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## Small Nominated By Acclamation

SERVICEABLE CONGRESSMAN IS  
RENOMINATED. SPEECH OF  
ACCEPTANCE.

The Democratic Congressional convention of the First North Carolina District held at Edenton Wednesday afternoon unanimously renominated Hon. John H. Small by acclamation. This is the seventh successive nomination he had received. Mr. F. C. Harding, of Pitt county, was permanent chairman of the convention.

Just before adjournment of the convention there was considerable discussion of a resolution offered by Mr. E. F. Aydtlett, petitioning the government to purchase the Dismal Swamp Canal, inasmuch as the government engineers had already recommended that Chesapeake and Albemarle Canal be purchased in connection with inland waterway, the resolution was tabled.

In accepting the nomination Congressman Small delivered an eloquent and statesmanlike speech.

Speech of Mr. Small accepting the nomination:

Once more the trend of public sentiment has set strongly toward the Democratic party throughout the country. Since 1896 there have been some who became discouraged at successive defeats, and who feared that the old party was destined at last to lose its vitality and its organization. Today the spirit of hope and of courage is more abundant than in many years. Every district and State conventions of the party, every meeting of Democratic committees join in one chorus of militant Democracy. In almost every instance where others have had an opportunity to register their will, they have repudiated the Republican party and turned to the Democratic party. If we shall perceive the opportunity and shall diligently expose the fisdeds of our political enemies, shall organize our party in township and in State and rally to our standard and we shall elect a majority in the next House of Representatives and in 1912 we shall elect a Democratic President.

In this day of opportunity it is proper to recur to some of the basic principles upon which the Democratic party was founded and has been kept alive for more than a century. We may in frankness admit that during these recent years our party has to some extent been a party of opportunism, and wherever it has set aside Democratic tenets and turned to temporary issues which seemed to be popular, that we have in each instance lost prestige in the estimation of the country. The virility and strength of our party lies in the fact that it stands upon a few propositions which are essential and necessary in the maintenance of a Democracy which means that it stands for the rule of the people upon which the republic was founded. While not attempting any comprehensive statement it may not be amiss to direct attention to a few of the controlling principles of the Democratic party.

Our party stands for the reserved rights of the States, but at the same time we believe in giving the fullest support to the Federal Government in the exercise of its constitutional powers. An eminent judge of the United States Supreme Court has defined the Union as 'An indestructible union of indestructible States'. If the component parts of the republic shall be weakened or impaired, to that extent will the union of those parts be deprived of its strength and its solidarity. The maintenance of



HON. JOHN H. SMALL

the integrity of the State is as important today as in any period of our history. One of their original rights has been settled by the arbitrament of war and settled for all time to come, but in all other respects the States yet reserve their sovereign powers. In the maintenance of local self-government and of home rule the States constitute the only efficient and stable guarantee. The Democratic party believes that the powers which were accorded to the Federal Government in the constitution are sufficient for its needs and should be exercised to the fullest degree, and that the rights reserved to the States should have equal and full recognition.

The Democratic party believes in economy in the administration of government, State and National. The money which is collected from the people should be appropriated only for necessary purposes and honestly expended. Our party is neither narrow or sectional in its scope and beneficence. It is and always has been the party of progress and whenever money is necessary to be expended for the welfare and betterment of all the people, we believe in appealing to the loyalty and patriotism of the tax-payers for such revenue as may be necessary in the prosecution of any progressive policies. It is not not the amount of taxes which determines its rightfulness, but the wisdom and the necessity for its execution and the scrupulous honesty of its expenditure. We cite the past record of the Democratic party for fruitful examples of wise, economical and useful expenditure in the interest of the people, both in State and nation.

The Democratic party believes that no taxes direct nor indirect shall be levied, except for the necessary expenses of government, economically administered. We believe in a tariff for revenue only, equal and uniform in its burdens, and as the only exception that such tariff duties should be lightest on necessities and heaviest on luxuries. We condemn governmental subsidies to special interests either directly or through the medium of a protective tariff. The power to levy taxes is one of the sovereign functions of government, and should never be exercised for the purpose of conferring benefits upon any individual or enterprise or special interest or section. There can be no more wicked or malevolent prostitution of sovereign power than in evading tribute from the tax-payers in behalf of any special interests. Upon this basic principle the party has stood since the days of the Walker tariff, upon this platform it has won its greatest victories and maintained its longest supremacy.

Upon the same fundamental ground we believe in the imposition of an income tax, so adjusted that the bur-

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## Contract Awarded For Street Paving

The Time Limit For Receiving Bids For the Street Paving Bonds Will Expire On July 11th.

The bids for the contracts to pave the streets of Elizabeth City were opened Wednesday morning and the contract for brick paving was awarded to Bowe and Page Co., The contract to pave Main street in asphalt was awarded to the Barber Asphalt Company.

Main street of about 1,200 yards will be paved in asphalt. All the other streets that have been selected by the street paving committee will be paved in brick.

The time limit for receiving bids for the bonds to be issued in the sum of \$60,000 to pay for the paving will expire on July 11th. At this time the bonds will be sold.

The actual work on the paving of the street is expected to begin at an early date.

## CURRITUCK HOLDS ITS CONVENTION

Currituck County Convention of the Democratic Party, met this 2nd, day of July 1910. W. H. Gallop, County Chairman called the convention to order.

On motion W. H. Gallop was elected permanent chairman of the convention and G. M. Williams sec. The committee on credentials was dispensed with and all delegates were seated.

The roll of precincts was called which were all represented but one. W. J. Tate, D. W. Woodhouse, W. H. Cowell, T. L. Jarvis, Z. T. Pentress the committee on resolutions submitted the following:

Resolved, that this convention endorse Jno. H. Small's course in Congress and appreciate him as a tireless official. Therefore, this convention authorizes any Democrat from Currituck County to cast the full power of Currituck for his nomination at the congressional convention to be held at Edenton, N. C. July 6, 1910.

That the delegates to the State Currituck cast the full strength of Currituck for Walter Clark, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to succeed himself, Platt D. Walker, Associate Justice to succeed himself and W. R. Allen, Associate Justice to succeed James S. Manning.

That H. C. Brown and W. T. Lee receive the full vote for corporation commissioners. That each candidate for Solicitor secure the same strength that he received in the primaries.

That D. C. Barnes and W. Williams receive the full strength of the convention for Senators from 1st Senatorial District. The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The following named were elected delegates to the State, Judicial and Senatorial Conventions.

State—A. M. Simmons, E. M. Walker, Dr. J. M. Newbern.

Judicial 1st. District—L. Walker, E. D. Forbes, G. B. Grandy, J. E. C. Bell, J. L. Dunton, J. M. Cartwright, W. L. Owens; Herman Newbern; Dr. W. H. Cowell; D. W. Woodhouse; E. R. Johnson; T. L. Jarvis; Wm. Barco; C. D. Morgan; E. B. Gallop; W. H. Walker;

For one absent delegate of the last

## Nominated Folk For President

Windsor, N. C. July 5—The Democrats in Bertie county at their convention passed resolutions endorsing Hon. J. W. Folk, of Missouri for President.

The fact may not be known that Rev. Henry B. Folk, of Tennessee, former of Governor Folk, was a native of Bertie county, leaving here when he was 21 years old. He was a student at the Oak Grove Academy under the late Hon. Patrick Henry Winston, who came to this county in 1829 from Franklin county to teach school—afterwards locating here.

The following are the resolutions introduced by Judge F. D. Winston and passed unanimously:

The Democrats of Bertie county, in convention assembled recall with pride the great reputation made by Hon. J. W. Folk as Governor of Missouri. He gave to his adopted State an administration that received national approval for honesty, economy and efficiency. His administration was strictly Democratic. Upon the great fundamental questions agitating the progressive citizens of America he is an ideal representative of the masses.

We admire his courage, his convictions, his capacity, his sympathy with the people and his decided opposition to any encroachment upon their rights.

His kindred have long been useful and influential citizens of Bertie county, where his father was born.

Resolved, that Hon. J. W. Folk is in every way a suitable candidate for President of United States at the hands of the National Democracy.—News and Observer.

Miss Jannette Midgett of Manteo spent some time here this week the guest of Miss Fannie Grant.

## CONVENTION IS IN DEAD LOCK

A message from Edenton last night at 7 o'clock stated that the Judicial convention was in a dead lock and there was no prospect of an early nomination.

Three sections of the district are represented in the fight over the solicitorship and each candidate has a determined backing, which proposes to fight to the last ditch for the nomination of its candidate. Pasquotank lined up solid for Ehringhaus and this line was strengthened by delegations from other counties. McMullan has strong support from his home county and the candidates from the other side of the sound present a strong firing line.

eight named E. M. Walker can act as alternate.

Senatorial, First District:—J. W. Sanderlin; E. S. Gregory; E. R. Johnson; J. G. Hampton; G. M. Williams; T. B. Pool; J. L. Dunton; W. H. Gallop; L. Walker; E. D. Forbes; W. J. Tate; John Gregory; W. H. Cowell; Y. B. Grandy, T. L. Jarvis.

After requesting that the proceeding of this convention be published in the News and Observer, Raleigh, and the Tar Heel Elizabeth City, it adjourned.

W. H. GALLOP, Chairman.  
G. W. Williams, Sec.

## A Large Crowd Attended Races

## Fourth a Great Success

The Atlantic has been the scene of great gaiety for several days. Many fishing, surf and sailing parties have been given, and all the guests have thoroughly enjoyed the festivities.

Saturday night the two Germans, both morning and evening, were most beautifully led by Mr. W. C. Young of Norfolk. The most attractive figures were lead and the long of dancers proved a very great attraction to the onlookers.

Great interest was manifested in the boat races, and the swimmers. The races begun at three thirty and the pier and pavillion were crowded with spectators.

But one of the most beautiful features of the celebrations was the fireworks. From an island opposite the pavillion the fireworks were sent off. A most beautiful selection of the work were displayed, and the reflection on the river added greatly to the effect.

However, all the gaities do not end with the Fourth. On Tuesday morning Mrs. E. P. Morton will entertain at a five hundred party in honor of Miss Mary Harvey of Kinston. All the ladies in the hotel will be guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Morehead and family of Spray, have arrived and will spend the summer at their cottage opposite the Atlantic. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, McCleng and Miss McCleng will arrive on Wednesday to be house guests of Mrs. Morehead for the season.

## MEMBERS OF POLICE DEPT.

Spokane, Wash. July—Three women are now full fledged members of the police department of Spokane. They are: Captain Bertha Smith of the Salvation Army and Mrs. Ella Jones and Mrs. N. W. Alexander of the Volunteers of America. They wear regulation stars and will don uniform of dark blue when on duty. Their quarters are in the city jail, where they are designated as matrons, and they have full charge of all women prisoners. The three women have divided the work into 3 shifts of eight hours each so that one is on duty all the time. Mayor Nelson S. Pratt and Commissioner Armstrong are highly pleased with the innovation and John T. Sullivan chief of the force, and the rank and file are of the opinion the new members will be of inestimable value to the department. The women were appointed after strict civil service examinations, and their pay has been fixed at \$80 a month. Captain Smith has had several years experience in police work as an officer of the Salvation Army and will probably have command of the squad.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system, cure constipation and sick headache. Sold by All Dealers.

## Fully Two Thousands People Were Present and Creatly Enjoyed the Fourth Celebration.

One of the largest crowds of country people to assemble here in a long time, gathered here last Monday to celebrate the Fourth of July.

The people came from every section of the district. The LeRoy Steam boat Company brought large crowds from Currituck, Columbia and Manteo, and at an early hour in the morning the streets were thronged with visitors.

The town put on a gala attire and presented to the visitors a scene of gaiety in which the town people and the country people mingled in a free and easy social intercourse.

The street parade began at 10:30 o'clock and last for an hour. It was witnessed by a large crowd of people. After the parade the great crowd began to pour into the Albemarle Park Fair grounds and more than 2,000 gathered there to see the races. Motor boats were kept busy transporting pasengers from the city to the fair grounds.

The races began at two o'clock and they were preceded by the motor-cycle race in which Eph. Ball of Washington, D. C., and J. Boyd Anderson of this city did some spectacular riding. This riding was the fastest thing on wheels that a large number of the visitors had ever seen and it greatly pleased them.

The following is the result of the races:—In the first race, Tom C—owned by J. E. Everett of Hertford won the first place; Hannah Louise—owned by C. W. Overman of this city won second place; Little Straight—owned by Armstrong and Brichhouse won third place; Annie Lee—owned by C. W. Stevens won the fourth place; and Play Boy—owned by A. C. Stokes won fifth place.

In the second race, Charlie Barker—owned by Garret and Winslow won the first place; Grace W—owned by Noah Bright won second place and Dandy Tom—owned by Walker of Shiloh won third place.

The races passed of very pleasantly and very quietly. Everything seemed to be pleased with the races and left the grounds satisfied. After the races, the large crowd attended the game of ball between the Western Bloomer Girls and the local team. The game resulted in a score of 13 to 0 in favor of the local team.

In spite of the occasion and the demonstrations the large crowd of visitors was an unusually quiet one. The police had little to do other than to participate in fun of the occasion. There were few arrests made and Judge Sawyer's court Tuesday morning was a short one.

The people of Elizabeth City appreciate the large crowd, its genial good natured disposition and will be glad to have another visit from the country people.

## 'Foley Kidney Pills Have Cured Me'

The above is a quotation from a letter written by H. M. Winkler, Evansville, Ind. "I contracted a severe case of kidney trouble. My back gave out and pain me. I seemed to have lost all strength and ambition; was bothered with dizzy spells, my head would swim and specks float before my eyes. I took Foley Kidney Pills regularly and am now perfectly well and feel like a new man. Foley Pills have cured me.—Brown's Pharmacy."