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PRIMARY TO BE HELD SATURDAY; INTEREST GROWS AS TIME APPROACHES

Tickets Are Being Prepared This Week For Voters Next Saturday, June 7—List of the Candidates As They Appear On the County Ticket—Voting Booths Distributed For the Several Precincts.

In the primary to be held on Saturday of this week there are a number of Republicans whose names appear on the county ticket. A smaller number of Democrats are running. Inasmuch as the State law now guards the tickets very carefully, and the probability being that some of our readers have not seen a ticket and do not know just who is running in the respective parties in the county, we print below the names of the men on both of the tickets, and you are cordially invited to come out Saturday and take your choice with the assurance that they are all good men or they could not get their names on the tickets.

The list for each party as it appears on the tickets follows:

DEMOCRATIC TICKET:

For Member House of Representatives:

HARRY H. LEAKE
JAS. W. MANUEL

For Members Board of Education:

J. REID FOREST
J. L. CHRISTIAN
R. B. HUTCHERSON

For Members County Highway Commission:

POWELL RAY
JAMES C. CRAIG
J. MOIR HAWKINS
E. W. CARROLL

REPUBLICAN TICKET:

For State Senator:

R. T. JOYCE
D. L. HATT
J. H. HALL
W. M. JACKSON

For Member House of Representatives:

CURTIS C. MCGEE
C. DOLPHUS SLATE

For Sheriff:

J. R. NUNN
ERNEST R. NELSON
MONROE J. FAGG
JESSE B. PRIDDY

For Members Board of County Commissioners:

JACOB FULTON
RUPERT S. HELSABECK
RUFUS O. WOOD
CARL T. MABE
OTIS DILLON

For Members Board of Education:

JOHN W. PRIDDY
EDWIN KISER

Baker Reunion On Fifth Sunday of June

Mizpah, June 3.—There will be a reunion of the Baker family at the Friendship Baptist church on the 5th Sunday in June. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a well-filled basket of good eats.

PINNACLE WILL PLAY MAYODAN

Game Full of Thrills To Be Puled Off At Mayodan Next Saturday—Dr. Morefield and Lon Sisk Will Represent the Stokes Team.

Next Saturday evening at Mayodan, 3:30 P. M., by the clock, notwithstanding the primary or other events to the contrary, two of the crack baseball teams of this entire section of the State will meet in the top of war.

Carl Ray will pitch for Mayodan, and Pettit will pitch for Pinnacle.

This promises to be a great game, and doubtless hundreds of people, even including Joe Lynch, will be there to see it.

It is understood here that Dr. R. H. Morefield and Lon Sisk of Danbury, will be the official rooters for the Pinnacle boys. 'Nough said.

THEFTS OCCUR AT WALNUT COVE

Several Places Broken Into and Various Articles Stolen—One Citizen Loses His Chickens.

Walnut Cove, June 3.—A number of thefts have been committed here and in the community recently. The warehouse of the Stokes Grocery company was entered on last Monday night and several bags of sugar taken as well as a lot of canned corn. The thieves are evidently preparing to make an experiment on a new brand of sugar head, using canned corn instead of meal.

Three barrels of corn which Joe Allen had stored in a warehouse near Neal & Tuttle's hardware store was stolen on Tuesday night.

Mr. Young, of the Rosebud community, who was in town this week, reported that all of his chickens were stolen a few nights since. He had them locked up in his chicken house and it was broken into.

Bernard Wright Addresses Lions Club

Bernard Wright, of Greensboro, who was a visitor in Danbury Monday, addressed the members of the Stokes County Lions Club at their regular meeting in Walnut Cove Monday night. Mr. Wright, who is one of the Democratic candidates for Solicitor to succeed Mr. J. F. Spruill, was in Stokes primarily in the interest of his candidacy.

JURORS FOR SUPERIOR COURT

Summer Term Opens Here On June 30 With Judge Michael Schenck Presiding — One Week Each of Criminal and Civil Court.

The regular summer terms of criminal and civil courts for Stokes county will open here on June 30th and July 7th, respectively, for one week each. The courts will be presided over by Judge Michael Schenck of Hendersonville.

At the meeting of the Stokes Board of Commissioners here Monday, jurors for the courts were drawn as follows:

FIRST WEEK—CRIMINAL TERM.

J. P. Campbell, Robt. Joyce, P. W. Bowman, Charlie Steele, W. E. Martin, Sam B. Priddy, J. S. Zimmerman, T. W. Mabe, R. A. Hunter, W. A. Leake, J. E. King, Jas. R. Mendenhall, R. E. L. Francis, C. R. Christian, W. W. Rhodes, Euel Hutchinson, Jerry W. Dodson, S. M. Nelson, T. S. Oakley, N. S. Johnson, W. E. Hawkins, Reece Mabe, O. C. Taylor, E. B. Taylor.

C. L. Martin, H. G. Alley, J. Will Mounce, R. L. Wilson, Lundy Wood, S. C. Montgomery, Robt. Flinchum, A. A. Jefferson, S. I. Boyles, A. A. Rutledge, Roy D. Tuttle, O. W. Barber, W. F. Marshall, J. R. Nelson, L. J. Kiser, J. W. Kiser, Alfred Durham, J. S. Garner.

SECOND WEEK—CIVIL TERM.

G. H. Morefield, W. C. Holt, Rector Tilley, J. A. Newsom, J. H. Snyder, Herbert Ray, W. J. Gravitt, M. F. Edwards, E. O. Creakman, J. W. Morefield, J. E. Joyce, F. G. Fowler, F. B. Dearmin, J. M. Vaden, T. C. Boles, J. S. Barr, R. W. Andrew, J. Dillard Hall, Drew Joyce, Dewey Shelton, J. W. Jefferson, O. T. Gentry, E. D. Bullin, Paul Redman.

Virginia To Let Contract For Bridge

The Virginia State highway commission is advertising for bids on the famous bridge to be erected across New river at Jackson's Ferry. Contract has been let for the bridge once before but the operators of the ferry at that point filed an injunction against its construction. They have been doing a fine business in putting cars over on the ferry and are reluctant to surrender their business.

The new bridge will be 775 feet in length with three 120-foot spans and one 400-foot cantilever.

Misses Josie, eBrnice and Georgie Lawson, of Lawsonville, spent the week end with Miss Annie Simpson at Leaksville.

KING MAN MAKES HIS DEPARTURE

J. Ellis Hauser Deeds His Belongings To His Wife and Leaves To See New Pastures—Death of Miss Nellie Johnson—Other News of King.

King, June 4.—J. Ellis Hauser, prominent merchant of this place, mysteriously dropped out of sight last Tuesday. Mr. Hauser has been making regular trips to Winston-Salem with the company truck and on Tuesday morning he left with the truck to bring back a load of goods but on the evening mail Mr. W. G. Hendrix, his business partner, received a letter in which the store key was found, stating that he was gone and that the truck would be found in Gordell's warehouse in Winston-Salem, and in the letter it was requested that Mr. Hendrix and Mr. Hauser's wife, who is a sister of Mr. Hendrix, take the store and do the best they could with it. Mr. Hauser's wife also received a letter inclosing deeds to all his real estate, which he had executed to her. It is said that the business of Hendrix and Hauser is in a sound condition and that Mr. Hauser's individual business is in good shape. He owned considerable property and has a wife and several children. It is rumored here that there is a good looking woman in the case.

Miss Nellie Johnson, aged 38, died at the home of her parents near Capella Friday, following a lingering illness. She is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson, 2 brothers, Paul and Reid Johnson, of Winston-Salem, and 4 sisters, Mesdames J. A. Smith and S. P. Bennett of King, and J. S. Boyles and W. D. Johnson of Winston-Salem.

A force of carpenters are at work remodeling the old bank building on Depot street. As soon as completed about July 1, Helsabeck and Blackburn, of Winston-Salem, will open up a clothing store in the building.

The Ladies Aid Society of the King Christian church met on Thursday evening with Mrs. O. O. Grabs, with eleven members present. Devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Agnes Pulliam. Mrs. Ernest Griffin read a very interesting sermon by Rev. J. W. Holland. The hostess assisted by Mrs. H. G. Shilling served delicious refreshments. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. S. Helsabeck on Tuesday after the 4th Sunday in June.

Mrs. S. W. Pulliam has returned to her home after undergoing a slight operation on her eye in a Charlotte hospital. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Kirby have returned to their home in Sanford.

MRS. PYRTLE WINS FIRST PRIZE; MR. ALLEN SECOND

Great Subscription Drive and Popular Voting Contest Ended Saturday Evening With All Candidates and Everybody Feeling Good—Miss Dearmin Dropped Out Before the End—The Standing Of the Figures.

Mrs. Mary Holbrook Pyrtle,	13,438,000
Rev. D. M. Allen,	10,479,000
Miss Gwendolin Dearmin,	5,142,250
Miss Connie Burwell,	942,500
Miss Myrtle Ferguson,	771,000
Miss Mozelle Newsom,	735,000
Miss Ernestine Hawkins,	627,000
Miss Anna Hudspeth,	467,500

The figures stood as above when the sun went down Saturday on the last day of the Reporter's great subscription drive and voting contest.

Mrs. Mary Holbrook Pyrtle of Danbury, was awarded the first prize, latest model 6-cylinder Chrysler sedan, Rev. D. W. Allen, of Walnut Cove, won the beautiful Ford coupe. Miss Gwendolin Dearmin, of Westfield, took the third prize, an Atwater Kent cabinet radio set although Miss Dearmin had quit the race Friday evening. The fourth prize, an exquisite diamond ring, was won by Miss Connie Burwell, of Gap, while the fifth prize, the gold wrist watch was captured by Miss Myrtle Ferguson, of German-ton. The two cash prizes of \$50 and \$25 were awarded Misses Mozelle Newsom, of Walnut Cove, and Ernestine Hawkins, of Sandy Ridge, respectively. Miss Anna Hudspeth, of Danbury, who was not an active candidate, won commissions.

The many friends of Miss Gwendolin Dearmin sincerely regretted her action in withdrawing from the race before the end, as she had made a very strong showing, and stood fine chances of winning one of the chief prizes. But, as Miss Dearmin, however, had lost two or three weeks at the start of the contest, being a student at Westfield high school, she felt that this was a handicap which seriously affected her success at the close.

The contest, which was conducted under many unfavorable conditions and circumstances from the very start, yet ended very successfully at last. Eighteen candidates were listed at the beginning of the contest, but on account of serious illness of near relatives, no less than four of the most popular and strongest contestants were forced to abandon the race.

Messrs. M. O. Jones, A. G. Sisk and A. J. Fagg were the judges, who very carefully computed the votes and awarded the prizes. Their decision was eminently satisfactory to everybody, and all the candidates and their friends expressed their satisfaction at the ab-

solute fairness of the contest and their pleasure at the results.

It is needless to say that Mrs. Pyrtle and Mr. Allen, who were presented with such handsome and costly testimonials of the high regard of their many friends, were delighted, and each spared no opportunity to express their sincerest appreciation and thanks.

The Reporter wishes to extend to each and all of the contestants, together with their friends who helped to make the contest a success, its most cordial gratitude and thanks.

FARM BOARD MEETS SATURDAY

Held A Short Session Monday But Few Members Were Present—To Discuss Fair To Be Held In Fall.

The Stokes County Agricultural Board held a short session at the court house here on last Monday, however, very little business was transacted.

On next Saturday the Board expects to meet and discuss business matters relative to the holding of the county fair in the fall.

Pinnacle Woman Attempts Suicide

Mrs. Addie King, aged 31, of Pinnacle, recently attempted suicide by taking a large dose of arsenic. She was rushed to the Mt. Airy hospital and is reported to be recovering nicely at this time.

Mrs. King is the wife of Mr. Edward G. King, who is a farmer of the Pinnacle community, and has been suffering from ill health for some years. She is the mother of 5 children.

White Sulphur Springs Opened May 30

White Sulphur Springs, just out of Mt. Airy, which has not been operated for some years, opened for guests on May 30th.

The hotel is now under new management, being incorporated recently with Dr. J. W. Tankersley, of Greensboro, as president, E. P. Holt, of Oak Ridge, vice-president and T. W. Gilliam, of Statesville, secretary and treasurer.