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JOINT COUNTY CAMPAIGN.

REV. V. Y. BOOZER LEAVES. NEXT TUESDAY BICKETT DAY.

Arrangements Made for Candidates of Both Parties to Jointly Discuss The Issues Refore Voters

Democracy's State Leader Will Speak Pastor Lutheran Church Goes Today on Ford Field to Great Outdoor to New Home-Preached His Gathering of Folks. Farewelwl Sermon Sunday.

The galety of the county political campaign will be greatly added to by the issuance and acceptance of a chal-lenge for a joint canvass of the coun-racy's distinguished caudidate for lenge for a joint canvass of the coun-ty for the candidates of the democrat-ic and Republican parties. Chairman T. E. McCrary handed such challenge to Chairman Anderson last week and it was accepted on the spot. It is un-derstood that the speaking dates will ed to hear the for the count of the democration of the spot and the count of the It was accepted on the spot. It is un-derstood that the speaking dates will ed to hear the foremost orator and icated. The church contained a good be arranged for the tax gathering ap-pointments of Sheriff Shaw, which be-gin October 17th and continue each It hear his last sermon in the city.

week day until Nov. 4th. This will give every voter in the county an opportunity to see their candidates in action and to listen to a lively discussion of the issues and claims of the different seekers for public favor. It is expected that the real fireworks will be centered around the speeches of the candidates for the House of Representatives. Messrs. Bayard F. Sink and J. R. McCrary. Both speak fluently and their discussions should arouse a great deal of interest.

Fall Clean Up Campaign.

Another clean up campaign has been instituted by the ladies of the Civic League, who started this action at their regular business meeting Mon-day afternoon. During next week the citizens of Lexington are requested to pile up all the trash around their premises and this will be collected by wagons furnished by the city on Oct. 6th and 7th. Merchants and business men are asked to look after their side and back lots, as well as are the people in the residential sections. All trash should be piled up by the morn-ing of the 6th, as that the wagon will not have to go back over the same ground

Many matters of importance were considered at Monday's meeting. One the most interesting features was the report of the social service committee as embodied in a splendid pa-per by Mrs. J. C. Leonard, in which was pictured the vision of what might plished around the county capitol. It was requested that this

HON. T. W. BICKETT. Lowe's grove at the head of Main

er has been their pastor. The church has paid for its worthy objects an average of \$22.50 per member for each year of the seven, the total contributions during that period being above eleven thousand dollars. It was announced that preaching would be held twice each month, on each first and third Sunday. Mr. W. H. Dutton, a student of the seminary at Columbia, S. C., will preach next Sunday morning. Supply will be furnished by students and members of

was a tender sort of service, but the

pastor played not upon an emotional cord but stuck to his text. Miss Ruth

Harkey, of Mobile, Ala., sang a beau-

At the end of his sermon, the pastor

recounted that it was now just seven

years since he first came to Lexington

to serve this congregation. He found a mission band of 68, burdened with a debt of five thousand dollars on their

new church building just completed at

that time. Today he leaves that congregation, still a mission point, but with every cent of debt paid off and membership practically doubled. And

there are very few congregations that

in loyalty and liberality have equalled this during the seven years Mr. Booz-

the theological seminary during the

tiful sole.

coming months. Rev. and Mrs. Boozer and family leave today on an early train for their new home at Leesville, S. C. Miss

Pauline Boozer left several days ago

Brannock, the veterinary surgeon, was will be met and brought at the head ing. He says that the Camp Meeting immediately called but he pronounced of the parade through Lexington and interest of that section is greatly re-

immediately called but he pronounced her case hopeless and was forced to chloroform her. "Bonney" was petted and loved by all who knew her. The was not only a favorite of the family but most of the children in town. The children have owned her for eight years. Her mate, "Trixy," died four years. Her mate, "Trixy," died four suphed visitor. This will remind may of the older citizens of the the church will control to the children in town. The baseball field and receive the distin-to the older citizens of the children in town. The baseball field and receive the distin-to the older citizens of the the church, which was at that time the church, which was at that time the church, which was at that time the church was the pastor of the church was the the church was the the pastor of the church was the the church was the the tore the church was th



KILLED IN AUTO WRECK.

Pauline Boozer left several days ago for that place to enter Summerland College, while Mr. Herman Boozer has re-entered Newberry College. The pas-tor and family received many callers Overturned. Pastor Presbyterian Church Announces He Will Give Up Work of Pastorate Here. BITTER FRUITS OF REPUBLICAN-ISM. "By their fruits ye shall know them." said the Master in the sermon

be accompliance around the county fair, and refreshments will be sold. The isst of marshals for the partiel and include Derivation of the south of the service and provide and include Derivation of the south of the The news of the accident and Mr.

GARDNER RINGS THE BELL. WILL HINKLE NOT GUILTY. Candidate for Lieutenant Governor Welcome Farmer, However, Tells Who Stored the Whiskey in Barn and

Makes Masterful Plea for Democracy.

With all the vigor of his old time prowess on the gridiron, O. Max Gard-ner, candidate for Lieutenant Govern-or, smashed the lines of the oppon-ents on State issues in the court house here Saturday. He spoke freely, eas-ily, vigorously and climatically de-fended Treasurer Ben Lacy by declar-ing "That whatever the republicans may say about the methods of book keeping employed, I challenge any man to say that a single penny of the state's money has stained the handa of honest Ben Lacy. Why, if he hadn't of honest Ben Lacy. Why, if he hadn't storage of the brandy in the barn, the come into the office when he did, Mar- property of Mr. John Hinkle, who at tin would not only have taken the the time was in Lexington at work whole treasury but would have gotten and knew nothing of the deal until in state office has been caught red handed as was Lacy's predecessor." Will Hinkle testined in DEMOCRATIC

unlock the barn or lock it, saying one of the men who put the liquor inside DEMOCRATIC EXPENDITURES. He answered the charge that the democrats had spent much money by declaring that the schools had receiv-Clarence Ford and Bryan Simerson. ed five times as much; six times as according to Hinkle's testimony. He much to old soldiers; eight times as knew Essic and Ford and they told much to the care and succor of the him the other man was Simerson. All insane, the blind, the deaf and dumb three said that the wet goods belongand ten times as much to agriculture as under republican regime. "And I challenge the Republicans to show any state with so low a tax record and with such results obtained."

with such results obtained." ing to take a new wheel, which Bryan Everywhere in North Carolina was Simerson had sent to town for. He with such results obtained."

hope and prosperity, peace and con-tentment, with \$13,000,000 increase in bank deposits in the State under De-mocratic rule and with the State shar-ing year larged in the 165 art con the state sharing very largely in the 185 per cent in- ed with summons as a witness against

crease in textile exports. "With every spindle in the State turning, with hamlets and towns springing up everywhere, with educa-key belonged to Bryan Simerson, who BEV. W. A. DANIEL TO RESIGN. REV. W. A. DANIEL TO RESIGN.

Warrants Are Drawn.

in a single one of the 16 counties. Webb, of Statesville. Either of these which one is secured. Preparations are being made for entertaining a

Unless the sentiment of Lexington

people backs up the officers of the law

in the performance of their duties it is impossible to wipe out the drink

the four to receive the highest vote.

He commended the officials of the re-

corder's court, the police officers, the

their hands are tied by public senti-

driving at that. He did look over the

Officers Need Public Backi

numerical upbuilding of the church in town and the chapel at Dacotah cot-

town and the chapel at Dacotah cot-ton mill. His congenial personality that does not exist." Yet speakers are good ones and the au-here they go bawling about something dience will be pleased no matter

had they received such interest. "Yet that does not exist.' Mr. Gardner, in tones of sympathy,

told of how Zeb V. Walser had been tolled away into the political wilderness to Armageddon, deserted and left battling without a job and called "Zebulon, Zebulon, whither will thou

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North Carolina Infantry en route to El Paso, Texas. The third regiment, day by way of Raleigh, Hamlet and should be assembled at Ford Field by that time. Plenty of seats will be ar-and intellectually. The people in ev-native of Greensboro and had a large Charlotte. The boys have been hap-that time. Plenty of seats will be ar-arme, although the following dispatch at Ford Field. The parade committee least once a year, if for no other rea-in the county. from Camp Glenn would indicate that is composed of Measrs. Dermot Shem-at least one fellow did not share that well, P. L. Feezor and J. F. Spruill. at least one fellow did not share that joyful feeling: "A few of the pessimistic predict disillusionment in Texas and hard Hving. "Polly" Swaim, a clerk at

Hving. "Polty" Swaim, a clerk at brigade headquarters and a private in Mr. Bickett has o

Mr. Bickett has opened his guns on the Thomasville company, opined dri-ly last night when he heard the cav-alry go out yelling, with hundreds left behind joining in the chorus, that many of th school children will be in alty go out yelling, with hundreds left behind joining in the chorus, that "That ain't nothin'-to the hollerin' ollerin' the crowd who will hear him at Ford boys will be doing when the cars Field The list of marshals is as follows:

roll in to El Paso to bring 'em Cotton Grove-Walter Yow, Leroy Miller, O. L. Stoner, John Wrenn, G.

Emmens Democrats Loyal. To the Editor of The Dispatch: The democratic voters of Em Irvin Thompson, N. H. Swicegood, C. ip are very glad to know that F. Koonta. Boone-M. A. Lomax, A. A. Young the Democratic County Executive Committee have secured Mr. Bayard P. Sink as our candidate for the leg-islature, to fill the vacancy of Mr. F. J. L. Fitzgerald, A. J. Little, J. B. Bailey. S. Lambeth. While Mr. Sink is not as well known in this section as Mr. Gentie, J. T. Williamson. Reedy Creek-Henry Mize, J. W. Warner, Robt. Warner, J. D. Hoffman, Lambeth, we feel sure that he will get every democratic vote in this ret every democratic vote in this Manie H township, as we have unbounded con-fidence in his ability and integrity to serve his county's needs. So let us raily to the support of this young democrat, who is one of the Jefferson Nelson. Hampton-Jno. W. Hampton, J.

 to stand by the entire democratic tick et and carry the county by the largest
Bidder, N. C., Sept. 25th.
A Young Domocrait.
Kiffin Rockwell Killed.
Kanad J, Gamewell W, F. W. Zhatska, Stoke status the print of delication the print of the print ir fights, destroyed a number ene-aeroplanes and feil on the spot re he dropped his first opponent the ago, on soil of Alsace which alged Praces win back from the mass. He has another brother,

the older citizens c Bonney has furnished much pleas-palmy political days of the past, when ure for the children and she will be cavalcades of horseback riders and Nances, Varners, Elliotts, Holtons and that his mother asked him to stay at

The Soldlers Go to El Paso. Three special trains yesterday pass-ed through here bearing the compan-ties of the second regiment of the ies of the second regiment of the

least once a year, if for no other rea-son, to get acquainted and promote mate-

Mr. M. L. Craver, the clever mail carrier on the Welcome route, dropped nose. It is a rock that will bend, is almost as flexible as a piece of rub-

ber. The stone is of a sand-like coma half inches wide and about a half inch thick, and of uniform formation. Mr. Craver secured this while spend-Tyro-W. B. Hunt, Herman Craver, ing some time recently at Moore's Yadkin College-B. P. Garrett, R. B.

where the rocks are mined and fed into the "gin" and come out in big fibrous flakes. A piece of the stone necompanying the finished product ap-

ross, L. A. H. Rogers. Jackson Hill-+C. L. Badgett, Geo. J. Elliott, Sam L. Surratt, Van Nood. Alleghany--W. M. C. Surratt, Dan offin, J. F. Stokkes, C. W. Stokkes, A. rick

the the church, which was at that time roadster, Mr. Short went by his hom

in the county. The accident occurred about a mile north of Unity chapel, which is just outside the corporation line of Thom-

asville, at about 2 o'clock. The road at that point is straight, but runs over an embankment five or six feet high and the car turned over as it took the leap, pinning the men underneath. An unidentified man driving in a into The Dispatch office yesterday and brought with him a curio that scien-tists have not yet been able to diss-unable to lift the car off the men. He unable to lift the car off the men. He drove to Thomasville for help and re-turned with Dr. C. A. Julian and Jorber. The stone is of a sand-like com-position, thirteen inches long, two and help the car was lifted and the men removed to the hospital at High Point, where they arrived about 4 o'clock. Mr. Short lived until 10 o'clock, but

ing some time recently at Moore's never, regained consciousness, evi-Springs. Stokes county, near which dently having been injured internally Springs. Stokes county, near which place these curious stones are mined. They are taken from the mine and sent through the mails to persons de-siring them, being tied to a board to prevent breakage. When wet the stones will not bend without break-ing. Another enrice brought to this office determine and Allen, who was

Warner, Robt. Warner, J. D. Hoffman, Manie Hill. Arcadia-Orville Ripple, Dr. W. L. Hill, W. M. Zimmerman, Lem C. Rip-

The Boosters Are Off. Yesterday morning thirty or more go now" and the crowd yelled in glee.

automobiles and motor trucks con-taining a big crowd of the livest citi-brought a storm of applause. The speaker's recital of "when the brought a storm of applause. In discussing national issues, he said the Republicans had three char-acteristics, distrust of the people, ex-altation of property rights and suzens of Lexington and the county pulled out from the court house for a tour of the lower part of the county. With them went the Erlanger Band, the four clowns in gay regalia and a preme contempt for the South, esquartet of splendid singers, beside the pecially the Southern Republicans. "Taft gave you nothing, Roosevelt speakers who were to entertain the folks in the eastern half of the coungave you nothing, now why, in the sheriff's office, but declared that when ty. There was much enthusiasm dis-played and the weather was fine. Tomorrow the western half of the name of common sense, are you run-

ning after Hughes, who hates all the ment they cannot rid the community people of the South, and is mad becounty will be visited, and it is hoped cause some Southern Democrats are in The pastor remarked that some to have even a larger number of cars than on yesterday. The boosters would like especially to have as many cars as possible from the part of the county visited yesterday to come along and see their neighbors on the other side the Central Highway. Two changes have been made in the schedule

as published for the past two weeks. At Tyro the Boosters will stop at the school building instead of Shoaf's Mill. At Enterprise the stop will be made at Olivet, instead of at the mill. The corrected schedule for tomorrow is as follows:

Leave Lexington

Dinner-1:00 to 2:00.

Arrive Arcadia-Byerly's Store

Ar. Eller—at Supply Co.4:05 p. m. Ar. Wallburg—at School4:50 p. m. Arrive Welcome-Graver Store

HOME.

More Clubs Organized.

3:00 p. m. Ar. Enterprise-at Olivet3:30 p.m.

5:50 p. m.

as they do Woodrow Wilson." BUSINESS CONFIDENCE RESTORED =

Up to the present five Wilson-Bick- Wilson, he declared has brought to at the service of American business ett Clubs in the county have been or-ganized and are actively at work. The new ambition and new freedom- ics sent to the tall timbers.

members of the central club at Lex-ington have gone to all the other pla-ces and assisted in organization. Sev-eral other clubs will probably be or-ganized within the next week or two. There by an expert artist. Just how many thousands of years this ciclin. As been ther only a geologic to the reported was being there by an expert artist. Just how many thousands of years this ciclin. As the there only a geologic to county, in which the state of the reported was being the reported was being

9:00 a.m.

laces of influence." probably came to hear him in expec-His tribute to Wilson was eloquent tation of a sensation, but he was not places of influence." ndeed, his description of the panic of 1907 and its remedy in the reserve express books, he said, and he was law was compelling. surprised to find a good many names

THE BLESSINGS OF PEACE.

of leading citizens and church mem-bers, some of these in his own church In speaking of the blessings of He plead with the young men who eace, he told of standing a few years never drunk to not begin now, deago at the tomb of Napoleon and re- fining this as mental suasion; with

of the evil.

ago at the tomb of Napoleon and re-nning this as mental suasion, what calling the eloquent words of Inger-soll, as he thought of the men maimed and crippled, the wives made widows, the children made orphans, of the heartaches and hunger and of the on-tigerism and when that would not ly woman that great soldier ever lov- avail he was in favor of prison sua-exclaimed, "Who among you does not face he is touched." He called atten-thank God for Woodrow Wilson, who tion to the fact that the will of the

thank God for woodrow withou, who then to the fact that the will of the by his caim courage and foresight has great majority as expressed at the saved us from war with bonor and youchsafed us the blessings of a pros-perous peace?" In referring to the criticisms of Wilson, Mr. Gardher said: "They call him a teacher, and the "Ford express."

said: "They call him a reacter, the first of the special be is. Jesus of Nazareth came to this This was the last of the special earth to teach and the same forces of Sunday night series and was heard evil and privilege criticised him just by a large crowd.