

### Harding Will Have 401 Electoral Votes

Latest Returns Give Republicans 57 Senators and Democrats 33—Other Late Election News. Special to The Robesonian. New York, Nov. 4.—Virtually complete returns show Harding will have at least 401 electoral votes and Cox 127. Others in Doubt. Outcome in New Mexico is doubtful, while Oklahoma appeared to favor Republican. Harding leading in Oklahoma by 10,000 while J. W. Herrel, Republican, is leading Scott Ferris for Senate. Latest returns give Republicans 57 Senators and Democrats 33.

### Republican Victory Was An Avalanche

Even Champ Clark Was Swept Out—Republicans Will Have a Majority of About 10 in Senate and About 100 in House—Harding Has at Least 346 Electoral Votes. The crest of the Republican political wave, both presidential and congressional, continued rising tonight as belated returns filtered in, states a New York dispatch of Nov. 3. The dispatch continues: Among new Democratic casualties were defeats of Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, former speaker and present Democratic leader in the House; election of a Republican Congressman from Texas, re-election of a Republican Senator from Missouri and a sudden jump of Senator Harding into the lead in Oklahoma. Another border state, Tennessee, hung by a narrow margin, but with the Democrats leading.

### Democratic Congressmen Elected

Solid Democratic Delegation From North Carolina to Congress by Increased Majorities. A solid Democratic delegation from North Carolina to Congress was elected Tuesday by increased majorities. With three exceptions all the present incumbents were candidates for reelection, the delegation for the new Congress, all Democrats, being as follows: First district—H. S. Ward, Beaufort county. Second district—Claude Kitchin, Halifax county. Third district—S. M. Brinson, Craven county. Fourth district—Charles M. Steadman, Guilford county. Sixth district—Homer L. Lyon, Columbus county. Seventh district—William C. Hammer, Randolph county. Eighth district—Robert L. Doughton, Alleghany county. Ninth district—A. L. Bulwinkle, Gaston county. Tenth district—Zebulon Weaver, Buncombe county.

### The Only Hope That Saves Life

A Solid Foundation on Which to Meet Life's Perplexing Problems—Wonderfully Helpful and Inspiring Sermon by Dr. Beaman. In a wonderfully helpful and inspiring sermon at Chestnut Street Methodist church Sunday morning the pastor, Dr. R. C. Beaman, gave an unflinching recipe for a calm and unruffled spirit in the face of storm and stress and the problems that perplex and harass. The source of the Master's strength, of his unruffled spirit at all times, was his abiding consciousness that he was sent by the Father to do a definite work and that when that work was done He would go to the Father.

### Amendments Carry By Big Majority

Fight Made on Amendments to State Constitution Was in Vain—Democratic Majority Largest Ever Given a Ticket in North Carolina—Only a Few New Figures Enter State Official Family. More complete returns in North Carolina indicate a majority for Democratic National and State tickets of around 80,000, the biggest in the history of the party in the state, states a Raleigh dispatch of last night. The Democrats carried all ten congressional districts. The two amendments to the State constitution, ratified by an estimated majority of 100,000, complete the tax reform program in the State. The amendments limit the rate of State and county taxes, and the amount of the poll tax; authorize an income tax, and change the requirement of two years residence in the State and payment of poll tax as a qualification for voting.

### WATCH LABEL ON YOUR PAPER AND DON'T LET SUBSCRIPTION EXPIRE.

Special to The Robesonian. Raleigh, Nov. 2.—Piling up the largest majority that has ever been given a ticket in North Carolina, carrying every congressional district, and putting the constitutional amendments across by an estimated 100,000 majority, today Cameron Morrison and the whole State ticket swept into office with majorities the face of the returns at midnight show will be upwards of 75,000. Democratic Chairman Warren says the majority will reach that figure. The unofficial returns nearly report that now and the more optimistic Democrats claim the totals will show majorities reaching nearer 100,000. There was no surprise at the victory. It is rather in the bigness of the majority. The biggest surprise of the day came in the vote the constitutional amendments received. Two weeks ago the advocates feared for the fate of the income tax and other changes in the constitution, but assiduous work on the part of its friends put the issue before the people. The fact that the amendments led the ticket indicates their support from a non-partisan electorate. They were submitted as non-partisan measures and John J. Parker advocated an income tax in his speeches.

### Varsar's Majority For Senate Is 1,456

Official Vote is Being canvassed Today—Democratic Candidate Most Freely Scratched Received 4,692 to 3,236 for Snoddy—Other Vote. The official vote of the various townships of Robeson in Tuesday's election is being canvassed at the court house today. It is practically an all-day job. The official vote will be given in the next issue of The Robesonian. Mr. L. R. Varsar's total official vote for the State Senate was 4,692. His opponent, Mr. J. C. Snoddy of Red Springs, Republican, received 3,236 voters, making Mr. Varsar's majority 1,456 votes, which is 106 greater than the estimate given in The Robesonian yesterday morning. The vote of Maxton township, which was merely estimated in yesterday's paper, was 91 for Varsar and 344 for Snoddy. Renner's vote not given yesterday, was 41 for Varsar, 42 for Snoddy. Other totals so far tabulated are: For House of Representatives N. B. McArthur, 4,661, N. W. Jenkins 4,576; Hall 3,253, Warwick 3,220. For sheriff—Lewis, Democrat, 5,259, Saaw, Republican, 2,844. For register of deeds—Floyd, Democrat, 5,695; McDonald, Republican, 2,578. For Congress, with the vote of 9 of the 26 precincts not given—Lyon Democrat, 4,043; White, Republican, 1,295. A Fayetteville dispatch of the 3rd states that unofficial returns from the Sixth congressional district indicate that Homer L. Lyon has carried the district by 8,000 to 10,000 majority over White, that his home county, Columbus, gives Lyon a majority of 1,800; Cumberland, 1,500; Harnett, 750; Bladen, possibly 1,000; and New Hanover, Brunswick and Robeson should carry the majority to 10,000. Mr. G. L. Thompson was re-elected road supervisor of Lumberton township without opposition.

### People Are Fooled Says Gov. Bickett

Election of Harding is Tragic Illustration of Fooling All the People Some of the Time—Ratification of Amendments Victory for Wisdom and Virtue. Raleigh News and Observer. "The election of Harding is a tragic illustration of the saying of Abraham Lincoln that you can fool all the people some of the time," declared Governor Bickett who watched the returns flashed by the News and Observer last night until the certainty of the Republican victory developed. "The Republicans have won," he continued, "on promises expressed and implied that they can never make good. They are doomed to failure and at the next election will pay the penalty. The overwhelming Democratic majority in the State records the steady character of our people. They steadfastly refused to run after strange gods. The triumphant ratification of the amendments is a victory for wisdom and virtue. The campaign of misrepresentation utterly broke down and the way is now clear for a fiscal policy in accordance with the best thought in all countries and adequate to meet the reasonable demands of a Christian civilization. I am deeply gratified at the result and wish to thank the host of great men and women who made this great victory possible and especially the independent central committee here in Raleigh that labored so patriotically and so effectively to place the facts before the people. I also want to thank and congratulate the women in the State for the noble part they played in this their first appearance on the political stage. The welfare of the State will always be safe in their hands."

### Robeson Baptist Assn In Session Today

L. R. Varsar is Re-elected Moderator—Annual Sermon by Dr. C. H. Durham. BY J. M. FLEMING. By Phone to The Robesonian. Red Springs, Nov. 4.—The 38th annual session of the Robeson Baptist association convened in the Baptist church here this morning. Rev. Dr. Chas. H. Durham, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lumberton, preached the annual sermon at 11 a. m. Mr. L. R. Varsar of Lumberton was re-elected moderator and Dr. R. T. Allen of Lumberton was re-elected clerk and treasurer. There is a large number of delegates present.

### Superior Court

Term of Criminal Court Will Begin Monday—One Murder Case—Trial of Clarence Trawick for Shooting Mr. A. P. Spell Also May Come Up. A week's term of Robeson Superior court for the trial of criminal cases will convene next Monday. It has not been learned who will preside. The trial of John Henry Bothen, colored, charged with killing Deputy Sheriff J. A. Kitchin, will come up during the term. It is also expected that the trial of Clarence Trawick, charged with shooting Mr. A. P. Spell of Red Springs, will be heard.

### Town Tax-Payers

Two per cent is taken off town taxes if paid during the month of November. If any taxpayer succeeds in having his valuation reduced, the town will refund the difference based on the reduced amount. Pay now and save your two per cent. J. P. RUSSELL, Clerk and Treasurer.

### TOWN TAX-PAYERS.

DE. WILLIAM W. PARKER BYE SPECIALIST Office: National Bank of Lumberton Building.

### Church Notes

Church Sunday will be held the last Communion service before conference, which meets at Rocky Mount the 17th inst. This also will be a baptismal service and there will be special music. Mrs. Will Currie of North Lumberton died yesterday morning at her home in North Lumberton of pella. Her husband and four children survive. Interment was made in Meadowbrook cemetery at 9 o'clock this morning.

### COTTON MARKET.

Strict middling cotton is selling on the local market today for 21 cents the pound; middling 20 cents.

### BRIEF ITEMS LOCAL NEWS

Mr. G. L. Tolar and family moved last week from near Raynham to Pembroke. Manager W. O. Thompson says that premiums won at the county fair will be mailed out next week. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Williams of R. 1, Fairmont, at the Thompson hospital Monday morning, a girl. Alfred Rowland Chapter, U. D. C., will meet tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 3:30 in the municipal building. Miss Mary Deese cast the first vote in the election here Tuesday morning, voting the straight Democratic ticket. Gaiter Bell, James Merrick and Howard Purcell, all colored, were before Recorder E. M. Britt Monday on the charge of vagrancy. They were found not guilty. Mr. W. B. Baxley of R. 5, Lumberton, was in town Monday. Mr. Baxley said that his 8-year-old son Dewey Wilbur was taken sick the day before with what the doctor thought might be influenza. Mr. P. S. Kornegay killed this morning, in the road just across the P. & C. railway, a "horn" snake. This is a rare species in this section. Its tail runs out to a sharp point of hard gritty substance and it is said to turn itself into a hoop and roll along and stick this point into its victim. It is then "goodnight" for the victim. It is a pretty snake but it is said to have a mighty mean disposition.

### REX VOTES BONDS FOR SCHOOL BUILDING

Patrons of the Rex public school district Saturday voted a \$15,000 bond issue for the purpose of erecting a new school building. Fifty-four votes were cast for the issue, while 9 who registered failed to vote.

### THE RECORD OF DEATHS.

Mrs. L. C. Hardin of Bladenboro. Mrs. L. C. Hardin, aged 24 years, of Bladenboro, died Tuesday afternoon at the Thompson hospital of typhoid fever. Deceased is survived by her husband. Mrs. Will Currie of North Lumberton died yesterday morning at her home in North Lumberton of pella. Her husband and four children survive. Interment was made in Meadowbrook cemetery at 9 o'clock this morning.

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