The Asheboro Courier

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A favorite method of warfare on the part of some republican leaders in this section is, when they are beaten, to cry out against democrats as thieves and robbers.

A republican rejoices in independent candidates and especially are they loud in their praise when they think they can control them and put republican jackets on them.

The abuse of the editor of this paper has begun as was predicted, but a little earlier than was expected. The word has been passed down the line by the revenue officers at headquarters.

When you speak of the evils of the republican party, some little republican scalawag thinks you mean him, under the impression that he is it—the whole thing—yells out, abuse! mud slinging!

Did you ever see one of these raw fellows, green but zealous in his efforts to defend republican misrule, because he is paid to do it? Keep on the lookout and you may run across one or more of them in this campaign.

The Southern people have made great progress, although handicapped by the protective tariff which has robbed our people of hundreds of millions of dollars without bringing a cent in return.

Coming into power after a period of reckless and extravagant misrule the Democratic party in North Carolina has shown so clearly its ability to give the State a clean and honest government that many men who are Republicans in national politics vote solidly for the entire State and county ticket.

The name of Dockery in North Carolina has some weight. Henry C. Dockery recently made a speech in Rockingham, at the Richmond county convention, in which he gave Marion Butler and those in charge of the republican party in North Carolina a severe and merciless excoriation. The Courier published this speech in the last issue. Our readers will agree with us that no Democrat in the state has given the ex-senator such a severe drubbing.

When the Courier publishes what the Blackburn wing and the Adams—Rollins wing of the republican party say about each other, we are charged with abuse and mud slinging.

Blackburn says that the Greensboro Industrial News is Marion Butler's paper and one of the organization's stockholders told the editor of the Courier a few weeks ago that Mr. Butler owned a majority of the stock in that paper and the exsenators income was $300 a day from his oil wells now owned by the Standard Oil Company. The $300 being paid as a royalty to Mr. Butler.

White House Locals.

Quite a number of the young people attended services at Flag Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Cox were the guests of C. T. Luck Sunday.

John Branson and Manly Williams spent the fourth at High Point.

Some of the young folks attended the ice cream party at Mr. Parks Saturday night.

Ben Dawson who has been in High Point for some time returned home Thursday.

Misses Belle, Mattie, and Bertha Luck were in Asheboro on the fourth.

James Syner and Hal Lacky of Jackson's Creek visited at Charles Lacky's Sunday.

Misses Mary and Sallie Branson spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cranford visited at Farmer Saturday night.

Miss Dora Vuncannon who has been sick is improving.

The family of M. M. Johnson of Mechanic spent Sunday at R. L. Johnson's.

Mr. John Sexton, who spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Way, last week, returned to his home at Farmer, Sunday afternoon.

"DEMOCRAT BILL"

He Declares Himself, but will Abide by the Decision of the Convention.—A Life Long Democrat.

Mr. Editor:—As the State Convention is over and our Congressional and Judicial Conventions have put our Color-bearers in the field, I think it is now time to look a little to our county. I wish to give your readers my preference for candidates for our county. My first choice is Thomas J. Finch for sheriff. He has made us one of the best sheriffs the county has ever had and can get more votes that any other man.

I am for Mr. Boroughs, the present Register. For County Treasurer, John Fields, of Randleman; for Clerk of Court, Rom Smith, of Liberty; and for the Legislator, Henry Robbins, of Asheboro.

I am now seventy-one years old and have voted and worked for the Democratic party all my life. I always "holler" for my man but if my man is not nominated I then vote for the nominee. I never scratched a ticket in my life, and never expect to. No man is a Democrat that is not willing to abide by the decision of the majority. Give us this ticket for our county officers and we will poll up a large majority.

Respectfully
WM. C. ROUTH
or "Democrat Bill."

For Mr. Fields.

To the Democrats of Randolph county:

During my residence of nine years in Randolph, I have had the pleasure of meeting and working with many true and loyal Democrats. Among that number, I know of no one who has ever done more, or worked more cheerfully for the good and success of the party, than our townsman, John L. Fields.

Mr. Fields now comes before his friends as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. He is a gentleman well qualified to fill the office, and, if elected, will give entire satisfaction to all parties.

Hoping he may receive the support he so justly deserves, I am,

Respectfully,
W. T. BRYANT.
Randleman, N. C.

July 9th, 1906.

Suggests Mr. Phillips.

The Editor of The COURIER:

The people of Tabernacle township are very anxious that you should announce in your valuable paper the name of Mr. L. C. Phillips as a candidate for the office for Register of Deeds for Randolph county. He is a son of the late Rev. Chas. Phillips who is well known all over the county. I think the Democratic party will do well to nominate him, for if they do so there will be no doubt about him being elected and he will render them good service.

Yours very truly,
J. PARKIN,
Trinity, N. C.

W. A. Underwood For Treasurer.

I wish to call the attention of the Democratic voters of Randolph county to the name of W. A. Underwood as a suitable candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

I have known Mr. Underwood from childhood. He and all his forefathers have been true and loyal Democrats and have always taken an active interest in the welfare and success of their party. He is a young man, well qualified for the position and will add great strength to the ticket.

Let the Democrats nominate him and he will be elected.

H. B. CARTER,
Ramseur, N. C.

July 12th, 1906.

Farmer N. C.
July 9th, 1906.

Dear Courier:

Please allow me, through the columns of your paper, to say that Mr. J. F. Cameron of Concord township is still a candidate for Sheriff and we verily believe that his nomination at the hands of the Democratic Convention will be equivalent to his election on the 2nd Tuesday in November.

To those who know him personally, no recommendation is needed, but to the few who have not had the pleasure of Mr. Cameron's acquaintance we beg to say that he is in every way qualified to make a first class executive of the law. He is a high toned christian gentleman, physically and morally able to meet the arduous duties of High Sheriff of Randolph county. So we mean to elect him notwithstanding the fact that some of the best blood in the county are among his able opponents.

C. H. LEWIS.

Union Institute.

One of the most desirable High Schools in the State. The faculty is full, including thee competent and experienced graduates from first class Colleges.

Prospects are unusually encouraging for a good full school here during the coming session, the first term of which will open on Monday the 6th of August.

If interested in a school of this kind, send for our free catalogue.

Address O. C. HAMILTON,
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Union County.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Breeding, who have been visiting Mr. M. L. Davis, for the past two weeks, have returned to their home in Greensboro.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Things that Have Happened In and Out of the State.

Congress adjourned without confirming the appointment of Cyrus Frazier as postmaster at Greensboro.

T. K. Bruner, of the Department of Agreculture, has issued a circular letter asking the business men of the state to furnish literature advertising their respective sections to be distributed from the State's portable exhibit of resources which will start on a tour of the North and Northwest this fall. Town commissioners and chambers of commerce should take advantage of this offer.

By authority of a new law at Charlotte the meat and milk inspector ordered 38 of 66 milch cows killed, they being deceased. The owner of the dairy looses $950, half of which will be refunded by the town.

Chief of police, Gray of High Point, has gone to Roanoke, Va., to bring back Rome Sechrest, who is charged with forging Checks which have been returned to High Point in denominations of $40 and $50. When he arrived at Lynchburg where they were cashed Sechrest was released for lack of identification.

Rome Sechrest, of High Point, who was arrested in Roanoke for forgery, was released Monday. The cashier of the bank was unable to identify him.

A single bandit held up five stage coaches at the entrance of the National Park in California Sunday one after another. He secured a large sum of money and valuables from each.

The special census report says one in every 1200 people in the United States is blind and one in every 850 is deaf.

The Wake County Commissioners have decided to enlarge and improve the county jail.

Blackburn has evaded R. N. Hackett's challenge for a joint canvass by refering it to a committee. He evidently intends to bushwhack.

A factional fight in the Durham Republican Convention Saturday was followed by a street fight in which the county chairman, C. T. Pearson and one Mr. Smith were the combatants.

Robt. Douglas, of the Industrial News, has been appointed postmaster at Greensboro and Louis N. Grant postmaster at Goldsboro.

Dr. Thos. W. Page has been elected to the chair of political economy at the University of Va., John Sharpe Williams has recently been mentioned in connection with this professionship.

A franchise has been granted a new electric railway company to operate a railway and lighting plant at Winston-Salem. The new company hopes to penetrate and develop the eastern and northern suburbs of the city.

The Durham Marble Works has been awarded the contract for the erection of a monument to Confederate heroes in Chatham county, to be erected by the Winnie Davis Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, of Pittsboro. The cost of this monument will be about $2,000.

Mrs. J. F. Henderson has been re-appointed to a third term as postmistress at Wilkesboro upon recommendation of Congressman Blackburn.

Rural Free delivery mail carriers will be given fifteen days vacation with full pay each year, by an act of recent congress.

Henry Watterson predicts a Bryan-Roosevelt campaign in 1908 and scents a victory for Bryan as president.

Citizens of Rutherfordton have gone to work in earnest to rebuild the business district burned last week. Contracts for rebuilding have already been let.

While working in his mill on Randleman, R. F. D. 2., last week Mr. A. N. Routh fell across a beam breaking two ribs.

Miss Dorothy Henley visited her grandmother, Mrs. F. N. Ingold at Randleman last week.

A movement is on at Lexington to erect a monument to the late Alexander R. Caldcleugh, who was Davidson's first state senator, elector for John Q. Adams as president and donated to the county the site for the courthouse and Lexington cetnetery.

John Chase, white, accidentally killed Chas. Cecil, colored, at Greensboro Friday. Chase was released.

Henry Scott, colored, the mutineer of the schooner, Henry A. Berwind, off the coast of Wilmington, was hanged at Wilmington Friday. He confessed killing the captain and four others.

The revolution in San Domingo is growing more serious. It is evident that only a short time will pass before it will be necessary for Uncle Sam to interfere to protect her interests.

G. T. Gillis of Aberdeen has been arrested at Spencer for car robbery. He and B. C. Putnam, of Shelby, an accomplice have confessed and are well known young men.

SUMMER SCHOOL

Brief Review By one of Randolph's Enthusiastic Teachers.

To Editor Asheboro Courier:

Doubtless to the many teachers of Randolph county who availed not themselves of the privileges, benefits and enjoyments of the Raleigh Summer School for teachers this past three weeks, a word or two will be a welcome message. We cannot begin to tell it all in a short article; but may make the absentee sorry he or she "wasn't there."

I was surprised to meet only one Randolph county teacher, but I am sure there must have been others from our county. The attendance was very good, there being several hundred teachers on the grounds of the A. and M. College, besides a

Prof. Chas. E. McCanless

large number stopping in the city. The writer and another teacher, the music teacher, of Ramseur Graded School and also the Primary teacher in some school, stopped in the city, where one can get better accommodations than in the A. and M. dormitories.

We had the pleasure of meeting old acquaintances, among them being Dr. Sikes, of Wake Forest College; Prof. Blair, Supt. Wilmington Graded Schools; Prof. Foust of Greensboro; Dr. E. A. Alderman, President of University of Virginia; and others. Dr. Sikes' lectures were deservedly popular. Dr. Alderman delivered two very good addresses to the students in the A. and M. Auditorium. Dr. Poteat of Wake Forest also delivered an excellent address. Dr. Mimms, of Trinity College, and Dr. Hamilton, now of the faculty of N. C. University delivered able discourses. Dr. Woodard of Va. also treated us to discussions of English Literature and Authors in a captivating way.

Among the lady instructors, we mention Miss Longstreet of New York, who taught vocal music for schools, the sight reading or "Do, Ra, Me system;" Miss Smith, of New Jersey, teacher of Primary reading by means of cards having certain vocal and consonant sounds on them; and many others. Many, many things we saw in the laboratories, and much more did we hear from the very pleasant Dr. Stevens, on Agriculture and bacteria etc. The pleasure side of the Sunday School equaled if it did not surpass the school features.

The State Summer School was so pleasantly entertained by our friends of the "Oak City" that it was decided to hold the school there every year. We think this a wise decision. One could profitably spend three weeks in the museum alone; and the state Library holds a liberal education. In here we had the pleasure to see one of five of the original books on "birds" painted by the great orinthologist, John J. Audobon. It cannot be bought.

Lastly, we mention the fact of our meeting, and shaking hands with our Chief Executive, Gov. R. B. Glenn. He is a man of and for the plain people, honest, unassuming, and busy. As yet, he laughingly extended his hand as he said, "you find us pretty busy to-day—trying to keep cool," which was partly true, the day being very hot.

CHAS. E. MCCANLESS
Ramseur N. C.,

Mr. Walter Garrett, of Burlington, who has accepted a position with the Asheboro Chair Co. arrived here last Friday night and will reside with her sister Mrs. J. A. Holder.

FRANKLINVILLE NEWS.

Death of an Infant—Personal Mention and Movements of People.

Both cotton mills closed here for the 4th and several of our people spent the day at Asheboro, Greensboro and Battle Ground celebrations.

Miss Bertie Fields, of Red Cross, has been spending a few days with Mrs. John Freeman.

Augborn Miller, of McCall, S. C., visited relatives in the city last week.

T. A. Slack made a business trip to High Point the first of the week.

Messrs. Geo. Patterson and Lester Trogdon gave an ice cream supper to their many friends in the grove at Mr. Patterson's Saturday night.

Mrs. Brower and family have moved from Randolph Mfg. Co. to Cedar Falls.

Oscar Weatherly, of Greensboro, spent Sunday with his uncle Prof. D. M. Weatherly. We have been informed that he will assist Prof. Weatherly in his school next term. Oscar is a fine young man and a good teacher, and no mistake will be made in securing him.

M. S. Burke, of High Point, spent one night with his father-in-law Mr T. A. Slack last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fentress, of near Sophia, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the city with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grimes, of Liberty, were the guests of Mrs. Lizzie Cox Sunday.

The child of Jack Conner, who had been sick for some time died Tuesday the 3rd, and was buried in the family burying ground on Little River the 4th. The sorrowing family have the sympatoy of our people

Sunday Mr and Mrs. Hugh Parks Jr., visited Tom Parks who met with the misfortune one day last week to lose his right arm while adjusting a belt on a threshing machine.

Messrs. W. L and R. L. Welch spent Saturday night and Sunday in the city with relatives and Monday moved from C. H. Welch's property to his sons near Checks M. H.

Joe Scott, who recently moved here from Cooleemee is now one of the happiest citizens of our town; another fine girl has decided to stay with him.

Card of Thanks.

We want to extend our many sincere thanks to the good people of our community for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Kate Stedman Sugg. May God who knoweth and doeth all things, abundantly bless them.

The children.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order the superior court of Randolph county in the special proceeding entitled Will Coltrane et al Vs. Peter Coltrane et al. I will on the 6th day of August 1906 at 12 o'clock M. at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C. sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate:

In New Market, township. 1st tract: Beginning at a stone in Stalker's line, Leach Gray's corner; thence East on her line 10 chains and 15 links to a stone, thence South 25 links to a stone; thence East 5 chains to a stone; thence North 2 chains to a stone; thence East 12 chains to a a stone; thence South 5 chains and 25 links to a stone; thence West 27 chains and 15 links to a stone in Stalker's line; thence Stalks to the first station, containing 12 acres more or less.

2nd tract: Beginning at a stake, Phillip Coltrane's corner; thence running South 84 degrees East with his line 27 chains and 15 links to a stake; thence South a new line 3 chains and 70 links to a stake; thence North 84 degrees West 27 chains and 15 links to a stake in Stalker's line; thence North on said line to the beginning containing 1 acre more or less.

This July 2nd, 1906.

J. A. SPENCE,
Commissioner.