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ALL DEMOCRATS SHOULD ATTEND THE PRIMARIES

The Democratic primaries for Randolph will be held at the various precincts on Saturday afternoon July 30th at 3 o'clock. At these primaries delegates are to be selected to attend the County Convention to be held in Asheboro on Saturday August 6th. At this convention there will be nominations for the various county officers and for the general assembly.

It is to be hoped that there will be a full attendance at the primaries and that there will be an expression of opinion for the candidates to fill the various offices.

The strongest and best men should be selected to fill the various offices. There will be tickets at the various precincts for the various candidates and every Democrat will have the right to vote for any one he pleases as a candidate.

There are naturally differences as to the best men for some of the positions. Let Democrats consult together to the best interests of the party, but after consulting go to the primaries, vote as they please, wearing no man's color, taking orders from no one, always remembering to lay aside personal choice if necessary for the best interest of the party.

The Democrats of Randolph should go to the primaries and express their choice and should not and will not be controlled by any false cry. In some counties there are those who it is claimed try to control nominations. The people should be on the lookout for this class. Some of them may be abroad in this good county. Sometimes a ringster will try to control and then again a wide mouthed fellow who has no other war cry than to trump up some imaginary idea that there is some clique opposing him or his candidate. Sometimes it is true that there are slates made and office holding rings exist. The way to break up slates and rings is for each voter to investigate as best he can and learn who is the best man for each position and go to the primary and vote for his choice and see to it that men who will stand true are sent as delegates to the County Convention.

It is true that there are some men in the Democratic party who are more active before the primaries than afterwards. This class of men sometimes become so active that they imagine vain things and do more harm than good.

Let all good Democrats study well the best interest of the party and the people and do not forget the date of the primary July 30th, and be certain to attend and vote for the best, wisest and strongest men for each and every office and all will be well. The tide is turning toward Democracy. Never have prospects been brighter and better than now.

The people will make no mistake. Let them go to the primaries and register their choice from the lowest to the highest office and all will be well in November.

A short while before going to press, the news was that there was and had been a dead-lock for two days in the Congressional convention at Greensboro with Major Stedman in the lead and Judge Jones second. The cards of the candidates, except the new ones, are omitted this week owing to the pressure and crowded condition of our columns. They will appear again next week.

New Ads This Week.

Mr. J. L. Norman, clothing at the cash store, on Depot Street.
Blackstone School for girls.
Standard Drug Co. Locals.
Miss Esther F. Auman-Corsets.

Married.

Mr. A. B. Andrews and Miss Alma Thompson were married June 30th at Liberty, their home.

County Convention Last Saturday.

The Randolph County Democratic Convention met Saturday afternoon, July 2, in the court house at Asheboro for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State, Congressional and Judicial conventions, and to endorse candidates for chief justice and two two associate justices of the Supreme Court, Superior Court judge, solicitor, corporation commissioner and congressman.

Mr. W. H. Watkins was chosen temporary chairman and Messrs. J. O. Redding and E. Moffitt temporary secretaries. The temporary organization was then made permanent. All the townships were represented except West Franklinville and Pleasant Grove.

The vote for candidates was as follows:

For Chief Justice and for Associate Justices, Walter Clark and Platt D. Walker respectively were unanimously nominated.

For Associate Justice, W. R. Allen received 75.21 votes; J. S. Manning received 20.79 votes.

For Superior Court Judge, B. F. Long, received 74.49 votes; Lee Wright received 20.51 votes.

For Corporation Commissioner, W. T. Lee received 69.07 votes; W. A. Graham, received 19.93 votes. Henry C. Brown was unanimously nominated for Corporation Commissioner.

A resolution endorsing the official conduct of W. C. Hammer, as Solicitor, was passed, and he was unanimously nominated to succeed himself.

A resolution endorsing Hon. R. N. Page and nominating him as his own successor as Congressman from this district, was passed unanimously.

The following delegates and alternates were elected by the convention to attend the Judicial convention at Lexington on the 8th inst., and the State convention at Charlotte on the 14th, as follows:

Judicial convention—T J Finch, Arthur Ross, E D Frazier, R D Patterson, C R Curtis, H C Moffitt, J T Brittain, J C Phillips, Lee A Finch, L C Phillips, J M Varner, J F. Cameron, S L Varner, J H Kearns, Mont Lewis, A J Roach, T W Ingram, Geo T Murdock, E Carr Lyndon, Lou Cranford, S A Cox, A S Callicott, T J Ellis, J P Burroughs, T B Tysor, E B Leach, Dr R L Caviness, J T Lambert, W H Watkins, E B Leonard, J M Whitehead, Dr J W Staley, C F Barker, A H Bulla, W G Brown, W H Winingham, James Farlow, J Parkins, H A Tomlinson, J W Hill, J A Spence, John M Hammer, J A Holder, K L Winingham, S T Lessor, B F Morgan, J R Lutterloh, Dr A H Lutterloh, Dr A H Redding, Dr J V Hunter, Dr W J Moore, Dr F A Henley, Dr. M L Fox, S L Hayworth, T J Redding, W J Armfield, Jr, B F McDowell.

State convention—W S Lineberry, Ferre Ross, W A Wood, J Rom Smith, W L Bouldin, E Moffitt, W C Hammer, J T Redding, W H Walker, H C Causey, W J Miller, Dr P R McFayden, T E Marshall, J E Williamson, T J Finch, W P Wood, Jesse Luther, W C Hammond, M J Pressnell, T H Tysor, Dr R R Burgess, Thomas Graves, J M Whitehead, J A Spencer, W H Griffin, Hugh Parks, Jr, W G Brown, W A Underwood, W N Elder, W J Scarborough, J O Redding, J D Ross, D B McCrary, Dr. H B Hiatt, R C Kelly, H M Robins, C C Cranford, Joe McDowell.

Children's day exercises will be held at Charlotte M. P. church Sunday, July 10th.

MARRIAGE AT GUILFORD COLLEGE.

Prof. O. V. Woosley to Miss Florence Roberson—Interesting Event.

On yesterday evening at 8 o'clock, Miss Florence Roberson, of Guilford College, became the bride of Mr. Oscar Vergus Woosley, of Asheboro. The ceremony was performed in the auditorium of Memorial Hall at Guilford College. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the ceremony was impressive.

Mr. Woosley has for the past two years been the popular Superintendent of the Asheboro graded schools, while the bride is an accomplished and attractive young lady. Both are graduates of Guilford College. Mr. Woosley was a member of the class of 1905, and Miss Roberson of the class of 1906.

After the ceremony the newly wedded couple left for a bridal tour. Their many friends in this part of the State wish for them a long and happy life.

Franklinville Township Sunday School Convention.

Franklinville Sunday School Convention will be held at Gile's Chapel church the second Sunday in July, 1910, commencing at ten o'clock a. m. Everybody cordially invited.

E. O. York, Township pres.
Miss Berta Ellison, Sec.

THE PEOPLE'S LETTER BOX.

Some of The Things The Readers of The Courier Are Thinking About.

Importance of Nominating Good Men.

Mr. Editor:

Will you be so kind as to allow me a few lines space in your most valuable paper to express just a few thoughts to the Democratic voters of Randolph county, knowing that the principles of our party (the Democratic party) are the principles of God and feeling that He is on our side. It behooves us to be very careful in our choice of men to fill the various offices of our county government next term. Thomas Jefferson said that before a man presents himself as a candidate for any public office he should be able to fully answer four questions. First, he must know that he has got the breast plate of righteousness upon his breast, second the helmet of truth upon his head, third the shining sword of justice in his good right hand tipped with the diamond of mercy, and fourth the sweet grace of hospitality in his heart. Men of this type are the kind of men whom we need to nominate and by the nomination of such men Randolph will pull up the greatest Democratic majority she has in the past decade. The Democratic party has the best chance, for a glorious victory this fall it has ever had. There are today hundreds of business plants closed down and thousands of men, women and children who are hardly making a living, all on account of hard times, yet just as long as tainted millions will buy votes—just as long as the voters of our nation will turn down a Christian man and vote for one who even repudiates the name of Jesus Christ, a man who advocates high tariff to protect the rich manufacturer and make the laborer; a man who protects the trust monopolies to make the cost of living higher; just as long as this goes on we cannot, we need not, expect prosperity again. Knowing that these are true facts, let us fight on bravely, faithfully, and loyally till at last we know that the doctrine of equal rights shall reign throughout our whole republic.

Very truly yours,
DEMOCRAT BILL.

For Capt. Burns.

Mr. Editor: Will you please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in behalf of one of the candidates seeking the nomination for sheriff? The man to whom I refer is a gentleman that I have known for several years, and I have had considerable dealings with him and have always found him to be perfectly honest in his dealings, and in the performance of his duties he is very courteous, and I have often known of him working a hardship on himself to accommodate either a friend or stranger. Now, I appeal to all good Democrats who want a sheriff who will please the people and is qualified in every way to perform the duties of the office in a satisfactory manner, and a man that will receive the support of every Democrat in the county, and a great many Republicans will support him who have known him from childhood, and say that he will make a sheriff that the county will be proud of. Nominate A. E. Burns and Back Creek township will give him the largest vote any candidate has received in many years.

N. P. NELSON.
Spero, N. C., July 5, 1910.

Died.

Mrs. Abram Staley died at her home in Liberty, last Saturday and was laid to rest in the Liberty Grove cemetery Monday. Rvs. W. C. Kennett and C. E. Edwards conducted the funeral services.

Aunt Polly, as Mrs. Staley was familiarly called, was in her 82nd year. She is survived by six sons, Messrs. John, Cicero and Robert Staley, of Liberty; Julian Staley, of High Point; Thomas Staley, of Greensboro; and Dr. Walter Staley, of Aurora; and two daughters, Mesdames Sam Coe, of Greensboro; and Nereus Reitzell.

Dr. Faison Nominated.

Dr. Faison, of Duplin county was nominated for Congress in the third district at Goldsboro yesterday on the 44th ballot. The contestants were Geo. E. Hood, Charles L. Thomas, Rudolph Duffy and Joseph Robinson.

Mrs. Dora P. Fraser Dead.

Mrs. Dora Peace Fraser died at her home in New Market Township near Mt. Vernon Church last week and was buried at Mt. Vernon Church, the following day.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Randolph County, subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.
J. Walt Birkhead.

PAGE RENOMINATED IN THE SEVENTH.

Page Makes Speech—Platform Adopted.

Rockingham N. C. July 6th. The Congressional Convention for the seventh district met in Rockingham today. Full representation present. Hon. R. N. Page nominated by acclamation. Strong speech of Acceptance, the following, platform and resolutions adopted. "We the Democrats of the seventh congressional district, in convention assembled reaffirm our alliance to the time honored principals of the Democratic party as expressed in State and National platforms. We condemn the action of the Republican party in their betrayal of the people in the enactment of the Payne Tariff law, violating their promise to the American people to reduce the burden of taxation by a reduction of the tariff. In the face of their platform declaration to revise the tariff, they placed upon the statute books a law greatly increasing the burdens of the masses and increasing the gains of the favored classes. For their continued extravagance in governmental expenditures. We condemn the exarism made possible by the rules of the House of Representatives the effect of which has been to destroy in large degree popular representative government. We pledge ourselves to the Democratic doctrine of a tariff for revenue, with the lightest tax upon the necessities of life to economical business like methods in the expenditures of government funds, and to such revision of the rules of the House of Representatives as will restore representative government. We have watched with pride the course of senators F. M. Simmons and Lee S. Overman in the United States Senate; their growing influence has reflected credit upon their state and honor upon their party. We heartily endorse the course of our capital representative in congress, Robt N. Page. He has been ever watchful of the interests of the people of his district and his wisdom and good judgment in dealing with public affairs have resulted to the credit of the people of his state."

ALL TEACHERS MUST ATTEND.

Biennial session of the County Institute.

The biennial teachers institute for Randolph county will be held here, beginning Monday Aug. 1, and continuing for two weeks. The school law is very strict regarding the attendance of the teachers and I am sending notices to every white teacher in the county, emphasizing the importance of their attending the institute.

I am also sending to every teacher a card from State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner which reads as follows: Section 4167 of the school laws says: "All public school teachers of any county of which such institute and school is conducted are hereby required to attend the same continuously during its session, unless providentially hindered, and failure to attend the biennial institute and school shall debar any teacher so failing to attend continuously from teaching in any of the public schools of the state for a period of one year, or until such teacher shall have attended according to law some county institute and school as here in provided for in some other county."

Teachers are required to bring all of the text-books used in the public schools through the primary and intermediate grades, as the institute will partake largely of the character of a school. For the primary work bring, in addition to the readers, some tablets and a pair of scissors.

The examination of those who wish to teach in the county will be held at the close of the institute, beginning, perhaps, about Friday-noon and continuing through Saturday.

S. T. Lessor,
Co. Supt. of School.

Judicial Convention.

The Judicial Convention of this, the tenth district, will meet at Lexington, on Friday of this week, at 3 o'clock.

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Miss Lineberry Entertains in Greensboro.

The following is taken from one of our Greensboro exchanges. Miss Lineberry formerly lived at Trinity, this county, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Lineberry. Since her father's death, she moved to Greensboro.

Tuesday morning at her home on Spring Garden Street, Miss Edna Lineberry entertained at a porch party, in honor of her guest, Miss May Brewer, of Winston-Salem. An improvised garden of ferns had made the porch more attractive, and in amongst the beautiful evergreens were tables with vases of buttercups, and around these tables the guests engaged in progressive games of cubic hearts.

The charming young hostess did not forget that Tuesday was a summer day, and served delicious cream and cake. Those who were present: Misses Clifforck, of Fayetteville; Etha Woodley, of Ramsey; Ruth Groome, Mayme and Chase Boren and Herschel Freeman, Hattie and Nannie Elam, Blanche Johnson and Della Smith.

Kegs, Kegs, Kegs Coco-cola at Standard Drug Co.

Mills Shutting Down.

Out of three mill'on cotton mill spindles in North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, two and three quarter millions will be idle at least a month this summer. This will mean the cutting off of from one to two million pieces of cloth or one-twelfth of the output. It is said that one cause is that the price of manufactured goods is out of proportion to the price of cotton. Many of the mills closed on the first of July, and others will on the 25th.

Those unsightly pimples and blotches. External application may partially hide them, but Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea removes them for keeps. Get at the cause, impure blood. Tea or Nuggles, tablet form, 35c. at druggists. Standard Pharmacy Asheboro Drug Co.

Governor Kitchin at Boston.

On July 4, Governor W. W. Kitchin addressed the National Educational Association in session at Boston, Mass. About ten thousand people were present. Among other orators of the day was President Wm. H. Taft.

FOLEY'S URINO LAXATIVE

FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION

Died.

Mr. Jesse L. Moore died at his home near Coltrane's Mills, June 28th, aged 30 years. The burial was at Ebenezer Methodist Church the following day. An obituary will appear next week.

The Courier has a practical article on growing chrysanthemums written by Mrs. J. W. Hadley, a most successful flower grower of this town, which will be published next week.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF RANDOLPH at Asheboro,

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business June 30, 1910.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$174,845.00
Overdrafts	773.25
Asheboro Graded School Bonds	8,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Demand Loans	1,875.15
Due from Banks and Bankers	37,077.77
Cash Items	1,032.56
Gold coin	3,630.00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	2,479.31
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	9,235.00
Total	\$244,639.34

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$1,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	18,048.14
Deposits subject to check	135,537.50
Customer's Checks outstanding	653.50
Total	\$244,639.34

State of North Carolina, County of Randolph, ss. I, W. J. Armfield, Jr., Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. J. ARMFIELD, JR., Cashier.
C. H. WOOD,
W. J. SCARBORO,
D. R. MCGRAW,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of July, 1910.
J. S. BORG, Notary Public.

Victory For The Railroads.

The Interstate Commerce Commission on June 30th announced that it would suspend classification number J6, involving 6,000 items which was filed to become effective, July 1st. This declination to act, is regarded as a victory for the railroads.

The railroads operating out of Buffalo, New York, were granted permission to advance their rates on flour and other wheat products one cent a hundred pounds to eastern destinations.

There are only 58 changes in the 6,000 items and the ratings involved. Of these, 28 are reductions and 30 increases including 12 advances in car load weights. In an official statement issued June 30, the commission says:

"The principal increases are the carload minimum of horse vehicles from 10,000 to 11,000 pounds and an advance in the classification of automobiles from first class to one hundred and ten per cent. of first class, and the commission is not satisfied that these items should be suspended.

All that part of the United States north of the Potomac and Ohio Rivers and east of the Mississippi, including the cities of St. Louis and Chicago, are within the official classification territory.

Major Wilson Dead.

Major Wilson, who built the Western North Carolina Railroad over the Blue Ridge, at that time considered to be the greatest piece of engineering work in America, died at his home in Charlotte, July 1, and was laid to rest in Morganton Monday morning.

Major Wilson was 78 years of age. He was the son of Rev. Dr. Alexander Wilson, a prominent Presbyterian minister of Hillsboro, N. C. He is survived by five daughters and three sons. His wife preceded her husband to the grave several years ago.

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