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Thursday, April 21, 1910.

The Press Association is going to be held too early for this scribe. The last of July or first of August would be a much better date.

May or you will not be allowed to soothing power in the sitting side by vote in the election next fall. This is a very important matter and we hope those who have not done so, will pay This is where boards of conciliation, this matter today.

es are very busy advocating candidates for President two years hence. Governor Harmon, of Ohio, and May-William Jennings B?

quietly contends that it is wrong for and however pure his motive, may the various Judicial districts to nom- tion of a number of individuals aniinate Judges and then the whole mated by the same purpose can Judges by the State Convention. It says:--

feated by politicians in district con- gether and work." ventions, as was the case of Judge Shaw a few years ago. If the Work of a judge was confined to his home district people outside the district would have no right to pass on the judge is all wrong."

It is the desire of the post office department that patrons of rural mail paint their boxes and post a pure white color and an effort is being made to have this done throughout the country. The request is made for the double purpose of preserving the post and protecting the box as well as uniformity of identification. It is also urged that the name of the patron be marked on each box. To this end the department is writing to postmasters and urging that patrons be urged to paint box and post.

We are publishing the above clipping from the Greenville Reflector nouncing it a delightful evening. with the hope that our R. F. D. patrons will heed the request of the post office department, and especially the part about placing their name on the box. It will take only a few minutes time to carry out the request of the Government. It is so often Dowell Tuesday from four to six. that we travel along the road, see a Punch was served in the library. nice farm and a beautiful home and The room was fragrant with its exa mail box on the road side but no quisite white roses. From the libraname on the box to tell a stranger ry the guests were invited into the who lives there. Let us get busy sitting room, which was prettily decabout this matter.

COL. COOPER FREE.

last week affirmed the verdict of sentence of 20 years in the peniten- cream and cake were served. Col. Cooper his freedom. The Governor was an important witness in J. E. Bowers Saturday afternoon, the trial of the Coopers and he has April 23rd. very decided views as to their guilt. In a statement given out to the press he said:-

'In my opinion neither of the defendants is guilty and they have not and the evidence.'

Governor Patterson may be honest in his belief, but he will have a hard land will remain at Scotland Neck. time making the outside world be- He has a congregation of splended lieve but what the Coopers ought to workers. A strong church composed name of his fair State that it will a pastor's lines are cast in fields more go back to his work on Saturday we sick headache and constipation will take generations to outlive.

Cooper will ever be tried again and Neck.—Roanoke News. even if he should be convicted the Governor would as promptly issue a pardon for him as he did for the old

any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Signature of Sold by all Druggists.

GETTING TOGETHER.

We want to see the people of Scotland Neck get together. There can be no growth and enterprise until J. C. HARDY, - - - - Editor this is done. In writing along a general line the Standard-Laconic, of Snow Hill, N. C., last week made the following sensible observation:

"Many misunderstandings between individuals and between parties would be prevented if people would only get together and talk matters over calmly and in friendly spirit. It is the remaing apart that does the mischief, because it engen-The cry is now going out to pay ders suspicion and wrong views. your poll tax before the first day of There is a wonderful clarifying and side in a spirit of fairness and with the one desire of reaching the truth and cultivating friendly relations. without further delay. Attend to commissions and interviews, official or unofficial, have their value.

"But this getting together is useviews exists, but also in getting people of similar opinions to work as one body for the furtherance of some good object. The progress of or Gaynor, of New York City, seem many cities is retarded not so much to be most prominently mentioned. from diversity of views and absence But what is going to become of of a spirit of accord, as from the fact that their citizens do not get together and co-operate. A single in-The Statesville Landmark very dividual, however good his project accomplish little, but the combina-State have to vote for them since it oftentimes achieve wonders in prois true that the Judges serve in all moting the business, social, aesthetic the districts from the sea to the and moral welfare of the place in mountains. As a remedy, the Land- which they live. One person is but mark advocates the nomination of one, but let him join with another and the power is more than doubled. It is not that one and one make two, but in numerals they often stand for "It is often the case that experienc- eleven, and that is generally the ed, able and popular judges are de- ratio of influence when they get to-

Delightful Box Party.

Reported. On Friday night, 15th inst., under matter, but under the circumstances the direction of Miss Sallie Spruill the custom of naming candidates for Baker there was given a delightful box party at Palmyra. The proceeds were for the benefit of the town school there. A large number of young ladies and gentlemen attended from Scotland Neck, and they report a most enjoyable occasion.

The lunch boxes and baskets were furnished by the young ladies, the name of each young lady being called just before her box was sold, and the person who purchased her box enjoyed the lunch with her. The boxes and baskets were beautiful, were bountifully filled with good things, and sold high.

Besides the lunches thus furnished journey of life. other refreshments, cream and cake, were served and all went away pro-

Round Table Club.

Reported for The Commonwealth.

The Round Table Club was de lightfully entertained at the hospitable home of Mrs. Archibald Mc-

orated with quantities of dogwood. The meeting was called to order by the president. The papers for the afternoon were read by Mes-The Supreme Court of Tennessee dames W. R. Bond, G. S. White and Miss Thorne. They were listened to with attention and showed careful guilty in the case of Col. Duncan B. study and preparation on the part of Cooper, and gave his son, Robin, a the writers. After the reading of new trial. These men were under a the papers delicious refreshments of

tiary for the murder of former Sen-S. White, W. H. Josey, G. Hoffman, ator Carmack on the streets of Nash- H. I. Clark, C. G. Bradley, C. W. ville Tenn., in the fall of 1908. The Albertson, W. R. Bond, Misses Lena Chief Justice had hardly finished Leggett, Eleanor Smith and Pattie reading the decision before Governor Thorne. The invited guests were here. Patterson signed the pardon giving Mrs. C. A. Beck, of Delawars, and

Miss Pattie Vaughan. The next meeting will be with Mrs.

Declines The Call.

Rev. R. A. McFarland, pastor of the Scotland Neck Baptist Church, had a fair and impartial trial, but has declined the call recently extendwere convicted contrary to the law ed to him by the congregation of the low and thrown off guard. He was Baptist church at Suffolk, Va. We are pleased to learn that Mr. McFarbe punished. In his act of pardon of loyal and earnest Christian men he has brought about a blot on the and women. It is not every day that we learned that he was compelled to dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, pleasant than among the excellent It is hardly thought that Robin people of our sister town, Scotland

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PRETTY HALIFAX MARRIAGE.

Mr. T. Walton Worthy.

Halifax, N. C., April 18.-There was a very pretty wedding on Saturday evening at 9:30 o'clock, at Hotel Roanoke, the home of the bride, when Mr. T. Walton Worthy, of Mt. Olive, Miss., led to the altar Miss Ruby Nash Sater, youngest daughter of Mrs. W. A. Sater.

The parlors were tastefully decor- boose Friday night. ated for the occasion with lovely roses, spring blossoms, and potted plants in great abundance, while white candles shed that soft mellow glow that made the scene all the more beautiful and impressive and

The immediate relatives were gathered in the back parlor, and at guests, many in number, in the front Jones, resigned. Several of our democratic exchang- ful not only when discordance of parlor could witness the marriage vows as pronounced by Rev. C. G. Bradley, rector of St. Mark's. Six of the bride's closest friends, Mesdames J. L. Waller, Chas. H. Hale, and Misses Nannie Gary, Nell Nelson, Virginia Butts and Mary Nor- dled out of the Illinois Central railthe couple, Mr. E. N. Sater, brother of the bride giving the bride away. The wedding marches were well rendered by one of the bride's intimate friends, Miss Wilhelmina Froelich, of Richmond, Va.

The bride was handsomely attired ed lovelier than when she pledged her troth, amid the sweet smelling blossoms and softened light, with numerous friends around her wishing earnestly for all the best things that life can give.

The bride was a favorite young lady here with many, and counted her friends and admirers here dropped dead at Taylorsville Friday. and elsewhere by the score. Of Heart trouble was the cause of death. sweet and lovable disposition her Mr. Linney was a prominent Repub- well all over. Rheumacide "strikes graces won for her such friends as lican politician of the State. deem friendship a thing sacred. So mewhat with reluctance we relinguish our claim upon her.

The groom has been in Halifax since July, 1909, with The Fall's City Construction Company, of Louisville, Ky., and during that time has won many friends here that really hated to see him leave.

lanta, Ga., Birmingham, Ala., and Mt. Olive, Miss., the groom's home where they will spend some days with his parents. They will make their home in Marietta, Oklahoma."

We wish for these young people the best things possible along the

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Mrs. Irwin Clay and sons, of Rocky

Mount, returned home Monday. Richmond for some time, returned women and 43 men and 11 women in a few days ago.

children, of Rocky Mount, were here rounding up over 800, being out on last week to see Mrs. H. W. Gowan. contract work and on the state farms. Mount, spent a day or two here last ed at the prison by very general over

week with Miss Nora Howerton. Messrs. John Taylor and J. McMa- of spring cleaning. hon spent several days in Washington, D. C., last week.

Mrs. Eustis Norfleet, of Wilmington, has been spending some time with Mrs. N. L. Stedman.

Milton Norman spent last weekend here with his parents, returning

to Warrenton Monday. Mrs. June Tillery spent several days last week at the Tillery farm with her husband.

Miss Jessie Gregory left for Philadelphia Tuesday, where she will spend some days on business.

Mrs. W. A. Willcox went up to Ringwood last week to see her rela-

tive, Mrs. Roberson. Rev. J. E. Holden and little Miss Lucile, of Enfield, spent last Friday

Little Misses Ruth and Blanche Hancock, of Scotland Neck, are here to see their aunt, Mrs. D. M. Camp-

Mr. Swain Norman, son of our townsman, Mr. J. H. Norman, had a very unfortunate accident last week while in a game of ball. It seems that he was on the third bag, and while in the act of reaching up for a ball he was run into by a stout felknocked down and one leg broken. turn your flabby, sour, tired out

very nicely. Rev. W. C. Merritt, of Clinton, were sorry. The preaching was of a follow. very high type, and calculated to do most any one good.

on April 14th. We have known him for a long time and liked him much. ey back. He was a gentleman of the old school. These grand old men are druggists everywhere and by E. T.

gradually called "up higher."
Rev. C. G. Bradley filled the Sunlay morning appointment at St. Mark's, as usual preaching a good, so satisfying as Booth's Pills—25 practical sermon. W. F. C. cents.

GENERAL NEWS.

Miss Ruby Sater Becomes the Bride of Gathered Here and There and Put in Condensed Form.

Hon. W. J. Bryan has returned from his trip to South America.

Prof. W. C. Allen has severed his conviction with the Waynesville Cou-

Sam Barnhart, a negro, was burned to death in the Mooresville cala-

The next session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly will be held in Asheville, June 14-17.

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, from the State of Rhode Island, says he long to be remembered by each one has had enough and will not stand for re-election.

Governor Kitchin has appointed the appointed time the door was Hon. Geo. P. Pell, Judge, to fill the thrown open that the assembled unexpired term of Judge E. B.

> Sunday evening killing one person, injured several and doing considerable other damage.

A cyclone struck near Lumberton

now being investigated. The National Missionary Congress will meet in Chicago May 3-6. Some of the leading Missionary speakers

of the world are to be present. Earl Wilson, the navy football in a gray going-away gown with hat player, injured in a game of ball last and gloves to match, and never look- October, died at Annapolis, Md., the fibre of rotten wood.

Saturday, after a long fight for life.

Hon. F. A. Woodard, of Wilson, has been carried to a hospital in Philadelphia, Pa., for special treatment. He is suffering from a nervous break

Ex-Congressman R. Z. Linney

Judge O. H. Guion, of Newbern, has tendered his resignation to Gov- erally at 50c and \$1 a bottle. In tabernor Kitchin, to take effect April let form at 25c and 50c a package. 30th. Mr. D. L. Ward is being Trial bottle of Tablets sent by mail strongly endorsed for the appoint-

The Tribune says that C. J. Harris has sold his farm of over 200 acres, Mr. and Mrs Worthy left on num- located two miles from Concord, to ber 85 the same evening for their J. C. Catron, of Washington county, bridal tour, which will include At- Virginia, for \$12,000, about \$60 an acre. - Durham Sun.

> More than 300 saloons were voted out of business by the people of 19 Michigan counties. Elections in 35 counties resulted in 16 voting wet and 19 voting dry. Ten had been dry for two years and two voted to change back wet.-Smithfield Her-

Raleigh, April 14.—There are now Miss Nell Nelson, who has been in in the state prison 63 men and 17 the criminal insane department. The Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blount and remainder of the state convicts. Miss Edna Draughan, of Rocky The advent of spring has been markhauling and improvement in the way

> Raleigh, April 16.—Reports from all sections of the State bring the news that there has been no frost damage. Here the temperature was two degrees lower one day this week than it was the week before. There was frost both days and some ice during the first cool spell. Reports from all sections show good rains and very rapid work being done by farmers, with a great outlook for crops, vegetables and fruit. If nothing goes wrong it looks like a recordbreaker, as there was never a more favorable spring in the memory of the oldest farmer.

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Mi-o-na stomach tablets are small and easy to swallow and are guaran-We were sorry indeed to hear of teed to banish indigestion and any Mr. John Burt's death at his home or all of the above symptons or mon-

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