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# WILSON FIRST SOUTHERN DEMOCRAT

eltction to the presidency means that for the first time since 1845 a south-ern Democrat will be inaugurated and a Louisiana Whig. occupy the presidential chair.

Sixty-five years have elapsed since a southern man and a Democrat too has been named president of the large southern man and a Democrat too has been named president of the large southerner, but he was a Republican. United States.

James K. Polk, the 11th president, which the country had, was a Demo-crat. He was born in North Carolina and elected from Tennessee. . He was inaugurated in 1845. Woodrow Wilson will be the 28th

president and the first southern Democrat in that position, derefore, in this generation. There have been two southerners

and one non-southern Democrat, but ter, will be the first Georgia woman the combination of a Democrat and southerner has not been repeated. White House.

Atlanta, Nov. 6 .- Woodrow Wilson's | Zachary Taylor, the 12th president was a southerner, born in Virginia He was inaugurated in 1849, but was Andrew Johnson, born in Raleigh, N.

> Grover Cleveland, the 24th president was a Democrat, but he was born

> in New Jersey. Woodrow Wilson, the 28th president, was born in Virginia and elected from New Jersey. He was born a southerner, reared a southerner, married a southern woman, practiced law in the south and will go into office a southerner.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the daughelected to the presidency since Polk ter of a distinguished Georgia miniswho has ever been mistress of the

Columbia, Nov. 11.-Gov. Blease

today formally protested to Attorney

state dispensary building to Christo-pher Atkinson, who bought it at pub-

lic auction for \$125,000, the governor

alleging that a quorum of the sinking

fund commission cannot be secured.

The late Senator Mauldin is dead and

the Governor holds that L. J. Brown-

house and therefore a member of the

office this morning as he was not re-

This leaves only four members

and only three who will sign the

deed, as the governor will not. It

takes four to make a quorum.

The letter of the governor to At-

the sinking fund commission is as

follows: "I desire to enter my pro-

test against any action of the sink-

ing fund commission in deeding the building, known as the old dispen-

of the said commission is present.

"Under my understanding of

law, there are six members of the

commission and a quorum of the six

is necessary for the transaction of

Senator Mauldin, who was ex-offi-

cio a member, is dead and no suc-

cessor can be appointed to him until

the senate convenes, Representative Browning passed out of office last

night at twelve o'clock, the constitu-

tion providing that the members-elect term of office shall begin on

the Monday following the election. Therefore, you can have but three

Mr. Wilburn and Mr. Walker come

in Mr. Browning goes out, hence, it

tention now, hoping that it may pre-

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Abbeville cotton mills

was held Tuesday, at which the offi-

cers of the company were re-elected.

Among those who attended the meet-

ing was Mr. S. M. Milliken, of New

York, one of the largest stockholders.

In the party which accompanied Mr.

Milliken were his son, Mr. J. H. Milli-

ken, Mr. A. M. Greene, of New York,

Mr. H. E. Waernicke, of the Land

and Industrial department of the

Southern Railway, also accompanied Mr. Milliken and his party.

The party left for the North on th

noon train, traveling in a private car.

TRACTOR PLEASES

Supervisor Stevenson says the more

he uses the traction engine, purchased

by the county last summer, the more

ne is convinced of its worth for road

building. Mr. Stevenson says that it is

no trouble to alter the scenery with

this engine, large hills giving way to

the road scrapes attached to the trac-

tor without any trouble whatever. Be-

sides its efficiency the tractor is eco-

nomical, effecting a considerable sav-

MR. BRISTOW SICK

Friends of the Rev. Louis Bristow

will regret to know that he is confined

to his bed. Mr. Bristow preached as

usual at the Sunday morning service,

but on account of sudden illness was

prevented from filling his pulpit at

the evening service. At last accounts

his condition was somewhat improv-

ed, but he is still confined to bed. His

many friends wish him a speedy re-

MAN SUICIDE IN ANDERSON

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CHURCH BAZAAR

Society of the Methodist church

will hold a Bazaar on the 12th

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and 13th of December.

The Ladies of the Working

Anderson, S. C., Nov. 7 .- Raymond

ing over mule power.

and Mr. Chas. Clark, of Maine.

mission.

elected.

# FIRE LADDIES ARE GOVERNOR OBJECTS GETTING IN TRIM

Preparing for State Tournament to Be Held Here.

ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN FORMED.

Entertainments to Be Given to Raise Funds-Roll of the Company.

Active preparations are being made by the young men of the fire department to put the department in a firstclass working condition and to have themselves in fine trim for the State Fireman's Tournament, which will be held in Abbeville next spring.

The department has been thoroughly reorganized and a volunteer association formed by a number of young men who are determined to make a creditable showing in the Tour-

The association has elected the following officers:
J. V. Elgin, Chief.
T. C. Beaudrot, Assistant Chief.

J. Frank Clinkscales, Secretary.

R. H. Kay, Treasurer. It will be necessary for the boys to have a light wagon for racing purposes in order to make a creditable showing in the tournament. The money for this purpose will have to be raised in some way by the members of the association and being made for giving several entertainments to raise the necessary funds. The public should patronize liberally these entertainments. The young men of the department are devoting considerable time and energy to the work of the department, which members of the commission, for as will be of real service to the community, and they should not lack the cordial cooperation of all who are inter- only makes four legitimate members

ested in promoting the efficiency of of the commission.

"I call this matter to your atthe fire-fighting force. At a meeting held Monday night Chief Elgin appointed the following vent any unpleasantness in the com-

On Examination-T. C. Beaudrot chairman; J. Frank Clinkscales, Cal-On Grievances-R. H. Kay, chair

man; S. F. Sherard, A. H. Nance. The Roll

The following is the roll of members as compiled up to Monday night J. V. Elgin.

C. Beaudrot.

J. Frank Clinkscales.

R. H. Kay.

J. H. Sherard.

S. F. Sherard. R. L. Mabry, Jr.

R. E. McKenzie. H. E. Pennal.

A. H. Nance W. D. Wilkinson.

Richard Sondley, Jr. T. E. Archie. Calhoun Cason.

## GALLOWAY DIVISION

Trolley to Buy the Due West Rall-

It is rumored that the Piedmont & Northern road will take charge of the Due West Railway in the near future, says the Greenwood Journal. Some time ago the suggestion was made but at that time the Piedmont & Northern officials denied the report. It seems however that it is altogether probable that they will later do so .-Daily Mail.

### MR. J. O. CANN IS ELECTED RURAL POLICEMAN

Mr. J. O. Cann has been elected rural policeman to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. J. A. Schroeder. Since the resignation of Mr. Schroeder several weeks ago, Mr. Cann has been filling the position with eminent satisfaction and there were no other applicants for the job at the election, which was held Saturday.

## MILLER-TOLBERT

H. Kay, 30, farmer and member of a prominent family, placed a shotgun on Married by Rev. Mike McGee, on the his bed and with the muzzle against 6th inst., at the residence of the his abdomen, pulled the trigger with his thumb. He said financial troubride's father on Long Cane, Mr. A. M. Tolbert and Miss Jennie Miller, bles caused him to seek death. A widow and four children survive him. daughter of J. D. Miller.

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U. D. C.

The Abbeville Chapter U. D. C., will meet Tuesday afternoon Nov. 19th with Mrs. L. T. Miller. All members please notic change in date.

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Abbeville Continues to Pay More Than Other Towns.

POLICY OF LOCAL COTTON MILL.

As a Result of Better Prices Considerable Cotton Offered During Past Week.

The cotton market is still holding the good level towards which it has gradually been working. Further advances have been noted in the local market the past week and a few bales have been sold here for as much as 13 cents.

The cotton market in Abbeville has not only been above that of towns in this section of the State, but the prices paid here have been higher than the quotations in many of the leading cities. As a result of the good prices paid for the staple, much coton has been attracted here that would, in other circumstances, have been placed on the market in other towns.

One gentleman who sold his cotton here said that he had demonstrated to his own satisfaction that he could, in addition to receiving a higher price for his cotton, also purchase goods cheaper than in hi local market, which made a double inducement to patronize Abbeville.

Messrs. R. E. Cox and W. D. Barks-General Lyon against deeding the old dale have been bulling the local market considerably. This they found a somewhat easy task in the face of a steadily raising market. But aside from the activities of these gentlemen, it is the settled policy of the lo-cal mills, which buys the greater part of the cotton sold here, to pay ing, who was chairman of the ways and means committee in the last the very top of the market-in fact the mill wishes to keep the market here at a higher level than competsinkink fund commission, went out of ing points, to the end that they may be able to secure as much of their stock as possible from Abbeville county. The mill consumes from 10,000 to 12,000 bales of cotton yearly.

The past week has seen the marketing of considerable cotton, though torney General Lyon as chairman of many are still holding for a further

The market here yesterday was quoted at 12 7-8 cents, a slight drop in response to the action of the New York market.

sary building, or any other matters or transactions, unless a full quorum LONGEST PAINTING EXECUTED IN AMERICA AT CORN SHOW

> Immense Canvass, Sixth of Mile Long Will Depict Scenes in Various States

Columbia, Nov. 10.-The longest painting ever executed in this country or abroad, according to authentic statements, will form a striking feature of the decorations for the educational building at the Fifth National try or abroad, according to authentic tional building at the Fifth National Corn Exposition here next January The canvas for this immense painting will be nearly a sixth of a mile in length, by nine feet wide. It will extend entirely around the big steel building which will house the exhibits from the department of agrculture and the thirty or more States which will enter the Exposition. The canvas will cover about 7,500 square feet of space, and 533 pounds of dry paints of various colors will be necessary in the execution of the task.

The artist who will transform this material into a mammoth work of art is Mr. E. E. Sprague of Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Sprague executed a somewhat similar, though smaller piece of work for the Fourth National Corn Exposition held at Columbus last year. The high artistic quality of the work and the wide variety of subjects and scenes, attracted instant attention and aroused wide comment. Mr. Sprague is now a resident of Columbia, and is at present superintending the erection of the frame-work for the support of this enormous stretch of canvas. Within the next few days he will begin with his brush and paints upon the titanic task. Mr. Sprague will be assisted in this work by his

son, Mr. S. B. Sprague. will be painted landscape scenes typical of the various States whose exhibits, educational and competitive will be arranged below.

### SHE PREDICTED WILSON WOULD BE PRESIDENT

Joilet, Ill., November 7 .- John C. Baker, of Manhattan, was the happlest man in Will county over the election of Woodrow Wilson to the presidency, because it fulfilled a prediction made by his sister, Mrs. Mary Russel, more

than forty years ago. Mrs. Russell was Mr. Wilson's Tileston school, Wilmington, N. and at that time predicted that the boy some day would be president. She did not live to see her prophecy fulfilled. She died three years ago at Leesville, N. C., at the age of 84.

As a token of his esteem Wilson presented his teacher with a little fretwood picture frame, which is now in the Baker home. Mrs. Russell watched Mr. Wilson grow to fame, and with each advance changed the picture in the frame. When she gave the frame fixed. to her brother she remarked: "You will want to keep this, for when he gets to be president you will be very

Baker said that Wilson's father, Rev. Joseph Wilson, visited him at Manhattan at the time his son published his first book and said. "Well, I don't see where Wood-

row gets his smartness."

proud of it.

DISPENSARY WINS IN UNION

County Votes to Re-establish Liquor Business-Large Vote

Union, November, 5.—Union county 0 has voted to reopen the county dispensary, which was closed six years ago. The vote received gives a ma--0 jority of 113 in favor of re-opening.

# HOSTLER HOWIE

Assailant Escaped in the Darkness and Confusion.

PAINFUL WOUND IN RIGHT HAND.

Man was Apparently Endeavoring to Steal Tools from Locomotive Box.

Considerable excitement was created at the Seaboard Air Line yards last Wednesday night by the shooting of Mr. L. Z. Howie, the popular hostler of the railway company in Abbe-

Mr. Howie, who was preparing an engine to go out on a trip, heard a noise in the engine. Upon climbing up to investigate, he found a negro apparently endeavoring to force open the engineer's box, supposedly in an en-deavor to steal the tools contained therein. The supposed theif immediately opened fire on Mr. Howie with a revolver, firing two shots, one of which took effect in the right hand, inflicting a severe wound.

Mr. Howie's assailant immediately decamped, but showed himself again on an embankment near the crowd which had gathered and threatened to lynch him. He defied the crowd to take him and fired his pistol at them. Fortunately no one was injured. The desperado escaped in the dark-

ness and confusion and no trace of him has yet been found.

Mr. Howie did not recognize the negro and has no idea who he could have been, except that he believes him

to have been a hobo. The ordinary garden variety of hobo would never attempt to stea a set of tools—things for which he is known to have a substantial aversion—and many persons are inclined to the belief that the man may have been a yeggman. It was customary for the gang of yeggmen which operated in this State several years ago, and which was so successfuly rounded up by Postoffice Inspector Gregory, to use tools taken from blacksmith and other shops near the scene of their operations rather than run the risk of carrying these about with them. The boldness of Mr. Howie's assailant and the fact that he was apparently endeavoring to secure the tools carried by engineers, led some people to fear that a gang of these desperate criminals was again about to infest the

It is hardly likely, however, that such is the case, because South Carolina has been made a hard territory for this desperate class of criminals. At this writing Mr. Howie is recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

Washington, Nov. Taft today issued the Thanksgiving proclamation, setting aside November for the observance of that day. The proclamation follows: By the President of the United

States of America. "A God-fearing nation owes it to its inborn and sincere sense of moral duty to testify its devout gratitude to the All Giver for the cuntless benefits it has enjoyed. For many years it has been customary at the close of the year for the national executive to call upon his

fellow countrymen to offer praise and thanks to God for the manifold blessings vouchsafed to them in the past and to unite in earnest suppliance for their continuance. Prosperity in Land. "The year now drawing to a close

has been notably favorable to our fortunate land. At peace within and without, free from the perturbations and calamities that have afflicted other peoples; rich in harvests The canvas will be divided into abundant and in industries so producthirty or more spaces, into which tive that the overflow of our prosperity has advantaged the whole world; strong in the steadfast conservation of the heritage of self- government bequeathed to us by the wisdom of our fathers, and firm in the resolve to transmit that heritage unimpaired, but rather improved by good use, to our children and children's children for all time to come, the people of this country have abounding cause for contented grati-

Howard "Wherefore I. Taft, president of the United States of America, in pursuance of long established usage and in response to teacher, when he was 10 years old, in the wish of the American people, invite my countrymen, wheresoever they may sojourn, to join, on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of month of November, in appropriate ascription of praise and thanks to God for the good gifts that have been our portion and, in humble prayer, that His great mercies toward us may endure.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be af-

"Done at the city of Washington, this seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and twelve, and of the inde-pendence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-

"William H. Taft. (Signed) "By the President: 'Alvey A. Adee,

seventh.

The Auction Bridge Club will

# CONNIE MAXWELL SHOT BY HOBO PRIDE OF BAPTISTS

Boys and Girls from Institution Will Visit Abbeville.

GOOD EXAMPLE OF DR. MAXWELL

Something About the Founding of Baptist Orphanage at Greenwood.

The pride of the Baptist State Convention is Connie Maxwell Orphanage, tocated at Greenwood. Superintendent Jamison will bring to the Convention n Abbeville about one hundred of the little fatherless boys and girls from this splendid institution, that the delegates to the Convention may see their wards. There are now 260 in the Connie Maxwell family.

Twenty-two years ago a movement was started in the Baptist State convention looking to the establishment of an orphanage. A committee was appointed to enquire into the matter, to report to the nexa annual session of the convention. This committee recommended that an orphanage be established, and the committee was empowered to set agoing the movement. As a result, the Baptists of South Carolina now have a home for fatherless little ones who are homeless, with property value of more than \$350,000, and a moral value inestimable. Neither is there any way in which to measure its civic worth.

The late Dr. J. C. Maxwell, of

Greenwood, came before the convention's committee and proposed to execute a mortuary title to certain property upon the condition that the Baptists would build and maintain an or phanage in or near Greenwood, and call it after the name of Dr. Maxwell's deceased daughter, Connie. The offer was accepted, and money raised throughout the State for building the first cottage. This money was raised in the town of Williamston, by the late Elijah Horton, father of Mr. E. C. Horton, editor of The Abbeville Medium. A small tract of land was secured and a building erected. The first child received was Susie Burton, of Newberry county, who is now the wife of a prosperous business man in a Georgia town, and the mother of several bright children. Had Dr. Maxwell's gift done nothing more than care for that little homeless girl, educate her, and give her Christian influence in her tender years, his life's accumulations would not have been spent in vain. But Dr. Maxwell's munificence led the way for the care of several thousand homeless girls and boys, many of whom today, as women and men, fill responsible places in business and preside over happy Christian homes. Others, taking inspiration from Dr. Maxwell's example, have given Connie Maxwell Orphanage

large sums of money.

The name of Dr. Maxwell, like that of his little child who was carried off by an attack of scarlet fever at the tender age of nine, will live in per-petuity, to be honored by a great denomination, and blessed by thousands of men and women whose cheerless childhood was made bright by his

Christian philanthropy.

The Baptists believe in putting their institutions under the care of successful business men, and the board of trustees of Connie Maxwell Orphanage consists of: Jos. N. Brown, of Anderson; Mr. J. K. Durst, Greenwood; W H. Hunt, Esq., Newberry; Mr. S. B. Ezell, Spartanburg; Mr. G. B. Buell, Charleston; Mr. Laban Mauldin, Easley; Mr. C. B. Bobo, Laurens; Mr. R. H. Ferguson, Chester; Mr. J. W. King, Dillon; Col. R. B. Watson, Ridge Spring; Mr. J. W. Sproles, Greenwood Rev. Wm. Haynesworth, Sumter; Mr W. G. Wilson, Camden; and Orlando Sheppard, Edgefield. It would be difficut to select a more thoroughly competent business board. The orphanage expends about \$35,000 annually for support.

ROBBERS GET \$2,500 IN A STORE AT GANTT

Safe Was Not Locked by Owner. Entrance Effected Through Front Door Window

Greenville, Nov. 7 .- News of one of the biggest robberies that has occurred in Greenville county in many years was received yesterday through a reliable source, it being stated that on last Monday night a party, or parties, broke into the store of a Mr. Brown, at Gantt, and stole something like \$2,500 from a safe.

Upon going to his store Tuesday morning, it is said, Mr. Brown observed that the front door or a win dow-it could not be learned definitely which-had been forced open sometime during the previous night. Further investigation revealed the fact that the safe, which had been left unlocked Monday night had been opened and a large amount of money stolen.

Just how much money was in the safe could not be learned definitely but it is understood that Mr. Brown had between two and three thousand -more nearly twenty-five hundred -dollars in it. The robber, or robbers, made a clean sweep. As near as could be judged, the

store was broken into about 2 o'clock Monday night.

FORGED THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR

Columbia, Nov. 7.—Charged with having forged the name of Governor Cole L. Blease to a draft for \$10, drawn on the Bank of Belton, W. F. Snipes was this morning sent to jai

night clerk, Mr. Gayden, by Snipes, but before the money requested was paid out Governor Blease was communicated with and the information obtained that the governor did not know about the draft. The local police department was notified and O Snipes was placed under arrest.

# EUROPE MAY WITH WAR OVER TURKISH SITUATION

insoluble to many.

time the Turish capital is threatened with massacre from within.

between the aims of Austria-Hungary and Servia, which if it is not arranged, might start a general European war.

The most hopeful sign is the fact that moderating influences are being brought to bear by Germany, close ally of Austria-Hungary and by Bulgaria, Servia's comrade in arms. Austria's View. The views of Austria-Hungary con-

cerning European Turkey's future are pretty well known to include access to the earnest markets, the integrity of Albania, including the Adriatic coast of that country and compensa-tion for Rumania which has always claimed that when Bulgarian terriory is extended her borders should likewise spread. Jealousies Exist.

The Austria-Hungarian minister at Belgrade informed the Servian gov-

London, Nov. 11.—Europe is facing ernment of the proposals and sugone of the most critical weeks in its gested that a reasonable settlement history. It may end in a war, in would be that Austria, in return for which the whole of Europe will be corresponding priviledes in the Balinvolved, or it may be remembered as kan ports and on the railroads lead-a week in which diplomacy succeeded ing to them, should give Servia runin solving problems that appeared ning privileges over the line that is to be built to Durazzo and that the two The Bulgarian army is on the point countries should together use it sa of entering Constantinople. This will a free port. Existing jealousies are be resented by Russia. At the same so intense, however, that it will take a lot of pressure to induce either Austria or Servia to recede from its de-On the other side of the Balkan mands. Austria in fact takes so sepeninsula there is an acute conflict riously the advance of a Servian force toward Durazzo that she has dispatched a steamer there to take off Austrian residents when the Servian

> Rusia Prepared. Servia's friend, Russia, also is pre-paring for eventualities. Besides keeping her time-expired men in the army, she is mobolizing her forces and her arsenals and commissariat departments are working night and day. As to the actual fighting, very little news is coming through. The situation at Adrianople continues some-thing of a riddle. The Bulgarians claim to have absolutely surrounded the city.

troops arrive.

Much Disease

A complete dispatch says that in the opinion of European doctors, the disease which has broken out among the wounded is certainly Asiatic

Washington, Nov. 11.-From an undeniably reliable source it is learned here today that President-elect Wilson has decided that, upon his entry into the White House, March 4, the appointment of all postmasters, with the exception of those under civil ser vice rules, shall be left to the members of the house exclusively. In the selection of such officials the

wishes of the respective house members will be rigidly regarded. Further than this it could not be ascertained from this authority what the president-elect will do toward filling other positions such as collector of the port, district attorney, marshal, etc., but it is understood, however, that these appointments will be left to the recommendation of the senators, although on this latter point no direct information could be se-

ment of all postmasters civil service at the disposition of the house members and leave the larger places to be filled as the various Democratic senators might suggest.

That such a plan will be decided upon there is no doubt, this information coming from a well known senator who is on the inside in such matters and who has his ear close to the ground regarding future presidential appointments. Besides it is the custom followed in former Democratic administrations.

# WAKEFIELD-HUNT

A wedding which will be of special interest to the people of this section, was the marriage of Mr. H. L. Hunt, of Shelby, N. C., to Miss Azalee Wakefield, of Antreville, S. C., on November

The bride was handsomely dressed n a blue coat suit carrying a bouquet of lovely white chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were dressed in white. After the ceremony all marched in-

to the dining room, a sweet course was served by Misses Geniveive Anderson and Daisy Bowen. The bride and groom left for Atlanta on an early train. They will be at home to their friends in Shelby, N. C., after the first of January.

Cement sidewalks are being laid on Main street in front of the Baptist church. The paving will be continued around the church and down Moseley street for the distance of one block. church will have a cement walk laid passed around and distributed among from the pavement to the church. These improvements will add to the appearance of the street considerably. The work will be completed before the meeting of the Baptist State Con-

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are so many Democratic candidates for the postmastership here since the election that a

# TILLMAN TO HEAD

Will Be Chairman of Naval Affairs.

HAS CHOICE OF SEVERAL OTHERS:

Control by Democrats Will Cause Many Changes-E. D. Smith In Line.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The begin-ning/of the 63d congress after March 4, next will make many important changes in the personnel of committees assignments in the house and senate, and these are most interesting from a southern standpoint. The following are now the ranking Democrats in the senate on the committees named and will be entitled to chair-This action would place the appoint- manships of those committees when he senate is reorganized, as a result of its control by the Democrats: Agriculture, Bankhead of Alabama; appropriations, Tillman of South Carolina; Canadian relations, Tillman; census, Shively of Indiana; Bailey of Texas retiring; claims, Martin of Virginia; coast defenses, Simmons of North Carolina; commerce, Martin; conservation of national resources, Newlands of Nevada, with Overman of North Carolina next; Cuban relations, Simmons; District of Columbia, Martin; education and labor, Rayner, of Maryland; finance, Simmons in Bailey's place; fisheries, Overman; foreign relations, Bacon of Georgia; forest reservations and protection of Tillman; Five Civilized game, Tribes of Indians, Tillman; immigration, Jeff Davis, Arkansas; interoceanic canals, Simmons; interstate commerce, Tillman; judiciary, Bacon; manufactures, E. D. Smith, South Carolina; military affairs, Johnston, Alabama, Senator Foster retiring; mines and mining, Tillman; naval affairs, Tillman; pensions, Gore of Ok-lahoma, in the place of Taylor of Tennessee, deceased; postoffice and postwhite ribbon. Miss Ada McMillan, of roads, Bankhead; printing, Smith of Abbeville, and Mr. John Wakefield Maryland, with Fletcher of Florida next; privileges and elections, Johnston, taking the place of Paynter of Kentucky, the latter retiring; public buildings and grounds, Culberson of Texas, with Swanson of Virginia next; public health and national quarantine, Culberson, with Fletcher next; rules, Bacon; transportation rules to the

> woman suffrage, Overman. All told, there are not more than two committees in the entire list just given which are not of the greatest importance. Senator Tillman will probably go to the head of the naval affairs committee in preference others. Senator Bacon may have the choice of judiciary and foreign affairs, and it is a certainty that other chairmanships will fall to Senators Fletcher, Martin, Swanson, Hoke Smith and E. D. Smith of South Carolina. Of course provision must be made for taking care of the new men in the senate who were elected in Tuesday's landslide to succeed republicans, but they will probably have to be content for some time, at least until the best assignments have been

> seaboard, Smith of South Carolina,

Another thing that the election settled is that Senator Bacon will become the president pro tem of the senate when that body is reorganized For some time it has been impossible for the members of the upper house to agree upon a presiding officer, but now that the Democrats are to be in control after March the well known Georgia legislator will succeed Vice President Sherman as president of the

upper house. In the house there will also be some interesting changes when the new session begins.

Everything considered the coming session of congress bids fair to be Democrats mean that every part of the the country. Wilson's election and the future control of the senate by the Democrats mean that every art of the legislative machinery is to be take apart and given a good overhauliz and oiling before it starts runni a Democratic engineer at 0-0-0-0-0 throttle for the next four years.

### to await trial in criminal court. His 0 bond was fixed at \$300 by the record-er James S. Verner, who conducted 0 "Acting Secretary of State." er, James S. Verner, who conducted 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0 the preliminary. The draft was presented to the CLUB MEETING

meet at Mrs. Frank Gary's Friday afternoon at half-past

The ceremony was performed he home of the bride, Rev. R. Rhoads officiating. Promptly at 11:30 clock Miss Camile Smith began softy playing the wedding march, the doors were rolled back and Miss Mabel and Master Boyce Wakefield unrolled the marched in, after them came the bride and groom, and slowly they marched into the room, coming to a halt midst lovely ferns and evergreens. The bride is the daughter of Mr. S.

. Wakefield. carrying yellow chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Norris Wakefield served punch

## STREET PAVING

vention.

FOR POSTMASTERSHIP Terrell, Tex. Nov. 11 .- There

move is afoot to hold a special "postmaster primary election," one securing the highest vote to be the only applicant. The plan was put up to Congressman James Young who refused to consider until conferring with President-elect Wilson.