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CAMPAIGN WAXES WARMER.

Joint Debates Gingers—Page Speaks at Denton and Tyro, Max Gardner Heard at Thomasville.

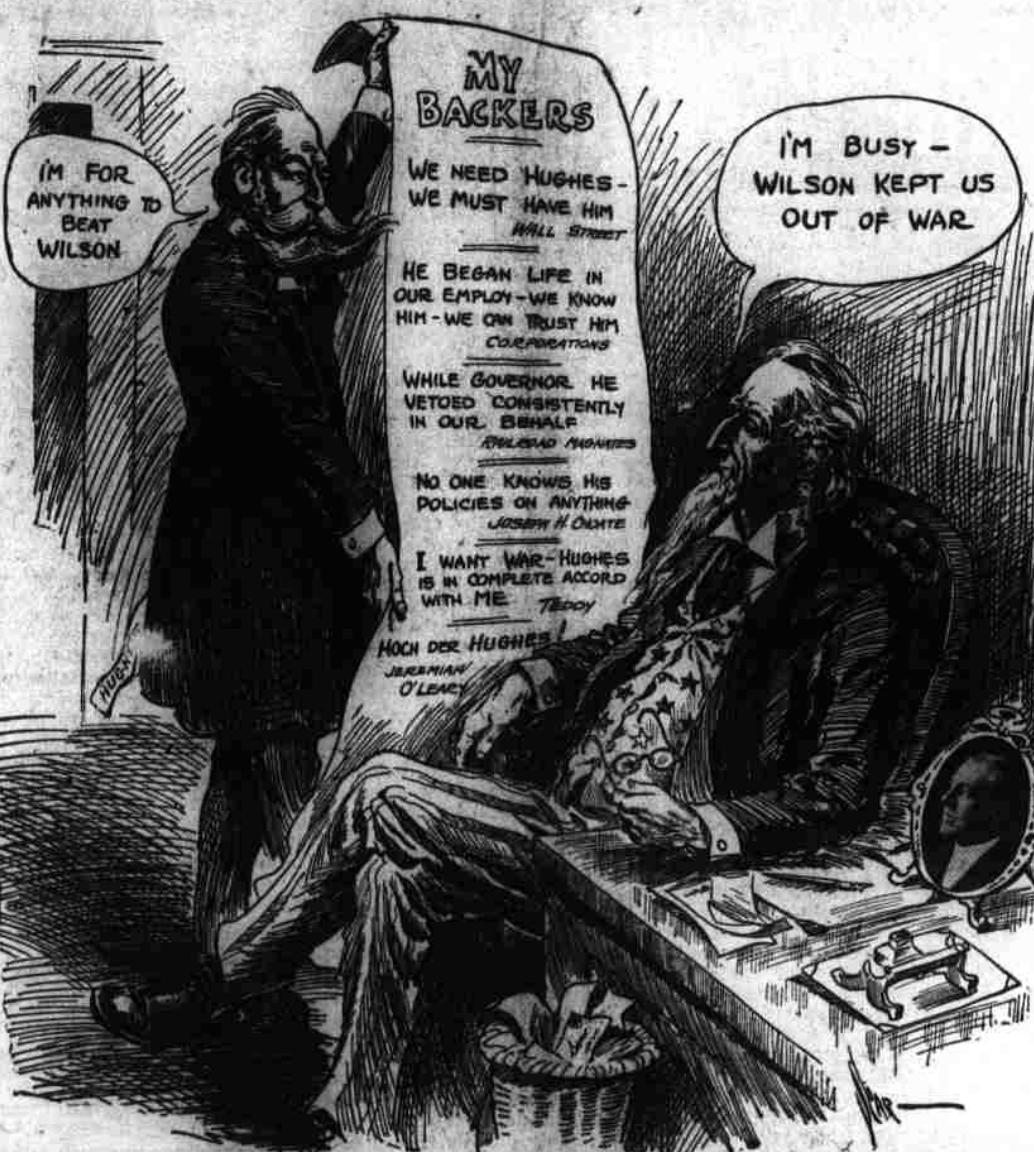
Last week was one of strenuous activity in political circles in Davidson county, among both parties but especially in Democratic circles.

STRONG FAREWELL SERMON.

Rev. W. A. Daniel Heard in Last Sermon as Pastor First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. W. A. Daniel announced Sunday morning that the pastoral relations between himself and the First Presbyterian church here had been dissolved by a special meeting of members of Orange Presbytery.

The Real Hughes Platform; Uncle Sam's Opinion of It.



DISTRICT CLUB MEETING.

Mrs. Lingle, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Fries and Others Speak—Elegant Luncheon at Noon Hour.

If there is any person in Lexington who does not believe that women can make speeches, effective, to-the-point speeches and in much briefer time than the men, that one should have attended the third district meeting of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, held Friday in the Sunday School room of First Reformed church.

THE THOMASVILLE DEBATE.

Sink Uses Strong Words, Backed by Records, Against Opponent—Big Crowd in Lambeth Hall.

The Thomasville clash between Sink and McCrory Saturday afternoon was rather a warm number. A big crowd of men packed the hall, took all the seats and standing room and remained through most of the speaking.

According to reports from Thomasville, Hon. O. Max Gardner was given a tremendous ovation Friday night. It was a field day for Democracy.

Big Rally Tomorrow Night. The Wilson-Bickett Club plans to have the biggest rally of the season tomorrow night in the Armory.

Lexington Men in Camp. Mr. A. L. Fletcher in writing to The News & Observer from El Paso, tells some interesting stories.

Graded School Fire Drills. The people of Lexington have been interested to know whether fire drills were being observed at the graded school building and The Dispatch is happy to inform them that they certainly are.

KILLED BENEATH TRAIN. Jack Morgan Meets Death On Tracks of Southern Railway Near Nokomis Hill.

Sudden death overtook Jack Morgan, a white man of middle age, when he fell beneath a moving train on the Southern Railway, near the Nokomis Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mr. S. H. Redick, of Greensboro, spent Sunday with his parents.

Reading from the Scriptural of how man was the workmanship of God, the poetry of the Master's heart as the pastor said, Rev. Mr. Daniel brought the accusation that too much today the people of the church were "trifling with the infinite grace of God."

Rev. Mr. Daniel declared that an indictment against the church was found in the fact that the strongest protest against the present world war came not from the church but from Socialism.

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Rev. H. L. Powell and family and Mr. A. H. Evans enjoyed a motor trip to Stokes and Surry counties last week.

Mr. T. F. Sink Corrects False Rumor. The Editor of The Dispatch: It has been rumored that I will not support my son, Bayard F. Sink, in this election.

COURT HOUSE SANITATION.

Conditions of Fifth Little Improved—Commissioners Accused of Playing Small Politics.

"If it were any other time except now we would provide for having the court house cleaned up and kept clean," is the statement accredited to the county commissioners.

It is a known fact that certain ladies have pleaded and plead in vain for an appropriation to clean out and keep clean this court house.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS. On account of the election being held on Tuesday The Dispatch next week will not issue until a day later, in order to enable us to secure as full returns as possible for the benefit of all our readers.

ORGANIZE LOAN BANK.

Mr. Millspaugh and Prof. W. R. Camp to Speak to Davidson County Farmers Saturday Afternoon.

Mr. E. S. Millspaugh, district agent for farm demonstration work in Western North Carolina, and Prof. W. R. Camp, of the A. & M. College, West Raleigh, will be here Saturday afternoon of this week to talk to the farmers of Davidson county and assist them in the formation of a Farm Loan Bank.

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Bar and Horses Burned. The barn of Mr. Eugene Holmes, mail carrier at Linwood, was burned Sunday night.

Judge F. V. Critcher has had as his guest for the past week his brother, from Williamson.

STRAW VOTES FOR WILSON.

Retail Stores Take Vote; Posted at Lexington Drug Co.—Wilson Leading Over the Nation.

The big front windows of the Lexington Drug Co. have been attracting a tremendous interest for the past few days.

These votes are all taken in drug stores and consequently the farm and labor vote is very little represented.

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