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ENTHUSIASTIC HOSTS GATHER

Democratic State Convention Meets Tomorrow at Noon

SESSION IN THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The City is Full of Delegates, Candidates and Their Friends-The Hotels Crowded-Convention will be Full of laterest.

The greatest political convention that ever assembled in the State of North Carolina will be called to order in the Academy of Music at noon tomorrow by Hon. F. M. Simmons, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the State.

Conservative estimates place the number who will be present at from one thousand to fifteen hundred, A majority of these are already in the city, they have been pouring in on every train and the hotels are now taxed to their utmost capacity.

A large number of denegates and

visitors are also quartered in boarding houses and private families throughout the city. Upon calling the body to order.

Chairman Simmons will probably briefly address the Convention, and then introduce the temporary chair-man, who will make some remarks

npon taking the chair.

The convention wil then proceed to organize, and the various committees will go to work.

A number of delegates stated today that they had no doubt that the convention would complete its work tomorrow night and adjourn. The thought that one day would suffice. THE CANDIDATES.

The candidates for the various of-tices are here and the yand their friends are busy with the delegations from the various counties. There is little organized work today because all the delegates are not on the scene of action but with the arrival of the trains this afternoon the cau-cusing will begin. Tonight the dele-gates who are now undecided upon some of the offices will reach definite conclusions and by tomorrow when the gavel falls, calling the great body to order, the clouds will have rolled away and the value of the stock of the winners will be high above par.

The fact that Hou. Charles B. Ay-cock will be unanimously nominated for Governor is of course conceded by all. In fact he has practically no op

position.

For Lieutenant Governor the nomination is between Colonel John S. Cuningham, of Person, and Mr. W. D. Turner, of Iredell. The friends of both claim that their man will win. Col. Cuningham seems the favorite G. Connor, Wilson: B. with a majority and the only thing J. M. Stone, Freemont. which prevents his nomination on the first ballot from being an admitted which is being used, that since the Governor will come from the East the second place should go to a Western man. However, Col. Cuningham's friends point out that this is not a precedent in the State, and cite the fact that when Daniel G. Fowle, of Wale, as nominated for Covernor, Thomas M. Holt, of Alamance, was named for Lieutenant Governor, and they en much near being from the same see

tion than Ayecek and Capingham are M. J. Bryan Grimes, of Pitt, and Mr. D. b. McLean, of Harnett, are the principal asperants for successor to Dr. Cyrus Thompson, Secretary State. The friends of both are confi-

The Auditorship is very undecided,

but the friend of Dr. Dixon say that he 's the man. The interest here is of course in-

tense in the candidates for the nomination for State Treasurer. Mr. B. R. Lacy is undoubtedly in the lead, while there are such men as Mr. II. A. London, of Chatham; Mr. J. D. Boushall, of Wake; Col. W. II. S. Burrwen, of Vance, and Capt. Everett, of Rockingham, each with a strong fol-

Mr. Lacy's friends says that they are confident of his nomination on the first balot, unless some heavy traing is dore after the nomination for Governor is made. Mr. J. D. Me-Call, of Charlotte, will place Mr. Lucy in nomination before the convention, and his nomination will be seconded

several other delegates. As for Attorney General Mr. Gilmer, Mr. Winston, Mr. Jerome, Mr. Justice, Mr. Warren and several others have strength. A report has been circulated today that Senator M. H. Justice, who was a candidate for Gov-ernor, but withdrew, was in the race for Attorney General. This is a mistake, it is his son, Representative Justice, and Mr. H. M. Justice has not been a candidate for any other

The public are showing the deeper interest in the selection of a candi-date for Superintendent of Public Instruction. The name of nearly evmentioned for the position. However, the stock of Superintendent Mebane has advanced on the market considerably during today. The Charlotte Obesiver of today comes out boldly in a strong editorial urging his nomination and declares that he shows in his letter, published yesterday, that he is a good and loyal Democrat. The Observer further points out that he for Bryan and Guthrie four

The friends of Commissioner of Agriculture Patterson are certain of

For Commissioner of Labor Statis-lies there are three candidates; Mr. suests of Mrs. L. F. Alford,

at Salisbury, H. B. Varner, of Lexing-ton, and J. T. Britt, of Oxford. The friends of each are hopeful of success. For Railroad Commissioners, the indications now point to the nomination of Mr. Rogers and Mr. McNeil.

THE UNTERRIFIED.

An ong the hosts here the following are among the familiar faces at the Carrollton:

W. S. Pearson, S. & Erwin and J. T. Avery, of Morganton. F. B. Olive and M. H. Yount, of lames, of the Southern Railway shops

Hickory. John D. Kerr, Clinton.

J. A. Patterson, Newbern, J. C. Clifford and R. G. Taylor, of Dunn. George W. Newell, Williamston; W.

K. Jacobson, Washington: S. S. Norris, Lincolnton.
From Robeson county there are From Robuson county there are:
French McQueen, Frank Gough, S. M.
McIntyre, A. E. White, T. F. Toom, D.
D. Carlyle, W. J. Prenatt, J. P. McNeill, J. N. Buie, J. R. Whichard.

From Bloden county: E. F. McCul-loch, C. C. Lyon, J. D. Gilliam, F. M.

Willis.
A. C. Avery, Morganton.
D. L. Love, Webster.
Frank D. Hackett, Wilkesboro; W. H. Bower, Lenoir; A. M. Fry, Bryson City; D. W. Gradshaw, Roxboro; J. W. Noell, Roxboro; B. H. Thompson. Idpabia. In the crowded lobbies of the Varboro

House were seen: J. T. Hackett, Wilkesbore; C. M. Goke, Louisburg; Gen. J. S. Carr, Durhant; D. C. Parks, Hillsboro; Con-gressman, W. W. Kitchin, Roxboro; J. C. Carr, Durham; W. T. Bradsher,

J. B. Sherrill and C. C. Cowan, of Webster: S. H. Webb, Alamanee; C. C. Holloway, Lilington; Jones Fuller, Durham: B. Noel, Jr., Pittsboro.

A. M. Stack and Dr. Tusker, Monroe. The Charlotte delegation at the Yar-

Monroe, J. F. Stamback,
W. L. London and A. J. Bynum, of
Pittsboro; W. C. Leok and J. P. Little, Jr. of Rockingham; A. Settle
Dockery, Rockingham; L. P. Byrd, Mt.

From Anson, J. A. Lockhart, J. A. eak, W. C. Hardison, J. D. Leak, J. C. Marshall.

J. M. Melver, Gulf, D. E. Melver, Major Shaw and Jas. T. LeGrand Richmond; A. L. McIntosh and W. L. Spence, Carthage, and B. C. Pearce A. P. McPherson and A. N. McNeill,

J. J. Lewellyn and C. Lewellyn,

J. F. Pickard, D. M. McCaudey, R. T. Barnhill, H. C. Cannon, W. S. Wilson, and W. D. Smith, Chapel Hill.

Bud W. D. Smith, Chapel Hill, S. M. Gattis, Hillsboro; J. A. Long, Roxboro; H. McCall and J. H. Moyer, Lexington; G. P. Pell, Jefferson, T. B. Bailey, Mocksville, J. M. Barnhardt, Lenoir, J. C. Gibson, G. F. Brownell and

Paul D. Means, Concord. W. W. King, Danbury; J. G. Hack-ett, Wilkesboro, J. A. Brown, Chad-

George Rountree, Wilmington: H G. Connor, Wilson; B. F. Ayeeck and A. K. Smith, J. W. Stephenson; W.

W. Cole and E. W. Pou, Johnston. J. Frank Ray, Macon; D. L. Love Jackson: J. P. R. Cilley, Hickory, W. C. Hammer, Asheboro.

From Waynesville, R. D. Gilmer, R. G. A. Love, G. S. Ferguson, W. W. Stringfield, H. H. Garner, J. Collins Thos. Stringfield, H. A. Love, Frank

From Asheville, T. S. Morrison, W. B. Williams, A. S. Barnard. J. W. Pless, Brevard; M. W. Bell, Murphey, Walter Murphey, Salisbury; F. E. Justice, Brevard; M. L. Reid,

Biltmore; W. H. Duckworth, Brevard A. C. Cannon and M. L. Shipman, Hen-J. O. Harrison and J. A. Porter

Franklin; Lawrence Wakefield, Le-noir; W. B. Council, Jr., and C. F. Lovell, of Boone; S. W. Davidson, Murphey; R. B. Slaughter, Robbinsville; W. E. Webb, Roxboro; J. C. L. Bird Marion: R. L. Durham, Gastonia: II Adams, Charlotte.

E. F. Aydlette and H. T. Greenlenf, Elizabeth City: R. B. Peebles and S J. Calvert, Jackson; C. L. Abernethy canfort; W. F. French, Lumberton. From Shelby, B. F. Dixon, A. B.

George L. Morton and F. H. Sted-man, Wilmington: G. W. Meredith.

Mouroe.
W. B. Rodman and J. H. Small. M. H. Justice, Rutherfordton; W. Everett and Cameron Morrison,

Rockingham. T. J. Jerome, Monroe; W. H. McCul-lers, Clayton; Frank McNeill, Wilmington; W. B. Harker, Maxton; W. D. Pollock, Kiuston; J. D. McNeill, Fayetteville; E. K. Bryan, Wilmington; J. W. Wilson, Weldon; E. F.

T. J. Jarvis, Pitt; C. F. Warren Washington; W. G. Lamb, Williamston; Don. Gilliam, Tarboro; St. Leon Scull, Windsor; J. F. Taylor, Washington; W. A. Cochran, Troy: T. L. Emery, Weldon: W. H. S. Burgwyn

J. B. Grimes, Pitt; W. D. Turner Statesville; L. Bourne and Theo. F. Davidson, Asheville; B. F. Long, Staesville; Wiley Rush, W. P. Wood and C. A. Moore, Asheboro; H. V. Var-ner, Lexington; J. R. Blair, Montgomery; J. S. Cuningham, Person; H. A. Fonshee and R. D. Winston, Durham.

TO SUPPRESS THE REBELLION.

Acera, April 10 .- A relieving force of hundred Hussars started to Coomassic yesterday and a larger force is being concentrated at Hinterland. Coomassic is evidently invested. The Ashantles have captured several native teachers and their omilies. The rising is spreading,

Miss Mabel Bishop, of Rich Square, and Miss Pearl Hardy, of Roxobel, are the

CAPT. BELL URGES

He Prays that Public Schools May be Takes "Out of the Blight of Party

Politics" lina is sufficiently clear to need no

Cherryville, N. C., April 9. Hon, Charles H. Mebane, Raleigh, N

Dear Sir: I am a Democrat and chool teacher. I never did anything else except teach, and never voted any other ticket except a Democratic tick et. For more than 25 years I have taught nine months in the year, never less than a hundred students, oftener more than two hundred. My work has been done in Cleveland and Ruther ford counties. Though my schools have been private institutions, yet I have been in constant touch with the public schools public schools and public schools teachers. I believe I know the wishes. of the fenchers of my section. Nine out of ten of them, I believe, recognize the entirely unpartisan way in which your nomination by the Democratic convention which meets in a few days, as the first step towards taking the multiple schools out of the withering. The lighting was some out. as the first step towards taking the public schools out of the withering blight of party polities. I pray that, blight of party polities. I pray that, our party may have patriotism enough to do it. If in the expression of my desire to see you nominated there be those who would question my party loyalty. I can either pity or despise; for, while in these thirty years of la-bor in the school room my head grown gray my heart has been given with promptness to every call of my party lenders to platform service, without asking or holding office, 17 the spirit of partisanship must lay its unholy hands upon the most sacred ark of our covenant, the public school system of the State, then are the hopes of the teachers vain, and some of us will lose to some extent faith.

f not love.

For once let the wish of the teachers be regarded after having been fairly ascertained.

I am, sir, very truly yours,

ifo wit-bb CAPT. W. T. R. BELL. Prin. Cherryville Collegiate Institute, v HERM

COTTON FACTORY FOR SANDFORD

Calmacha Cotton Go. With \$100,000. Capital Incorporated

Sanford will have a hundred thou-

Articles of agreement were today filed with the Secretary of State, Dr. Thompson, by Messes, Truman Chapman, A. P. McPherson, T. C. Wilson and M. H. Caldwell for the incorporation of the Colmach Cotton Company.

The factory will be located at or near Sanford, in Moore county.

The company is incorporated for

thirty years and the capital stock shall be \$100,000, with the privilege of increasing the same to not exceeding

and his laborers this morning. Two of the latter were shot and Griffin the latter were clothing was pierced by three bullets.

DISASTROUS GAME.

London, April 10 .-- A Sydney des ontch says that a party of Samoans who arrived here on the way to the Paris Exposition, say that at the ericket match played at Savay just before they left a fight occurred or account of the unpire's decision. Ten men were killed and the ground covered with wounded.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 10.—The steamship "Wilhelmina" for Yokoha-ma, sailed yesterday with a million dollar cargo, including thirty one locomotives and structural of steel.

BOERS AT ELANDSLAAGTE Pietermaritzburg, April 10,-Heavy cannonading has commenced in the cicinity of Elandshagte. ventured south of Diggardsburg and posted heavy guns and four miles north of Elaudslaagte they are fortified in the vicinity of Wessel's Neck. Probably General Buller has engaged the Boers, who have been posting their guns near Elandslangte.

MAYOR'S COURT. Mayor A. M. Powell had to content himself with two cases today. Mr. A. T. Lowry submitted to the charge of

assault on his wife and was fined

Annie Jones, colored, was arraigned for being drunk and disorderly on the streets. She submitted and was sent to the work-house for thirty days. She is commonly known as "Yelling Annie," because whenever the police city is aware of the fact—qur. Bypl find it necessary to lock her up the city is aware of the fact for she makes night hideous with her incessant

THE RALEIGH MINSTRELS.

The minstrel performance to come off at Academy of Music, Tuesday April 24th, for the benefit of Wright's Band, is one that the people of the city should turn out to see as it is one of public interest. For over a year the band has worked hard, given up pleasure to practice night after night over come discouraging criticism by people who are always ready at that—until now they have become a credit to the city. They have not asked one cent from the public, as most city bands do, but now they are to give this entertainment, hope the people wil respond. The money is to go to pay for the new uniforms, which are here and cost the boys \$300. They have gone to a big expense, as they have professional people hired, and also the scenery and stage settings.

MR. MEBANE'S NOMINATION BOERS PUSHING THE FIGHTING

The following letter from one of But the British Hold Them in

BULLER FIGHTING AT ELANDSLAAGTE

The Boers Have Been Pushed out of Range at Mafeking-General Roberts' Movements kept Secret.

Aliwal North, April 19-The Boers attacked General Braham and force of two to three thousand Colo-nials. There was fierce fighting all There was fierce fighting all execution. The British guns soon got the range and caused great havoe The floer commandos are harrying on all sides to participate in the at-

Aliwal North, April 9-(Delayed.) A Boer commando, two rong, is marching on Springfontein, which is General Gatacre's base. The eighth division is hastening thither and a battle is imminent.

POWELL HOPEFUL. Buluwayo, March Sist-Baden Powell telegraphs from Mafeking, under date of March twenty-seventh, confirming the report that the Boers had been pushed back and that so far the town was comparatively out of range of the musicity fire. He concludes that all promises well for eventually cutting off this force of the neary if we can hold Sayman here.

PRITISH MOVEMENTS SECRET, London, April 10.—The Boer attack on General Brabant yesterday was de-livered from three sides, but the British hold the positions in the rough country. The numbers of the Beers is unknown. Reinforcements are steadily reaching them. The mysterious movements of the British troops at Bloemfontein are the subject of auch conjecture. Correspondents are not allowed to wire them. It is presmeed that General Roberts was making dispositions to cut off raiding by the Boer forces, when the attempt was made to withdraw porthward from pursuing by the British forces. BOERS IN FREE STATE.

Bwthulie, April 10.—The Boers will bey to retake or destroy the bridge t Orange river. Consequently extra edinary precautions are being The Boers practically again hold the Free State castward, and are greatly

WAR CLOUD DISAPPEARS. Paris, April 10. Figaro says: The eventuality of an Auglo-French war has disappeared. The attitude of Brit-STRIKERS SHOOTING.
White Plains, April 10.— A band of same just and irreproachable. Polemiers attacked Contractor Griffins ics and provocations press are over, and his laborage this approach in the provocation of the provo Two | and the repations of the Cabinets of the two countries are smoother

> RESUMES PUBLICATION The State Journal, a Republican weekly, which suspended publication in this city some months ago, will resume publication tomorrow. In this issue Editor Allen will take a poition favoring the Constitutional

PRISONEUS AT ST. HELENA Island of St. Helena, April 10,-The Niobe and the Milwaukee have arrived here with the Boer prisoners. Their health is good with the exception of four cases of measles, necessitating the quarantining of the Milwaukee. The prisoners are quiet and well be

TO UNSEAT SENATOR CLARK

The Senate Committee an Privileges and Elections Will so Recommend

Washington, April 10.-The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elec-tions, has unanimously decided to recommend that the seat of Senator Clark, of Montana, be declared va-

RAIN PROBABLE. For Raleigh and vicinity:

oning, with light rain tonight and Wednesday. The conditions this morning are ery unusual for this season of the cear. An extensive area of high barometer occupies the entire northern section of the country, with tempera-tures below freezing from Bismarck east to Buffalo and south to Cincinna ii. The minimum temperature this morning at Washington, D. C., was 30

degrees, showing how narrow an es-cape from frest North Carolina had. The barometer is low over Texas and generally throughout the south with varm, cloudy weather and light rains it many points. The maximum temat many points. perature reached 88 degrees at Vicks-burg and 80 degrees at Memphis yesterday. The arrangement of pressure indicates unsettled and bad weather for some time in this vicinity.

New York, April 10,—Cotton: April, 9,39; May, 9,38; June, 9,32; Judy, 9,30; August, 9.20; September, 8.42.

The Auditorium Committee will present helr report at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce tonight. The report will stat that citizens have subscrib over \$10,000 for the erection of an auditorium and the stockholders will meet at once to get them atter in a business

A full meeting of the Chamber is spe-

COLLISION ON S. A. L. THIS MORNING

A disastrous wreck was narrowly averted on the Scaboard Air Line this morning when the out-going north bound freight collided with some box cars, which were standing on the side track. The engineer on the freight train. Mr. M. J. Tighe, who lives at the corner of Halifax and Johnston streets, had his foot sprained in the accident, but otherwise escaped. hart is not serious, to the delight of his many friends.

The accident seems to have happen ed thus: The freight was leaving the depot at Johnston street north bound. Just beyond the cotton mills is a sid ing on which some box cars had been backed. These cars must have slipped down the siding nearer to the unin struck after they had been placed on the siding. Anyway, they came into contact with the engine drawing the freight train, striking the side of the engine and tearing it partly away. The engineer stopped the engine in time to prevent further damage, and thereby saved the train from being budly damaged.

The accident did not interrupt traftie on the coad and the 11:18 north bound mail went out on schedule

REPUBLICANS IN KENTUCKY

State Convention to Meet May 16 Will Endorse Taylor and McKinley

Lorieville, Ky., April 10.-The Reput the a State Committee will today meet to arrange the plans of the party in Kenrucky and on the date for the State convention on May 16th. The convention will enderse the course of Governor Tayfor and take a stand for repeal of the Goebel election law and McChord railrend law. The McKinley administration will be strongly endorsed. It will also declare for expansion, the gold standar and the attlinde of the Presion on the Porto Rican tariff.

IT POINTS THAT WAY

Now "Powhatan" will be a "go." It points that way. Because the people tell us so. It points that way. For what the papers says is true. Of pretty girls there are no few. Who in the chorus sing to you It points that way,

When Captain Smith did first come

here. It points that way He found the Indians far and near.
It points that way. While far away, it was ah right. Far when the Red Skins came in sight. The "Cap." was in an awful plight. The "Cap." was in an a it points that way.

His knees began to shake and shake It points that way. His brave young heart did in him

quake. It points that way. Viet when the chieftain did declare That Smith no more his head should

West. Tis said the curl forsook his hair It points that way.

that this my friends you'll have to see, It points that way. And also Pocohoutus' plea.

It points that way. For when she sought Smith's life save. Bradually old Powhatan forgave And royally did he behave

It points that way Not 'tis for Rolfe's good looking face

It points that way. The Indian maidens run and race. points that way.

His heart doth Pocaboutas gain. For she as Queen of nearts does reign Nor seeks to have her subjects slain-It points that way.

Poor Panther's grief is said to see It points that way He even from the eamp doth flee It points that way Never before has Panther wept, For hitherto he'd always kept The people laughing while they slep-

It points that way. Now if you're not a "wicked man." It points that way. You'll take your girl to Powhatan.

You'll laugh with joy and mirth and And so my trusted friend will she You'll both delight in what you see-

It points that way MRS. FOOTE DEAD.

points that way.

Mrs. Foot, mother of the late Dr. Foote, and Mr. Henry Foote, of Warrenton, died at the home of Mrs. Simmons in Wake Forest Sunday and was ouried yesterday afternoon. She was eighty-five years old and a levely Christian woman.

Mrs. Jordan and daughter, Miss Annie Jordan, of Newbern, arrived his morning.

All persons having claims against the Government on account of cotton confiscated or destroyed during the Civil War, and which claims were in the hands of the late George A. Jordan, prior to his death, for collection, are requested to communicate imme diately with James A. Twohey, Attor. ney and Counsellor at Law, Room 42 Kellogg Building, 1416 V Street, Wash-

Will have an entertainment in the ecture room of the First Presbyterian church this evening at 8 o'clock. The llandy Brothers services have been se-cured and they will make the evening one of great pleasure and profit. These gentlemen some highly recommended nd will do their best to please those who attend this evening. Admission. adults, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

Boston, April 10 .- The Post says: "Con gressman Boutelle is still in a sanitarium at Waverly, and that his health is not nending to any manifest degree; in fact it daily becomes more apparent to his family that he will never again take his place in public life."

LOCAL BRIEFS

Miss Adelaide Snow returned from

Chapel Hill today.

Miss Lillian Leuter, of Sanford, is he guest of Miss Bessie Powell.

Mr. W. S. Primrose went to Rocky Mount today to adjust a fire loss.

Faust will be presented at the Acaemy of Music Easter Monday, April

President E. A. Alderman, of the State University, is the guest of Mr E. P. Moses. Mr. E. Y. Webb, of Shelby, spent tha

morning in Wake Forest, returning this afternoon. The Monday evening club will meet next week with Mrs. William Robbins

at Hillsbero street.

Miss Marjoire Taylor, who has been

visiting Miss Margaret Harris, returned to Wilmington today.

The reserve sent sale for Faust will commence Thursday morning at Bobhitt-Wynne's drug store, Usual prices. Mr Swartz, father of Mr. J. Swartz, of this city, is in a very low state at the home of his sister in

Richmond. Mr. P. V. Hoyle, formerly of The Raleigh Christian Advocate, has taken a position as reporter on The News

and Observer. Britton Pearce will have a fine lot of exsters tomorrow monring. Shad eccived both morning and afternoon.

Phones 229 and 343. President James Dinwiddie, of Peace Institute, and Rev. Dr. Eugene Daniel, left this morning for Washington, N. C., to attend the sessions of the Albemarle Presbytery, which will

convene tonight. Capital Lodge, Uo. 147, L. O. O. F., meets tanight at 8 o'clock. First degree wil be conferred and all condi-dates for this degree wil please be at the ball promptly at 8:15 o'clock. Colonel Hutchins, Sherwood Higgs and Company's old veteran shoe sales

non, is confined to his bed with a had attact of muscular rheumatism. is a member of Ocenneschee Tribe of Red Men.
The A. and M. Colege Battalion's

summer uniform of white duck pants and blue blouse shirt wil make a striking appearance for Easter. Mess. Whiting Bros have just received the white duck pants and will deliver

PUTTING ON BRIGHT LOOKS

Improvements Going on in all Parts of the City

Nothing is more pleasant to the hu-man eye than beautiful and attractive painting; and nothing gives us a more lafty inspiration than the pleasant scenes with which we come in con-

It is a source of pleasure and inspiration to note the attractive styles and colors of painting of some of the most handsome residences and business houses in our city, and which was executed by our esteemed citizen. Mr. W. W. Parrish, who is master of his profession, in the lines of plain and ornamental house and sign painting, fine and artistic graining, varn-

ishing and oil finishing.
Mr. Parrish, as a citizen and business man, is worthy of the confidence and exteem which he enjoys by all who know him, and any one having work to do in his line, will be pleased f they have it executed by Mr. Pay-

Below we give the names of some of the most prominent people in Raleigh who are now having their resi iences and business buildings painted end finished up by Mr. Parrish: Mrs. L. H. Adams, handsome new residence on North Person street; W.

B. Mann, elegant residence, corner Wilmington and Newbern Avenue; Judge Shepherd, large new building on North Wilmington street; O. G. King, drug store, inside and out; Mr. Ernest Martin's two story house, corner Jones and Halifax street; Mr. W. C. Mackin's two story residence. on Newbern avenue (for W. H. Mann). All the wood work on the Thos. Briggs and Sons' Building, on Favetteville and Salisbury streets; Mr Jos, G. Brown's residence, corner Morgan and Dawson streets; and also several small jobs, and have contracted for painting the North Carolina Home Insurance Building, to be erected on Favetteville street. And have made estimates on 15 or 20 other large jobs

of painting during the last ten days Mr. Parrish employs only the very best workmen in his line, and gives all work his personal supervision. Too much cannot be said of the excellency of Mr. Parrish's work in his special line, and we cannot recom-mend his undeservingly. If you have any work in his line, he will be pleas-

HICK'S FOR APRIL

ed to give you estimates.

On the 5th and 6th look for warmer weather and April showers. One of the marked storm periods will fall be-tween the 9th and 14th, and the days of greatest intensity and possible violence, will be about the 11th to the

On and after touching the 17th and 19th the elements will again react into sterm conditions; look out for April showers with thunder and ball. Cooler nights and probable fuosts in many section on or about the 19th

Look for an unseasonably pell from the 21st to the 26th, with icious rain, thunder and hail storms. We came Wednesday, the 26th, as the probable crisis of this period. Storms of a tornadic character need not surprise any one during these pertuba-

The last three days of April reac tionary storm conditions will develop and pass eastward across the country. resulting in another fall of barometer and renewed showers. The moon will be new and close to its perigree point at this time, which tends to increase the temperature and throw the atmos-phere into an electric and restless state. Seismie shakes are probable.