

No Comment

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Washington — A development that is alarming many members of Congress is the extent of the current publicity campaign to brain wash the public into believing that Conservatives can never get anywhere politically unless they transform themselves into rabid "liberals".

What the public is not told is the fact that virtually all of the disseminators of this pro-liberal point of view are ardent New Dealers—and the wish is father of the thought.

The members of Congress who object to the type of campaign being waged point out that the closeness of the recent election indicates that the more conservative viewpoint has a real chance of victory in the future.

These congressmen applaud the non-partisan manner in which a majority of newsmen handle political developments. They also recognize that editorial writers and columnists have considerable latitude in interpreting what has taken place and in forecasting the future.

But what is objected to is the tendency of some newsmen and editors to place undue emphasis on news with a liberal tinge and to play down—or ignore—developments which place Conservatives in an attractive light.

There were a number of complaints along this line during the political campaign — and some members of Congress say that the pro-liberal slanting of news could have been an important factor in deciding close contests.

There also have been a number of post-election complaints of this nature—resulting from undue emphasis on liberalism as

the hope of the future and a reluctance to present the advantages of the Conservative point of view.

The Conservatives are convinced that there is a trend in their direction—a trend that can be stimulated by an effective campaign reaching the grass-roots.

As part of this campaign, they are demanding that no discrimination be displayed against news presenting the Conservative viewpoint.

They are willing to let the people decide between Conservatives and Liberals—provided the people are able to obtain the facts and the arguments.

Ammunition For Conservatives

Conservatives find support for their contention in the fact that Vice President Nixon carried 228 congressional districts while Senator Kennedy carried only 206.

Political observers say this can be construed as indicating that the nation as a whole favored a more conservative Congress—and, in fact, elected one.

Republicans picked up 22 House Seats and two Senate seats. The new House will be composed of 281 Democrats and 176 Republicans. The new Senate will consist of 64 Democrats and 36 Republicans.

The real test, however, is in the strength displayed by the coalition of Southern Democrats and Conservative Republicans.

An analysis of the new House indicates that there is good reason to expect that the coalition will be able to muster a majority vote on many basis issues.

This analysis is, of course, based on the assumption that the Conservatives will vote their real convictions—and that some of them will not be swayed by political pressures.

The 228 to 206 congressional district vote favoring Vice President Nixon (the three others were carried by unpledged electors in Mississippi) was compiled by the American Good Government Society.

This organization also estimates that, had the electoral college reform advocated by Senator Mundt (R-S.D.) been in effect, Mr. Nixon would have been elected with 283 electoral votes—13 more than the required 269.

Senator Mundt already has announced that he will re-introduce his resolution for a constitutional amendment to bring about the electoral college reform. Under it, each state would have two electors (one for each Senator) and an additional one for each Representative.

Thus, a presidential candidate would receive two electoral votes for each state he carried, plus one each for each congressional district in the state he carried.

Under the present system, a presidential candidate receives all of a state's electoral votes if he carries the state by even a margin of one vote.

WITH THE FARM WOMEN

By MAIDRED MORRIS

Bladen Girls Make Own Christmas Cards

The 4-H girls in Bladen County have become more interested in making their own Christmas cards since Miss Susan Currie, assistant home economics agent, showed an easy way to make them.

Miss Currie brought out that most of the materials used when making Christmas cards were found around home—such as a box, screen wire, and a tooth brush. She said, "You can cut your designs from old cards or create your own designs."

Angels From Tin Can Tops
 Many old tin cans will be hanging from Christmas trees in Dare County this year. However, they will be in the form of angels, stars, bells and other decorations.

Mrs. Beulah Gaylord, home economics agent, says Mrs. Hubert Guthrie is busy teaching tin can craft to 4-H boys and girls. Some of the 4-H'ers are going to use the decorations in their own homes but the 4-H'ers at Kitty Hawk are going to sell their products to raise money for a class project.

Home Beautification Leaders At Work

Home beautification leaders in Gaston County have been busy beautifying the grounds of the County Agricultural Center. Plans were made several years ago for landscaping the grounds.

Recently, Mrs. Hazeline Howell asked each club to donate some shrubbery for the planting.

Miss Lucille Tatum, home economics agent, says they had enough shrubbery to plant a

border around the grounds at the Agricultural Center.

Freezing Fish

Since many families have fish ponds on their farms now, Mrs. Annabel Powers, assistant home economics agent in Chatham County, has been demonstrating to 4-H girls the correct way to freeze fish.

"We discussed the kinds of fish to freeze, the handling and dressing of fish, importance of using parchment paper, the 'drug store' wrap, and the placing of fish in the freezer," reports Mrs. Powers.

Buying Coats And Suits

"Examine the inside of a coat or suit before buying," said Miss Nancy Lewis, home economics agent in Wayne County, as she discussed qualities to look for in garments.

Miss Lewis showed the Home Demonstration Club women a well-made three-piece suit and coat and then compared it with a poorly constructed garment. They compared the garments on style, color, design, warmth features, workmanship, material and cost.

Paper Raffia

The Burningtown Home Demonstration Club women in Macon County have been enjoying the paper rope craft. They have been covering coffee cans and small glass jars with colorful raffia.

Mrs. Mabel Swann, assistant home economics agent, says the women plan to fill the attractive containers with homemade cookies and candies to give as Christmas gifts.

ure, Mangum received the electoral votes of neighboring South Carolina for President of the United States in 1837. Upon the resignation of Senator Bedford Brown, he was selected as a Whig to the United States Senate, serving from November 25, 1860 to March 3, 1863. Like Nathaniel Macon, Mangum was President Pro Tempore of the Senate from 1842 until 1845. He practiced law after his Senate service until his death at the family plantation, "Walnut Hill," near Rougemont, on September 14, 1861. He was buried there. He was succeeded by a Democrat, Robert Strange of Fayetteville.

Robert Strange — A native of Virginia, Strange was born on September 29, 1796; he was educated in the Old Dominion and moved to Fayetteville in 1815 where he was admitted to the bar. He was elected to the State House of Commons in 1820; his career included service as a judge from 1827 to 1836 when he was elected to the United States Senate to succeed the resigned Mangum, serving from December 5, 1836 to November 16, 1840, when he resigned. He was a solicitor and also engaged in literary pursuits after his Senate service. Senator Strange died in Fayetteville on February 19, 1854, and was buried in the family burying ground at Myrtle Hill near that city.

Health For All

Some Questions About TB And The Answers

Here are the questions people most often ask about tuberculosis, with the answers:

If I get TB, what are my chances of a cure? Excellent, if your illness is found early enough and you complete the treatment your doctor prescribes. There are 1,750,000 people living today who once had active TB.

Can TB be cured at home? In a few cases, yes. But most TB patients should start treatment in the hospital, where there are laboratories to make all the necessary tests, a staff of doctors to plan treatment, and good nursing care.

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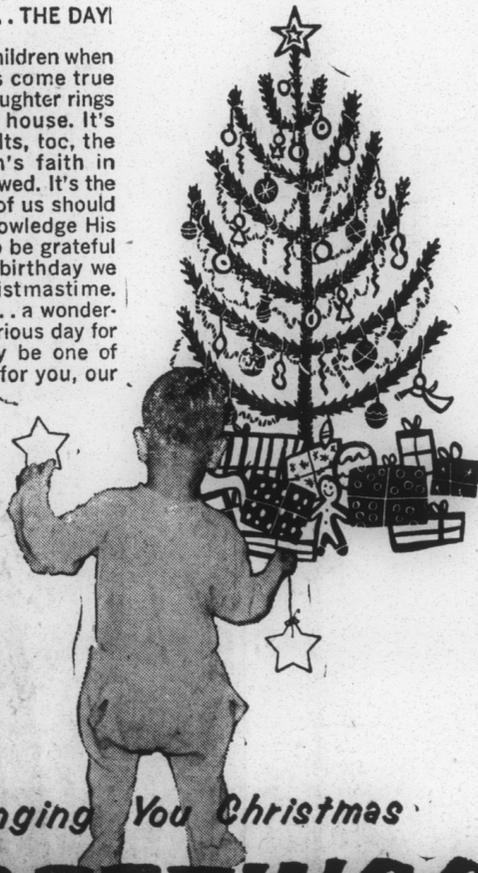
Washington — No sketch of former North Carolina Senators can chronicle the life of Willie Person Mangum, the illustrious Whig, born in Orange (now Durham) County near Rougemont, May 10, 1792.

Willie P. Mangum — After graduating from the University of North Carolina in 1815, he studied law and was admitted

to the bar in 1817. He was immediately elected to the State House of Representatives. He became a judge, followed by his election to Congress, serving in the House from 1823 until 1826. His first service in the United States Senate commenced on March 4, 1832, continuing until his resignation on November 26, 1836. Rising as a national fig-

It's Christmas... THE DAY!

It's the day for children when all their dreams come true... when their laughter rings throughout the house. It's the day for adults, too, the day when man's faith in mankind is renewed. It's the day when each of us should reverently acknowledge His presence and to be grateful for Him whose birthday we observe at Christmastime. It's Christmas... a wonderful day... a glorious day for all. May it truly be one of real happiness for you, our friends.



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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Louis L. Nixon, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 22nd day of December, 1960.
 MRS. ELSIE B. NIXON,
 Administratrix of Louis L. Nixon,
 Dec 22, 29 Jan 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
 Plaintiff, vs. Defendant.

To: Ruby Bell White, Plaintiff.
 vs. Defendant.

A pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Plaintiff seeks an absolute di-

voice from the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the plaintiff and the defendant on the ground of separation for more than two years next preceding the commencement of this action.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than the 9th day of February, 1961, and upon failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 26th day of November, 1960.
 LENA M. LEARY,
 Assistant Clerk
 Superior Court.
 Dec 1, 8, 15, 22

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as Co-Executors of the estate of Mrs. Duncan Winston Wales, deceased, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of November, 1960.
 CHARLES P. WALES,
 BETTY W. SILVER,
 Executors of
 Mrs. Duncan Winston Wales
 Nov 24, Dec 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

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