

COUNTY DELEGATES TO RALEIGH FOR CONVENTION

HALIFAX HAS 43 VOTES AT RALEIGH

With 43 votes to cast at the State Democratic Convention at Raleigh on next Thursday, Halifax County Democrats at the county convention Monday chose a list of delegates and alternates to represent the Banner Democratic County of the State.

Other precincts in the county chose the number of delegates and alternates in line with their share of votes but Roanoke Rapids No. One, the big bad wolf and the biggest of them all, on motion of Senator-Elect Allsbrook picked a list of more than fifty delegates and alternates.

Roanoke Rapids No. 2 chose Dr. Bahnsen Weathers, A. N. Martin, W. J. Norwood, L. G. Shell, Howard Pruden and Mrs. R. P. Beckwith as delegates and S. M. Thompson, Arch Williams, Clyde Liske, T. J. Alford, Lucille Smith and Minnie Johnson as alternates.

Roanoke Rapids No. 1 chose the following as delegates and alternates:

J. T. Chase, F. J. Hawley, F. P. Dickens, C. A. Perkinson, L. B. Edmondson, H. J. Horne, John Dixon, Jr., H. B. Speight, Dr. T. W. M. Long, F. A. Nantz, W. L. Shearin, R. T. Smith, W. S. Dean, F. S. Kemp, S. A. Newsom, B. G. Whitby, H. E. Lee, Leo Chumley, H. D. Camp, H. S. Loy, J. O. Crumpler, J. W. Harrell, J. W. Brown, B. R. Hux, Clayton Matthews, Hubert Speight, O. B. Crumpler, Charlie Crowder, W. N. Reid, J. B. Ennis, G. W. Wheeler, J. C. Pierce, B. J. Hux, L. R. Moody, C. W. Davis, R. L. Towe, F. C. Williams, C. L. Wilson, Dr. J. W. Martin, S. A. Lipscomb, Jr., W. C. Allsbrook, J. R. Allsbrook, C. S. Dickens, W. L. Medlin, Mrs. H. G. Perkinson, Mrs. Pearl Owens, Tom Beale, G. D. Wheeler, J. L. Hutchinson, Bob Wilkinson, P. A. Cook, Bud Johnson, H. L. Bell, Bill Pace, Charlie Powell, Cecil Bright, Percy Powell, W. P. Vaughan, Jessie Lee, Paul Harris, Noah Bell, Gene Kimball, Lonnie Coppedge, Wade Hardison, J. H. Wrenn, C. G. Grant, Willie Hawkins, Curtis Gore, Wilbur Allen, Garland Humphrey, Clarence Simmons, Jack Story, W. L. Jones, C. C. Crickmore, Walter Moore, Will Stanley, Sam Butler, Shelley Butler, M. P. Pulley, Claud Mills, Henry Lassiter, W. S. Pepper, D. W. Whittington, Otis Wright, H. J. Bennett, Jim Barton, John Ohmstead, Eddie Cox, Alton Speight, Arthur Hawkins, LeRoy Etheridge, Francis Starke, J. L. An-

New Precinct Committees In Local Wards

New precinct committees were elected at the precinct convention held here Saturday afternoon, with more than 300 voters attending record breaking sessions at the two voting places.

Roanoke Rapids No. 1 elected as their committee Dr. J. W. Martin, chairman, Frank C. Williams, W. P. Vaughan, Loftin Moody and Paul Harris.

Roanoke Rapids No. 2 committee is now Dr. Bahnsen Weathers, chairman, A. N. Martin, J. B. Hardy, J. K. Giles and W. J. Norwood.

draws, Jessie Pulley, Mrs. Sallie Hux, Mrs. Leo Chumley, Mrs. D. W. Whittington, Mrs. John Ohmstead, Mrs. Johnnie Goodman, Mrs. M. P. Pulley, Kelly Jenkins, M. D. Collier, J. R. Wrenn, R. E. Cleaton, Jr., George N. Stanley, F. M. Coburn, George N. Taylor, J. W. Taylor, W. F. Joyner, Willie Daughtry, Howard Fay, J. M. Jackson, W. A. Thorne, C. E. Matthews, Sam Young, Tom Batton, Mrs. W. A. Thorne, Marvin Anderson, G. T. Morris, Paul Heydenrich, D. C. Clark, Ben Parker, Paul Harris, A. B. McAlister, Less Garner, and W. P. Vaughn.

Delegates from the other county precincts were as follows:

Butterwood — Delegate: J. R. Liles. Alternate: V. C. Matthews.

Conoconnari — Delegate: J. H. Marks. Alternate: J. R. Edmondson.

Enfield — Delegates: J. W. Whitaker, M. Pope, T. M. Cooper, Mrs. G. C. Howell, Mrs. Max Myer,

Mrs. I. D. Wood, Dr. B. M. Nicholson, R. Hunter Pope. Alternates: C. O. Strickland, T. E. Marshall, W. G. Holliday, S. Pierson, Cecil Matthews, L. B. Meyer, J. B. Davis and W. T. Ransome

Faucette — Delegates: E. W. Liles, W. L. Smith. Alternates: Henry Everett, J. M. Staton.

Hollister — Delegates: T. C. Qualls, L. E. Williams. Alternates: F. M. Taylor, R. P. Harris.

Halifax—Delegates: E. L. Travis, P. C. Millikin, S. S. Norman, A. L. Hux, G. H. Dickens, J. H. Norman. Alternates: J. R. Twisdale, Joe Strickland, W. L. Johnson, F. B. Neville, C. E. Rives, J. A. Dickens.

Kehukee—Delegates: E. C. Ruffin, R. C. Shields. Alternates: W. L. Bailey, H. W. Jenkins.

Littleton—Delegates: J. R. Wollett, J. R. Kirkland. Alternates: N. W. Warren, Harry House.

Palmyra—Delegate: B. B. Everette.

Ringwood — Delegate: W. R. Bowers. Alternate: Hugh Bloomer.

Roseneath — Delegate: T. R. Whitehead. Alternate: H. C. Bass.

Scotland Neck—Delegates: A. McDowell, Wade Dickens, S. A. Dunn, H. T. Clark, N. A. Riddick, Ashby Dunn. Alternates: Mrs. E. H. Leggett, Mrs. Annie K. Travis, R. H. Allsbrook, Paul Speed, W. E. Bellamy, G. H. Johnson.

Weldon—Delegates: G. C. Green, M. A. Inge, Wm. Johnston, W. T. Shaw. Alternates: N. J. Sheperd, R. W. Carter, Meade Mitchell, C. R. Daniel.

AVENUE PAVING STARTED

Actual construction work of resurfacing Roanoke Avenue and making it wider was started by Tunstall and Johnson, paving contractors, of Norfolk, Va., Tuesday of this week. According to P. H. McGuire, superintendent in charge of the work here, it is thought it will require some sixty-days to complete the job.

The new Avenue paving will be thirty-feet wide, in contrast to the 18-foot present slab. It will have an asphalt surface with macadam base. All of the old material possible will be salvaged.

Working two six-hour shifts of some ten to twelve men each, the paving firm started breaking up the old surface at the Junction Tuesday, and at quitting time Thursday afternoon had worked past the intersection of Roanoke Avenue and Twelfth Streets. At many points on the avenue the grading will be changed, particularly around the 13th Street section, where the grade will be lowered approximately two-feet. It is thought the peak employment of the contractors will reach approximately 70 or more men before completion of the job.

A move is on hand in the South ward business section to have the paving widened so as to reach the sidewalk line on either side of the street. If this is done, they will build curbing and storm sewers in this section. It was pointed out that the paving contractors could do this work while in process of

the work for the state, and it would be much cheaper than at a later date.

W. F. Joyner is working on the proposition uptown, and is submitting a petition to all property owners on the Avenue. Mr. Joyner has already secured signatures representing enough footage, but a majority of the property owners will be required to sign. It is thought this will be easily obtainable, and at a late hour Thursday, he was within three property owners of his goal.

If this plan goes over, the paving would extend from curb to curb from a point 50-feet above the Southern intersection of Eleventh St. to the Northern side of the intersection of Ninth Street. Two-thirds of the cost of widening the street would be paid by the property owners, while it is planned that the city would stand the cost of the remaining one-third.

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