

THE ROANOKE NEWS

THURSDAY MAY 19, 1892.

THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic County Convention at Halifax on Monday probably caused some dissatisfaction, as such gatherings usually do. But we do not propose just now to make any attempt to point out mistakes of omission and commission made by anyone or any faction. The work of that convention cannot be undone but it wise or unwise. Opinions differed as to what should and what should not be done and these opinions were honest, we are constrained to believe. The differences were not so much upon the ends to be accomplished as upon the means and methods to be employed to accomplish those ends. That being true, and we humbly believe it to be true, it seems to us that all of us should exercise forbearance and be guided by unprejudiced judgment in arriving at our conclusions upon this matter.

To those who approve the action of the convention in the matter of the contests between Butterwood and Rosenhead townships we would say that they must remember that the men who were not allowed seats in the convention were actuated by the patriotic desire to lessen the burdens of the people and improve their condition, and that the position they took seemed to them to be the honest course, and that their judgment in this upon them and their action is erroneous and unjust.

To those brethren—for they are brethren—who refused to promise in advance to support the nominees of the Democratic National convention we would say that they likewise must remember that those from whom they differed had the right to differ, that they have no right to charge the convention with intemperate or autocratic action; that they were not excluded from the convention, but that when they sought admission to its deliberations, they sought it upon conditions which were not in accord with the faith which for the past half century has welded together for well or woe the Anglo-Saxons of North Carolina, and when these conditions, which are new to the party, were not accepted they themselves withdrew. These conditions were declined, as we understand and believe, not because of their effect upon any public question, but because the acceptance of them would have tended to disorganization, and disorganization means ruin in any party. Any organization, whether religious, political, social or financial, must have rules by which it must be guided, a constitution by which it must be governed, and disregard of these rules and unwritten laws must necessarily result in disorganization, and consequently in disintegration and final extinction. Those who withdrew from the convention are gentlemen of intelligence, good men and true, and they must recognize the force of this position, and surely they will understand that the action of the convention was based upon this view of the matter and not upon opposition to them personally or to the cause which they with others present advocated and still advocate.

We are sure that the white people of Halifax county are at one in heart and in purpose. But, as we have already said, they differ as to the means. With an unprejudiced deliberation (and when we say unprejudiced we mean to apply it to all alike) with calm and dispassionate consideration, with only the good of the people in view, there is no reason why the white people of Halifax county should not remain united for the common good in the face of a common enemy which is ready to take advantage of our divisions to fasten upon us burdens beside which those we now bear would seem insignificant.

Let us all, then, suspend judgment for the present; let us lay aside our heart-burnings and forget our irritation, and when the battle begins we will all be willing under the influence of our color and therefore better judgments to unite once more in the enemy's front for the sake of our homes, our wives and our little ones.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At a regular meeting of the convention of Tarboro, held at Enfield, N. C., on April 21st, 1892, a committee consisting of the rector of the parish, the dean and secretary was appointed to draft suitable resolutions in regard to the death of the Rev. Dr. Smith, who was the first dean of the convention.

Whereas, Since the last meeting of this convention our clerical brother and highly esteemed friend, Aristides Spylar Smith, D. D., has in God's good providence and in the fullness of years rested from his labors; therefore

Resolved, That we his associates do now inscribe upon our records our sense of sorrow at the loss which we have sustained in common with the congregations of this convention as well as many others, and thus we express our affectionate regard for his memory, and our tender sympathy with his family, and friends.

Resolved, That we remember with gratitude his Christian faith and good example, his earnestness and devotion as a priest of the Church, and the cheerfulness that marked his gentle and cordial bearing.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the family of Dr. Smith, and that they be printed in the ROANOKE NEWS and the Southern Churchman.

W. L. MELLICHAMPE, W. J. SMITH, Committee.

The following are the resolutions by St. Mark's vestry, of Halifax, May 12, 1892.

Whereas, we the vestry and congregation of St. Mark's Church, have lately learned with deep regret and sorrow that Rev. A. S. Smith, D. D., our once beloved rector died at his residence in Weldon, N. C., on the evening of 16th of April last.

Resolved, That in the death of Dr. Smith we have lost one who served the church faithfully for many years and endeared himself to us by his many noble qualities both of head and heart and the church has lost one of its most earnest advocates.

Resolved, That we sincerely sympathize with his family in their sad bereavement and will ever cherish for his memory the warmest regards.

That these resolutions be placed on the records of St. Mark's church and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased and also that they be published in the ROANOKE NEWS and Southern Churchman.

S. M. GARY, Senior warden, J. T. GREGORY, Jr., GEO. GILLIAM, J. J. DANIEL, JULIAN GILLIAM, Acting Secretary.

ENFIELD.

A mad dog made it very lively in town last Friday. He snapped at Mr. John Barnhill but luckily did not bite him. He bit one of Dr. E. L. Hunter's valuable setters.

The police will be on their rounds next week as sanitary officers; look out.

Half the month of May is gone and no May picnic. What is the matter, young men? Are you waiting for the young ladies to give you a leap year picnic?

Mr. Mitchell, of the lumber company, told us Saturday that he had bought up to that date seventy-five million feet of lumber around this place, and that he intended to buy twenty-five million feet more. He paid out in one day two thousand dollars in cash.

Mr. George A. Hepinstall, one of our most popular young men, graduated at Eastman College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., the other day, and carried off all the honors. In the final examination in a class of twenty three, he stood highest with 90 per cent. He is expected home to-day, and his many friends will give him a rousing welcome.

Not a hundred miles from town the other day a small boy who is noted for a love of experimenting poured a lot of molasses on a cat, which immediately went into the house and jumped into the lap of the boy's mother who had just donned her best dress to go out calling. I don't want to go into unpleasant details, but the natural impression on seeing her 24 for that boy with the first thing she laid her hands on is that he will try a different scheme the next time he is suffering for scientific diversion.

Milk shakes season is here again. It is a very popular drink.

Balter Whitaker, Carey Beavans and Valura Bion are three young Americans, now on Fishing Creek from the Railroad bridge to Bellamy's mill to attend a picnic. When they returned they reported that Jordan is a hard road to travel. I asked Mr. Bloomer the distance between the bridge and the mill; he said going up it is about ten miles, but coming back it is not more than five or six.

Miss Anna Whitehead, of Halifax, is visiting Miss Mattie Partin, of this place. It will be gratifying to the friends of Miss Anna R. Hepinstall, who was sick last Sunday, to know that she is about well again. May she soon enjoy her usual health.

LITTLETON.

Hon. G. W. Sanderlin, the eloquent State Auditor, will deliver the annual address before the literary society of Littleton High School and Business Institute on the morning of the 26th inst. A literary treat is in store for our people.

Arrangements have been made with the Seaboard Air Line for season tickets at reduced rates to Littleton and Panama. Our town is coming to the front as a summer resort.

Col. C. M. Hawkins, of Raleigh, wrote to Mr. Sam Thorne to know if he could procure conveyances to take 700 children out to Panama Springs sometime soon.

A manly and liberal hearted gentleman of this place says he will give the S. A. L. sufficient land if they will make this their summer resort point.

There seems to be a bicycle craze here. Indeed, it is a growing mania. Everybody tries to ride whether he is top level or not. Some ride quite gracefully and with much rapidity.

Dr. Rob Staudell of Baltimore is boarding in town.

Miss Pattie Mills, of Middleburg, is the guest of Mrs. Tom Skinner.

Mr. Paul Garret, of Weldon, paid us a visit last week.

Mr. George Perry, of Mason, has arrived and will assume the duties of relief operator in the telegraph office.

Mrs. Capt. Whitaker, who has been so critically ill, is improving.

Mr. Sam Daniel was the delegate from here last week to attend the convention of the L. O. O. F. held at Wilmington. He goes completely back on our town girls, and says he never saw so many pretty young ladies in his life.

Rev. Mr. Troy has recently organized a young men's prayer meeting to meet in the M. E. Church every Thursday night. The Methodists decided not to observe Children's Day last Sabbath—3rd Sunday in May, which is the day set apart by conference; their exercises will come off 5th Sunday in this month.

Rev. Dr. Mitchell, of Wake Forest, preached at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening. CASTOR.

OAK RIDGE township, Guilford county Democratic primary instructed for Mr. Cleveland. Score one more for the ex president.

THE boat club has been enjoying moonlight rides on the canal.

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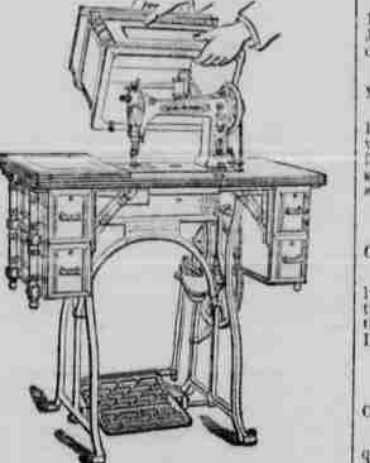
"When I was 14 years of age I had a severe attack of rheumatism, and after I recovered had to go on crutches. A year later, scrofula in the form of white swellings, appeared on various parts of my body, and for 11 years I was an invalid, being confined to my bed years. In that time ten or eleven sores appeared and broke, causing me great pain and suffering. I feared I never should get well. Early in 1886 I went to Chicago to visit a sister, but was confined to my bed most of the time I was there. In July I read a book, 'A Day with a Circus,' in which were statements of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was so impressed with the success of this medicine that I decided to try it. To my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better and in a short time I was up and out of doors. I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for about a year, when, having used six bottles, I had become so fully released from the disease that I went to work for the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since then

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C. P. Knight, Esq:

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