

THE COAST LINE.

THE MERGER TAKING IN THE PLANT SYSTEM.

The Formal Consolidation Went Into Effect Yesterday - President Elliott Makes Known the Appointment of Captain J. R. Kenly as General Manager, Mr. T. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager, and Mr. James F. Post, Secretary and Treasurer, and Mr. H. C. Prince Comptroller.

Yesterday the merger went into effect by which the Plant system becomes the second division of the Atlantic Coast Line. This acquisition now gives the Coast Line in the neighborhood of 5,000 miles of railways and makes it one of the greatest railway systems in this country.

The Messenger a few days ago published a circular issued by the traffic department appointing various officers in that connection, and now the executive department concludes the list of officers of the system. Yesterday Colonel Warren G. Elliott, president of the Atlantic Coast Line issued the following circular:

"At midnight on June 30, 1902, this company will assume the management and operation of that portion of its line heretofore known as the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway Company, which has been merged and consolidated into this company, and the jurisdiction of the general officers of this company will extend over the entire consolidated system from that date, as follows:

"J. R. Kenly, General Manager. "T. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager. "James F. Post, Secretary and Treasurer.

"Mr. H. C. Prince has been appointed comptroller of this company, effective July 1, 1902, to have charge of the auditing department, with headquarters at Wilmington, North Carolina.

"Mr. J. Moultrie Lee has been appointed assistant treasurer of this company, with headquarters at Savannah, Georgia.

"All employees of the company heretofore known as the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway Company, in its employment at midnight on June 30th, will from and after that date, subject to such changes as may be made as of that date by the heads of the respective departments, become employees of this company, until otherwise ordered.

"W. G. ELLIOTT, "President."

The office of comptroller is a new one created by the management of the Coast Line, and he will have supervision of the auditing department. Mr. Prince who is appointed comptroller filled that position with the Plant system with which he has served for ten years. He began his railroad career with the Louisville and Nashville railroad system. It is understood that the comptroller will appoint several auditors and that Mr. George S. LeGrand, who has been acting as auditor since the death of the lamented Mr. W. A. Riach, will be one of them.

Mr. James F. Post, secretary and treasurer, on yesterday issued the following circular:

"On and after July 1, 1902, the agents of the company formerly known as the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway Company, will continue to make their remittances in the same manner and to the same banks as heretofore, for account of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and will report to J. Moultrie Lee, assistant treasurer, Savannah, Georgia, until otherwise ordered."

Mr. W. J. Craig, of Augusta, the new general passenger agent of the Coast Line, and Mr. A. C. Kenly, of Baltimore, the new freight claim agent, arrived in the city yesterday.

Mr. Ernest Williams has gone to Augusta to take charge as general freight and passenger agent of the Charleston and Western Carolina Railroad, one of the Coast Line's branches.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY.

Standing Committees Appointed for the Ensuing Year-The New Governing Board as Now Constituted.

At a meeting of the governing board of Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, the following standing committees have been appointed for the ensuing year:

History and Relics-Miss Mary F. Sanders, Miss Maud Kingsbury, Mrs. Maria McLeod, Miss Hannah P. Boiles, Museum-Mrs. W. L. DeRosset, Jr., Mrs. R. W. Price, Mrs. G. W. Huggins, Mrs. H. J. Gerken, Miss Clara Woodward. Membership-Mrs. R. D. Cronly, Miss Anita DeRosset, Miss Ann Savage, Mrs. R. C. Cantwell, Mrs. Hal Boetwright. Memorial-Mrs. John T. Rankin, Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, Mrs. Junius Davis, Miss Eliza Metts, Mrs. John Hedrick, Miss Hettie James, Miss Julia Gore, Miss Louise Bunting. Entertainment-Mrs. F. L. Huggins, Mrs. R. W. Wallace, Mrs. Guy Cardwell, Mrs. T. M. Emerson, Mrs. H. M. Emerson, Mrs. J. H. Bunting, Mrs. Walter Rutland, Miss Mary Meares, Mrs. C. C. Brown, Mrs. Mitt Moore, Mrs. S. W. G. Pulliam, Miss Jeanie Peck, Miss Sue McQueen, Mrs. Jos. D. Smith, Mrs. F. A. Lord, Miss Leonora Cantwell.

The governing board, composed of the officers and chairmen of committees is as follows: Mrs. M. S. Willard, president; Mrs. T. E. Sprunt, vice president; Mrs. L. L. Pritchard, treasurer; Mrs. Sarah James, recording secretary; Mrs. M. L. Stover, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. T. Rankin, chairman memorial committee; Mrs. F. L. Huggins, chairman entertainment committee; Mrs. W. L. DeRosset, chairman museum committee; Miss Mary Sanders, chairman history and relics committee; Mrs. R. D. Cronly, chairman membership committee.

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THE CHARLOTTE EXCURSION.

Committee Here to Arrange for Side Trips and Accommodations for the Excursion of the Pritchard Memorial Churches-There will be Two Trains and 1,000 People are Expected.

The Rev. Dr. J. Q. Adams, pastor of the Pritchard Memorial church, of Charlotte, and Mr. V. O. Willis, a deacon of the church, arrived in the city yesterday as a committee sent to arrange for side trips and accommodations for the excursionists who are to come to Wilmington and our seaside resorts on the excursion of Dr. Adams' church.

They were taken in hand by the Rev. Dr. C. S. Blackwell, and they began work soon after reaching the city. Trips were arranged to Wrightsville Beach, Carolina Beach and out to sea on the steamer Wilmington.

The committee informed a representative that they have chartered two locomotives and fifteen cars for the excursion and that they expect to bring from 800 to 1,000 people from Charlotte and surrounding towns, including Concord, N. C., Monroe, N. C., Wadesboro, N. C., Pineville, N. C., Rock Hill, S. C., Fort Mill, S. C., and other places. The train will be run in two sections, one to leave at 8 a. m. and the other at 8:30 a. m. on Tuesday, July 15th. They expect to reach Wilmington at 2 p. m. and 2:30 p. m. The excursionists will take in Wrightsville Beach that afternoon, and take a trip on the steamer Wilmington the next day, going to Carolina Beach and out to sea. The trains will leave on the return trip at 5 p. m. on the 16th.

As many of the excursionists will stop in the city, the committee called on Mr. James Kyle, secretary of the chamber of commerce, to assist them in getting places of accommodation for the excursionists. Mr. Kyle requests that the chamber accommodate guests to let him know at once the location of their houses, the number they can accommodate, and the rate they will charge. It is very important for the visitors to get their places to stay with here with as little trouble as possible. Let the boarding house people communicate at once with Mr. Kyle at the rooms of the chamber of commerce at Princess and Water streets.

The Pritchard Memorial church is named in memory of the lamented Rev. Dr. Pritchard, and it is to be the finest church in Charlotte. It is a large and handsome brick edifice, and will be completed in about a month. The membership has already organized.

More Than \$50 an Acre for Trucking Lands.

By deeds recorded yesterday at the office of the register of deeds, S. W. Noble and wife transfer to D. N. Chadwick 20 acres of land on the New Bern road beginning at the southwest corner of lands of W. H. Mills, in East Wilmington. The consideration was \$1,000 and other valuable considerations. This shows that the land sold at more than \$50 an acre. They are fine trucking lands.

W. M. Cumming and wife recorded a deed transferring to Robert S. Jirway, of Elbow, Columbus county, a lot 66x100 feet, fronting on the northern line of Dawson street between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Consideration \$75.

Last Sad Rites.

The funeral of Mr. Archie McQueen took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence, 208 North Seventh street, where there was a goodly attendance of friends. The services were solemnly conducted by the Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, of the First Presbyterian church. The interment was made in Oakdale cemetery, and many beautiful floral tributes were affectionately laid upon the grave.

The pallbearers were as follows: Honorary-Mr. H. C. McQueen and Dr. L. H. Love. Active-A. W. McLean, Esq., of Lumberton, Dr. J. H. Durham, Captain R. M. McIntire, and Messrs. L. L. Boon, M. Cronly, C. C. Covington.

At 3 p. m. yesterday the funeral of Captain James G. Daniel took place at the family residence on Third and Davis streets. The Rev. J. N. Cole officiated and a large number of friends were present to pay their respects to the memory of the deceased. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale, and many beautiful floral designs were laid upon the grave.

The pallbearers were as follows: Honorary-Captain John Barry and Captain De Leon Fillyaw. Active-Messrs. Thos. Torpy, W. K. Bell, Wm. H. Turley, H. C. Twining, John G. King and C. C. Rice.

The remains of the lamented Miss Annie E. Clowe were consigned to earth yesterday afternoon at Oakdale cemetery in the presence of a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends. In affectionate remembrance of this most estimable young lady handsome floral tributes were tenderly laid upon the grave. The funeral services occurred at 5 p. m. at the residence, 420 North Third street, and were conducted by the Rev. John N. Cole. The pallbearers were Messrs. A. W. McAllister, D. D. Boylan, J. J. Williams, W. M. Williams, W. O. Meeks, and M. K. Breckenridge.

COLUMBUS COUNTY CONVENTION.

It Was Held Yesterday at Whiteville-Brown was Endorsed for the Nomination for Congress But Some of the Delegates Were for Bellamy-Mr. Bellamy is the Second Choice of the Delegates.

(Special to The Messenger.) Whiteville, N. C., July 1.-The county convention of Columbus county was held here today. For congress the convention instructed for Brown but not unanimously. Welch's Creek and Ransom townships gives two votes each to Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy for first choice. All the delegates are practically for Bellamy for second choice.

FAYETTEVILLE NEWS LETTER.

Additional from the Primaries-News and Personal.

(Correspondence of The Messenger.)

Fayetteville, July 1. The correspondent has learned that complaint has been made that in his news letter to The Messenger of Sunday he failed to give the facts of the proceedings in the Fourth precinct of Cross Creek on Friday evening. The complaint is not well founded. The writer had no call to go behind the returns, which he reported as they were officially given. There seems to be no doubt that Mr. H. R. Horne having made a motion to go into the election of delegates, and Mr. D. T. Oats having moved to table that motion, the vote following showed 32 for Hale, and 26 against him. There is no doubt, either, that those 32 men, in the exercise of their majority right, elected a delegation entirely for Hale, and that it will be unanimously that way in the convention. On the other hand, Pearce's Mill, in the exercise of its clear majority right elected a solid Ballamy delegation to the county convention, although no one will deny that there are Hale men in that precinct. In either of these cases, a hardship has been visited on a minority, the correspondent cannot help that-he did not frame the democratic plan of organization.

In addition to the news sent to The Messenger yesterday, the following has been heard from this county: McKay's Store, Carner's Creek township, instructs for Hale. Clark and Connor; Black River endorses Hale and Connor; Beaver Dam endorses Hale, and instructs its delegates to vote for him in the convention; Little River has not reported; the Third precinct of Cross Creek (Fayetteville) holds its adjourned primary tonight, and the contest is expected to be animated. Gray's Creek endorses Hale, Clark and Connor.

The East Line Railroad Company has received permission from the town government to construct a side track to the new oil mills now in process of construction.

Mr. Leon J. Brandt, a successful Greensboro business man, is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. George Smith has returned from a short stay at the beach.

Mrs. A. A. McLean, of Robeson county, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Armfield on Haymount.

NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL.

State Superintendent Joyner Sick-Charter Granted to Underwriters Company of Elizabeth City-No Clue to Murderer of Mrs. White.

Messenger Bureau. Raleigh, N. C., July 1.

State superintendent of public instruction Joyner is quite sick at Greensboro, his home. His physician says it will be some days before he can leave his room.

A charter was granted today to the Landerlin Underwriting Agency Company, of Elizabeth City, with \$25,000 capital. The charter gives it extensive privileges, including power to deal in real estate, etc.

Inquiries are made of persons here as to what part of North Carolina Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan came from, who committed suicide at Geneva, Switzerland last week, in a house in which they spent their honeymoon, 25 years ago. No one here can give any information regarding them. It is said they were natives of this state but lived in Oregon a number of years.

The penitentiary has discontinued mattress-making. Major W. H. Martin, the defaulting ex-governor, is now a hospital steward at the Caledonia farm.

There is no clue yet to the murderer of Mrs. Catherine White, though a half-witted young white man, who frequently loitered about her home, is suspected. Her head was crushed with an axe, which was beside her.

WILL NOT RECOGNIZE UNION.

Miners in West Virginia Show their Nerve-Refuse to Arbitrate.

Charleston, W. Va., July 2.-At a well attended meeting of Kanawha coal operators held here today at which suggestions of President Stevens of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway were discussed, resolutions were adopted as follows:

We will not recognize the organization known as the United Mine Workers of America, believing as we do, that recognition of the order would injure seriously the interests of operators and miners of West Virginia.

That the recognition of the United Mine Workers of America, being the real and only issue involved in the present strike we declare that the same is not a proper subject for arbitration and we will not arbitrate that issue.

President Stevens did not urge the recognition of that organization but he did want some agreement reached.

John A. Richards, president of this district and seventeen mine workers, were here today and had a long conference with the governor, but nothing was given out. The subject of the conference was over the governor's idea as to the extent of authority of the state courts to issue injunctions. He officially declares that the miners will not agree to arbitration.

It is generally reported from Washington by the special correspondents that the diatribe of Mr. Bryan against Mr. Cleveland aroused little interest among senators and representatives. That is a crushing blow to the Nebraska, who wishes above all to be discussed and to make a sensation. Indeed, it would "rather be damned than mentioned at all" and the idea that his abuse of the great democratic exponent has excited little interest will be a bitter dose to him.-New York Evening Post.

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected. The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

Hood's Sarsaparilla which strengthens the whole digestive system.

A REPUBLICAN PLOT

To Carry the Election in this State Next Fall-The Conspiracy Exposed by Senator Simmons.

Chairman Simmons of the democratic state committee authorizes the following statement:

For some time past prominent North Carolina republicans in Washington would control the next North Carolina legislature and that Senator Fritchard would be returned to the senate. Democrats have been unable to understand the grounds of this hope in the face of the fact that that party lost the state in the August election in 1900 by about 60,000 majority, and since that time has lost substantial provisions of the amendment, however, between 70,000 and 80,000 of its former voters.

The persistence with which this claim was made aroused in my mind a suspicion that it was based upon some secret scheme and led me to an investigation with the view of ascertaining what it all meant. As a result of this investigation, I have discovered a shrewdly devised and well developed conspiracy.

The scheme, briefly stated, is to stir up and promote dissensions and independencies and, by raising the cry that the amendment has eliminated the negro and freed the white man, to bring about during the early stages of the campaign a hopeless division among democrats, and then on the eve of election have the federal court sit aside the amendment. In this enterprise and in organizing the opposition forces, the conspirators are to have unlimited money furnished them by the national republican committee upon the promise of two, if not three, republican congressmen from the state; and the retention of the present republican senator.

In order to divide the democrats, every local quarrel, every fancied complaint and grievance against the party and state administration, every disappointment growing out of the nomination or defeat of candidates, is to be assiduously nursed and fanned. The democratic party is to be charged with hostility to certain interests and with nominating men to office known to be prejudiced against these interests, and the voters are to be appealed to to resent this alleged assault and to cast their votes against these objectionable candidates. It is expected that the opposition to Judge Clark's nomination will start the bolt and that, on account of the unusual number of democratic candidates this year, defeated candidates all over the state will be found who will be ready to hazard their chances by allowing the use of their name.

On these lines our adversaries propose to open and for a time conduct their campaign. When the lines of battle have been drawn and tightened, when passion has been stirred to white heat by the friction of conflict, when alignments have been made, and when it is believed that the bolters have gone so far that passion and pride will not return to the old associations, as the day of election draws near at hand the courts will be asked to declare the amendment unconstitutional and void. Every detail to this end has been carefully arranged and the conspirators are confident they will be no hitch or failure or delay in carrying out the program at any point. Between the 1st and 15th of October a white man, who has been refused registration because he has failed to pay his poll tax, will apply to a republican federal judge, who has been selected for a mandamus to compel the registrar to admit him to registration. This judge will hold that it is within the authority of the state to make the payment of poll tax a condition precedent to the right to vote, but he will also hold that the franchise is unconstitutional, and, as the amendment provides that the whole shall stand or fall together, every part of the amendment is affected by this infirmity. The attack will be made upon the poll tax instead of the educational clause, to avoid going into court with a negro as complainant.

By reason of the shortness of the time, it will be impossible to get the case heard on appeal before the election, and as the judgment will be effective until overruled on appeal, it is the expectation of the conspirators that the election will be held under the law as thus declared. If registrars refuse to recognize and act upon this decision, mandamuses will be issued by the thousands, to be followed, if necessary, to carry out the conspiracy, by federal court bench warrants.

The negro who is always ready to obey the orders of his party leaders, is to be kept quiet, but secretly organized and kept in readiness to rush to the polls when the time is ripe and the way is clear. It is the calculation of the conspirators that with 120,000 negroes, added to the republican and dissatisfied democrats, they will be able at least to carry enough counties to control the legislature.

The conspirators have thoroughly discussed in connection with the scheme the election law passed by the legislature, and are greatly encouraged and comforted in their enterprise by its fairness and the large representation it gives to the opposition party. They expect, before their designs upon the amendment are discovered, that the county boards registers, judges of election, etc., will have been appointed and organized, and that they will have secured on these boards all the representation necessary to protect their voters and to carry out their conspiracy.

This is the republican scheme to capture the state on the basis of a state prediction we have heard recently of the re-election of the present republican senator. It is not a scheme merely in contemplation, but one which has been discussed, matured and agreed upon. In asserting this, I speak not from conjecture, but from positive and reliable information.

Of course the success of this scheme required the utmost secrecy, and for this reason but few have been taken into the inner circle. The lieutenants have been given to understand that the party chiefs have a big card up their sleeves, which it is expected at the right time will be played and sweep the deck; but so far the scheme is a secret to all except the big leaders.

The success of this scheme requires also the prostitution of the judiciary for purely partisan purposes; but a republican officialdom in North Carolina is a close corporation, and this part of the programme presents no practical difficulties.

I have felt it my duty to expose this conspiracy to take snap judgment against the white people of the state and bring them again under the yoke of negro domination. Never did the old maxim "forwarned, forearmed" apply with greater force.

In the name of the white people of North Carolina, I tell these conspirators that they will never again, under any circumstances, will negro rule be permitted to exist in North Carolina. White supremacy is not only written in the

constitution, but it is written in the hearts of the white people of the state. If the republican party hopes again to come into power in North Carolina, it must look elsewhere than to the negro vote. All hopes of political success based upon that vote is doomed to disappointment. They must either accept the amendment in good faith or openly repudiate it. They will not be permitted to invoke its beneficent and liberalizing provisions while secretly plotting its assassination.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT.

Little Boy Badly Burned by Explosion of a Kerosene Oil Can-Fine Record of Bank of Mt. Olive-Political Conditions.

(Correspondence of The Messenger.) Goldsboro, N. C., July 1.

Little John Crawford, the 8-year-old son of the late Joe Crawford, who lives with his mother at 611 Slocumb street, south, was badly burned yesterday afternoon while trying to build a fire with kerosene oil.

The can exploded and sent the burning oil over the boy's clothing. He ran into the street with his clothing in flames and screaming with pain from the fire. His grandfather Mr. W. H. Sugg was passing the house at the time and caught the boy and extinguished the flames. The young fellow had been badly burned on the chest and hands and may not recover.

The funeral of W. F. Peterson, son of Mr. ex-Senator J. E. Peterson, who died yesterday morning, was held from the First Baptist church this morning. Rev. C. A. Jenkins, the pastor, officiating and the interment was made in Willow Dale cemetery.

The Bank of Mt. Olive, which has been doing business just twelve months today, has declared its first dividend of nineteen (19) per cent. and does not have a single overdraft or a bad loan on its books. Mr. M. T. Breazeale is the cashier and Mr. N. E. Borden, cashier of the Bank of Wayne, of this city, is president.

In one respect the congressional convention which meets in this city tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock will be like the judicial convention which meets in Smithfield on Thursday afternoon and that is that there will be but one candidate before each convention. Hon. C. R. Thomas, the present incumbent from this district, which comprises the counties of Wayne, Duplin, Sampson, Pender, Onslow, Jones, Craven, Carteret and Pamlico, will receive the nomination on the first ballot.

The judicial convention which meets at Smithfield on Thursday will nominate our distinguished townsman Hon. W. R. Allen.

VIRGINIA MINE STRIKE.

Situation Unchanged - Operators Satisfied With Outlook.

Roanoke, Va., July 2.-Reports from the Pocahontas Flat Top coal fields to the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company today indicate that the operators are satisfied with the progress being made. There is but little uneasiness felt over the approach of the Fourth of July, and while it is expected there will be a practical suspension of operations throughout the fields on that day it is believed that every man who stops work to take the holiday will be back in the mines on the 5th, or the following Monday, at the latest. The officials do not believe that the ordering of a general strike in the bituminous fields by the convention at Indianapolis on the 17th instant will affect the Pocahontas Flat Top fields. The operators are confident that they will be able to retain their hands of some of the more radical whites who have threatened them with violence.

Some of the colored men who have been on strike since June 7th, may stay out until after the Indianapolis meeting because they fear bodily harm at the hands of some of the more radical whites who have threatened them with violence.

The present loading in the Pocahontas Flat Top fields is fully 75 per cent. of the normal output. The River field is still closed down and practically no coal is being mined in that territory.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

A Woman Foully Murdered-Her Husband Suspected.

Richmond, Va., July 2.-A Lawrenceville, Va., special says: "The most atrocious crime committed in this county since the cruel murder of Dr. W. H. Temple, occurred near the home of Mr. A. M. Clary, of Ghelstonville, Monday morning.

A woman, Harriet Avent, employed by Mr. Clary S. Cook, went as usual to work, and after waiting for some time for her to return, Mr. Cook sent out to see what had detained her. She was found unconscious with her skull fractured. She died soon after. An axe, which had done the deadly work, was found close by. Her husband was immediately suspected of the crime.

Citizens, white and colored, searched the whole day for the husband but he could not be found. That night he returned home. It is thought, to get his clothing, and he was captured. Yesterday he was given preliminary trial and committed to jail. The crime has aroused the intensest feeling. Last night the jail was guarded by fifteen or twenty men, and every precaution is being taken to prevent a lynching.

While Senator Morgan yielded with unexpected grace to the Panama route, believing there was something very muddy in the methods which brought opinion around so suddenly to favor that scheme, he introduced a resolution of enquiry with power to send for persons and papers. The flurry and opposition which this move precipitated caused no little astonishment. If there be nothing wrong no harm can come of the investigation, but the conspiracy has a big card up their sleeves, which it is expected at the right time will be played and sweep the deck; but so far the scheme is a secret to all except the big leaders.

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GEORGIA'S HONORED DEAD.

Dr. Crawford W. Long Selected for Statue in National Hall of Honor.

Atlanta, Ga., July 2.-he commission created by the last legislature to select two prominent Georgians whose statues shall occupy niches in the hall of fame at Washington met here today. The prevailing sentiment was that only one name should be selected as long as General John B. Gordon lived, and accordingly the commission adjourned after declaring Dr. Crawford W. Long, the discoverer of anaesthesia, as the first Georgian to be thus honored. Among the other names considered were those of Alexander H. Stephens and Robert Toombs.

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GEORGIA DEMOCRATS.

Nominate Jos. M. Terrell for Governor and Adopt Platform.

Atlanta, Ga., July 2.-Georgia democrats in state convention here today nominated the following ticket: For Governor-Joseph M. Terrell. For Attorney General-John C. Hart. For Comptroller General-William A. Wright.

For Secretary of State-Phil Cook. For Commissioner of Agriculture-O. B. Stevens. For Prison Commissioner-Thomas Eason. For State Treasurer-Robert E. Park. For State School Commissioner-W. B. Merritt.

For Justice of the Supreme Court-Samuel Lumpkin and J. Cobb. For United States Senator-Alexander S. Clay. The convention today ratified the results of primaries held throughout the state June 5th.

The names of Colonel James H. Estill, editor of The Savannah Morning News and Colonel Dupont Guerry, a prominent attorney of Macon, who were entered in the gubernatorial campaign were also presented to the convention as candidates for the nomination for governor. Mr. Terrell received 144 votes, Mr. Guerry 79 and Colonel Estill 80. Mr. Terrell served for four years as state attorney general, which position he resigned to become a candidate for governor.

After the nominations were made the convention adjourned until 5 o'clock when the platform was submitted and unanimously adopted. It deals almost entirely with state issues, prominence being given to the liquor question. The Kansas City platform is passed over in silence and the name of W. J. Bryan is not mentioned.

TRIES TO KILL HERSELF.

A Durham Woman Jumps Into a Well, But is Rescued.

(Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., July 2.-Miss Beulah Lamont, of Durham, on account of cruelty of sister, with whom she lived, sprang into a well sixty-five feet deep. Her sister screamed for help, then attempted to leap into the well. There is sixteen feet of water in the well, but Miss Lamont never lost consciousness. A young man slid down the rope and saved her. She is not yet out of danger.

PROFESSOR J. Y. JOYNER ILL.

(Correspondence of The Messenger.) Greensboro, July 2.

Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, is at home with very high fever, having been sick since Sunday. He came home Saturday night after a week of very active work in the east, chiefly at Wilson and was apparently in good health. Sunday he was unwell, and yesterday his temperature was very high, the doctor being called in four different times. Dr. Battle, his attending physician, tells me this morning that he is resting more comfortably, his condition being slightly improved since last night. His trouble is said to be malarial, with complications of indigestion. His pulse and temperature are some better this morning, but still very unsatisfactory. The physician does not apprehend very serious sickness, but it is impossible to tell yet what turn the trouble will take.

Leaves for West Virginia.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 2.-Secretary Treasurer W. B. Wilson, of the United Mine Workers has returned from Chicago and left almost immediately for West Virginia, to confer with the district officers who are in charge of the great strike in that district. Inasmuch as an injunction is pending against Mr. Wilson prohibiting him from meeting with other members of the miners organization either publicly or privately in the strike region of West Virginia, it is anticipated that he may be arrested if he shall try to confer with the men in charge of affairs in the field there.

When asked if he did not fear arrest if he went to West Virginia, Mr. Wilson said: "I have never been served with any papers from the court and the only knowledge I have that an injunction has been granted has come through the newspapers."

The situation as to the suspension of work at the coal mines where the United Mine Workers of America are employed is unchanged.

Children Frey's Vermifuge. Must have constant attention from the mother. Their worms are numerous, but that is not a sign of weakness, but that is a sign of health. Frey's Vermifuge. E. & S. FREY, Baltimore, Md.