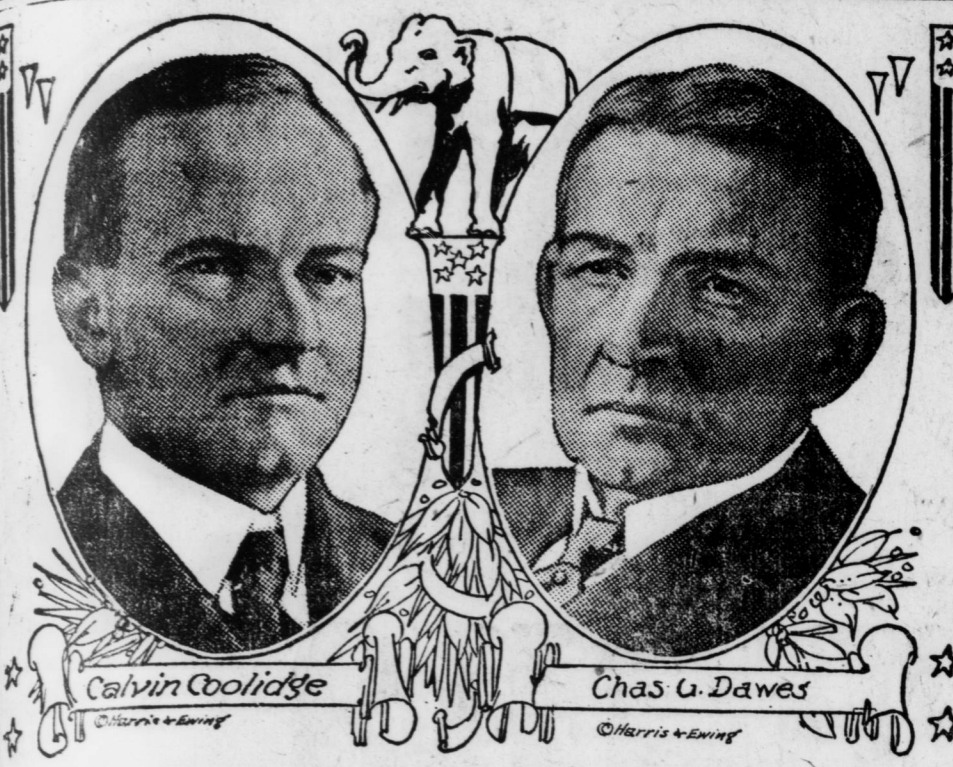


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THEY WERE ELECTED BY AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY.

THREE MARRIAGES IN WESTERN CHATHAM

H. L. Jordan and Cara Frances Wrenn, Ross Hargrove and Lillie Buckner, Victor Hanner and Nannie B. Jones

Siler City, Nov. 3.—Announcements have been issued by Mrs. Robert Franklin Wrenn announcing the marriage of her daughter, Miss Cara Frances, to Harry Lane Jordan on Saturday evening, November 1, at six o'clock. The ceremony was performed at her home here by the bride's pastor, Rev. O. I. Hinson. There were present only the immediate members of the families. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan left immediately for Raleigh to make their home for the present. The groom is a student at State College.

Another wedding of interest occurred Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage, when Miss Lillie Buckner became the bride of B. Ross Hargrove, both parties living on Siler City route 1. Coming as a surprise to their many friends is the announcement of the marriage of Victor Hanner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hanner, of Ore Hill, and Miss Nannie Belle Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Jones, of Guilford College. The ceremony was performed at Burlington and the happy couple returned to the home of the groom's parents last night.

Visitors in the home of John T. Ferguson for the week-end were Miss Ferguson, who is a member of the Farm Life School faculty, of the county, Miss Mary Alice Ferguson, a student of Louisville College, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Jones, of Coma.

Those coming here to vote tomorrow will find ample provision made for both dinners and suppers. The ladies of the Methodist and Baptist churches, both groups of whom have flattering reputations as cooks, will serve meals in the new building and over live bannocks.

MONCURE NEWS

Miss Virginia Cathell, after spending ten days with her parents at Moncure, returned last Sunday to Fredericksburg, Va., where she is attending the Training School.

Messrs. Jennings Womble and Sam and Clarence Crutchfield, who are attending Elon College this year, spent last week-end with their parents at Moncure.

Mr. Worth Wilkie, who has a position at Winston-Salem, spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Florence Wilkie.

Mr. C. D. Orrell, of Yemassee, S. C., was in town one day last week.

Mr. Joe Self, a salesman for a New York concern now, but who once held a position with Phoenix Utility Co., spent last Saturday in town.

Mrs. C. L. Gunter and children, of Sanford, spent last week-end with her father, Mr. J. J. Womble, of Haywood.

The Hallowe'en party which was given at the school Auditorium last Friday evening was a success in every way. The school boys and girls were dressed suitably for the occasion and seemed to enjoy it to the fullest extent. The "cake walk" was enjoyed by all and the older folk remarked that it was the first cake walk that they had seen in a long time.

Mr. S. G. Marshall and Mrs. I. D. Wilkie won the most votes on the cake, so they received the cake. The pretty and nice boxes that were auctioned off by Mr. E. E. Walden brought a good price.

The only thing that marred the occasion was a cold Auditorium for the school and visitors. Something should be done to heat the Auditorium now, this fall and not wait until the children and others have had colds and even pneumonia.

Hallowe'en party was given last Saturday evening, November 1. Miss Raffie Mims entertained in honor of the Moncure Senior class. The ones invited met at the Moncure high school building at 6:30 o'clock. Several cars were there to carry the jolly adventurers to an old haunted house near Merry Oaks. A glowing fire was built in a large fireplace. All circled around the fire to tell jokes and ghost stories. After this music from the Victrola was enjoyed, then the crowd joined in singing while Miss Tula Mims played the Ukelele.

After the fire burned low weenies were roasted on the coals. Those enjoying Miss Mims' hospitality were Misses Lula Patterson, Daisy L. Northcutt, Alice Weber, Mabel Self, Tula Mims, Flora Johnson, Pauline Ray, and Julia Johnson; Messrs. J. K. Barnes, Allen Moore, William Womble, Glenn Womble, Evan Ray, of Moncure, and Sam Crutchfield and Jennings Womble, of Elon College, and O'Conner Maynard, Carlyle Lassiter, and Browdie Bell, of Apex. Mrs. E. G. Crews, of Durham chaperoned.

Mr. V. H. Hilliard is now having a modern hotel built on main street. He hopes to have it completed by Christmas.

MISS NANCY THOMAS DEAD

Miss Nancy Thomas died Monday, November 3, at the home of Mr. D. Thomas, a cousin, with whom she had lived for the last three years. Miss Thomas was 85 years old. She was a consecrated Christian, for many years a member of Gum Springs Baptist Church. She was liked by everybody. She seemed as well Sunday as usual but was stricken with paralysis Sunday evening and died Monday at 1:30 p. m. The burial was at Gum Springs cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Norris, of Cary.

Parent-Teacher Association

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the Pittsboro school Auditorium Friday, November 7, at 3:30 p. m. It is said to be an important meeting and all the parents and others interested in the school are regard to attend.

BEAR CREEK NEWS

Bear Creek, Nov. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Yarbrough, of Winston-Salem, spent Monday night in the home of T. B. Beal. Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough were married in Winston-Salem last Saturday. Mr. Yarbrough holds a position there as a traffic cop. Also Miss Alma Holt, of Kernersville, spent the night at Mr. Beal's.

Mrs. Mary Dowdy, of Danville, Annie Brafford and Keith Fields, of West Durham, were Sunday visitors at Miss Belle Beal's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Perrel and son, Elvid, spent last week, visiting relatives and friends on route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loyd, and son Victor and Mrs. G. A. Loyd spent the week-end visiting relatives in Burlington.

Misses Nellie, Louise and Clara Brooks, of Siler City, spent the week-end with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Melver.

Womble school opened Monday with Miss Ida Dorsett, of Siler City, route 3, as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Holt, of Salisbury, were weekend-visitors at T. B. Beal's.

Mrs. W. M. Snipes, of Portland, Oregon, Mrs. F. R. Snipes, and family, of Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Snipes, of Durham, Mrs. R. G. Gains and family, of Harpers Cross Roads, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thomas, of route 2, Bear Creek, were last week's visitors at J. H. Snipes'.

Joe J. Thomas was born June 21, 1896, being 58 years, 4 months and 4 days old at his death October 26.

Mr. Thomas was married on September 23, 1888 to Miss Mary Susan Glosson, oldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Glosson. To this union were born 8 children, seven of which are now living, 4 boys, Harry, John and Charlie, of Haw River; Morris, of Burlington, 3 girls—Mrs. E. W. Walden, of Bear Creek, route 2; and Misses Mary Lou and Maggie, of Haw River. He is also survived by 8 brothers—Aymie Thomas, of Ransauer; Isaac Thomas, of Asheboro; Cisero Thomas, of Greensboro; Mrs. Lydia Brady, of Ransauer; and Mrs. John Stout, of South Carolina, and one sister whose address is unknown.

Mr. Thomas had lived in Haw River for the past five years. He left Chatham in 1912, and lived near Graham for several years. The funeral was held at Meronies Church Tuesday 28th, being conducted by Rev. John Pamar, of the Friends' Church, at Graham.

His wife predeceased him on September 11, 1922.

MT. PLEASANT NOTES

The Hallowe'en Carnival held at the school house was a success. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves in every way. The total proceeds amounted to \$58.29, two-thirds of which will go to the piano fund and the other to the school. The cake for the most attractive young lady brought \$26.00, Mrs. Lonnie Stroud getting the highest number of votes, Miss Ruth Avent second, and Miss Laura Harris third. The lucky ones in the cake walk were John Stroud and Mary Mann. The fishing pond was the greatest attraction of the evening. There were also several stunts. Misses Avent and Powell deserve much credit for such an ideal entertainment.

Edward Avent, of the University accompanied by his friend, E. L. Mincey, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Avent.

Among those visiting in the neighborhood for the week-end were: Miss Pattie Petty, of Durham, Miss Margaret Gattis, of Chapel Hill. Annie and Garland Fowler, spent the week-end with Miss Nell Powell.

PROTRACTED MEETING AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Stork, of Mt. Gilead will assist the pastor, Rev. Jonas Barclay in a meeting at Pittsboro Presbyterian Church, beginning on November 9th at 11 a. m.

Mr. Stork has been blessed in evangelistic work and his coming at this time should be welcomed by our town and community. All denominations are cordially invited to cooperate in this campaign for righteousness and soul-training.

Smuggled in a packing case, a Chinaman starved to death on his way to America.

PITTSBORO SCHOOL NEWS

The Great Hallowe'en Carnival and Boxing and Wrestling Bouts—The Honor Roll—A Patriotic Program

High School Honor Roll
8th Grade—Lester Farrell, C. C. Hamlet.

9th Grade—Sadie Brooks Johnson, Mary Frances Perry.

10th Grade—Mary Dell Bynum, Louise Brooks.

11th Grade Miriam Chapin.

Patriotic Chapel Program
On last Tuesday morning a very interesting patriotic chapel program was conducted by the teachers Training Class. The program was enjoyed as follows:

Song—There are many Flags in Many Lands.

The Scripture, 2 Tim. 2-15, was taught to the school in a very interesting way by Miss Perry.

Song—Our Flag—Class.
Poem—The Flag—Miss Mabel Cheek.

A talk on flag etiquette, in the absence of Miss Laura Harris, was given by Miss Berry.

Flag Salute and Pledge—taught by Miss Lella Johnson.

Fairy Story of the Flag—Miss Carter.

Song—Star Spangled Banner—School.

In the talk on flag etiquette, the public might be interested to know that flags may be used to decorate any public assembly halls provided they are hung vertically or horizontally, and with the blue field always to the observer's left. It is a breach of propriety to use the flag for decorative purposes as clothing or pillow cushions, or for advertisements. The flag should never be draped except over a casket.

Carnival and Exhibition

The Carnival and athletic exhibition at the Pittsboro High School Auditorium on the night of October 31 was refreshing and entertaining. Ghosts, goblins, witches, gypsies, pumpkin-freaks and even stranger characters composed a conglomerate, gay, Hallowe'en crowd of laughing, teasing, noisy masqueraders. Horns blared and children cried. Confetti rained everywhere and was eaten in ice cream, cake and hot dogs in happy ignorance.

Miss Edna Hackney won first prize for costume. She was quite charming and sweet in her crown dress representing the harvest season. Miss Emily Taylor, the wise, gypsy fortune teller won second prize.

Mrs. Shannonhouse, the chairman of the Parent-Teacher Association deserves a great deal of praise for her efficient management of the Carnival.

The financial proceeds of sales from the booths has not been totaled but the workers are well pleased with the result. The value of the Hallowe'en noise, and frolics is measured in terms of new youth for over-serious adults. The pupils of Pittsboro school and the parents responded beautifully in helping make the booths a success.

The boxing and wrestling exhibition was watched by a large audience of people who found the bouts interesting and exciting enough to bring them to their feet continually. Hearty cheering and open support of high school leaders kept the hall in a roar continually.

The Carolina boys who helped Waters put the exhibition across were fine, clean athletes who gladly gave themselves and their time to come to Pittsboro and "lend a hand" to our young athletic association. They showed real interest in the work of the high school boys, several of whom exhibited remarkable skill.

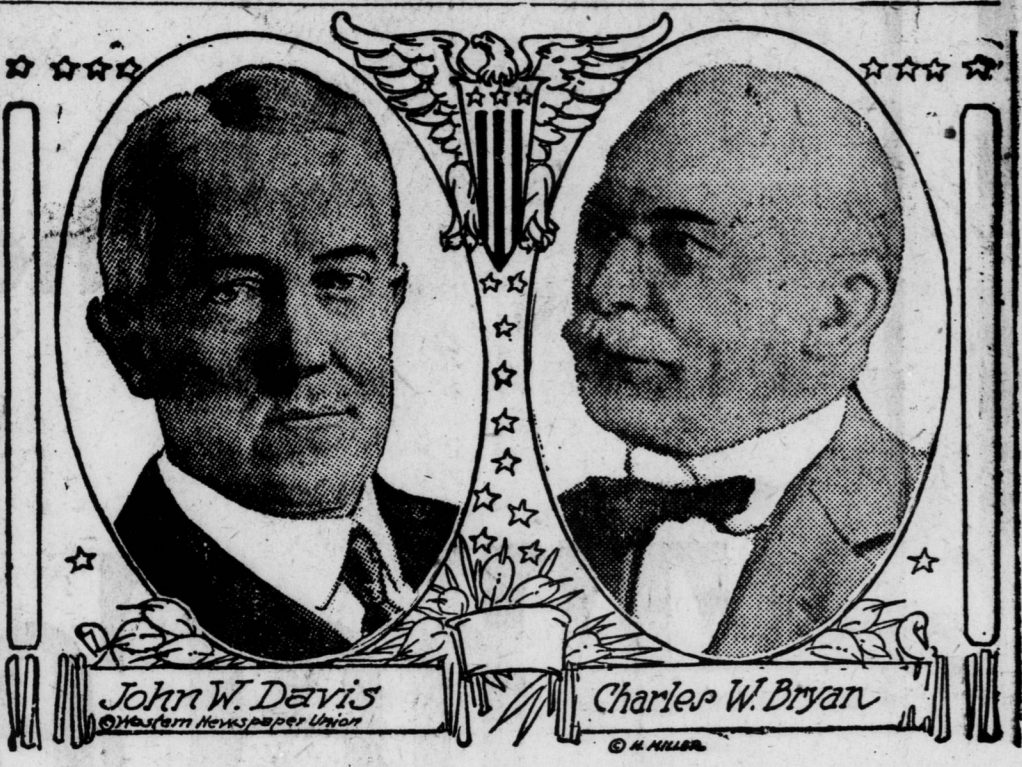
Outstanding features of the evening were: A speech by C. C. Poindexter, Carolina's all-round athlete; the boxing of "Kid" Gallagher, champion lightweight of North Carolina; the training stunts and wrestling of Captain Zack Waters, of Carolina's Wrestling team; and the exhibits of training for boxers, by Charlie Thomas.

Quite worthy of mention was the amusing "speech" "My Possum and Coon Skin Hunt" by C. J. Poindexter who provoked the audience to laughter with his original and inimitable drollery.

Pittsboro High School is proud of Coach Waters. He has shown his leadership and executive ability in the promotion of the athletic exhibition. The bouts were as follows:
Boxing—Lee Burns vs. Lee Powell. Decision a draw. Fouts vs. Shannonhouse. Decision, a draw. Barkley vs. Straguhn, Straguhn won by referee's decision. Thomas vs. Gallagher, Gallagher won on points.

Wrestling—Harry Bell vs. Wyeth Ray, Bell won on time. Zack Waters vs. C. C. Poindexter, Poindexter won on fall. Roland Farrell vs. Lacy Harper, Harper won on fall. Royal Shannonhouse vs. Leary. Decision, draw. Poindexter vs. J. S. Waters. Decision, a draw.

Manager Bill Cox refereed the boxing in a capable manner. J. S. Waters refereed the wrestling.
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THEY WERE DEFEATED—SECURING ONLY THE VOTES OF THE SOUTHERN STATES.

THE ELECTION IN THE COUNTY

The Democrats won by an increased majority in Chatham. The biggest majority was that of Sheriff Blair, nearly a thousand, with Register of Deeds Poe a close second. Mr. Wade Barber, for representative, won by 432, unofficial count. Sheriff Blair's vote was greater than the State Democratic vote, and Barber's less. Barber had in Fred Paschall, one of the finest fellows in the county as an opponent.

The port bill was beaten by 1298. The Soldiers' loan was carried in the county.

Davis led the Democratic ticket in the county with 3447 votes. Grist led the State ticket with 3436, Simmons and Everett got 3430 each. McLean ran behind, getting only 3271 to Meekins 2752. La Follette got 15 in the county; Coolidge 2755.

O. A. HOLLEMAN PASSES

Sunday morning about 3:30, Mr. O. A. Holleman, one of Center township's most respected citizens, passed away at his home in the eastern part of the township, surrounded by his family.

Mr. Holleman was 56 years of age and was a good neighbor, husband and father and was a consistent member of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, at which place the funeral services were held Monday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Norris, the interment taking place at the cemetery there.

He leaves a wife and three small children, three brothers, F. M. Holleman, and Raymond Holleman to mourn their loss.

WALTERS-PERRY

From the Raleigh Times of October 31, is clipped the announcement of the marriage of Mr. C. H. Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Walters, of Siler City. The groom himself formerly lived at Siler City and his Chatham friends will doubtless be glad to learn of his good fortune. The announcement follows:

Mr. T. L. Pace, of Durham, announces the marriage of his niece, Miss Frances Perry, of Texas to C. H. Walters, of Raleigh, October 25, at Raleigh.

Mrs. Walters has made her home here for the past few months, coming from Belton, Texas. She is an accomplished young woman, having received her education at Baylor College, Belton, Texas.

Mr. Walters is a young business man of this city.

WINNIE DAVIS CHAPTER CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

The Winnie Davis Chaptles of the U. D. C. celebrated its 20th birthday last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. H. A. London was the hostess. A birthday cake graced the occasion. It was a very pleasant and profitable meeting.

Mrs. H. M. London, of Raleigh, who was elected vice-president of the State organization at the Rocky Mount meeting, was an honored guest, as was Mrs. James Cordon, of Raleigh, a daughter of the hostess. Other guests of the occasion besides the members, were Mesdames Shannonhouse and Peterson.

CATAWBA REPUBLICAN

Hickory, Nov. 4.—Catawba county elected a full set of Republican officers with the exception of George Bost, who won by 37 votes over his opponent for sheriff in the closest election in the history of the county.

FEATURES OF THE ELECTION

Coolidge made a clean sweep of the country except the Southern states, which, of course went to Davis, and Wisconsin, and possibly one or two North western states, which went to La Follette. Coolidge wins by even a bigger majority than Harding did. Senator Brookhart, the Republican nominee for the senate in Indiana, who attacked the Republican national ticket, was defeated by his Democratic opponent.

Two women were elected governors, Mrs. Ferguson, of Texas, and Mrs. Rowe, of Wyoming.

Davis ran third in a number of states. Al Smith beat Theodore Roosevelt for the governorship of New York, though the state went overwhelmingly for Coolidge.

All the Democratic candidates for Congress in North Carolina were elected.

The port bill was beaten in the State, despite the hardest effort of Governor Morrison and others for it.

HALLOWE'EN IN PITTSBORO

(Contributed)
The Pittsboro High School corridors presented a gay and festive scene last Friday evening with brilliant lights, and a profusion of hallowe'en decorations, black cats, the wise owls, goblins and all the things that go with the season, the occasion being a Hallowe'en carnival under the auspices of the Parents-Teachers Association, a newly organized department of the Woman's Club, and with Mrs. R. G. Shannonhouse as the efficient chairman.

The young lady teachers in the school, are to be congratulated on their splendid management of the separate booths and for the artistic decorations. Miss Dunlap had charge of the Hallowe'en booth, which was decorated in yellow and black, with pumpkins and all the guesome characters of Hallowe'en. She sold Hallowe'en articles of all sorts.

Miss Edwards' booth was prettily decorated in autumn leaves; she sold pies and candy.

Miss Showalters was in charge of the sandwich and soft drinks booth, which she had artistically decorated in Hallowe'en colors, with black cats, as was, also, Miss Large's booth, where she dispensed coffee and "hot dogs."

Miss Skinner managed the ice cream and cake booth. This she had daintily decorated in pink and white, with numerous black cats in contrast. Two cakes, decorated for the occasion, were sold at auction.

Quite a number came dressed in fancy costumes. Miss Edna Hackney, of Bynum won first prize, a large cake. Her costume was made of corn shucks. Miss Emily Taylor won second prize, a pie. She wore a gypsy costume. Little Miss Connel Hamlet won third prize, a basket of candy; she was dressed as a big black cat.

Billy Chapin as a beggar girl won fourth prize, a box of candy. The most exciting and interesting ready to aid in promoting improvements was a wrestling and boxing bout conducted by Prof. J. S. Walters, who has charge of the school athletics. A nice sum was realized from the evenings program, which will be used for school improvements.

The Woman's Club has always been greatly interested in every phase of school work and is ever ready to aid in promoting improvements.

Every club woman is highly interested in the much needed improvements and is behind this newly organized department in full strength and determination to make it a success.

Dr. J. C. Mann will be in Pittsboro for his monthly appointment on November 18, the third Tuesday, instead of the fourth Tuesday as usual. This change because of Thanksgiving. See ad.

LOOK AT YOUR LABEL