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A CORRECTION.

In last week's issue was published a missigners, that the expanses of the The types male an error. Mr. Pope's penses for 1901 were reduced \$1,000, and not \$100 as it was printed.

We are sorry that the mistake occurral and gladly make the correctron The county expenses were reduced \$1,000 in 1901.

CALL HIM DOWN.

This week the contract for grading the Raleigh & Cape Fear Railroad will be awarded. . The road goes to Lillington, Harnett County, and even further. folks can take a steamer trip there, for Assistant United States District Attorney Oscar Spears, who lives at Lillington, says the people there will provide a steamer and a barge and also build a big pavillion, thus making ready for the coming of the excursionists, who will wake up the hamlet of Lillington. The latter is an interesting bamlet. Some time ago wood-peckers destroyed the court house there; filled it so full of holes that it was a mere shell and had to come down. Now there is new court house and a fine bridge. A Raleigh man says Lillington is of para place can be.

The above appeared in the Charlotte Observer a few days ago frem its Raleigh correspondent.

Now, the editor of THE COMMON-WALLEH has a very tender feeling for Harnett, for it was his birth resort to issue of bonds? I think not. in the manner of its making that jus- J. W. Powell 50 acres Fishing ace and the nome of his youth.

We question the statement about the wood-peckers pecking the court house down; and as to Lillington being such a "small place," we can only say if that Raleigh man will go down there and make the statement publicly he will be right apt to go away with a case of the "big head." That is to say, it will be so if certain quiet looking fellows of pugilistic ability guard the honor of the dear old precinct as they did in our school boy days.

Lillington to us has ever been a big place, for there we learned many things at the feet of that prince of quiet scholars, Rev. William Brunt; and there we heard the classic conversation of Dr. John McKay, R. C. Beldin, Esq , and others.

. We call down any Raleigh man who "speaks small" of Lillington, or any other place in Harnett county.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

There is no telling what will take lace in the State Convention at Greensoro on July 17th. Under the general plan of its organization all kinds of a whole year for \$1.75. democrats--regular and irregular, the ed delegate and the free-pass delegatewill have equal votces under the provision that "all democrats who may attend are to be regarded as delegates." The purpose of the free-pass delegate will be to overthrow the expressed will of the people as it already has been determined by a certain element that they will either dictate the actions of that body or bring about confusion, disorder, ruin.

It is necessary that the people at large be ready for any contingency that may arise, and in the very great concern we have as to the outcome of the fight for Chief Justice, we seem to lose sight of an equally important matter-the manner of naming our U. S. Senator. In the name of the people I I ask that the Convention give us a primary in order that the people may name the man.

The people are the sovereign in this country and to none other does kingly power belong. In matters which vitally concern the people their wishes should be expressed and then be carried into effect. I believe in the doctrine of the "referendum," and our party is committed to this doctrine both by declaration and precedent.

For the sake of the perpetuity of the Democratic party we cannot depart from this doctrine, and I therelore ask the State Convention to give us a primary throughout the State, at which primary the people can say whom they will have the Legislature to elect as U. S. Senator.

We must have a primary for this rpose, and to this end I shall use my utmost endeavor. Will all who agree with me join in with me in such a demand? Let every man in North Carolina (from the mountains to the sea) who is in fayor of such a primary speak out, and there will be produced such a loud acclaim that our representatives will know we are in dead earnest, and will then grant the request. Respectfully,

ROBERT A. FOARD, Charlotte, N. C.

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HALIFAX COUNTY FIVANCIES.

EDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH :-It seems that my modest suggestion in a late issue of your your paper has stirred up some of our county "officials." According to Mr. B. A. Pope, chairman, ought to have informed myself as to the state of the county finances. He penses were actually reduced last year \$100.00. That the levy this vear is five cents in the \$100.00 lower than last. Mr. J. P. Futrell, treasurer, says that I am off in my politics and show no such condition as stated by me. I fear these gentlemen are in
altered to take a somewhat rossy view

Minston's defeat would be act of party clined to take a somewhat rosy view

At the legislature of North Caralina 1899 an act was passed authorizing the commissioners of Halifax county to now be found among their most loyal issue coupon bonds of said county to supporters. pay the indebtedness thereof in an amount not to exceed \$15,000. Chap. 535, Sec. 7, authorized them to levy annually a special tax of not more than five cents in the \$100 00 worth of property and fitteen cents on the poll, to provide for the payment of these bonds. In 1901 the commissioners of Halilax county were authorized to issue bonds to pay the indebtedness At Lillington it will cross the Cape thereof, in an amount not to exceed Fear river. Next summer Ealeigh \$10,000, bearing interest at six per cent, Acts 1901. Chap. 198. At the same legislature Chap. 69, the commissioners of Halifax county were authorized to use the surplus funds derived from the sale of bonds of 1899 ssue, for the annual and current expenses of the county. I am informed that they sold in the market at a premium. Here we have in the last two legislatures Halifax county asking ticular interest, as showing how small for \$25,000, or authority to issue ful survey of the field and upon the Shearin tract taxes and cost \$3.74. What assurance have the taxpayers grind, no personal debts to pay, no oak taxes and cost apidly deteriorating that she can not pay her debts and expenses without

Halifax county is greater now than What shall we say of his record on the Jesse Richardson Sr. 14 acres in years past when the amount levied bench? Has it not been from first to Howtree taxes and cost for taxes was sufficient to pay her debts the wisdom of his appointment? Is swamp taxes and cost ate Dr. W. R. Wood and tris associates stands higher? Is there one that com- Ringwood taxes and cost beir legal counsel, took charge of the l county financies or board of comand expenses without resort to issuing there has never been nor can there be bonds. Can it not be done again?

I still think that there should be a change in the board of county comobjection to some of the names I mentioned, politically and personally, I will state that I am not wedded to any purticular men, just so that they be the affairs of the county economically : Payer" in your last issue, that the able? No one more so. number be increased to five men, from lifferent parts of the county, a good ing to risk my reputation in being revolutionists of 1898 and 1900. "off in politics and finance," Mr. Futrell being the judge.

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Some of these gentlemen we have vigorously supported in the past and under other circumstances we would

We do not hesitate to say that by every consideration that has heretofore obtained in Democratic conventions Judge Winston should be accorded an endorsement of his course.

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Judge Winston's appointment Governor Aycock was made after the fullest deliberation; after a most carebonds to that amount, with which to strongest possible endorsements of the Mrs. S. J. Hardy 15 acres New pay debts and expenses of the county. bar and the people in all parts of the Road taxes and cost hat the next legislature will not be motive, nor purpose, except to J. J. Macklin estate two years asked for more? Is the county so promote the good of the party, the tax 123 acres Hills Roads taxes welfare of the public and the proper and costs administration of justice. His appoint J. G. Newsom 22 acres New ment was made and there is nothing Road taxes and cost The assessed taxable property in tifies opposition to his nomination. Creek taxes and cost last a most complete demonstration of Cary Solomon 52 acres Bearand expenses. A few years since the there a Judge on the bench to-day that S. A. Solomon one town lot he surpassed by any one in his ability Tucker place taxes and cost missioners, paid the county debt to dispatch business? In his courts This 4th day June 1902.

We will not lengthen this article with quotations from the press or with missioners, and as there seems to be copies of the resolutions of the bar, where he has held Court. The press and bar and people have been loud in

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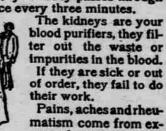
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