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GEN. ROBERTS' CARD.

The following address was received by THE BEACON from a personal friend of the author—General W. P. Roberts—and while THE BEACON has already announced itself as favoring the candidacy of Hon. John H. Small for Congress, we take pleasure in giving it space as it is a matter of much interest to our readers, and contains sound Democratic doctrine and good common sense. In favoring the candidacy of Mr. Small, however, we wish to be clearly understood as entertaining no views of disparagement to Gen. Roberts. We recognize in him a gentleman of the highest order, a patriot of great public worth, with a brilliant public record which in peace and in war reflects splendid lustre upon the history of the Confederacy and of North Carolina.

We invite of our readers a careful and intelligent consideration of his candidacy:

To my Democratic Fellow Citizens of the First Congressional District of North Carolina:

At the Convention to be held in the District during the Summer or early Fall to nominate a candidate to represent the District in the next Congress my name will be presented for nomination for that position.

In making this announcement it is due to you to say, that I stand firmly and immovably on the time honored principles of the democratic party as announced from time to

time in its national platforms, and it will be my purpose to secure such legislation as will promote the best interest of the people on questions of tariff reform, improvement of rivers and harbors in our State, secure inland navigation, reduce the burdens upon labor and agriculture, foster manufacturing and mechanic arts and the expansion of Commerce.

In regard to State policies; candor compels me to say that I am unalterably opposed to the position taken by some prominent members of the Democratic party in the State on some questions which vitally concern our people. It seems to me that some of our friends have gone wild or become mad on the subject of universal education. I am forever and eternally in favor of white supremacy in the State, and to that end favor the education of the white race to the full extent of every resource and all the means at our command. But reason, common sense, experience, justice and our economic and industrial conditions constrain me to take the position that it is folly and madness, insanity and suicide to extend the same equal privileges of education to the negro race by taxation. In the first place, the negro is not like the white race, and the reason is, because God has not made them alike. It is not the fault of the negro. The Leopard cannot change his spots nor the Ethiopian his skin. Secondly, only two years ago in order to free ourselves from certain intolerable and unbearable evils, destructive alike to the best interests of both races, brought about in the counties with large negro populations by the unfortunate enfranchisement of the negro, we were forced to make an effort to amend the State Constitution. The main provision incorporated in the amendment, to remedy the evils we were suffering, was, the educational qualification in order to eliminate the great mass of negroes from the electorate. Now by this howl for universal education, it is proposed to destroy the only provision in the amended Constitution which gives any protection to decent government in the negro ridden counties, and thus place them in the same position they were before the constitution was amended. It is idiotic to suppose that the negro educated will not continue to vote against every interest of the white and against his own interests in these negro counties, and every other county, just as he has done for more than a third of a century. The negro is by nature and instinct opposed to the white race. He thinks he must hold the offices and govern.

In corroboration of my position, I have only to refer to the fact that only a few days ago, a delegation of the best, educated negroes of the South waited upon President Roosevelt to solicit his aid in behalf of the measures pending in Congress to defeat the purposes of the amended Constitutions of several of the Southern States, which restrict the suffrage of the negro. This negro committee also went before the committee of Congress which has these measures in charge. The education of these prominent negroes does not teach them that the only hope of good government, peace and prosperity for both races in the Southern States depends upon a restricted suffrage for their race for a great number of years. Again, the conferring upon the negro the privileges of education irresistibly hastens the social equality of the races, leads to miscegenation, confusion and destruction of society, with untold evils which every good citizen must deplore. There is in the heart of a vast majority of the negro race an over wearing desire for social equality. Possibly this is natural, but the preservation of the civilization of the South demands that it be resisted to the bitter end. There is a place in our industrial

condition for the negro and he is valuable in his place, but that place is not in the learned profession, among the elite of Society, or as a social companion. Educated, he is less adapted for the place where his services are most demanded and most valuable in our economic system, and we do him great wrong to unfit him by education, to become a valuable citizen. Besides, to continue

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April 9th, 1902.

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