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Taft and Roosevelt were both nomimated, one by the regulars and the other by the irregulars.

selection of a cancidate at Baltimore this week why success is assured the nominee.

The electoral college this year will have 490 votes, therefore it will take Carolina has 12 votes.

Former Congressman Richmond Pearson will have charge of the or- This will meet an acute want now Creighton, of Charlotte; treasurer, ganization of the new Roosevelt party in North Carolina.

Evelyn Thaw comes to the front again and says she is opposed to her husband being given his freedom of 273 acres of the most valuable for the reason that she is afraid of him.

The next session of the North Carolina Good Roads Association will meet in Charlotte the first of August. tion. and, as noted, within easy We hope Halifax county will send a reach of two railroads—the East good large delegation to the meeting.

All the North Carolina Congressmen have been renominated. Only Congressman Godwin, of the sixth the culture of tobacco, though cotdistricr, who was opposed by N. A. Sinclair.

The Senatorial fight in South Cartor Ben Tillman is being opposed for a conference between Mrs. Jackson, Jasper Talbert. Tillman is in poor health, but he is going to be hard to

The Henderson Gold Leaf speaks a truth when it says:

"The reason why so many business men are not exactly sure that adver- pastor, Rev. Wm. Towe, was ably tising pays may be because they ne- assisted in a protracted meeting at ver do enough of it to make a fair Rosemary Methodist church by Rev. test. Against their doubts is pitted E. C. Glenn, of Greensboro, beginthe successful experience in adver- ning the 8th of this month and closed tising of the best business men in Sunday night, the 16th. About 40 the world who have thoroughly tried accessions to the Methodist church it out and no longer have doubts on and several united with the other the subject. To succeed in this day churches of this place. The Chrisand time it is necessary to bore with tians were greatly revived and much a pretty good sized auger."

A LESSON FOR BOYS.

The following from the Spartanburg Journal is copied with the hope that it may be of some benefit to our boys who are just home from cal course at Union Seminary of

"Several days ago The Journal had a suggestion to boys and their parents as to work during the long vacation. Dawdling around slot machines and tobacco stands for three months will offset all the good lessons they learned at school. Doing nothing is only a little above a vicious life. It is not the money boys make, but the habit of work which is valuable. Of course boys whose fathers have means can get places. Their fathers can find or make them. But it is the poorer boys who need the work and the work helps them. Give them a lift if you can. They have the making of men in them. For twelve years Wendell Sooy, a from \$900 to \$2,000 to submit a car newsboy, stood at the entrance to in competition to a committee of Fairmount Park in Philadelphia. Through all sorts of weather he was there for business. He saved all the and the drivers dismissed. The exrequirements for food and clothing. Selling papers day after day was only shaft, bolt for bolt, the cars were incidental to his higher aim. He compared, tested and appraised by wanted to go to college and never the government experts. One by for a moment did he lose sight of that purpose. He expects to begin Of the 17 or 18 cars submitted the his college education at the fall term Buick alone stood the rigid test of of the University of Pennsylvania. quality and construction upon which In the twelve years he has accumulated \$2,600, which he thinks will be enough to give him a four years' course. Such a boy as that will be worth much more to the country than a classmate who has money to spend for the gratification of all his ward for any case of Catarrh that can Ky. Music was furnished by the wants. Look out for those poor not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. boys who work with a high aim. Give them a chance. They will make men worth something."

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\$10,000 GIFT TO ORPHANAGE.

Entered at the postoffice at Scotland donated to the North Carolina Meth- selecting Wilmington as the next ready been made. The Kinston viated.

eigh is the beneficiary of a gift made choice being made on the second If the Democrats are wise in their to-day by Mrs. M. J. Jackson, one of ballot. Morehead City came next Kinston's best-known citizens. Mrs. highest with Salisbury third. The Jackson has conveyed her Greene selection was made unanimous. county farm to Messrs. H. H. Grain- Raleigh, Greensboro, Durham, Asheger and Y. T. Ormond in trust, the ville, Salisbury, Wadesboro, Fayettefarm to be sold by the 15th of No- ville and New Berne offered the Asvember next, and the proceeds to be sociation the best they had, but the turned over to the trustees of the fine politicians from the east carried 246 votes to elect a president. North Methodist Orphanage. The farm is off the honors. thought to be worth \$10,000.

felt at the Orphanage. The trustees Samuel Burton, of Asheville. need a girls' building to meet a demand such as is filled by the boys dormitory already erected.

"The farm which Mrs. Jackson has given to the Orphanage consists land in Greene county. It is situated a half mile from Hookerton. and four miles from Glenfield, on the Kinston-Snow Hill railroad. It is on the public road leading to Kinston and off into the Fields sec-Carolina road at Hookerton and the Kinston-Snow Hill road. Fully one hundred acres of the farm consists of woodland never cut over. It contains much valuable timber. The one had opposition, that one being farm is especially well adapted to ton, corn, etc., are grown with great

"The gift has been accepted by the Orphanage trustees, and the proper technical arrangements were made olina has opened in earnest. Sena- Wednesday afternoon in this city at re-election by N. B. Dail and W. the donor, the trustees for the donation, Messra, Grainger and Ormond, Supt. J. N. Cole, of the Orphange, and Judge William R. Allen, a member of the board of trustees of the Orphanage."—Raleigh Times.

Pretracted Meeting at Resemany.

good was the result of the meeting. Mr. Glenn is truly a strong gospel preacher and a revivalist as well. May the Lord bless him in his great

Rev. J. M. Millard, a young Precbyterian preacher of Littleton, who has not yet completed his theologi Richmond, preaches every fourth Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock in the Rosemary Baptist church and at 8:30 o'clock in the Roanoke Rapids Baptist church. This young minister is a very fine preacher and is rapidly winning the friendship of the good people of this place.

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stipation.

WILMINGTON WAS SELECTED.

Mrs. M. J. Jackson, of Kinston, Donates The State Merchants Association Elect Officers and Adjourn.

Mrs. M. J. Jackson, one of the Raleigh, June 20.- The North Carbest-known women in Kinston, has lina Merchants Association, after fection so I could not sleep nights. I odist Orphanage at Raleigh, a farm place of meeting and electing officers, in Greene county, containing 278 adjourned this afternoon. The busiacres, and said to be worth \$10,000. ness was rushed through so that the Salve advertised I decided to try it The details of the transfer have all necessity for a night session was ob-

Free Press contains the following From the eleven places suggested with regard to the donor and gift: for the next convention Wilmington not sleep at night. Saxo Salve stops "The Methodist Orphanage at Ral- emerged a victor this afternoon, the

Officers were elected as follows: "The money thus realized is to be President, Joe Garibaldi, of Charspent in the erection on the Orphan- lotte; vice-president, C. H. Munson, age grounds of a dormitory for girls. of Wilmington; secretary, C. G

Beath of Little Mary Lewis Christian.

Caledonia Farm, June 25.—The friends of Captain and Mrs. C. N. Christian will regret to learn of the death of their infant daughter, Mary Lewis, which occurred at their home, on Caledonia Farm, Saturday morning June 22, at 12:30 o'clock. Born May 26, 1912.

Dr. F. M. Register, the family physician, with all his medical skill, failed to stem the tide of the disease, and the little one passed into the great peyond at the time mentioned.

Throughout her short little life she was guarded with a mother's and father's tender care, but her feeble little form was unable to battle with the ravages of disease.

The remains were taken to Mocksville Saturday, accompanied by Captain Christian and son, Cephas, where they were interred in the beautiful Rose Cemetery, where they sleep beside the tomb of her sainted

Death with his sickle keen, reaped this flower, transplanting it in the Garden of Paradice, sheltered and guared with His care. The gentle and pure soul of this child of the Covenant, went forth as peacefully into the great beyond, as if she had but fallen asleep upon the bosom of her loving Jesus. Her parents are Rosemary, N. C., June 24.—The left with sore hearts, and their eyes are bathed in tears.

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> The happy-go-lucky pic-nicers abandoned the lake about 8 o'clock in the evening and returned to the Roy Pope auditorium, where they trod the light fantastic until the "we sma' hours." Many difty figures were led by Mr. S. B. Kitchin, Jr. dancing with Miss Louise Darden, both of Scotland Neck. The leaders were ably assisted by Mr. Roy Pope We offer One Hundred Dollars Re- and Miss Daisy Hinlock, of Franklin, Sook Jones Symphony Orchestra, o

> > The chaperones were Mrs. T. H. Riddick, Mrs. P. T. Darden and Mrs. of the following Monday.

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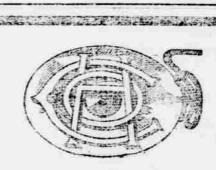
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