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## CANDIDATE GIVES BROAD PLATFORM

CARROLL RELEASES STATEMENT EXPRESSING VIEWS ON SIX MONTHS SCHOOL TERM.

Edwin W. Carroll, Democratic candidate for the House of Representatives from Stokes county, yesterday released a statement of his platform.

1. "Rigid economy in county and state government."
2. Revaluation of real estate.
3. Abolishment of marriage laws that require physical examination and advertising in the papers.
4. Six terms of school of six months each.
5. Rigid fertilizer inspection.
6. Opposition to sales tax unless it be necessary to maintain the schools.
7. A change in motor vehicle law.
8. A banking law that will protect its depositors.
9. Inspection of merchants' measuring and weighing equipment.

## Platform Of E. Carr Gann

E. Carr Gann, who desires the Democratic nomination for House of Representatives, again asks for your support in the primary on this platform:

- Reduce Sheriff's salary from \$3500 to \$2100; reduce salary of Clerk of Court and of Register of Deeds from \$2400 to \$1500.
  - Repeal law requiring couples intending to marry to produce health certificate; repeal marriage banns law; reduce cost of marriage license from \$5 to \$3.
  - Reassess land every two years, at actual cash value.
  - Reduce price of automobile licenses so that they will cost, say, from \$5 to \$15.
  - Change date of holding primary from June to July or August.
  - Let every person who was able to buy his (or her) automobile license this year take at least one load of voters to the polls and ask them to vote for a candidate who will make an honest effort to bring about the above measures.
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## Unmasked Robber Holds Up Cafe

TAKES \$30 FROM CASH DRAWER REGARDLESS OF THROGS IN CAROLINIAN COFFEE SHOP.

An unmasked robber caused widespread excitement when he walked boldly into the Carolinian Coffee Shop last Tuesday night at 9:23 o'clock, pounced upon the cash register, and escaped with \$32. Numerous people were in the cafe at the time the hold-up occurred. The man walked into the store and requested two cigars. He gave the cashier, Mrs. Besse Fuqua, a one-dollar bill in payment. As she opened the register, containing around \$150, the man grabbed for the center section. Mrs. Fuqua slammed the drawer shut, preventing him from taking more.

The proprietor, Mr. Apostle, and several other persons gave chase, but the thief joined a man in a parked automobile and escaped.

Maybe the reason ideas die quickly in the heads of some fellows around here isn't because ideas can't stand solitary confinement.

## J. H. CARTER OUT OF SHERIFF'S RACE

FIELD IS LEFT TO SHERIFF JOHN TAYLOR—REPUBLICANS HAVE FOUR CANDIDATES ON PRIMARY TICKET.

Walnut Cove, May 26.—Sheriff John Taylor, of Stokes county, will not have any opposition in the June primary, J. H. Carter, of Pine Hill, withdrawing from the race today. Harvey Johnson, of King, who filed for the office, withdrew from the race several days since, while E. O. Creakman, of Walnut Cove, who announced his candidacy for sheriff did not file. In the primary there are four candidates for Sheriff on the Republican ticket. They are J. R. Nunn, M. J. Fagg, L. J. Fowler and Hobart Browder. Mr. Nunn opposed Sheriff Taylor in the past two elections.

## Harding Cites Need Of Law Enforcement

Judge William F. Harding, of Charlotte, believes that Winston-Salem needs an enforcement of the Prohibition law.

The Judge stated his facts before the grand jury in his charge in opening the May criminal term of Forsyth Superior court last Monday. He declared that the successful administration of all laws depends upon efficient and impartial enforcement by officers. Law can never be successfully enforced as long as the "pint drunkards and quart peddlers are consistently arrested while the fellow with private stock in his cellar is never bothered and the wholesale distributors escape the vigilance of the law."

Although asserting a necessity for more wholesome respect for law he declared himself in favor of the retention of the prohibition laws upon the Statute books.

## Revival To Start Sunday At Madison

Rev. O. E. Ward, pastor of the Madison Baptist church, announces that a meeting of the entire membership of the congregation has been called for Thursday night, in anticipation of the beginning of a series of revival meetings at the church next Sunday. Rev. J. A. Snow, former pastor of Calvary Baptist church, this city, has been secured to assist in the series, which will last ten days or more. Cottage prayer services are being held this week in preparation for the meetings.

## Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Stokes county subject to the action of the Republican primary in June.

It was not my intention to enter the race at first but since so many of my friends requested that I do so, I have decided to offer my services if nominated and elected.

I will not get to see all of you voters before the primary but will do my best to see you if I get the nomination, and will do all within my power to win, and to serve you. Very respectfully,  
H. E. CARTER.



MRS. SADIE FULTON LOVIN

One of the leading candidates for Register of Deeds of Stokes county is Mrs. Sadie Fulton Lovin of Walnut Cove.

Mrs. Lovin is a daughter of the late John G. Fulton, president of the Stokes Grocery Co., and a granddaughter of the late Jacob Fulton, long a familiar figure in the business life of Stokes county. She is a niece of Jacob Fulton, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, and a sister of Geo. H. Fulton, of the Ford Motor Co., and Paul Fulton, of the Sokes Grocery Company.

Mrs. Lovin was educated at North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro, and later received a business training at a standard college. For more than a year she was secretary to Judge J. H. Cle-

ment. She was book-keeper for more than three years for Davis, Fulton Co., of Walnut Cove.

In offering herself a candidate subject to the Republican primary, Mrs. Lovin feels that she is well qualified for the position of Register of Deeds, and that while she is still young in years as well as party service, that her family has long been loyal to the Republican party in Stokes county, and widely identified with its interests not only in Stokes county, but throughout the State.

Whereupon she asks the support of her friends throughout the county, and assures them that if nominated, she will use every legitimate means to be elected, and if elected will make a conscientious and capable servant.

## LETTER FROM M. O. JONES.

To the Republican Voters of Stokes County:

In the primary to be held June 4 you will vote for a candidate to enter the contest in the fall election for House of Representatives. In this fall's contest you will want a true Republican who is able, willing and active in waging an aggressive campaign against the Democratic nominee.

For sixteen years I have served the Republican party down in the ranks of those who fight honestly and fearlessly for success of the party's candidates. You know my record as a regular, conscientious Republican, who has always, under all conditions fought for the success of all the candidates at the polls.

I have never asked the party for support in any contest for office but this year, at the request of many friends interested in sending a regular Republican to the Legislature, I have filed as a candidate for the House of Representatives and I am asking your support in the primary.

I trust that you will consider my candidacy and that you will cast your vote for me and use your influence for me among your friends, since it is impossible for me to see everyone I would like to before the primary.

If nominated I pledge to you that I will, as in the past, be found working hard for party success and in addition if elected I want you to feel that you have a friend in the Legislature who will represent the people of Stokes county in a creditable manner by endeavoring to secure legislation that will give us an economical county government and lower the tax burden of the farmer and small business man.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your support and trusting to see you in person before the fall election, I am,

Yours very truly,  
M. ODELL JONES.

## CALL TO STOKES COUNTY DEMOCRATS

PRECINCT MEETINGS TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, JUNE 4—COUNTY CONVENTION CALLED FOR SATURDAY, JUNE 11—CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO BE NAMED TO SERVE TWO YEARS.

To the Democrats of Stokes County: The State Plan of Organization of the Democratic party requires a complete reorganization of the party every two years. The precinct committee is the first unit of our organization. In accordance with the suggestion of the State chairman a meeting of Democrats is hereby called at each precinct in Stokes county at 2 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, June 4. (This is the same day of the county primary).

A precinct committee of five working Democrats should be elected at each precinct, one of this number to be secretary, and one to be chairman of the precinct committee. The chairman of the precinct committee becomes automatically a member of the county executive committee.

The State Chairman urges that at the time of the meeting of the precinct committees, delegates should be elected to the county convention, which formality is not usually observed in our county of Stokes, as any one who wishes may attend, and is cordially invited to attend, the county convention and have an equal voice in its deliberations. But owing to the fact that frequently at our county conventions one or more precincts is not represented, I would suggest that certain and specific persons be named as delegates and urged to attend the county convention. This would insure representation from every precinct.

It is also urged by the State organization that each precinct committee should consist of both men and women, as the ladies are especially invited and requested to take active part in the party organization.

A convention of the Democratic party of the county is hereby called to meet at the court house in Danbury at one o'clock P. M., Saturday, June 11, 1932, for the purpose—

1. Electing delegates to the State Democratic convention which is to be held in Raleigh on June 16.
2. Electing a man as chairman and a woman as vice-chairman of the county executive committee, and a secretary, each of whom will serve two years. The election of the county chairman, vice-chairman and the county secretary of the executive committee is effected by a majority vote of the chairmen of the precinct committees who are to be named at the precinct meetings on June 4. The members of the county executive committee may elect one of their number to be chairman of the county executive committee, or may elect one who is not a member of county executive committee. Likewise as to the secretary.
3. To receive greetings from the newly-nominated candidates for the various offices.
4. To transact any other business which the convention may deem proper.

As this year will be a most active and important time in politics, it is hoped to see a large crowd of both ladies and gentlemen present at the county convention.

This May 19, 1932.  
N. E. PEPPER,  
Chmn. Stokes County Dem. Ex. Com.

## THE TAX STRUGGLE AT WASHINGTON

CONGRESS CONSIDERING THE REVENUE BILL—RUBBER TAX WILL YIELD OVER 42 MILLIONS.

Washington, May 24.—The Senate finance committee voted today to substitute a 10 per cent. sales tax on tires and rubber tires in place of the House provision for a five-cent, a-pound tax on tubes and a three-cent, a-pound tax on tires.

While the struggle over provisions of the revenue bill was going on by the committee, the Senate was preparing to consider an amendment by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, to put in effect the export debenture plan of farm relief.

The rubber tax, it was estimated, would yield \$42,500,000. The vote was on a motion by Senator Connally, Democrat, Texas.

On a motion by Senator Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky, the committee voted to reduce the tax on race track admissions from 25 per cent. to 10 per cent.

It also rejected the two-cent stamp tax on bank checks, voting the banks should deduct the tax and eliminate the stamp.

The committee also agreed to exempt farmers mutual insurance companies from corporation income taxes.

Chairman Smoot of the finance committee obtained immediate consent of the Senate to adopt the tax exemption for mutual insurance companies.

## Medical Meeting

The Eighth District Medical Society held a semi-annual meeting at which officers were elected, in Greensboro on May 24.

Dr. E. C. Ashby, of Mount Airy, was elected president of the society. Dr. J. W. McGehee, of Reidsville, was chosen vice-president to succeed Dr. Wingate Johnson, of this city. The secretary, Dr. Thomas C. Redfern, also of this city, will continue in that office.

Dr. J. B. Whittington, a Winston-Salem man, was included in the speakers at the morning, afternoon and night sessions.