

VOTE FOR NO MONGRELS.

MR. J. W. BAILEY FINDS DEMOCRACY IN FINE SHAPE.

From East to West the Party is Entrenched in the Hearts of the People and November Will See a Great Victory.

Mr. J. W. Bailey, elector at large for the Democratic party, is in the city after a tour of many sections of the State. He reports that Democracy is entrenched in the hearts of the people and looks for a big majority in November. Being asked yesterday to tell of the sections he had visited and of the conditions as he found them, he said:

"Mr. B. F. Aycock and I had every reason to be pleased with conditions in the First and Second districts, as we found them last week. We canvassed in Edgecombe, Nash, Bertie, Northampton, Gates, Pasquotank, Chowan, Currituck, and Camden—and I left him with appointments to be filled in Dare, Tyrrell, and Beaufort. He is a fine campaigner, and his speeches captivate his hearers. I am going west this week, to Davie, Yadkin and other counties by way of Moore and Chatham. When I return from this trip I will go east again, to Sampson, Harnett, Robeson and counties in that region. I expect to canvass nearer home the last week in the campaign.

"I have been as far West as the Blue Ridge and as far East as the Atlantic. In my judgment the people of North Carolina are as firmly entrenched in Democratic principles as they have ever been and are in for waging this campaign on the issues that are involved. They are not unmindful of the past, but they are greatly concerned with the present. On every hand there is the greatest enthusiasm in the prospects of Mr. Bryan's election. The appeal of his personality to the people is in striking contrast to the obviously forced rallying to Mr. Taft by the Republicans. As for State issues, the people not only support Mr. Kitchen because he is the Democratic candidate, but his dignified canvass has won for him many friends. I heard him at King's Mountain, where he made one of the most instructive political addresses I have ever heard.

"It appears that in certain Eastern counties the Republicans are hoping to make gains by means of so-called 'independent' movements, mixed tickets and the like. Their hope lies in disappointed elements. But I believe that straightforward work by the Democrats in these counties will hold them in the Democratic column with good majorities. This is no year for mixed tickets or mongrel voting. The issues are too distinct; the situation is too grave; there is too much at stake for well-meaning men to be led off by that sort of thing. The Democracy in the whole country is presenting the finest example of unity in its history, and as we draw nearer to November 3, every Democrat in North Carolina will fall in, close up the ranks, and give our Standard Bearer in State and Nation the solid Democratic vote. There should be no wavering at any point in the line.

"Mr. Eller is evidently waging a strong campaign along substantial lines. I can see the effect of his work wherever I go. He is in close touch with the county leaders.

"These next twenty days, I feel sure, will dispel any lingering notion that the Republicans have anything to hope for in North Carolina. They have already been laughed out of their claims of carrying the State; and when the Democracy gets face to face with the issue, their hopes of any gains will go glimmering.

As I see it, from East to West in North Carolina and throughout the

Nation our party was never in better condition and our prospects of victory never so bright."

A Word to our Delinquents.

It is not often that the editor of the Times "duns" his subscribers through these columns, but as the Postoffice department has made a ruling to the effect that we will not be allowed the use of the mails at the "pound rate" on subscriptions of more than a year's standing, we are compelled to remind a large number that "pay-day" has arrived, and unless they pay up very soon, it will become our painful duty, under the law, to erase their names from our books. This we will very much regret to have to do, but as we have no choice in the matter, it will have to be done. Every one of our subscribers who are behind, know it just as well we do, and if they would pay it by November 1st, it would not inconvenience them much, but in the aggregate would help the editor EVER so much, and enable him to meet his obligations, which are due on that date. How many will come to our rescue? All of you, we hope.

REGISTER NOW.

The Books are Open in all Townships.

The Registration books are now open in the various townships of the county, and it is important that every white man who has heretofore failed to do so, to get his name on the books this year, as it will be the last opportunity to register under the "grand-father" clause. And every white boy who becomes of age after this year will be required to read and write before he can register. Every Democrat should appoint himself a committee of one to remind every other Democrat the importance of getting every young man to register. The following is a list of the Registrars:

- Dunn—W. H. Williams.
- Harris—J. J. Young.
- Yonkersville—J. R. Johnson.
- Franklinton—E. W. Morris.
- Hayesville—R. G. Winn.
- Sandy Creek—T. R. Parrish.
- Gold Mine—A. D. Williams.
- Cedar Rock—J. P. Davis.
- Cypress Creek—W. H. Delbridge.
- Louisburg—E. C. Barrow.

County Canvass.

The Democratic candidates of Franklin County will address the people at the following times and places:

- Rocky Ford, Wednesday, October 21.
- Laurel, Thursday, October 22.
- Centerville, Friday, October 23.
- Cedar Rock, Saturday, October 24.
- Gatesville, Monday, October 26.
- Poplar Springs, Tuesday, October 27.
- Clifton's Mill, Wednesday, October 28.
- Youngsville, Friday, October 30.
- Franklinton, Saturday, October 31.
- Louisburg, Monday, November 2.

The people are cordially invited to attend these appointments and hear the issues discussed.

JAS. A. THOMAS,

Chm. Dem. Ex. Com.

I will be present on the above dates, either in person or by deputy, to collect the taxes due for 1908.

H. C. KEARNEY, Sheriff.

The best pleased men seen in Louisburg in a long time were the farmers who sold tobacco at the Farmers Warehouse this week. They all declared that they were coming again.

BIG RALLY AT EPSOM!

The county candidates of Vance and Franklin will be present at the Big Rally at Epsom on Wednesday, October 21st, when

GOV. C. B. AYCOCKE

and other distinguished speakers will address the people. Everybody invited. Music by Henderson Brass Band.

A RECORD BREAKER.

THE LOUISBURG TOBACCO MARKET HUMMING.

Block Sales on Tuesday—Warehouses Not Being Able to Finish up Sales—Big Sales Again Wednesday.

Tuesday and Wednesday of this week were "Record Breakers" on the Louisburg Tobacco Market. The Farmers Mutual had the first sale on Tuesday, and the Riverside had second sale, but the quantity of the weed on the market that day was so great that the sale at the Farmers Mutual did not close until after the dinner hour, when the second sale began at the Riverside. This house was filled to overflowing and when the hour for closing the sale had arrived, several rows of tobacco was yet unsold, and this was carried over to next morning when the sale at the Riverside continued which lasted until the noon hour, after which the sale at Hart's (Waddell & Collier) began. This sale consumed the balance of Wednesday evening, and the large amount of the weed on the Farmers Mutual floor had to be carried over to Thursday.

The amount of tobacco sold these two days was over two hundred thousand pounds.

Obituary

Sister Ethel Aycock Limer, the wife of Francis F. Limer was born in Franklin County September 17, 1837, and departed this life September 10, 1908. She was a faithful member of Providence Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and was buried by her pastor in the beautiful little cemetery adjoining the church. "God's finger touched her and she slept."

Death is always sad, but it is especially so when it lays its cold hand upon one so young and promising as sister Limer was. In early life she gave her heart to God and was faithful to the end. She loved her Lord and her church and worked hard for the children in the Sunday School, training them for useful lives. Her devotion to her husband, her father, brothers, and sisters was very beautiful. She was a faithful wife, a sincere friend, a noble Christian woman. She leaves a husband and infant child with relatives and many friends to mourn their loss.

May the good Lord comfort the bereaved, and may her noble life inspire us to better living, that we may all meet her in heaven. — J. T. MOYNE, in Christian Advocate.

What Caused the Panic.

The sensible man says it is the existence of corporations.

The fool says it is the hostility to corporations.

The manufacturer says it is the fear of free trade.

The people say its high tariff. The Democrats say it is the Republicans. The Republicans say it is the Democrats. The Hornet says it's Republicanism and the Devil.

Revival Meeting Closed.

The revival meeting which has been in progress for the past ten days in the Baptist church in Louisburg, closed with Wednesday night's service. Rev. A. L. Cooper, of Etonton, Ga., an Evangelist, was in charge of the meeting, and preached twice a day, in addition to talks made at the prayer services. He is an able preacher, a great thinker and makes the way of salvation plain to every one. Great interest was manifested from the start, the attendance being good at almost every service, and much good has no doubt been accomplished by his coming to Louisburg, the number of professions being large. Mr. A. R. Ruby, of Iowa, lead in the singing, and his solos on many occasions added much to the success of the meeting. The ducts of Mr. Ruby and the Evangelist were greatly enjoyed by the audience.

A liberal thank offering was tendered these Christian workers by our citizens, irrespective of denomination, at the close of the services Wednesday night.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the post office at Louisburg, N. C. uncalled for:

Miss Ruth Alston, Mrs. Sam Balfy, Mrs. Walter Cooke, Howell Clemons, Robert E. Collins, Mrs. Henry Davis, Mrs. Ella Dudson, Chas. Gay, Mrs. Mary Green, Nettie Grissom, Percy Graddock, Will Grubbs, F. R. Hayes, Jaram Hayes, F. A. Hall, Tom Haggood, Turner Harris, Mrs. Jessie McLean, W. E. Millerdner, Herbert Perry, Miss S. C. Perry, Pettey Perry, Emma L. Perry, Mrs. M. P. Person, Mrs. Serena Strickland, Beanie Wiggs, Romeo Williams, Mrs. Margaret Williams, Maria Watson, Mary Young.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they saw them advertised.

R. R. HARRIS, P. M.

STINGS FROM THE HORNET.

The following hot squibs are taken from the Hornet, which is published at Bixby, N. C. which claims to be "the hottest Democratic paper in America!"

"Because your 'daddy' was a Republican is no reason at all you should be an old 'mos-back'."

Put Republicanism in a pipe, and smoke it and you will see the picture of a panic in every puff.

Voting the Republican ticket this fall will be a mighty poor way of giving head for your freedom from the present panic.

The Republican party has two sides—the pro side for the politicians and the blunt side for the voters. Don't be a sucker.

With the Republican Party it is every advantage for the favored few and nothing at all for the miserable many.

Now don't be a Republican, because that party boasted of a "full dinner pail." That talk was fashionable four years ago, but times have changed since then, you know.

In 1906 Taft spoke at Greensboro,

N. C., and then he wanted a second Republican Party in the South. He's since found out, no doubt, how difficult it is to fashion a sow's ear into a silk purse.

It's a waste of time to argue with a man who inclines to admit that the Republican Party caters to the wishes of the money powers. He hasn't got sense to know that water is wet.

The panic, brought about by the wisdom of the Republicans, has gotten to be so offensive to the common people that the effect is giving many a poor Radical a pain across his hungry misery.

You may hire all the stars in a nail bag, hang the ocean on a nail to dry, put the sky in a goose to walk, unbackle the hollyband of eternity, but never delude yourself with the idea that you can stay the waves of "good sense" that's sweeping W. J. Bryan into the Presidency of these United States, where he will land 4th of next March.

REPUBLICANS AND THE NEGRO.

Below we give one of the planks of the Republican platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Chicago, June 18th, 1908, on which platform William H. Taft declares himself to be the nominee of the republican party and of which platform he states that he endorses every plank which platform has the following to say about the republican attitude towards the negro:

"The republican party has been for more than fifty years the consistent friend of the American negro. It gave him freedom and assistance, wrote in the organic law the declaration which proclaimed his civil and political rights and it believes today that his worthy progress in intelligence, industry, and great citizenship has earned the respect and encouragement of the nation. We demand equal justice for all men with out regard to race or color. We declare, once more, and without reservation for the enforcement in letter and spirit of the thirteenth, fourteenth, and fifteenth amendments to the constitution, which were designed for the protection and advancement of the negro, and we condemn all devices which have for their real aim his disfranchisement, and that for color alone, as unfair, un-American and repugnant to the supreme law of the land."

Now there's the way the republicans feel toward the negro. We demand equal justice to all men without regard to race or color. We wonder how many of our good citizens who are going to vote for Taft would like to take their wife to the opera house or church and have a seat right next to a big black negro. Well, isn't that exactly what you are voting for? If they have equal justice haven't they just as much right to sit in the body of an opera house or a church as you have? If the republicans should get in power both nationally and also in the state and lived up to their platform the negro would no longer be stuck up in the galleries in an opera house or a church, but would have equal justice with a white man. Any one who's willing to this, we do not blame them at all for voting for Taft. Are you in favor of abolishing the constitutional amendment, if so we do not blame you for voting for Taft and Cox. Are you in favor of again having negro office holders as we did from '96 to 1900, if so we do not blame you for voting for Taft and Cox, and for the omniscience of the Republicans for the legislature—Messrs. Joe. F. Mitchell and E. F. Yarbrough. These men may claim that they do not favor this, but should they happen to get in the legislature they will be forced by their leaders to stand by the platform. The republican platform on which Taft is the nominee, believes in these things, and that is what voting for them means, if they intend carrying out the doctrine of their platform.

THE MOVING PEOPLE.

THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere for Business or Pleasure.

Mr. J. A. Turner made a business trip to Charlotte this week.

Miss Nellie Martin, of Wake Forest, is visiting friends in Louisburg.

Mr. E. C. Barrow left Wednesday on a business trip to Greensboro.

Mr. W. J. Nichols and two little boys of Plymouth, are visiting her father, Mr. J. J. Perren.

Mr. W. T. Hughes returned this week from a stay of several weeks at the "Hicklenburg" at Chase City, Va.

Mr. Kenneth W. Edwards, the popular and efficient Register of Deeds of Vance county, was a visitor to Louisburg this week.

Miss Mary Webb, of Hesperia, passed through Louisburg one day last week on route to Durham, where she will teach in one of the high schools of that city.

Messrs. J. O. Newell and Joe Ussell, of Maxeyville, left last week for Baltimore, where they will resume their studies in medicine at the University of Maryland.

What it Means.

A vote for the Republican nominee for Congress and for the League states means the going away with the constitutional amendment, a return of the days when fifty thousand negro votes killed the cause of fifty thousand white men. White men of Franklin, do you want to see this again? The Republican candidates may deny this, but they know full well that their party's platform declares for negro suffrage and "social equality," and they will be forced to stand by their platform should they be elected.

CENTERVILLE ITEMS.

Quite a number of our young people went up to the Raleigh Fair on Wednesday. Of course they had "The time of their life."

The cotton gins and pickers are busy these days and Centerville has taken on a much livelier appearance.

The young people of our little town will present a Leap Year Fete at the Assembly on Thursday night, Oct. 22nd. Come every body, laugh and grow fat. Admission 25 cents for adults, and 10 cents for children, babies and tots. 100 years old come free. Excursion tickets promptly at 5 p. m.

We are sorry to note the severe illness of little Hattie Upchurch and hope she will soon be out again.

The young people around our town have formed a riding club and look quite merry galloping about these fine afternoons.

Miss Pearl Whelan has opened school at the academy with quite a good number. Some of the young men are sighing because they are a little "too old."

Don't forget to come to the Assembly on the night of the 22nd. There will be music to drive fall away and fun for old and young.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. C. E. Vaughan Dead.

Mrs. C. E. Vaughan died Tuesday night, October 13th, aged 81 years. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn her death. The old was not a stranger. She has been a member of Maple Springs church for four years and died in the religious faith. The bereaved family has our heartfelt sympathy.