

SPECIAL NOTICE.

It has been a rule of The Robesonian for several years to charge for publishing cards of thanks, resolutions of respect and obituaries. Occasionally we get obituaries or resolutions of respect with request to publish free, however, so it appears necessary to give this notice prominence again. All such notices must be paid for at the rate of one cent a word for obituaries and resolutions and not less than 50 cents for cards of thanks. This applies to all. Anything of this nature that is worth publishing is worth paying for; if not worth paying for then a paper should not be expected to incur the expense of publishing for nothing.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

Adopted at Chicago — Resolutions Not Unlike Those of Former Years But Highly Disposed to be Progressive.

Chicago Dispatch, 22d.

The platform adopted by the Republican national convention reaffirms the belief of the party in the protective tariff and declares that the present high cost of living is "not due to the protective tariff system, as evidenced by the existence of similar conditions in countries which have a tariff policy different from our own."

It declares the party's unchanging faith in government of the people, for the people and by the people, expressing its veneration for the name of Abraham Lincoln, whose lofty principles and superb devotion to his country were an inspiration to the party he honored.

It expresses its belief in "our self controlled representative democracy, which is a government of laws, not of men, and in which order is the prerequisite of progress."

"The Republican party" it says, "is prepared to go forward with the solution of those new questions which social, economic and political development have brought into the forefront of the nation's interest. It will strive to enact the necessary legislation to safeguard the public health, to limit effectively the labor of women and children, to protect wage earners engaged in dangerous occupations, to enact comprehensive and generous workmen's compensation laws in place of the present wasteful and unjust system of employers' liability and in all possible ways to satisfy the just demand of the people for the study and solution of complex and constantly changing problems of social welfare."

Rights of Individual.

"In dealing with these questions," says the platform, "it is important that the rights of every individual to the freest possible development of his own powers and resources and to the control of his own justly acquired property, as far as those are compatible with the rights of others, shall not be interfered with or destroyed."

The authority and integrity of the courts, both State and Federal, must be upheld, the platform adds, but it declares in favor of "legislation to prevent long delays and the tedious and costly appeals which have so often amounted to a denial of justice in civil cases and to a failure to protect the public at large in criminal cases."

It declares the recall of judges "unnecessary and unwise," yet favors such "action as may be necessary to simplify the process by which any judge who is found to be derelict in his duty may be removed from office."

It favors the peaceful settlement of international disputes and the reference of controversies between nations in an international court of justice.

The Republican party is opposed to special privilege and monopoly, says the platform, pointing to the enactment of the anti-trust act. It favors the "enactment of legislation supplementary to the existing anti-trust act which will define as criminal offenses those specific acts that uniformly mark attempts to restrain and to monopolize trade."

Benefits of Tariff.

The Republican tariff policy, declares the platform, "has been of the greatest benefit to the country, developing our resources, diversifying our industries and protecting our workmen against competition with cheaper labor abroad."

"Some of the existing import duties, it continues, "are too high and should be reduced. To accomplish this correct information is indispensable. This information can best be obtained by an expert commission, as the large volume of useful facts contained in the recent reports of the tariff board have demonstrated."

As to the high cost of living the platform declared that the party will support a "prompt scientific inquiry into the causes which are operative, both in the United States and elsewhere to increase the cost of living," and that when these facts are known the necessary steps will be taken to reduce high prices.

The platform declares for the "progressive department of our banking and currency system."

"It is of great importance," it continues, "to social and economic welfare of this country that its farmers have facilities for borrowing easily and cheaply the money they need to increase the productivity of their land. It is as important that financial machinery be provided to supply the demand of farmers for credit as it is that the banking and currency systems be reformed in the interest of general business. Therefore, we recommend the passage of State and Federal laws for the establishment and capable supervision of organizations having for another purpose the loaning of funds to farmers."

As to Campaign Funds.

The platform would "prohibit corporations from contributing to campaign funds; favors a continuance of the present conservation policy, and the establishment of a parcels post; approves the action of President Taft and of Congress in abrogating the treaty with Russia."

It declares for the "maintenance of an adequate navy," for a strong American merchant marine; for a liberal and systematic policy for the improvement of rivers and harbors; for a liberal Federal contribution to the work of preventing further floods along the Mississippi and for a continuance of the reclamation policy.

It favors developing Alaska's resources and the leasing of the coal sands there "on such terms as will invite development and provide fuel for the navy and the commerce of the Pacific ocean."

Laws to give relief from "the constantly growing evil of induced and undesirable immigration, which is inimical to the progress and welfare of the United States" are recommended.

Among Republican accomplishments mentioned are the Panama Canal, the bureau of mines, postal savings banks and the effort to secure greater economy and increased efficiency in the conduct of government business.

Health Campaign.

Robeson county, assisted by the State Board of Health, will wage a vigorous campaign against consumption, typhoid fever, malaria, smallpox, hookworm and other preventable diseases during the entire summer.

Lectures will be delivered, and literature will be distributed and hookworm will be treated free at the following places and dates: Rowland, Tuesdays, May 21, 28, June 4, 11.

Parkton, Thursdays, May 23, 30, June 6, 13.

Pembroke, Saturdays, May 25, June 1, 8, 15.

McDonalds, Tuesdays, June 25, July 2, 9.

Rennet, Thursdays, June 27, July 4, 11.

Lumberton, Saturdays, June 29, July 6, 13.

Maxton, Tuesdays, July 16, 23, 30.

Orrum, Thursdays, July 18, 25, Aug. 1.

St. Paul, Saturdays, July 20, 27, Aug. 3.

Howellville, Tuesdays, Aug. 6, 13, 20.

Fairmont, Thursdays, Aug. 8, 15, 22.

Buie, Saturdays, Aug. 10, 17, 24.

This will be the greatest health campaign ever waged in North Carolina. Every citizen should come out and see what is being done.

B. W. Page,
County Supt. of Health.

Mr. Geo. D. Green, 64 years old, who had just been appointed by Judge Conner clerk of the Federal court of the Eastern district of North Carolina, died at his home in Goldsboro on the 22nd as a result of a stroke of paralysis. He leaves a wife and three children.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For State Senate.

To the Democratic Voters of the Thirtieth Senatorial District of North Carolina:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Democratic nomination of State Senator from this district (Robeson county), subject to the action of the regular Democratic Primary to be held on the 10th day of August, 1912. If nominated and elected, I shall serve to the best of my ability, and without fear or favor, the interests of the whole people of Robeson county. Your support will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,
T. A. McNeill, Jr.

For State Senate.

In accordance with the wish of many voters of Robeson county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

H. E. STACY.

For House of Representatives.

In compliance with the wish expressed by my many friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for House of Representatives.

B. F. McMillan.

For Coroner.

To the Democratic Voters of Robeson County:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of coroner of Robeson county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held August 10. Your support will be appreciated.

Geo. A. Barnes.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county commissioner of Robeson county subject to the coming Democratic primary. If nominated and elected I will serve the county to the best of my ability.

Rory McNair.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county commissioner, of Robeson county, subject to the coming Democratic primary. If nominated and elected I will endeavor to serve the interest of the people to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
John W. Ward,
Rowland, N. C.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination for the office of Sheriff of Robeson county, subject to the action of the regular Democratic primary for the nomination of county officers.

R. E. Lewis,

Lumberton, N. C.

For County Treasurer.

To the voters of Robeson County: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of treasurer of Robeson county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held August 10. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Thos. Kinlaw.

For Register of Deeds.

Gentlemen and Fellow Citizens: Allow me to announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Register of Deeds. I return my heartfelt thanks to you for the very liberal support you have given me in the past, and I hope to have a continuance of the same in the coming campaign, (subject to the action of the Democratic primary.)

4-18. Thomas N. Higley.

For the Legislature.

To the Voters of Robeson County: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Lower House of the next State Legislature, subject to the action of the coming Democratic primary. If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to serve the interests of the people to the best of my ability.

5-2 H. C. McNair.

For County Treasurer.

To the Democratic Voters of Robeson County:

In announcing myself a candidate to succeed myself for the office of Treasurer of Robeson county, I wish to express my sincere thanks to the voters of Robeson county for their ever liberal and generous support in the past, and as the days, weeks and years fly by, floating me towards "three-score-and-ten" in life's little race, I will appreciate your support more deeply than ever. I am always subject to the will of the Democratic voter expressed either in convention or primary. If elected I will ever strive to perform the duties of the office honestly, courteously and kindly, to the very best of my ability.

4-15-tf M. G. McKenzie.

For Register of Deeds.

To the Voters of Robeson County: I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Robeson county, subject to the coming Democratic primary. All support will be greatly appreciated. I shall endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability if elected.

4-15-1 m* J. E. Carlyle.

For County Commissioner.

To the Voters of Robeson County: At the solicitation of some of my friends, I take this method of announcing myself for one of the four-year-term candidates for county commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,
Franklin P. Humphrey.

For County Commissioner.

To the Voters of Robeson County: At the solicitation of some of my friends, I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for County Commissioner at the coming Democratic primary. All support will be greatly appreciated.

4-18 J. D. Cobb.

For Register of Deeds

To the Democratic Voters of Robeson County:

I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Robeson county, subject to the action of the coming Democratic primary. If elected I shall endeavor to execute the duties of the office to the best of my ability. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

5-2

W. Austin Smith.

For Register of Deeds

I will be a candidate for the nomination of Register of Deeds of Robeson county at the coming Democratic primary. I will greatly appreciate the support of my fellow Democrats and if elected I will serve the people of the county to the best of my ability.

5-27 tf

J. T. Barker.

For Sheriff.

I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Robeson county, subject to the coming Democratic primary. If elected I shall endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability. All support will be greatly appreciated.

4-25-tf

J. M. Butler.

For the Legislature

In announcing my candidacy as one of the Representatives of Robeson in the next General Assembly, I want to state my position on the questions that are before the county. I am in favor of changing the road law to suit the wishes of the people—they pay the taxes and should say how the money should be spent. I am in favor of reduction of taxes consistent with the progress Robeson county is making. I am opposed to any division of Robeson county and favor adjusting our difficulties inside the county lines and inside the Democratic party. If the above meets with the approval of the Democrats of the county, I will appreciate their support in the primary, assuring them if elected I will serve the people of the whole county to the best of my ability.

5-23-tf

G. H. Hall.

A DATE TO REMEMBER.

August 10—Democratic primary for nomination of county officers.

Virginia & Carolina Southern Railroad Co

Time Table No. 17.

In Effect 12 o'clock Midnight Tuesday, January 9th, 1912.

Between Lumberton and Hope Mills.

SOUTHBOUND

Daily		No. 65	No. 79
Lv	Hope Mills,	5.15 p m	7.45 a m
"	Rowlin,	5.26 "	7.56 "
"	McMillan,	5.33 "	8.03 "
"	Oakland,	5.40 "	8.10 "
Ar	St. Pauls,	5.48 "	8.18 "
Lv	St. Pauls,	5.50 "	8.20 "
"	Roziers,	6.01 "	8.31 "
"	Woodmore,	6.06 "	8.36 "
"	Powers,	6.13 "	8.43 "
"	Bee Gee,	6.18 "	8.48 "
Ar	Lumberton,	6.25 "	8.55 "

NORTHBOUND

Daily		No. 64	No. 78
Ar	Hope Mills,	11.00 a m	9.30 p m
Lv	Rowlin,	10.50 "	9.17 "
"	McMillan,	10.42 "	9.10 "
"	Oakland,	10.35 "	9.02 "
Ar	St. Pauls,	10.27 "	8.57 "
Lv	St. Pauls,	10.25 "	8.55 "
"	Roziers,	10.14 "	8.44 "
"	Woodmore,	10.09 "	8.39 "
"	Powers,	10.02 "	8.32 "
"	Bee Gee,	9.57 "	8.27 "
"	Lumberton,	9.50 "	8.20 "

Elizabethtown Branch

Between St. Paul and Elizabethtown

Mixed train daily except Sunday.

No. 8.

No. 8.		No. 7.	
Ar	St. Paul	8.00 a m	Lv 9.05 p m
Lv	Tar Heel	7.15 "	" 9.55 "
"	Dublin	6.30 "	" 10.25 "
"	Elizabethtown	6.00 "	Ar 10.45 "

Nos. 5 and 6 will not carry passengers. Nos. 7 and 8 will stop on signal at Dundee, Tobermory, Duart, Perth and Berwick for passengers.

No. 79 will wait 15 minutes at St. Paul for passengers from No. 8.

No. 7 will wait at St. Paul for passengers from No. 78.

J. P. Russell, General Supt.

Raleigh and Charleston Railroad

Time Table No. 1, Taking Effect

Sunday, March 24, 1912, at 12:01 A. M.

SOUTH BOUND

No. 1.		No. 5.	
Lv.	Lumberton,	10.00 a m	1.00 p m
"	Pope,	10.10 "	1.10 "
"	Kingsdale,	10.16 "	1.20 "
"	Proctorville,	10.30 "	1.40 "
"	Barnesville,	10.44 "	2.05 "
"	Flowers,	10.52 "	2.15 "
"	Marietta,	10.57 "	2.35 "
"	Holmesville,	11.01 "	2.50 "
"	Pages Mill,	11.07 "	3.30 "
"	Kemper,	11.12 "	4.08 "
"	May,	11.14 "	4.15 "
"	Mellier,	11.16 "	4.20 "
"	Squires,	11.19 "	4.35 "
"	Fork,	11.22 "	4.50 "
"	Zion,	11.31 "	5.05 "
"	Rogers,	11.40 "	5.15 "
Ar	Marion,	11.55 "	5.35 "

NORTH BOUND

No. 2.		No. 6.	
Lv.	Marion,	3.39 p m	6.40 a m
"	Rogers,	3.43 "	7.00 "
"	Zion,	3.48 "	7.10 "
"	Fork,	3.55 "	7.50 "
"	Squires,	3.58 "	8.35 "
"	Mellier,	4.01 "	7.38 "
"	May,	4.05 "	7.43 "
"	Kemper,	4.08 "	7.48 "
"	Pages Mill,	4.14 "	7.55 "
"	Holmesville,	4.20 "	8.05 "
"	Marietta,	4.27 "	8.15 "
"	Flowers,	4.34 "	8.25 "
"	Barnesville,	4.42 "	8.35 "
"	Proctorville,	4.56 "	8.55 "
"	Kingsdale,	5.10 "	9.20 "
"	Pope,	5.15 "	9.30 "
Ar	Lumberton,	5.30 "	9.55 "

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily.

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Farm for Sale!

I have bought the James Thompson farm in Britt's township, about 4 1-2 miles from Lumberton. About 300 acres in tract. Will sell same as a whole or will cut it up to suit purchaser. This property is going to be sold at once.

The above-named property is sold. Anyone wishing to buy or sell farm property will please see me at once.

C. M. Barker,

87 Lumberton, N. C.

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