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ABOUT POLITIX. RECORDS OF THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

Billingsgate, N. C., Oct. 18, '04. My Dear Pat—Sinner 'tine ago I rote you that the undertakers had covered up all of Doctor Caddie's mistakes, but we found one the other day that the undertakers missed.

Messrs Talley, Allen, Dr Caddell and the balance of the crowd of "ringtails" may congratulate the people upon their emancipation from negro rule, yet they every one voted and did all they could against the amendment. They now come back and ask for those who supported the amendment to take a back seat and give them the offices.

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TALLEY'S WILD, FALSE STATEMENTS. A circular is being distributed in Randolph county, and a statement has been made by "Would-be Senator" Wiley Talley, that Gov Russell paid for legal services and expenses for the year 1898 \$5,206.71, and that Gov Aycock expended during the first year of his administration for legal services and expenses \$12,603.94.

With the increased appropriation for public schools, charitable and other institutions, wisely, honestly and economically expended, the present administration does not approach the enormous sums expended by the republican party during its lease of power from 1868 to 1871. In the year 1868 the total disbursements were \$2,005,755.42. In 1869 the total disbursements were \$8,854,887.13; in 1870 the total disbursements were \$3,457,625.11; the total disbursements in any of the years of Gov Aycock's administration has approached anything like near the neighborhood of the amount from any year of the lease of power from 1868 to 1871.

WE CHALLENGE MR. TALLEY TO PROVE HIS STATEMENTS TO BE TRUE. HE CANNOT DO IT, AND KNOWS HE CANNOT. In the meantime, we challenge Mr Talley, or any other man, to prove one word of the correctness of the statements which he has made on the stump, as relates to county matters.

Yours affectionately, MIKE DOUGHERTY, Postmaster (I've quit the other).

THE RECORDS SHOW THE TRUTH.

The republican platform charges the present administration with extravagance and attempts to create the impression that the expenses of the State government have been greatly increased.

Table with 2 columns: Description of expenditures and Amount. Includes items like 'Amount paid out of the treasury in 1903 for public schools', 'Amount paid out of the treasury for pensions to Confederate soldiers', etc.

Tally's it will be seen that, maintaining the \$631,537.77 disbursed by the present administration in 1903 for schools and hospitals, and for new school and hospital buildings, and repairs and equipment, in excess of the amount paid during the last year of Russell's administration for the same purposes, and the \$200,000 paid in 1903 in settlement of loan made necessary by the Russell administration, the disbursements of the present administration in 1903 were \$157,195.67 less than those of the Russell administration in 1903.

ALLEN VOTED TO NEGROIZE CITIES AND TOWNS.

Mr Allen also voted to negroize the town of Greenville, the legislature of 1895 having divided that town into four wards, making two of the wards white and two of the wards black, and gave to the two white wards one alderman each and to the black wards two aldermen each.

VOTED FOR A NEGRO POLITICIAN IN PREFERENCE TO HON. N. B. BROUGHTON.

It is a pretty battle of the 1870-1871 republican convention in Randolph on Sep. 24, based and organized by the Greenback Federal officers, sets before the people of Randolph county. It is a striped and striped affair. The head of the ticket for the State Senate is a man who has often run for office on the prohibition, populism and fusion ticket, but never before on the republican ticket, if we remember correctly.

ALLEN VOTED TO RAISE TAXES.

Further, the legislature of 1897 increased the said taxes from 214 cents to 224 cents, but did it in such a way that their own Supreme court declared it to be unconstitutional. Mr Allen was a member of that legislature, let it be remembered, and voted to increase the taxes. No Democrat, since the war, from Randolph county has ever voted to raise the taxes in any way. Mr Allen and his associates in the general assembly in 1897 are the only members from this county in many years who have voted to increase the taxes of the people.

the white man is set up as a candidate seeking the votes of white men. The vote is recorded by the Journal of the House of Representatives of 1891, page 906. It will be remembered that Jim Young is the notorious Wake county negro who was put on the board of directors for the school for the deaf, dumb and blind white children at Raleigh by this same legislature of which Mr Allen was a member and carved his name on the corner stone as one of the directors of the institution. This fact was denied by the revenue officers and others in this county, and the editor of the Courier took a doubtful republican to Raleigh and with Mr B. H. Lacy and others took him to the institution and he saw for himself the name of Jim Young carved on the corner stone of the building erected to be used for the instruction of the white deaf, dumb and blind children.

DID HE EXAMINE THIS MAN?

In the year 1898 there lived in Columbia township, Randolph county, a man by the name of Enos L. York, who was said to have been of an unbalanced mind. Some of his friends and neighbors decided to have him examined and placed in an asylum and accordingly went to Dr. S. W. Caddell to get him to examine the said York according to law.

ALLEN VOTED TO MAKE IT INDOTABLE NOT TO PAY POLL TAX.

The Republican campaign of the poll tax provision of the Constitutional Amendment, requiring the payment of poll taxes as a qualification for voting within eight months after it is due. In other words, on or before the first day of May in the year after it is due the first of September, Mr Allen and his party complained that this is a hardship.

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ALLEN'S RECORD IN THE HOUSE.

Capt. John B. Fayer, ex-Chairman of the republican state committee, and a republican of prominence whose party loyalty was never questioned, said, that the first three legislatures of 1895 and 1897 were a disgrace to a hitherto nation. Mr Butler often stated in the "Gambler" that they were a "damnable disgrace to the state."

Public Speaking.

The Democratic candidates for the General Assembly and for the various county offices will address the people on the political issues of the day at the following times and places: Monday night Oct. 20th. Friday night Oct. 21st. Saturday night Oct. 22nd. Monday night Oct. 24th. Tuesday night Oct. 25th. Wednesday night Oct. 26th. Friday night Oct. 28th. Tuesday night, Nov. 1st. Wednesday night, Nov. 2nd. Thursday night, Nov. 3rd.

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