, representing the Catawauqua Association of Pennsylvania will be at the Manufacturers Club tonight. He is very anxious for everyone who signed contract to be present at this meeting.

## Call For Second Democratic Primary

There being no nomination in the first Democratic primary for County commissioners and none for constable of Morehead township, we hereby call a second primary for those offices, to be held Thursday, May 21st. The Democratic voters throughout the county will vote at their regular polling places, for T. A. Wilson, J. A. Rankin, W. C. Tucker and C. A. Wharton for county commissioners, these four having received the highest number of votes for that office. Each voter will vote for three.

The Democrats of Morehead township, will vote, at their regular polling places, for W. J. Weatherly and H. S. Patterson for Constable, these two having received the highest number of votes for that office. Each voter will vote for one.

Thomas C. Hoyle, Chairman.  
Board of County Elections.

## AT GUILFORD COLLEGE.

Complete Program of Exercises to Be Conducted Just Announced.

Sunday, May 31st, the first day of the exercises of the commencement at Guilford College will be conducted beginning with the baccalaureate sermon which will be preached by Dr. E. M. Poteat, of Greenville, S. C.

The complete commencement program follows:

Sunday, May 31st, 11 a. m.—Baccalaureate service—Dr. E. M. Poteat, Greenville, S. C.

1 p. m.—Address to the Christian Associations—Dr. E. R. Leyburn, Durham N. C.

Monday, June 1st, 2:00 p. m.—Class Day Exercises.

8:00 p. m.—Business Meeting Alumni Association, King Hall.

9:30 p. m.—Alumni Reception, Library.

Tuesday, June 2nd, 10:00 a. m.—Dr. Harvey W. Cox, University of Florida.

## LARGE GRADUATING CLASS.

The Enterprise is in receipt of an invitation from Henry Sherrod to attend the graduating exercises of the senior class of Trinity College June 7-10. The class this year numbers 65 graduates.

Commencement Program.

Sunday June 7, 8:30 p. m.—Baccalaureate Address, Rev. Plato Tracy Durham, Charlotte, N. C.

Tuesday, June 9, 11 a. m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, President Henry Churchhill King, D. D., S. C. D., L. L. D., Oberlin College.

Tuesday, June 9, 1 p. m.—Alumni Address, Hon Daniel Calhoun Roer, Washington, D. C.

Tuesday, June 9, 8 p. m.—Graduating Orations.

Wednesday, June 10, 10:30 a. m.—Commencement Address, Dean Le Baron Russell Briggs, Litt. D., L. L. D., Harvard University.

Conferring of degrees.

Mutual Girl  
At the Rose tomorrow, May 20th.

## AN APPEAL FOR A SQUARE DEAL.

To the Democrats of Guilford County:

The undersigned citizens of Eastern Guilford appeal to your sense of justice and fair play in asking you to vote for C. A. Wharton for county commissioner Thursday.

If you will go a mile or so east of Greensboro and draw a line across the county from north to south you will have five commissioners west of that line and find nearly half of the county to the east of that line unrepresented.

Not only does Eastern Guilford have no county commissioner, but it has no other county office.

Eastern Guilford is making no fight on any man on the present board; we would regret to see any one of them defeated. Yet, we do ask for representation and a voice in county affairs. Won't you give us a "square deal" in Thursday's primary?

J. W. Summers, M. L. Fogleman L. A. Carmon, D. M. Davidson, J. H. Rankin, J. W. Boring, J. H. Joyner, D. F. Ridge, W. T. Whitsett, L. T. Barber, R. C. Dick, S. V. May, W. H. McClean, W. H. Fogleman, A. B. Crouse, C. C. Wimbish, L. B. Shepherd, J. Frank Swift, Ed. B. Wheeler, J. H. Walker.

## Prepare For Eclipse of Sun on August 21

Washington, May 19.—The eclipse of the sun on August 21 next—total in part of Europe and partial in northeastern America—is attracting widespread attention of astronomers and scientists, various expeditions being arranged to witness this phenomena.

Prof. C. C. Abbott, head of the astronomical branch of the Smithsonian Institution, and a recognized authority on solar phenomena, gives the following popular account of the eclipse.

On August 21, 1914, the moon will pass exactly between the earth and the sun, and there will be a total solar eclipse. It will not be observed in America, except as a small partial eclipse at sunrise in the Northern States and Canada, but in Persia, Russia and Scandinavia the full effect will be seen.

## LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

The fight for the second primary is on.

Charlotte is pulling off a big celebration this week and many of our citizens are joining in the big throng that will visit the Queen City.

J. R. Young left today to attend the grand lodge of the Odd Fellows.

Glad to see Mr. A. E. Grayson on the streets.

Miss Bessie Pitts leaves tonight for Charlotte to be present at the Mecklenburg celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Mills will spend tomorrow in Statesville.

Mrs. J. Ed. Mills has returned from a visit to friends in Winston.

Otis Mendenhall spent the day in Burlington.

Fine progress is being made on the new ice plant. It will be ready for business in a few weeks.

Mrs. Lee Cartland, of Greensboro, is visiting Mrs. E. D. Steele.

W. A. Pegram, manager of the Winston-Salem Realty and Auction Co., is here today.

Ed. Sherrill, of Greensboro, is here today.

The weather man promises us warmer weather.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Sapp, of Greensboro are here today.

In the absence of Rev. J. H. Barnhardt, Prof. Thornwell Haynes will conduct the prayer meeting service at Washington Street M. E. Church Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Services will be conducted at Bethel Reformed church every evening during the week at 7:45. Afternoon services at 3 o'clock.

Rev. D. E. Bowers, of Winston-Salem will preach for us, You and your friends will be welcomed at these services.

UNVEILING CEREMONY.

On Sunday afternoon, May 10, 1914, a large crowd assembled at Hickory Chapel near High Point, to witness the unveiling of a monument erected by the Woodmen of the World to the memory of the late Sovereign J. W. Witcer.

First on the program was a song, "Sweet Peace," by O. E. Mendenhall, L. B. Williams, A. L. Burns, A. W. Angel. Reading by the Council Commander F. G. Barbee. Exercise by the Clerk R. T. Chappell, Watchman Frank Beck, and Sentry J. E. Yountz. Song by the Quartette, "Beautiful Land." Reading of poem, Mrs. R. T. Chappell, Unveiling of monument by master of ceremony, J. D. Kountz. Exercise by Council Commander F. G. Barbee, Adv. Lieut. T. W. Stoner, Banker J. E. Johnston and the Clerk R. T. Chappell. Address by Rev. H. C. Bowers on deceased sovereign, another beautiful song rendered by the quartette, "We Will Never Say Good-Bye." The quartette was at their best and their music was enjoyed by all.

The address on "Woodcraft," by Hon. R. L. Tilly was very fine and all present enjoyed the occasion very much.

## NEW ADS.

Milton Electric Co.—To enjoy good health.

Allen Bros.—Clearance Sale of Women's and Misses wearing apparel.

Leonard-Beavans-Stamey Co.—Big line of val-laces.

Rose Theatre—Perils of Pauline.

300 Cans California Lemon Cling Dessert Peaches, 20 cents can, Tuesday only. Stout.

BEGINNING  
FULL MOON  
MAY THE 9TH

Right in the heart of low shoe season to close out our WOMEN'S SHOES; I am going to increase my stock of men's shoes, my capital and store room will not permit both lines. I have a line of women's shoes that need no introduction, they are well known to every woman in High Point.

I want to spend just a little money advertising as possible and will be compelled to sell women's shoes at a very great loss to move them quick. Now if you don't need any shoes at any price, this sale will not interest you. But if you need a very little cash will buy a pair. I have most any style in black, tan, or white, women's, misses and children's, high or low cuts.

Please don't ask to have any women's shoes charged at this sale. I don't want any record of this shoe sale.

Forget the troubles of today, for to-morrow has troubles of its own.

Watch the shoe window and you can get an idea of the prices we will have for you. Beginning

SATURDAY MAY 9th

MATTOCK'S STORE



## "A GOOD CIGAR IS A SMOKE."

wrote Kipling. We don't want to ring you in, but we know that you can see the "O. K." in the rings of the smoke of the luscious cigars that we sell. Havana cigars that are of the clear Havana tobacco—not those mixed with inferior tobaccos.

CLEMENTS CIGAR CO.