

The National Outlook

The Republican Platform and Business

By RALPH ROBBY

By all odds the greatest controversy in the Republican National Convention was over the platform. The particular points upon which there was disagreement were civil rights, defense, and to a lesser degree the proposal for federal aid to education. Until the last it appeared there would be an argument on the floor, but that did not happen. None the less, this is the most liberal platform ever adopted by the Republicans.

But just as in the case of the Democratic platform, we are concerned only with those pledges and policies which have a direct bearing upon the business trend. There is a vast and basic difference between the two platforms in this regard.

The Democrats, it will be recalled, pledged whatever policies that may be necessary to have a national growth rate of 5 percent, and made it clear that this was a responsibility of government. The Republicans are in favor of more rapid growth (they mention no specific percentage) but insist that this must result, not from government action, but through the decisions of free men. Their proposals, therefore, are designed primarily to create a climate which will encourage growth.

The exact words in the Republican platform are: "To build a better America with broad national purposes such as high employment, vigorous and steady economic growth, and a dependable currency, responsible management of our federal finances is essential. Even more important, a sound economy is vital to national security."

They state it as their belief that "except in times of war or economic adversity, expenditures should be covered by revenues" and "our tax structure should be improved to provide greater incentives to economic progress, to make it fair and equitable, and to maintain and deserve public acceptance." They pledge to support the independence of the Federal Reserve System and this is directly contrary to the pledge of the Democrats.

A most unusual item in the Republican platform is the priority assigned for the use of federal revenues. This is, first, meet the needs of national defense; second, take care of the "urgent needs of the nation" that cannot be handled by local government or private action; third, reduce the public debt; and fourth, "improve our tax structure."

An argument can be made for this order, but in our judgment it is not too sound. Obviously national defense needs must be met, but it does not follow that this should require larger expenditures, and certainly there is no evidence that we need an increase of \$3 billion, as Governor Rockefeller has been saying. The "urgent needs of the nation" is so vague a phrase that it could mean anything, and it could be made to absorb all possible growth in revenues.

Paying off a part of the public debt is a desirable objective, but at the moment it is not as important as tax rate reform. This is because only by tax rate reform can we get the

increase in personal savings and incentive that are essential for a more rapid growth of the nation. It is not too much of an exaggeration, therefore, to say that the order of priorities listed in the platform is exactly backwards.

There are other points in the platform upon which there's much room for disagreement from the economic point of view. But the over-riding fact remains that this Republican platform reflects a basic faith and confidence in individual enterprise and freedom, whereas the Democratic platform was directly pointed to a more and more powerful federal government and less and less individual freedom. It will be interesting and important to see whether this difference is maintained in the campaign which is ahead.

Mrs. H. S. West Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Maggie Harrelson West, 72, died Thursday night at 10:30 o'clock at her home on West Gale Street after an illness of three months.

She was a native of Georgetown, S. C., but lived in Edenton 29 years.

Surviving are her husband, H. S. West; three sons, W. R. West, S. J. West and S. C. West, all of Edenton; a daughter, Mrs. Annie Jolly of Edenton; three brothers, Johnnie Harrelson of Georgetown and B. B. and C. C. Harrelson of Mullins, S. C.; a sister, Mrs. Annie Richardson of Mullins, 14 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

She was a member of the Macedonia Baptist Church. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Williford Funeral Home. The Rev. Gordon Shaw, pastor of Macedonia Church, and burial was in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

E. S. White Attends Forestry Workshop

On Thursday and Friday, July 28 and 29, The Weyerhaeuser Company, North Carolina Pulp Company, Subsidiary, played host to a group of 63 vocational agriculture teachers from the 23-county area surrounding the North Carolina Pulp Company mill.

The teachers who were headed by A. G. Bullard, State Vocational Agricultural Supervisor from Raleigh and T. B. Elliott, District I Vocational Agricultural Supervisor, participated in a forestry workshop directed by E. G. Pitman, conservation forester for the host company. At the workshop, the teachers were given forestry instruction by members of the forestry staff of North Carolina Pulp Company.

Included was a dinner meeting at the Town and Country Restaurant at Williamston. Headlining the program at the restaurant was a talk by Joe C. Brown, mill manager for the North Carolina Pulp Company, who spoke of the economic impact of the pulp and paper industry.

E. S. White of Chowan High School attended the Workshop from Chowan County.

Prominent Speakers At Home Ec Meeting

"Major changes in American family living are calling for new concepts in teaching home economics," Dr. Naomi Albanese, dean of the Woman's College School of Home Economics, told 375 North Carolina vocational home economists who met at Woman's College for a five-day teachers' conference August 1-5.

Dr. Albanese said, "There is a greater need today for the family as a source of security, particularly for emotional security." A number of other speakers appeared on the conference program. Among these were Dr. Norbert Kelly, associate director of the State Alcoholics Rehabilitation program, who said "Marriage is mankind's last great profession that doesn't require training. Consequently, we let kids blunder into marriage and family responsibilities." Discussing the development of personal security in family living, Dr. Kelly said that the "home centered family" is the one most conducive to security.

Miss Jeanne Ayers, New York educational consultant for J. C. Penny Company, discussed the selection and use of textiles in a session on consumer education.

Miss Mamie Hardy, Memphis, Tenn., home economist for the Cotton Council of America, spoke on "Cotton In Today's World."

Miss Alice Strawn, professor of home economics education, East Carolina College, reported on the White House Conference on Children and Youth.

"Management Is the Key," a discussion of management of time, energy and money in view of values and goals, was given by Mrs. Madeline B. Street, professor of Home Management, Woman's College, Greensboro.

Speaking on the part teachers can contribute to Civil Defense were Mrs. Pearl Wates of the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization, Thomasville, Ga., and Mrs. Sarah Weaver, assistant director Women's Division, N. C. Civil Defense.

Teachers from the Albemarle area participating in the program were Frances Newby, Perquimans High and Evelyn Willey, Gatesville, who spoke on Future Homemakers in Action; Mrs. Edna Reaves, Edenton, who spoke on a symposium concerning the homemaking program in high school; Ernestine Nichols, Elizabeth City, who assisted with the devotional at the opening session, and Frances Warren, Camden, who served as a hostess at the area group meetings.

Miss Carolyn Brinkley of Plympton was elected as a representative from the Northeastern District to serve on the planning committee for the 1961 conference.

Others from the Albemarle area attending were Mrs. Jean Alexander, Creswell; Mrs. Lucy Kittrell, Sunbury; Mrs. Helen Larabee, Central High; Mrs. Lorraine Rogerson, Chowan; Mrs. Marguerite Foster, Weeksville; Miss Gay Howell, Manteo, and Mrs. Ramona Wilson of the J. P. Knapp High School.

Meringue Adds Taste Appeal To Desserts

With many glamorous desserts, it's the meringue that counts.

And for eye-catching meringues, careful handling of egg whites and beating is important. With eggs still plentiful,

use the following tips to turn out tasty eye-catching meringues.

1. Separate egg whites and yolks carefully. Even a speck of yolk in the white will prevent it from beating up to full volume. Traces of yolk may be removed with a paper towel or piece of egg shell.

2. Avoid any fat on the beater or bowl. Even a trace of fat or oil will limit the liftiness to which the whites can be beaten.

3. Egg whites beat to their greatest volume at room temperature.

4. Beat the whites as "stiff" as possible, or until firm peaks are formed when beaters are removed. Even though stiffly beaten, the egg whites should have a shiny, moist appearance.

5. When adding sugar to beaten egg whites, do it gently. Sprinkle about one tablespoon sugar at a time over the whites and beat only until it dissolves. If too much sugar is added at any one time, the egg whites will have a marshmallow quality and will lose their lofty peaks.

Soft meringues are tender, beautifully browned creations that adorn pies, puddings, and other delicious fare in a billowy manner. Be sure the temperature of the pie filling is not too hot, or the meringue will "cry" or bead. And if too cold, a portion of the meringue will collapse and "leakage" takes place.

To insure perfect soft meringues, pile the stiffly beaten, sweetened or flavored mixture on luke-warm or room-temperature foods, making sure that the meringue "seals-in" the filling. Bake at 425 degrees for four to four and a half minutes.

Children are more tractable than adults, and learn more readily to love the simple virtues that will make them happy and good.

—Mary Baker Eddy.

The training of children is a profession, where we must know how to lose time in order to gain it.

—Jean Jacques Rousseau.

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forerunner of God's call. This sense of being called, of being wanted and needed, gives life courage and purpose.

Our experiences of the presence of God also give us a sense of adventure. When the call came to Isaiah, he committed himself, saying, "Here I am! Send me" (Isaiah 6:8). Any encounter with God is fruitless un-

til there is commitment. Then in this act the splendor of human life breaks forth. It was in this commitment that the majesty of Isaiah's prophecy flowered.

In 1770 British soldiers fired upon a disorderly crowd in Boston. John Adams, foe of the British, could have remained silent to his own profit. But he accepted the request to serve as counsel for the accused soldiers. It was an unpopular, fatiguing assignment. But when he addressed the jury, he expressed his attitude by quoting words of the Marquis Beccaria: "If I can but be the instrument of preserving one life, his blessings and tears shall be sufficient consolation to me for the contempt of mankind!"

We are able to stand up against the crowd and bravely say the right but unpopular thing if we are totally committed to the call of God.

This forthrightly clear utterance is greatly needed in the area of religion. If we are committed, the crowd will probably not be with us. We shall live as a minority group. We should remind ourselves, however, that the Christian religion is never quantitative, but qualitative.

It may well be that in this lackadaisical age, where so few in or out of the church desire to carry a cross, the Christian church should grow smaller before growing larger. Church membership demanding more from fewer people might result in the release of new power in our personal lives and in the life of the nation.

Isaiah did not look around to see who agreed with him, or whether he would travel alone. He simply answered God's call by saying, "Here I am! Send me."

Life is never dull for one who takes this stand.

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Commissioners' Proceedings

The Board of County Commissioners held its regular monthly meeting Monday, August 1, 1960, at 9 o'clock A. M., with all members present, including Chairman W. E. Bond, J. I. Peele, C. J. Hollowell, J. Gilliam Wood and Dallas Jethro, Jr.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved and the following bills were ordered paid:

Internal Revenue Service, \$584.17; N. C. Dept. of Revenue, \$137.37; Nathan H. Yelton, Director N. C. Public Employees' S. S. Agency, \$1,061.72; Zee R. Rochelle, execution of option,

\$1.00; The Chowan Herald, \$149.70; Tom H. Shepard, CSC, \$42.52; District Health Dept., \$21.00; Edenton Graded Schools, \$4,000.00; W. E. Bond, \$40.00; District Health Dept., appropriation for July, 1960, \$1,051.69; H. S. Small, rent, \$55.00; William Mayo, janitor service, \$2.50; Mrs. Carolyn C. McMullan, travel, \$5.60; Mrs. Hazel S. Elliott, travel, \$10.64; N. C. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone services for Welfare Dept., \$9.35; American Public Welfare Association, \$30.00; Hollowell's Drug Store, \$4.43; Apex Chemical Co., \$12.00; Mrs. M. L. Bunch, services, \$3.40; Burkhead Devane Printing Co., \$49.70; Bertram Byrum, care of prisoners, \$310.63; Byrum Hardware Co., \$13.46; Pauline Calloway, telephone services and supplies, \$34.80; Carolina Overall Company, \$4.80; The Chowan Herald, \$156.85; Orthopedic Clinic, appropriation, \$15.00; Chowan Hospital, Inc., for indigent patients, \$377.96; Eastern North Carolina Sanatorium, for indigent patients, \$36.00; Edwards & Broughton Co., bills and services, \$97.94; Gray & Creech, Inc., \$311.07; Home Feed & Fertilizer Co., \$2.28; Walter B. Jones, record book, \$89.61; Leary Bros. Storage Co., \$4.80; The Office Supply Store, \$5.08; Commercial Printing Co., \$95.50; Mitchell Printing Co., \$35.41; Norfolk & Carolina Tel. & Tel. Co., services for county offices; Sheriff \$13.40, Negro County Farm Agent \$15.25, Register of Deeds \$8.05, Clerk Superior Court \$12.55, Chowan County jail \$11.64, County Accountant \$7.00, County Tax Supervisor \$9.45, U. S. Govt. Soil Conservation Service \$8.40; C. W. Overman, telephone service and supplies, \$21.40; The Office Supply Store, \$2.36; Ralph E. Parrish, Inc., \$333.00; Tom H. Shepard, SCS services, \$63.79; Town of Edenton, E & W Dept., \$85.98; State Commission for the Blind, \$71.92; general salaries for July, \$4,445.71; H. S. Small, rent, \$25.00; Twiddy Insurance & Real Estate, Inc., rent, \$60.00; Forehand Ins. Agency, \$30.00; Hollowell's Hexall, 98c.

The following names were drawn to serve as jurors for September term of Superior Court: A. C. Griffin, A. L. Boyce, F. M. Castelle, Albert Hugo, Charles B. Hardison, G. T. Jordan, W. E. Jordan, Jr., Earl G. Harrell, Dallas Jethro, Sr., Gilbert Harrell, Worth E. Spencer, Ted Czerniak, Rodney T.

Harrell, Jr., Melvin I. Harrell, A. B. Harless, Sr., Ralph E. Saunders, Carlton E. Asbell, J. S. Bass, W. J. Fivitt, Ronald Lee Ambross, E. W. McClenney, M. Elwood Copeland, O. C. Long, M. T. Barrington, Melvin J. Bunch, J. S. Bunch, Caswell A. Edmundson, Bobby A. Wright, Herbert E. Hollowell, L. B. Taylor, Brice Everett Ashley, T. L. Whitman, E. P. Parks, David George White, Jr., W. H. Griffin, Frank T. Bond, Walter Adams, Isaac Elsworth Halsey, Jr., Kistler M. Phillips, Henry Jordan, Mayo Lawrence, Raleigh Pat Harrell, Merriel E. Cobe-jand, Warren Twiddy, Jr., Sher- lon C. Layton, Thomas C. Nixon, P. H. Ward, Walter Heath, Daniel P. Reaves, Norfleet William Bonds.

On motion of J. R. Peele, seconded by Dallas Jethro, Jr., and unanimously carried, purchase by the County of the Hotel Joseph Hewes property was approved for the sum of \$20,150.00. An amount of \$150.00 was accepted by the Rochelle Realty Company as a deposit on the purchase price.

On motion of J. Gilliam Wood, seconded by J. R. Peele and unanimously carried, that the Pilgrimage Committee be given authority to notify A. Lynn Thomas of Richmond, Va., to

make a test on removing paint on bricks of Court House at a price of \$320.00.

On motion of J. C. Hollowell, seconded by J. R. Peele and unanimously carried that Sheriff Earl Goodwin be charged with \$1,231.02 pickup taxes.

On motion of J. R. Peele, seconded by J. Gilliam Wood that Clerk of Superior Court and Register of Deeds be authorized to purchase a Verifair Viscount Copier to be used by the offices.

On account of the first Monday in September falling on Labor Day, the regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners will be held Friday, September 2, at 9 o'clock A. M.

The following reports were accepted and ordered filed: C. W. Overman, county agent; Harry Venters, assistant county agent; Pauline Calloway, home economics agent; Chowan County Welfare Dept.; Fletcher F. Lassiter, Negro county agent; Onnie S. Charlton, Negro home economics agent; Sheriff Edenton Construction Co., on the construction of the Hotel Joseph Hewes prior to the purchase of property by the County.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned. W. E. BOND, Chairman BERTHA B. BUNCH, Clerk.

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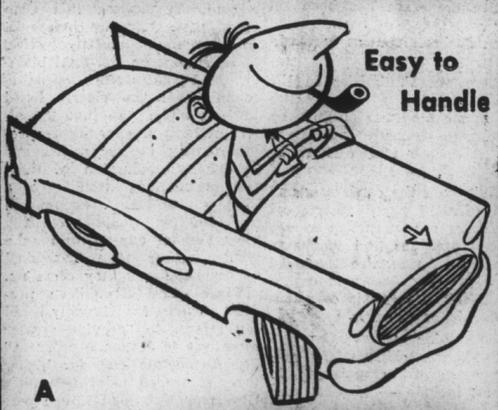
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