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## PERSON COUNTY SOLIDLY DEMOCRATIC

EVERY MAN ON DEMOCRATIC  
TICKET ELECTED BY BIG  
MAJORITY

Full Vote and the Largest Majority Ever Cast

Owing to the large number of names on the many tickets it has been impossible to get full returns, as some of the precincts have not sent in their reports at this hour. However, we will give what we have and make any necessary corrections in our next issue. The remaining precincts to hear from are small and can not possibly affect the final count. The following is votes received by the County candidates:

For Senate: J. A. Long, 1512 No opposition.

For Legislature: W. Roy Cates, 1295; W. F. Long, 1098.

For Sheriff: N. V. Brooks, 1538; J. W. Chambers, 878.

For Register Deeds: W. T. Kirby, 1644; no opposition.

For Coroner: Dr. A. F. Nichols, 1460; J. T. Hamlin, 746.

For Surveyor: E. D. Morton, 1463; W. T. Buchanan, 831.

For County Commissioners: B. P. Hester, 1627; D. M. Cash, 1379; J. R. Franklin, 1422; C. H. Hunter, 969; R. D. Bailey, 868; E. J. Clayton, 869.

The National, State and Congressional tickets run about with the vote for Commissioners, giving a Democratic majority of about 500.

We have not been able to get the vote on the Amendments and Resolutions, but it is generally conceded that all of them carried save the Fort Terminals, which was probably defeated by about 300 in the County.

## NORTH CAROLINA GIVES USUAL MAJORITY

With about one third of the precincts heard from Mr. McLean has a majority of 57,000, with the Democratic National ticket running close along with this vote. When the final returns are in the majority will probably reach 75,000.

The State will again return a solid Democratic delegation to Congress.

## Death Of Mr. F. L. Woody.

Mr. F. L. Woody died at his home near Bittel Hill this morning at 9 o'clock. He had been seriously ill for several days with pneumonia and his death was no surprise. Mr. Woody, Frank, as all of his friends called him, was decidedly one of the most popular men in his section. He was 62 years old, had never married and leaves a brother and one half sister, besides a large number of more distant relatives.

## To The Good Vote of Person County

I wish to take this method of thinking each and every one of the good voters of this county, for the liberal support given me in the Election of Tuesday Nov. 4th. And it shall be my chief endeavor to serve all classes and masses in the future as I have in the past. Again thanking each and every one for their hearty and liberal support I am,  
Yours to serve,  
W. T. Kirby.

## Armistice Day Celebration

The American Legion will sponsor a celebration of Armistice Day on next Tuesday, November 11th. There will be speaking, and after the address a Brunswick stew will be served in one of the warehouses. All of the Legion boys and the public generally are cordially invited to be the guests of the Lester Blackwell Post on this day.

## IN WATTS' HOSPITAL

Mr. S. P. Gentry was carried to Watts Hospital in Durham last Friday night for an operation. We are glad to know he stood the operation well and is getting on very nice. Mr. Gentry is one of, if not the oldest citizens of Person, and no man in the County is more honored and loved than he.

## Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cabanis of Farmville, Va., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Cabanis, left this morning for Roanoke.

## REPUBLICAN LANDSLIDE SWEEPS COOLIDGE INTO THE PRESIDENCY

Davis Certain Only of Southern States, Though He is Leading in Oklahoma, Missouri and Tennessee, All Carried by Harding in 1920—LaFollette Has Lead in No State Except His Home State of Wisconsin.



Fairly complete returns from the eastern states and scattered reports from the country beyond the Mississippi indicate that President Coolidge has been elected by a majority only a little less than that received by President Harding when he was swept into the presidency by the great republican landslide of 1920.

On the face of returns received up to Wednesday morning President Coolidge was maintaining his advantage in the east and middle west and had established leads in the country beyond the Mississippi which if maintained, would give him an overwhelming majority in the electoral college, with a total running over 300 votes.

John W. Davis had his credit only the states of the ultra-democratic south, but was leading also in Oklahoma, Missouri and Tennessee, all carried by Harding in the 1920 republican landslide. He also had a slight margin in New Mexico, but had surrendered the lead to Coolidge in Kentucky in a nip and tuck race.

Senator LaFollette was leading only in his home state of Wisconsin, although his managers insisted that his full strength would be developed only after the still missing vote of the rural districts of the west had been counted.

In some parts of the country the drift to Coolidge was so overwhelming that it threatens to rival the Harding landslide of 1920. Mr. Harding's own voting precinct in Marion was carried by his successor by a large majority than it gave its native son four years ago.

In his own home state, Massachusetts, Mr. Coolidge was leading Davis by a ratio of almost four to one, and LaFollette by almost 14 to 1; in Maine, also, the Coolidge advantage over Davis was almost 4 to 1; in Rhode Island more than 3 to 1; in New Hampshire more than 2 to 1, and in Connecticut more than 2 to 1.

Both in upstate New York and in New York city the President was ahead of Mr. Davis, although the city gave the democratic nominee a far greater proportion of its vote than did other sections of the state.

On the face of the first returns from New Jersey, a very early and small return, Coolidge was leading Davis almost 4 to 1. In Ohio, with 179,000 votes counted, Coolidge had a lead of 60,000 over Davis, and of 85,000 over LaFollette.

In Pennsylvania, one of the rock-ribbed republican states, the President received 5 votes to 1 for Davis, with LaFollette making a close race for second place.

Delaware's first reports gave Coolidge more than five to one over Davis. In Kansas the ratio stood at three for Coolidge to one for Davis. In Indiana, with about one-twentieth of the state counted, the Coolidge lead was 20,000. A tenth of the precincts in Illinois gave Coolidge 111,000, Davis 43,000 and LaFollette 32,000.

Charles S. Denson, republican candidate for senator in Illinois, was 25,000 ahead of his democratic opponent.

The Coolidge column continued to mount in the east as the hours rolled on and the most interesting uncertainty

ceded by his opponent. The Omaha World-Herald, which supported Davis and Bryan, conceded Nebraska to Coolidge, and also announced the reelection of Senator Norris, a republican progressive who has been foremost among the supporters of Senator LaFollette in the senate. Re-election of Senator Capper, republican, of Kansas, chairman of the farm block, also became certain.

Returns sufficient to indicate an election have been received from only eight of the 34 senatorial contests.

Seven were democrats from southern states, and the eighth was a republican—Capper of Kansas. The reelection of Borah of Idaho was conceded by his opponent. The democrats were Heflin, Alabama; Robinson, Arkansas; the minority leader of the senate; Harris, Georgia; Blaine, South Carolina, who succeeds Senator Dial, a democrat; Randall, of Louisiana; Harrison, of Mississippi, and Simmons, North Carolina.

Of the 104 congressional contestants whose election was assured 68 were democrats, the great majority from southern states, and 36 were republicans. The 104 total does not include the four republicans from Maine elected in September. Among the republicans returned to the house were the chairmen of several of the more powerful committees, including Graham, Pennsylvania, head of the judiciary; chairman Butler, Pennsylvania, chairman of the naval committee; McFadden, also of the same state, chairman of the banking committee and Porter, likewise from Pennsylvania; head of foreign affairs committee. Snell, New York, chairman of the rules committee.

Prominent democrats elected included Garner, Texas, ranking member on the ways and means committee; Oldfield, Arkansas, the minority whip; Quinn, Mississippi; Vinson, Georgia; Pou, North Carolina and Wingo, Arkansas, ranking democrats on the military, naval and rules, and banking committee, respectively.

Wurzbach, the lone republican member of the house from Texas, was re-elected as was James of Michigan, a republican, who usually has identified himself with the LaFollette insurgents, and Jacobstein, a democrat from upstate, who had LaFollette endorsement.

## The Probable Electoral Vote.

The following is the electoral vote indicated by returns received up to Wednesday morning. There may be some slight changes when complete figures are available, but they will not materially affect the result.

COOLIDGE	DAVIS
Arizona	3
California	13
Colorado	6
Connecticut	7
Delaware	3
Idaho	4
Illinois	29
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Kansas	10
Maine	6
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	13
Michigan	16
Minnesota	12
Montana	4
Nebraska	4
Nevada	3
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	14
New York	45
North Dakota	5
Ohio	24
Oregon	6
Pennsylvania	33
Rhode Island	5
South Dakota	5
Utah	4
Vermont	4
Washington	7
West Virginia	8
Wyoming	3
Total	248

LaFOLLETTE	DOUBTFUL
Wisconsin	13
Kentucky	13
New Mexico	3
Oklahoma	10
Total	39

## ROXBORO MARKET GOING GOOD

ROXBORO LEADING IN HIGH AVERAGES

Monday's Sale of Nearly One Hundred Thousand Averages About \$30.00

Last week was the best week both for the warehouses and the farmer of the season so far, though every indication is that the price will get better week by week. There was more than three hundred thousand pounds sold on the market at an average of \$27.06.

The biggest sale this season was on last Friday when 107,548 pounds was sold bringing the splendid sum of \$27,106.38.

Monday there was another splendid sale, averaging \$29.50, the number of pounds being 77,336, bringing \$22,509.69.

We have seen no report from any market, either in this State or elsewhere which makes a better showing than Roxboro. So it seems the warehousemen and the buyers are living up to their promise made last week, to wit, that no market could, or would pay a higher price for tobacco than Roxboro, So. BRING YOUR TOBACCO TO ROXBORO.

## SCHOOL NOTES

Owing to the meeting in Raleigh, Friday and Saturday of this week, the Teacher's Meeting is postponed until November 15th,--a week later. All teachers are urged to be in Raleigh Friday afternoon for the first meeting at 10 o'clock in Pullen Hall at State College where all the meetings will be held. Friday will be given for teachers to attend. The September number of the Teacher contains the rules and Regulations for the Spelling Contest. The Preliminary Contest will be held here in the Roxboro Graded School building at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon of this week. The Final Contest will be held the next day in Pullen Hall, State College, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will be no schools taught on Thursday and Friday of Thanksgiving week. Principals will please read this card to all their teachers. Mrs. J. A. Beam.

## Death of Mr. Zachary Gentry

Last Friday night Mr. Zachary Gentry, who lives about five miles northeast of Roxboro, passed to his reward. Mr. Gentry was a fine Christian gentleman, greatly loved and respected by all who knew him, a faithful church worker, and will be greatly missed by his community. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn their loss. He was buried Sunday evening at the family burying ground in the presence of a large concourse of friends.

## Beautiful New Store Building.

One of the handsomest of the many handsome stores in Roxboro is the new store building of the Farmers Hardware Company. They moved in last week and you will be surprised at the beauty and convenience of everything. Mr. Daniels, the senior member of the firm, says they have a place for everything and everything in its place, and you will find just about anything you want in the hardware line.

## BIG FISH.

Mr. Cam Barnett will probably hold the record for big fish for some time. One day last week he caught at Loch Lilly two fish one weighing twenty and one quarter pounds and another weighing twenty one pounds. This is no "fish story," but is a fact as Mr. Barnett had them weighed here.

## ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY AUTOS.

Last Sunday evening in company with our family, we took a little drive over to Durham, and on that thirty mile drive we met just exactly one hundred and ninety cars between the bridge over the N. & W. railroad on the outskirts of Durham and the town limits of Roxboro. Just think, 190 automobiles met in only one hour run.

## REHEARSAL BEGINS FOR MUSICAL COMEDY.

Tuesday afternoon active work began on the big musical comedy, "Kathleen," which is to be presented by local talent under the auspices of the Lester Blackwell Post, No. 138, American Legion, at the Graded School auditorium on Nov. 18 and 19.

The play is divided into 2 acts which is chuck full of good comedy. "Kathleen" is a regular Mirthquake of Laughter. The lingering lyrics, haunting melodies, bewitching dances and real plot will be the factors in making the play one which will long be remembered by the Roxboro audiences.

"Kathleen" is one of the best comedies in the Rogers catalogue having been presented in many of the larger cities of the country with very marked success.

The scenery and costumes are being supplied by the producing company; they are very good and most appropriate to the play.

The play will be directed by Kathryn I. Morris of the John B. Rogers Producing Co., and she will be assisted by Miss Estlin. The cast promises to be working very hard to make the play the most successful ever produced in Roxboro.

## CARD OF THANKS

To my friends of Roxboro and Person County: I cannot find words to express my thanks to you for your great support in this election. I feel that my friends have done their best. I hope to show more fully my appreciation in the future in other ways than writing, and trust I may prove worthy of the support received in electing me your sheriff. Your friend,  
Nat V. Brooks.

## Brunswick Stew at Providence.

The ladies of Providence Baptist church will serve Brunswick stew, chicken stew, sandwiches, hot coffee, etc., at Providence Saturday Nov. 15th, beginning at 4 o'clock, P. M. Proceeds will go to church. Everybody cordially invited.

## BISHOP PENICK CONFIRMS CLASS

Last Sunday night Bishop Edwin A. Penick confirmed a class of three at St. Marks. Bishop Penick has visited Roxboro before and it was no surprise that he was greeted by a congregation which filled the Chapel.

## Presbyterian Ladies Will Hold Bazaar.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 15th, 1924, at the Crowell garage. Dinner will be served, and the public is cordially invited to take dinner with them.

## SWARTHMORE CHAUTAUQUA

The Swarthmore Chautauqua was on the first three days of this week. The people were very much pleased with the performances, and no doubt will arrange for a return trip next season.

## Bazaar November 8th.

The Ladies of Brookdale church will hold their regular annual bazaar at Jackson Motor Co's on Saturday Nov. 8th. Dinner and supper will be served, dinner beginning at 11 o'clock. All friends and the public generally invited.

## SAINT MARK'S CHURCH

21st Sunday after Trinity: Church School at 10:00 A. M., Edwin Eberman Superintendent, Evening Prayer and sermon 7:30 P. M.  
J. M. Martin, Rector.

## Concord Circle Bazaar.

The Circles of Concord church will have their bazaar at Jackson's Garage on Nov. 22nd, 1924, opening at 10:00 o'clock. Dinner will be served also.

## Box Party

There will be a box party at the High School on Nov. 13th.