

# List of Members of the Next General Assmblly

A baker's dozen and a half represent the minority party in the 1923 general assembly, according to a preliminary list of representatives and senators-elect compiled by H. M. London, legislative reference librarian. Only 200 Republicans are left in the house where at the last session twenty-nine occupied the back seats. In the senate there are three in place of the eleven who upheld minority dignity at the last session.

Official returns of the recent election have been received from all but seven counties and what are considered correct unofficial returns from these.

According to figures compiled by Corporation Commissioner W. T. Lee who headed the Democratic state ticket, received 225,615 votes and Mr. Hoover, his Republican opponent, 140,557—Lee's majority 85,058. The Democrats elected all ten congressmen with majorities ranging from 7,000 to 12,000. They gained two solicitors, eight senators and nineteen representatives in the legislature, with about an equal number of sheriffs, clerks, registers of deeds, county treasurers, boards of county commissioners and other county officers as representatives. Several counties have gone Democratic for the first time in twenty years and Henderson county for the first time since the Republican party was organized. That party has only one solicitor. Four counties, Mitchell, Surry, Wilkes and Yadkin, will be represented in both branches of the next legislature by Republicans.

The list as compiled by Mr. London follows:

- Senators.**
- First District—T. W. Costen, Gatesville, (D.); P. H. Williams, Elizabeth City, (D.)
- Second District—Harry W. Stubbs, Williamston, (D.); P. H. Johnson, Pantego, (D.)
- Third District—A. T. Castello, Aulander, (D.)
- Fourth District—Paul Jones, Tarboro, (D.); W. L. Long, Roanoke Rapids, (D.)
- Fifth District—S. J. Everett, Greenville, (D.)
- Sixth District—O. B. Moss, Spring Hope, (D.); C. P. Harris, Mapleville, (D.)
- Seventh District—L. P. Tapp, Kinston, (D.); Jno. S. Hargett, Trenton, (D.)
- Eighth District—H. B. Parker, Goldsboro, (D.); Paul D. Grady, Kenly, (D.)
- Ninth District—R. D. Johnson, Warsaw, (D.); Emmett Bellamy, Wilmington, (D.)
- Tenth District—J. A. Brown, Chadbourne, (D.); J. W. Raurk, Southport, (D.)
- Eleventh District—L. R. Varner, Lumberton, (D.)
- Twelfth District—D. A. McDonald, Carthage, (D.); J. R. Baggett, Lillington, (D.)
- Thirteenth District—Jas. L. Griffin, Pittsboro, (D.); Chas. U. Harris, Raleigh, (D.)
- Fourteenth District—Howard F. Jones, Warrenton, (D.)
- Fifteenth District—A. A. Hicks, Oxford, (D.)
- Sixteenth District—J. Clyde Ray, Hillsboro, (D.); R. T. Wilson, Yanceyville, (D.)
- Seventeenth District—O. E. Menoehall, High Point, (D.); J. C. Brown, Madison, (D.)
- Eighteenth District—C. C. Bennett, (D.) Samarcand; W. E. Harrison, Rockingham, (D.)
- Nineteenth District—J. M. Bovette, Albemarle, (D.); W. C. Heath, Monroe, (D.)
- Twentieth District—J. L. Delaney, Charlotte, (D.); Frank Armfield, Concord, (D.)
- Twenty-first District—Walter H. Woodson, Salisbury, (D.)
- Twenty-second District—A. F. Sams, Winston-Salem, (D.)
- Twenty-third District—Rufus L. Haymore, Mt. Airy, (R.)
- Twenty-fourth District—G. T. White, Hamptonville, (R.)
- Twenty-fifth District—Buren Jerney, Statesville, (D.); W. A. Graham, Jr., Lincolnton, (D.)
- Twenty-sixth District—A. E. Woltz, Gastonia, (D.)
- Twenty-seventh District—D. F. Giles, Marion, (D.); S. C. Lattimore, Shelby, (D.)
- Twenty-eighth District—Mark Smires, Lenoir, (D.)
- Twenty-ninth District—Allen Jones, Forchess, (D.)
- Thirtieth District—D. J. M. Hodges, Newland, (R.)
- Thirty-first District—Plato D. Ebbs, Asheville, (D.)
- Thirty-second District—J. M. Zachary, Calvert, (D.)
- Thirty-third District—G. B. Walker, Andrews, (D.)


- Representatives.**
- Alamance—Edward S. Parker, Jr., Graham, (D.)
- Alexander—F. C. Gwaltney, Taylorsville, (R.)
- Alleghany—R. A. Doughton, Sparta, (D.)
- Anson—Bert E. Bennett, Wadesboro, (D.)
- Ashes—T. C. Bowie, Jefferson, (D.)
- Avery—Ed S. Loven, Linville, (D.)
- Beaufort—Lindsay C. Warren, Washington, (D.)
- Bertie—Dr. L. A. Nowell, Colerain, (D.)
- Bladen—D. H. Johnson, Elizabethtown, (D.)
- Brunswick—M. B. Watkins, Townsboro, (D.)
- Buncombe—H. L. Nettles, Biltmore, (D.)
- Burke—S. J. Ervin, Jr., Morganton, (D.)
- Cabarrus—Jno. B. Sherrill, Concord, (D.)
- Catawba—Frank D. Grist, Lenoir, (D.)
- Chatham—Chas. Harris, South Mills, (D.)

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- Chester—J. H. Dillard, Murphy, (D.)
- Crowan—W. D. Pruden, Edenton, (D.)
- Clay—W. B. Pass, Hayesville, (D.)
- Cleveland—J. Roan Davis, King's Mountain, (D.)
- Columbus—Geo. W. Hooks, Whiteville, (D.)
- Craven—R. P. Williams, New Bern, (D.)
- Cumberland—Q. K. Nimocks, Jr., Fayetteville, (D.)
- Currituck—J. L. Dunston, Waterlily, (D.)
- Dare—Chas. H. Grady, Manteo, (D.)
- Davidson—H. D. Townsend, Erlanger, (D.)
- Davie—M. J. Hendricks, Cana, R., (D.)
- Duplin—Dr. J. H. Newberry, Warsaw, (D.)
- Durham—R. O. Everett, Durham, (D.); V. S. Bryant, Durham, (D.)
- Edgemcombe—R. T. Fountain, Rocky Mount, (D.)
- Forsyth—C. E. Hamilton, Winston-Salem, (D.); R. M. Cox, Winston-Salem, (D.); Luther Ferrell, Winston-Salem, (D.)
- Franklin—Geo. H. Cooper, Louisburg, (D.)
- Gaston—H. S. Sellars, King's Mountain, (D.); H. B. Gaston, Belmont, (D.)
- Gates—R. W. Simpson, Troyville, (D.)
- Graham—T. M. Jenkins, Robbinsville, (R.)
- Granville—Jno. S. Watkins, Virginia, Va., R. 2, (D.)
- Greene—Levi Hill, LaGrange, (D.)
- Guilford—T. E. Whitaker, Oak Ridge, (D.); C. G. Wright, Greensboro, (D.); Jno. W. King, Greensboro, (D.)
- Halifax—R. H. Parker, Enfield, (D.); Chas. R. Daniel, Weldon, (D.)
- Harnett—N. A. Townsend, Dunn, (D.)
- Haywood—T. L. Gwynn, Springdale, (D.)
- Henderson—C. P. Rodgers, East Flat Rock, (D.)
- Hertford—L. J. Lawrence, Murfreesboro, (D.)
- Hoke—Martin A. Patterson, Raeford, (D.)
- Hyde—G. E. Davis, Lake Landing, (D.)
- Jackson—O. B. Coward, Webster, (D.)
- Johnston—W. M. Sanders, Smithfield, (D.); D. J. Thurston, Clayton, (D.)
- Jones—T. C. Whitaker, Trenton, (D.)
- Lee—Dr. E. M. McIver, Jonesboro, (D.)
- Lenoir—J. G. Dawson, Kinston, (D.)
- Lincoln—A. L. Quickel, Lincolnton, (D.)
- Macon—J. Frank Ray, Franklin, (D.)
- Madison—J. Wiley Nelson, Marshall, (D.)
- Martin—Clayton Moore, Williamston, (D.)
- McDowell—W. W. Neal, Marion, (D.)
- Mecklenburg—Edgar W. Pharr, Charlotte, (D.); R. M. Person, Charlotte, (D.); W. R. Matthews, Charlotte, (D.)
- Mitchell—Dr. C. A. Peterson, Spruce Pine, (R.)
- Montgomery—R. B. Reynolds, Star, (D.)
- Moore—Geo. R. Ross, Jackson Springs, (D.)
- Nash—Dr. J. C. Braswell, Whitakers, (D.); J. W. Robbins, Rocky Mount, (D.)
- New Hanover—L. J. Poisson, Wilmington, (D.); J. E. L. Wade, Wilmington, (D.)
- Northampton—W. H. S. Burgwyn, Jackson, (D.)
- Onslow—H. V. Grant, Sneads Ferry, (D.)
- Orange—A. H. Graham, Hillsboro, (D.)
- Pamlico—Frank B. Hooker, Oriental, (D.)
- Pasquotank—F. F. Cohoon, Elizabeth City, (D.)
- Pender—W. H. Lewis, Atkinson, (D.)
- Perquimans—B. F. Bray, Hertford, (D.)
- Person—W. A. Warren, Hurdle Mills, (D.)
- Pitt—Julius Brown, Greenville, (D.); R. W. Smith, Ayden, (D.)
- Polk—Clarence Moran, Tryon, (R.)
- Robeson—D. P. McKinnon, Rowland, (D.); Collier Cobb, Parkton, (D.)
- Randolph—I. C. Moser, Asheboro, (D.)
- Richmond—W. N. Everett, Rockingham, (D.); D. C. Farlowe, Rockingham, (D.)

**Fourth District Judge Appointed.** Federal District Judge John C. Rose of Baltimore, was nominated last week by President Harding to be U. S. Judge of the fourth circuit. This circuit is composed of North and South Carolina, Virginia, Maryland and West Virginia.

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John H. Puelicher, president of the American Bankers' association, remarked in an endorsement of a statement that "the most stable population of America has always been the small-home owner."

"English colonists," writes Mr. Puelicher in the National Real Estate Journal, "secured the right to hold property—they became established. That ownership brought a higher form of civilization, a desire to live happily as a community of individuals, each respecting the rights of others. It brought greater contentment. It encouraged the people to work and develop their holdings, since the improvement and betterment of these result in reward to the owner."

"Today a man who owns his home or his farm is, in a measure, owned by his home or his farm. There are so many elements of respectability that come to him who finds permanent shelter for his loved ones. It is a force for law, since a home owner desires protection by law. He acquires respect for the property of others. He wants good, sound government and desires to become an advocate of law and order. Ownership makes him vigilant. I think it was Gladstone who said: 'Property always sleeps with one eye open.'"

### How to Plant Fruit Trees.

To plant fruit trees instead of shade trees it is first necessary to give the trees plenty of room. Two perfect trees will fill the back yard of a 50-foot lot, and any other trees in that space will crowd them. One must be prepared to give more care to fruit trees than to shade trees, and spraying and pruning a specimen 20 feet high is quite a job. Pear and cherry trees need less attention than apples, but a good yield of fruit requires not less than three sprayings in a season, and sometimes more than that. The more vigorous shade trees will need no spraying at all, unless attacked by an unusual insect invasion.

There is little doubt that the trouble given to mature fruit trees is well repaid by their production, and there is no doubt whatever that fruit can be produced in back yards equal in quality to any on earth and far superior to that obtained in the markets, because it can be ripened on the tree and eaten when just right.

### Ready Ownership Thrift.

We find fewer spendthrifts among the owners of real estate. They know that the mere filing of a judgment in the county clerk's office becomes a lien on their real property—not as if they could conceal their assets in some out-of-town bank and when they found their debts accumulating silently steal away. Hence, it is to the real-estate owners that the storekeeper looks for his best customers, and since, after all, the entire fiscal power of the government are exercised by trade, it can readily be seen that home ownership encourages trade and stabilizes credit.

### Nation's Army Consistories.

Fort Leavenworth, Kan., boasts of having the only army consistories known to Missouri. It is restricted to army men. There are two or three army blue lodges in the country, but no other consistories for army men exclusively.

## OLD FOLKS NEED NOT BE FEEBLE

If you are "getting along in years" you don't need to sit in a chimney

phages, Christian education, old ministers' relief, and hospitals. The Baptists have a way of accomplishing anything they undertake, and this time, as usual, they will no doubt "go over the top."

### The Fight Against Tuberculosis.

The only age at which one is not liable to die from tuberculosis, according to figures issued by the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association, is between 90 and 110 years of age. At any rate, this is the only period in which no deaths occurred in North Carolina last year. Therefore those not nearing the century mile-post will do well to be on their guard.

Tuberculosis is no respecter of persons or age. The only safeguard is a body made resistant to attack by clean living. Often the disease creeps in and gains a hold while the bodily resistance is low due to illness from other causes. Then, the help of those trained in treating tuberculosis is needed to oust the invader.

Even children under a year old are often victims, no less than 27 having died last year from this cause. The death rate climbs steadily until it peaks is reached at the age period of from 20 to 30 years. During this period 35 per cent of all the deaths occur.

The program of the North Carolina Association for the prevention of tuberculosis will include this year special work among school children. This work will be supported entirely by the sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals, for which the association is agent in North Carolina.

### Kills Wife and Child

Richard Garrett, who was an inmate of an insane asylum for some time having been released only about a month ago, killed his wife and one child at their home at Saluda December 2nd. The two bodies were found by the neighbors who came in response to the screams of the other children. The tragedy leaves five motherless children, the oldest being ten years old, who are being cared for by neighbors until relatives can reach them. When the officers were notified, they went to the scene prepared for a fight as Garrett was armed, but while it is said, shots were exchanged, he was captured on the roof of the house and lodged in jail at Columbus without bail.

### New Bank For Mocksville

The Southern Bank and Trust Co., opened its doors for business Saturday at Mocksville. This is the second bank for the town, and the people are pleased with the financial outlook for the town.


### CORN MOST IMPORTANT OF NATION'S PRODUCTS

Washington, Nov. 28.—Corn, the red man's gift to the white man, has come to be the nation's most important farm crop. Consumed either directly or in the form of meat and other animal products, it is the principal source of the nation's food supply. The 1921 year-book of the department of agriculture shows just to what extent the three billion bushel crop forms the basis of the livestock industry. Forty per cent of the crop is fed to swine on farms, 20 per cent to horses and mules on farms, and 15 per cent to cattle on farms. Only 10 per cent is used direct for human food.

Corn was one of the most important gifts America made to the rest of the world. The United States now produces about three-fourths of the world's corn crop. That corn also is an important crop in Argentina, Brazil, Mexico and some of the southern European countries is shown in the report.

Weather, insects and plant diseases have a great deal to do with regulating the size of the crop in the United States. The estimated loss caused by common smut alone during the period 1917-1920 was placed at about 80 million bushels annually. Of insect pests the corn-ear worm, which abundant

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