

Presidential Possibility

One of the biggest problems ex-Governor Terry Sanford has had to overcome since he announced he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president is the fact he is a serious candidate, which he is.

Initially, the vast majority of citiz-ens thought his candidacy merely was a "stop Wallace" device.

Governor Wallace is popular in North Carolina, as was proved in the 1968 presidential race, when he placed second to Mr. Nixon, and out-distanced nator Hubert Humphrey.

But Tar Heels should lend full support to Terry Sanford.

According to Edward H. Smith, an historian of note, North Carolina has been honored with cabinet appointments uoria never with a president. Rufus King was a navy secretary prior to the Civil War, Josephus Daniels was the World War I navy secretary, and Governor Luther Hodges served Jack Kennedy as secretary of commerce. Mr. Daniels also was later ambassador to Mexico, and Governor O. Max Gardner was en route to the court of St. James when felled by death.

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MARTIN'S MEDICINE

By MARTIN HARMON

Josh Hinnant has enjoyed the political campaign. He has made many new friends and has renewed old friendships.

Win or lose, a candidate bene-fits. Bob Davis, of Salisbury, later commander of the North Carolina American Legion, unsuccessregretted having run.

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date.'

"Oh, no," he regretted. "I was in 1948, worked at the former defeated by 15,000 votes, but I First National Bank, and after received 76,000. I made friends the merger with First Union Nathroughout the district throughout the district — now tional became a roving banker, friends whom I never would have spelling managers of other bran-known had I not been a candi- ches during their vacations, then

Governor Alf Landon who won

only two states (Maine and Vermont) in h_s 1936 race against fully understands the banking President Franklin D. Roosevelt function is service and that loans an interview with television newsman Eric Severied. Asked if he regretted running, the former Kansas governor replied, "Oh, no. Not a great number of people enjoy the honor of being nominated for the presidency."

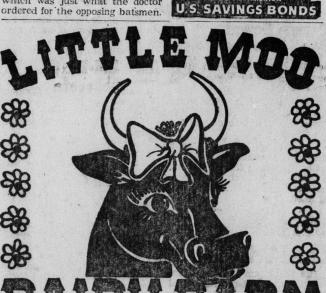
Josh Hinnant will be a winner on Saturday. m-m Finger

country boy from Weldon, who since the late Broadus Ellis re-first got the big city of Raleigh, tired. before migrating to Kings Moun-tain by way of Chapel Hill, Nrfolk and other ports of call.

m·m In Raleigh he was intially in retail business in a ladies' dress shop

m-m Josh, except for fate, might well have been a major league pitcher. The Detroit Tigers offered him a contrabt, but his parents insisted he go to college. He was pitching in an eary season game and the temperature was really to cold for baseball. Michigan, I believe, was the opposing team. Josh was throwing high and hard,

which was just what the doctor ordered for the opposing batsmen.



Josh was getting clobbered. Coach Bunn Hearn, in his Eastern North Carolina drawl, said, "Josh, put a little dink on it." On his sec-cent (to a total of \$54 billion) Labor will account for \$3.4 bil-

For

ond curve, Josh pulled a muscle in his left throwing arm and the arm was never the same again. m-m

Josh is breaking the political rules by publicly lending his name to the Bowles-for-governor campaign. Normally a candidate doesn't take on another candidate's campaign. m-m

But the Bowles business is fully ran against United States matter of personal friendship and Representative Jim Broyhill in loyalty with Josh. Years ago, 1964. I asked him when I met when Josh was in difficulty, Skip-him on a visit here to speak at per Bowles sustained him. One Memorial Day ceremonies if he doesn't forget friend the Memorial Day ceremonies if he doesn't forget friends like that. Josh came to Kings Mountain

now tional became a roving banker, succeeding Manager Alexander when he went to High Point.

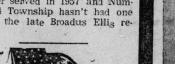
Josh runs First Union well. He

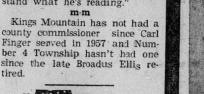
phrased it differently, though are mutually beneficial to both meaning much the same thing, in the borrower and the banker. m-m Grady Howard was talking by phone to Dick Ferchaug, and Dick

inquired of Josh's ability. Grady said, "Let me put it this way. He can read a statement and understand what he's reading.' m-m

county commissioner since Carl served in 1957 and Num-Josh describes himself as a ber 4 Township hasn't had one







Margaret Harper VOTE FOR JOHN J. MAHONEY, JR. Democrat

Letter to Editor, Gastonia Gazette, August 8, 1971

Lieutenant Governor

After sitting in on one of Judge Mahoney's court sessions, and reading many comments in the Gastonia Gazette, I want to say that he is helping to restore my confidence in our courts.

Judge Mahoney conducts court in a manner that will restore the respect so many have lost for our Courts. He does not molly coddle repeated offenders of the law, and metes out Justice in a manner that will discourage repeaters from committing

We need this desperately in our courts. \ldots their offenses again. We need this desperately in our courts.

He has my admiration and respect.

Mrs. J. B. Cole, Gastonia

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It's high time North Carolina had a president.

Terry Sanford is qualified by training and experience.

And he can win.

Vote Saturday

Kings Mountain and North Carolina voters going to the polls Saturday will have more choices than ever before. No less than 12 persons are seeking their party's nomination for Governor, including six Democrats, four Repub-licans and two American Party candi-

dates. On the county level, voters will have a list of 11 persons from which to choose three county commissioners.

Needless to say, with these long lists of candidates, there will likely be runoffs.

But, the Herald urges local voters not to wait until the runoff or the November general election. Go Saturday and cast your vote. It's not only your privilege but your duty as a citizen of this county, state and nation. And, between today and Saturday,

sit down and take a good long look at all the candidates who'll be listed on Saturday's primary ballot. Study their past accomplishments and their present platform and then cast your vote for the persons YOU believe will lead this county, state and nation in the way it should be going. line sign on N. C. 226 above Polkvillet is followed by another detailing distance to Grover at 30 miles per hour. It is equally at least 30 miles from the county line on U.S. 74 East to the point of departure into Rutherford West of Mooresboro.

ing ballot at the national conventions,

that having been decided by the pri-mary vote. The primary results are binding only on the first convention bal-

lot-after that the delegates are free to

vote as they-or the party leaders-see

Saturday Importance

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At any rate time is running out.

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Cleveland County is large in geographi-

cal area. It must be at least 30 miles

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Numerous candidates, offering for

Have the candidates in the Satur-

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Likely.

If Cleveland County is large, think of North Carolina.

When Democratic Candidate Skipper Bowles' two pretty daughters brought the Bowles Bus to Kings Mountain, one of them, (Holly we think,) remarked about the glories of the Tar Heel state which stretch from the wondrous mountains of Murphy and the shining sands of Manteo.

How the candidates for state office criss-crossing the state manage the pace is amazing.

Particular interest here attends both the Gubernatorial race and its frontrunners Bowles and Lt. Gov. Pat Taylor and the 11-candidate race for three seats on the county board of commissioners. Kings Mountain seeks representation on the county board of commis-sion in the person of a man or men from Kings Mountain.

This state's first presidential primary is also drawing voter interest here. How important is it that I vote Saturday, a lady asked.

Three of 11 Democrats will be nominated for the county commission. No Republicans are running. They will help determine the county government policy and levy county taxes.

Your vote on Saturday is pretty important

Popular comment during the unseasonable April cold spell was: "Short Spring, wasn't it."



