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DANIELS BRINGS TIDINGS OF CHEER TO LOCAL DEMS

Former Secretary of the Navy Predicts Smashing Democratic Victory as He Addresses Wataugans. Just Back from Tour to Pacific. Assails Hoover Administration for Failure to Keep Pledges.

Josephus Daniels, editor of the Raleigh News and Observer and former Secretary of the Navy, addressed a large gathering of Watauga voters in the courthouse last Thursday afternoon, and brought his hearers a message of victory. Mr. Daniels, under whom Franklin D. Roosevelt served in the Wilson Administration, has just completed a tour of the west, and says the disaffection is so marked that a Democratic victory seems inevitable.

Mr. Daniels took as his "text" a statement made by the late Dwight W. Morrow, New Jersey Republican Senator, to the effect that "You can't accept credit for the rain, without assuming the responsibility for the drought," and proceeded to rebuke the promises made by President Hoover during the campaign of 1928. Mr. Daniels then spoke of the lack of fulfillment of these covenants, and suggested that had not Herbert Hoover been an "amateur" Republican he would not have become thus entangled. He declined, however, to place himself in the position of smearing the President of the United States and spoke of him highly in a personal way, but scored the administration which he heads.

Mr. Daniels lauded the accomplishments of the Democratic party in North Carolina, particularly as to education, and was frequently applauded. He was introduced to his audience by Attorney George M. Sudderth, and was accompanied to Boone from Jefferson by Attorney W. B. Austin.

DOUGHTON WILL SPEAK IN COUNTY

Congressman Arranges to Deliver Campaign Address on Meat Camp November 3rd. Brummitt Falls to Fill Engagement.

Congressman Robert L. Doughton will deliver his third address of the campaign in Watauga County at the Green Valley school house in Meat Camp Township on Thursday, November 3rd, at 7:30 in the evening. A large crowd is expected to hear Farmer Bob, he having been unable to appear in Meat Camp last campaign.

Attorney General Dennis G. Brummitt has had his campaign address for Wednesday of this week at Boone cancelled, it has been learned from State Headquarters; however, it is believed that the local committee will be able to secure a notable speaker to close the local campaign the last of next week.

Advices from Raleigh Wednesday noon are to the effect that A. Hall Johnson, presidential elector-at-large, will speak at Blowing Rock this Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tony Sherrill of Lenoir Dies at Portsmouth

Lenoir, N. C.—Former Sheriff F. T. "Tony" Sherrill, about 51 years of age, died early Tuesday morning in the U. S. Naval Hospital at Portsmouth, Va., where he was a patient since the middle of August.

Mr. Sherrill was stricken while on duty as police patrolman in Lenoir August 12, and was admitted to the Portsmouth hospital several days afterward.

Perhaps no other person in Caldwell County had as many friends as Mr. Sherrill. For many years he was chief of police in Lenoir, and from 1922 until 1928 was Democratic sheriff of Caldwell.

Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church in Lenoir at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and interment will take place in Bealview Cemetery.

Seek Produce for Baptist Orphanage

Mr. G. P. Haggan, recently appointed by the Three Forks Association as director of the Mills Home, has received a communication from L. G. Greer, manager of the Baptist orphanage, requesting donations of food to care for the children during the winter.

Mr. Greer states that a truck from the home will be in Boone on November 4th for the purpose of receiving a load of produce, potatoes, corn, apples and canned goods. In turn Mr. Haggan requests that those who will give of their bounty for the relief of the fatherless should bring the food to Boone where it is to be stored in the basement of the Baptist Church until such time as it may be transported to the orphanage.

To Speak Here Monday



HON. JAKE F. NEWELL

JAKE NEWELL WILL SPEAK IN BOONE ON MON. AFTERNOON

Republican Candidate for U. S. Senate will Discuss Issues of the Campaign at Courthouse Rally. Able Orator and Has Spoken Here in Former Campaign. Clifford Frazier May Come Later.

Hon. Jake F. Newell, of Charlotte, Republican candidate for the United States Senate, will deliver a campaign address at the courthouse next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, it was announced by the Republican Executive Committee Wednesday.

Mr. Newell, who has been conducting an active campaign against Robert R. Reynolds for the Senatorial toga, is not a stranger to Wataugans, having appeared here as a keynote at the Republican convention two years ago. He is a forceful orator, and is campaigning on behalf of prohibition against Reynolds, who has reiterated his dissatisfaction with the present prohibitory laws.

The State Committee has indicated that it expects to work out a schedule whereby Clifford Frazier, who seeks the Governor's chair, will deliver an address in Watauga soon. A list of local speaking engagements appears in The Democrat today.

Dr. Dougherty Named On Economy Committee

Raleigh, N. C.—Preparations to prevent any attempted "raids" on the State Treasury through the 1933 General Assembly by organized and powerful minorities are rapidly being made through formation of local chapters and securing members to the North Carolina State Branch of the National Economy League, Frank Page, state chairman, said Monday.

Through activities of Paul N. Montague, executive secretary of the State branch and member of the national council, chapters have already been formed at Wilmington, Kinston, Greenville, Rocky Mount and other points, while Durham and other cities are to have chapter organizations this week, Mr. Page said.

Mr. Montague is spending most of his time in the field, making talks before various community, civic and taxpayer groups and forming local chapters. Chairman Page expects to have from 150,000 to 200,000 members in the State before the General Assembly meets, a force large enough to speak and have its voice heard in the legislative halls.

In addition to Willard L. Dowell, secretary of the North Carolina Merchants Association, Mr. Page announces that W. Kerr Scott, Haw River, Master of the North Carolina Grange and prominent in agricultural activities, has accepted a position on the advisory committee of the State branch of the Economy League. Mr. Scott's advice and aid will be valuable and constructive, Mr. Page said.

Also, Mr. Page announces, Dr. B. B. Dougherty, president of Appalachian State Teachers College, and also a member of the State Board of Equalization, has accepted a place on the advisory committee. Dr. Dougherty's knowledge of school matters and prominence in educational circles of the State make him a very valuable addition to the League's advisory committee. Additional members of this committee, to be composed of leading citizens in all walks of life and activities of the State, are to be named at an early date, Chairman Page said.

A sale of purebred Hereford beef cattle has been scheduled by Madison County farmers for Friday, November 11, at Marshall.

Caldwell County farmers have received the co-operation of the townspeople in establishing a curb market at Lenoir.

TEACHERS WILL MEET SATURDAY

Program Has Been Arranged for County-wide Meeting to Be Held in the Courthouse. Full Attendance Is Urged.

The county-wide meeting of school teachers, as was formerly announced, will be held at the courthouse Saturday afternoon, and Superintendent Smith Haggan urges a full attendance. Following is the complete program for the session:

Elementary School Program
3:30 P. M. This meeting will be called to order by the divisional chairman.

1. The Basis of Classifying Elementary School Pupils, Professor H. K. Eggers.
2. Grade Attainments as a Means of Promotion, Miss Bouchelle.
3. Retardation in the Grades, by Mrs. Emma F. Storie.
3. Statistical Treatment of Facts Concerning the Schools of the County, Mr. Alex Tugman.

High School Program

1. The Basis of Classifying High School Pupils, Charles L. Farthing.
2. Grade Attainments as a Means of Promotion, E. S. Christenbury.
3. Retardation in the High School by Mrs. Dave P. Mast.
4. Statistical Treatment of High School Facts and Figures, Mr. G. E. Tester.

4:30—General Meeting
This meeting will be presided over by the county chairman, Mr. John Howell.

1. Song.
2. Invocation.
3. Several two-minute talks by those who attended the district meetings in Greensboro.
4. Report of the secretary as to the number of teachers in the county enrolled in the State Teachers Association.
5. Announcements and remarks from the County Superintendent of Education.
6. Adjournment.

AL HOPKINS DIES WASHINGTON CITY

Popular Musician Succumbs to Injuries Received in Automobile Crash in West Virginia. Burial Monday in Arlington Cemetery.

Alfred (Al) Hopkins, former Wataugan and well known in Western North Carolina, died in a Washington, D. C., hospital Friday, October 21st, from injuries received in an automobile wreck which occurred at some point in West Virginia several days previously.

Burial took place in Arlington National Cemetery, near the capital city, Monday afternoon.

The deceased man was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins, and was born and spent his early life at Hopkins, N. C. He enlisted in the army during the World War and saw active service in France. For the past several years, he had directed a theatrical organization, known as the "Hill Billies" and composed of mountain musicians, which enjoyed wide popularity both on the stage and in the radio field. This troupe of entertainers frequently appeared in Watauga and surrounding territory. As a colorful pianist, a clever actor and witty conversationalist, Al Hopkins had few superiors, and during his "barnstorming" days on the "kerosene circuit" he accumulated a multitude of close friends who will hear of his passing with sorrow.

Survivors include the parents, four brothers and two sisters, all of whom reside in Washington. An aunt, Mrs. John W. Hodges, is a resident of Boone.

BARRINEAU—GREER

An announcement of interest in this community is that of the marriage of Miss Jessie Greer to Mr. Wilburn Barrineau, the ceremony having been performed in Charleston, S. C., on October 18th.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Greer of Boone, and is very popular with a wide circle of friends in this community. The groom is a native South Carolinian, a prosperous insurance man, and the newly weds have established their permanent residence in Charleston.

GREER—WESTHEINER

Mr. and Mrs. George Greer, of Laxon, announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennie Lee, to Mr. Irvin R. Westheiner, of Richmond, Va., the ceremony taking place in Greensboro on Monday, October 17.

On last Saturday Mesdames C. G. Hodges, V. J. Honeycutt, D. W. Cook, Miss Wilma Cook and Mr. Boyd Cook made a business and pleasure trip to Johnson City via Blowing Rock, Linville, Pinnacle, Newland and other points of interest. They report a most enjoyable outing.

In Final Drive For Votes



Two very informal pictures of the presidential candidates, President Hoover and Franklin D. Roosevelt, as they started on their final drive to win votes for the Republican and Democratic tickets. Here they are, two aggressive candidates... so take your choice.

Rural Straw Poll Now Has Impressive Totals

With the national presidential election less than two weeks away the weekly newspapers' nation-wide poll is piling up impressive totals for the consideration of political minded folks everywhere. The votes in this weekly newspaper poll represent the run of the tide in small town and rural America. The Watauga Democrat, together with some 2,000 weekly newspapers located in states throughout the nation has been conducting this straw-vote test for the last several weeks, with the Publishers' Auto-caster Newspaper Service in New York operating as national headquarters.

Votes tabulated from 35 states for a total of 225,439 received show:

Roosevelt.....77,331
Hoover.....62,159

The weekly newspaper straw-vote returns this week bear out an early indication that Roosevelt will expect as much support and a little bit more, from small towns and rural districts as he has received in large city and thickly populated district polls. In other words, The Literary Digest Poll showed Roosevelt in mid-October with 53.54 per cent. of the vote cast to Hoover's 39.39 per cent. of the total of 1,933,634 votes cast. In the Hearst newspaper poll of larger cities, Roosevelt with 58 per cent. leads Hoover with 42 per cent. in a total of approximately 500,000 votes cast. The weekly newspaper poll this week with a total of 129,490 votes show Roosevelt leading 59 per cent. to Hoover's 41 per cent.

But here are the actual figures in the weekly newspaper poll. They show returns from 36 states:

State	Hoover	Roosevelt
California	2,579	4,713
Colorado	431	537
Connecticut	1,152	745
Florida	211	904
Georgia	169	963
Idaho	281	479
Indiana	2,920	4,157
Illinois	6,892	3,259
Iowa	3,569	4,312
Kansas	2,389	3,863
Kentucky	1,566	2,734
Maine	997	701
Maryland	233	561
Massachusetts	2,931	2,032
Montana	450	890
Michigan	807	2,122
Minnesota	2,988	4,177
Mississippi	167	852
Missouri	450	890

The Watauga Democrat Nation-wide VOTE FOR PRESIDENT

A Straw-Vote conducted by weekly newspapers located in states throughout the Union to show pre-election sentiment of small town and rural America in their choice for President for the next four year.

TO VOTE, PUT A CROSS (X) IN THE SQUARE BEFORE THE NAME OF THE CANDIDATE YOU PREFER

These Candidates have been officially nominated:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> HERBERT HOOVER | <input type="checkbox"/> FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> JACOB S. COXEY | <input type="checkbox"/> NORMAN THOMAS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> W. Z. FOSTER | <input type="checkbox"/> WILLIAM D. UPSHAW |
| <input type="checkbox"/> VERNE L. REYNOLDS | |

Voters need not sign his or her name. But to assist in national tabulation, please fill in name of Town and State.

TOWN..... STATE.....
(Mail, send or bring to Democrat office)

DAINGERFIELD FUNERAL HELD ON WEDNESDAY

Nationally Famous Artist Succumbs at New York Home. Had Been a Summer Resident of Blowing Rock Since 1885, and Had Large Estate There. Burial at Boyhood Home in Fayetteville.

Elliott Daingerfield, 73, one of America's greatest landscape and religious painters, and a part-time resident of Blowing Rock for near half a century, died Saturday afternoon in New York. A heart attack is given as the immediate cause of his death, he having been in greatly improved physical condition when he left Watauga County a few weeks ago. The funeral services were held in New York Tuesday at the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, the walls of which had been beautified by some of the most notable contributions from his gifted brush.

The body arrived in Fayetteville, N. C., Wednesday morning, and was taken directly to Cross Creek Cemetery, and interred among the childhood scenes of the deceased. The interment service was conducted by Rev. Archer Boogher, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church.

Surviving are the widow and two daughters, Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes III and Miss Gwendolyn Daingerfield of New York.

When the news of Mr. Daingerfield's death came to Blowing Rock Sunday morning the bells in the Episcopal church where he had worshipped and where is a Madonna of his creation, tolled his passing and sorrow was etched deep in the faces of the citizens of the resort village who had intimately known Mr. Daingerfield throughout the years.

Mr. Daingerfield first came to Blowing Rock in 1885 and since that time has maintained an estate there, to which he and his family come each summer for inspiration and pleasure among the Carolina hills.

MRS. JONES DIES FROM LONG ILLNESS

Funeral Services for Prominent Zionville Lady Held Wednesday. Community Loses Active Christian Worker. Husband Survives.

Mrs. John C. Jones, 71 years old, died at her home at Zionville Tuesday morning, after an illness of several months duration. Funeral services are to be conducted Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Zionville Baptist Church by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Eggers, and interment in the community cemetery.

Her husband, to whom she was married in 1877, survives her, also one sister, Mrs. K. B. Miller of Arkansas. She was an aunt of Mrs. W. C. Greer or Boone.

Mrs. Jones was the daughter of the late David and Polly Roten. She was born at Zionville on July 16, 1861, and joined the Baptist Church there at the age of fourteen. She was an active Christian worker in this church until the time of her death. She was known and loved throughout the county and her death brings sorrow to many.

LLOYD S. ISAACS REMAINS CRITICALLY ILL AT HIS HOME

Mr. Lloyd S. Isaacs, former merchant and well-known citizen, remains critically ill at his home here, and information Wednesday noon is that his condition is unimproved and hopes for his recovery are not bright. Mr. Isaacs has been suffering for many months from ailments believed to have resulted from his services in the World War, and for the past several days his condition has been considered critical.

BOONE HIGH SCHOOL TO PLAY WEST JEFFERSON SATURDAY

The Boone High School football squad and the West Jefferson High School squad will tangle on College Field here Saturday afternoon, in what promises to be one of the greatest games of the season. The local gridirers have shown a steady improvement in the past two weeks. On last Friday the local boys unleashed unexpected strength and slightly outplayed the Crossnore team in a 0-0 tie.

The probable line-up to start the game against West Jefferson Saturday follows: Gragg, r. e.; Greer, r. t.; Tugman, r. g.; Barnett, c.; Redmond, l. g.; Pyatte, l. t.; Davis, l. e.; Crowell, q. b.; Wilson, f. b.; Critcher, h. b.; Houck, h. b.

Frank Williams, Leaford Clarke, Earl Miller, Orrin Sherrill and Paul Hicks are among the second-string boys who are showing great fight, and making it highly interesting for the first team.