

OVERALL CLUB IS FORMED; MEMBERS NUMBER HUNDRED

Will Don Garb Of The Working Man As Protest Against Clothing Prices.

Wilmington men yesterday launched their spring offensive against the high cost of clothing when a petition pledging the signers to garb themselves in overalls until the price of more attractive garments does the Humpty Dumpty act, received more than 100 signatures.

While the petition does not state when the new fashion will be effective, it is understood that Saturday will mark the inauguration of the crusade.

Tentative plans of the club call for demonstrations in various parts of the city and surrounding country when converts will urge other citizens to join in the movement.

It was also reported unofficially of course, that the fairer portion of the city's inhabitants may join their brothers in the campaign and forsake the natty street dress for the more domesticated bungalow suit.

Those signing the petition yesterday are: J. C. Hobbs, C. C. Hodges, Owen C. Fillyaw, R. E. Gribbin, M. C. Aveni, J. C. Mishaw, J. W. Thorp, J. H. Wierse, Fred E. Little, J. L. Williams, J. Cromer, Edgar G. Blanton, W. F. Fuller, J. E. Housch, C. D. Robbins, M. A. Dukes, R. J. Villere, Tom L. Briggs, Frank Banta, John J. McLaughlin, J. W. Booth, John C. Benson, W. G. Tippitt, W. H. West, P. J. Dowdy.

George Dempsey, Harry Watters, W. F. Dyer, W. E. McGee, R. J. Dyer, B. Gerth, Clarence Bobbitt, R. W. Benson, A. B. Lewis, L. L. Burns, J. B. Vaughan, Jr., H. L. Jenkins, A. E. Call, J. Grimstead, R. D. McDougall, J. W. Casteen, F. M. Griffith.

E. H. Delano, W. E. Caskett, Sam Hill, Carl Williams, G. P. Lucas, A. G. Cressy, B. S. Cressy, B. O. Williams, A. Yacount, W. W. McCoy, William Smith, John Warren, E. J. Newton, L. S. Vaughan, J. M. Gillis, James L. Parker, R. Couriale, R. F. Meier, P. Vaughan, Jr., N. Twining, D. E. D. Ewing, F. McNeil, Joe Garvey, W. M. Batson, Frank Confrey.

Scott's Hill has a honest-to-goodness overall club, the members of which are consistently proving by their attitude that "a man's a man for a' that."

Sunday afternoon five of them, clad in the garb of the honest working man, paid a social call upon a girl; and the girl is authority for the statement that she was thoroughly pleased with their appearance.

It is understood that R. B. Foy, of Scott's Hill, is the leader of the society.

ABERNATHY ACCEPTS BRINSON'S CHALLENGE

Debate Arranged Between Opponents For Nomination.

(Special to The Star.) Washington, April 13.—Representative Brinson and his opponent for the democratic nomination for congress for the Third congressional district of North Carolina, Mr. Abernathy, according to a statement made here today by the latter, have agreed to engage in a joint debate.

Mr. Brinson challenged me a few days since," said Mr. Abernathy, "and we have agreed to meet at Jacksonville May 3, for the opening debate. While I do not believe in such debates between democrats, I feel that, as I have been challenged, I should accept, and have done so."

Mr. Brinson has previously stated that it was Mr. Abernathy's privilege to offer the challenge, but that he would take the initiative if his opponent did not, as there were vital differences which called for public explanation, and regardless of the result he was determined that these issues should be met.

THREE PERSONS KILLED IN CAROLINA TORNADO

Schools And Churches Swept Away And Houses Demolished

Charlotte, April 13.—Three persons are known to have been killed and a half dozen or more injured, some of them seriously, in a tornado which swept portions of Union county Monday night, according to reports reaching here today. Schoolhouses and churches were swept away and a half dozen farm houses demolished. Robert Folk, a farmer; two small sons of Luther Williams, also a farmer; Mr. Mrs. Sam Presson, who were hurled high into the air by the force of the storm, were seriously injured. Entire orchards were wiped out and many head of livestock killed.

WINS HIS WAY THROUGH TO CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

(Special to The Star.) Pinehurst, April 13.—William T. Tilden, 2nd, national doubles and indoor singles champion, won his way through to the final of the north and south championship tournament at Pinehurst today, defeating Harold Throckmorton, the young New Jersey champion, in two hard-fought sets, 11-9, 11-9. S. Howard Voshell, of the West Side Tennis club, the metropolitan champion, will oppose Tilden in the final contest by courtesy of Samuel Hardy, who defaulted the semi-final match to Voshell after Hardy had won the first set and needed only a single point to win the second and deciding one.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PALMER DEFENDANT IN LIBEL SUIT

New York, April 13.—Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer failed today to have dismissed a suit for damages brought against him by the Forestmann & Huffman Co. in the Manufacturers of Passaic, N. J., for alleged libel in his having caused to be written and published, while alien property custodian, an article stating that the company was enemy-owned. Federal Judge Augustus N. Hand overruled the attorney general's demurrer in the suit, which was directed against Mr. Palmer and Frank A. Munsey company, which published the article.

SUMPTER BRAWLEY SELECTED MANAGER BROOKS' CAMPAIGN

Will Maintain Headquarters In Raleigh And Attempt To Elect His Man.

(Special to The Star.) Raleigh, April 13.—Sumpter C. Brawley, of Durham, will manage the campaign of Aubrey L. Brooks, candidate for the United States senate against Senator Lee S. Overman, it was announced here today. Mr. Brawley will maintain headquarters in Raleigh, and will divide his time between his law practice in Durham and the work here, giving the campaign as much time as it demands.

Mr. Brawley has had a great deal of political experience, having been chairman of the county executive committee for Durham, having served as a member of the state executive committee for a number of years, and having been a representative of his county in the legislature. In addition to this Mr. Brawley has been prominently identified with party activity in North Carolina since he was old enough to vote.

Friends of Brooks, and even those who do not intend to vote for him, believe that he has made a very wise choice in his selection of manager. In connection with the announcement that Brawley would manage the campaign, it was also stated that the candidate to succeed Senator Overman expected to speak in every section of the state before the primary. He is now conferring with friends in the larger cities of North Carolina and will open up his campaign in the near future.

Mr. Brooks says that he is not running on the woman suffrage plank in the democratic platform although he favored the substitution of this plank for the original committee report, and was in favor of women suffrage before he had an idea that the democratic convention would endorse it. He announced before the convention met.

STRIKES ARE HAMPERING S. A. L. PASSENGER TRAINS

Service To The North Terminates At Richmond.

Passenger traffic on the Seaboard Air Line is being hampered by the strike of railway employes in various parts of the country.

An official announcement by E. E. Hunter, division passenger agent, yesterday reads as follows: "Account serious labor troubles north of Washington, effective at once trains 1, 2, 3 and 4, also trains 5 and 6 will terminate at Richmond, Va., and it will be necessary for passengers going to points north of Richmond to transfer to R. E. & P. equipment at Richmond."

It is understood that the R. E. & P. will operate such local passenger service as "trains" between Richmond and Washington. Trains 45 and 46 will be annulled until further notice between Hamlet and Savannah, and local stops heretofore made by these trains will be made by trains 3 and 4.

WINS QUALIFYING MEDAL

(Special to The Star.) Pinehurst, April 13.—The annual mid-western tournament opened at Pinehurst today, a field of about 100 contestants taking part on the championship course, Franklin H. Gates, of the Moore Country club, won the qualifying medal with a 74, and was followed by C. B. Fownes, of Pittsburg at 78. Gates' round included an eagle 2 on the fifth hole.

HEIR TO VAST ESTATE Hagerstown, Md., April 13.—Gabriele Shipley, lock tender of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal near here, has received word from a probate court in California that he and his five children are heirs to \$7,000,000 from an estate, of \$22,000,000 left by a cousin, who went in 1849. A sister, Mrs. Cyrus Davis, of Williamsport, also shares in the bequest.

FORTY-SIX PERSONS KILLED Essen, April 12.—Twenty-six persons were shot dead and two seriously wounded by members of the Reichswehr, who got beyond control of their officers last Wednesday in the triangular district between Ertrop, Essen and Mulheim, according to a statement made to the correspondent today by Col. Von Baumbach, commanding the Reichswehr.

FOR SPANISH WAR VETERANS. Washington, April 13.—The Sells bill providing pension of from \$12.00 to \$30.00 a month for disabled veterans of the Spanish-American war, Boxer having and the Philippine insurrection was ordered favorably reported today by the senate pensions committee. This is the first pension legislation affecting these veterans to come before congress.

INSPECT CANAL DEFENSES Washington, April 13.—General Pershing will leave Washington April 23 for the canal zone to inspect the defenses and military units there.

WILMINGTON JOINS HANDS WITH COUNTY FOR GREATER CITY

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lish an equal number, armed with plans for the development of closer relations.

Motion Made as Challenge. This motion was made as a challenge, and seconded by Chairman George Honnet, of the closer relations committee, and was adopted. Mrs. H. L. Cook urged the club to do something to relieve the congestion in the union station at Wilmington and on trains leaving Wilmington. Prior to the meeting a luncheon was served on the court house square at which the Rotary was joined by some two score citizens of the surrounding counties who were their invited guests. A committee of women assisted in arranging the repast.

The Rotary spirit of fun cropped out throughout the day, and various pranks which reached a climax when Jesse Roaches was incarcerated in the Pender county jail for a brief instant, featured the proceedings.

TRY TO PURCHASE HOLD ON AMERICA

Profiteers And Political Campaign Contributors Linked Together By Cox.

Marion, Ind., April 13.—That "someone is trying to buy a governmental underhold" was a charge made by Governor James M. Cox, of Ohio, democratic candidate for the presidential nomination, in an address here tonight before the Jefferson club, while discussing campaign contributions.

Linking profiteering and political campaign contributions together, Governor Cox declared that "profiteering, from which the public now suffers, is the result, for the most part, of condition carrying opportunity, if not preference, to one individual or class over another. Quite naturally, therefore, there is universal distrust of the ostensible patriotism from which flows millions of political contributions. Someone is trying to buy a governmental underhold."

Governor Cox did not designate who the "someone" is whom he charged with "trying to buy a governmental underhold." Neither did he designate what presidential candidate's campaign is being supported by the "millions of dollars."

NEW BASEBALL CHAIRMAN. New York, April 13.—Appointment of a new chairman for the national baseball commission will be made some time this week. Ban Johnson, president of the American Legion declared here tonight. Mr. Johnson held a brief conference with John Heydler, president of the National League, here today, and said he would confer with him again within a day or two.

M'NORTON ELECTED COUNTY SOLICITOR

Defeats W. F. Jones In Second Race By Good Majority—May Succeed Burton.

Practically complete returns from yesterday's second primary show J. A. McNorton elected county solicitor over W. F. Jones by a majority of approximately 400 votes.

With Federal Point and Seven Mile Post precincts missing McNorton at midnight had a total of 1,120 against 735 for Jones.

The total vote in the missing precincts is normally not more than 100. McNorton carried every precinct in the county with the exception of the First ward, which went to Jones 139 to 97; the First precinct of the Fifth, which gave Jones a majority of 32, and Sunset Park, where Jones led by a vote of 38 to 10.

A special session of the board of county commissioners will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at which time it is expected that McNorton will be appointed solicitor to fill the unexpired term of Edwin T. Burton, who has resigned, effective May 1.

The vote in yesterday's primary stood:

Jones	735
McNorton	1120
First Ward	128
Second Ward	153
Third Ward	94
Fourth Ward	58
Fifth Ward, 1st Pct	129
Fifth Ward, 2nd Pct	25
Sixth Ward	38
Masonboro	3
Sunset Park	36
Cape Fear	8
Seagate	5
Winter Park	23
Totals	733

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