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Democratic Primary Saturday In Randolph Brought Out Big Vote

Nearly Five Thousand Votes Cast As Randolph Democrats Ballot On Candidates.

Conduct Campaign With Good Feeling

Ingram, Lovett, Lambert, Hayworth And Cox Are Nominated: Republicans Vote.

The primary in Randolph Saturday brought out the largest vote in the history of the county. The total vote for the Democratic candidates for nomination to the legislature reached 4,825, even topping the vote cast for Congressional candidates which amounted to 4,785. The primary in 1933 brought out a little more than 3,000 voters.

Supporters of practically all nominees for the major offices bestirred themselves during the campaign and aroused interest to fever heat in all parts of the county. The campaign, however, was conducted on a high plane and leaves no scars to be healed. Candidates fought a clean hard fight, and victors and vanquished have congratulated each other and are giving themselves for the battle with the opposition party in the November election.

In the race for Democratic nomination for legislature, Henry L. Ingram, of Asheboro, was nominated over the field. Mr. Ingram polled 2,693 votes against 1918 for J. D. Ross, 109 for J. F. Burkhead and 105 for A. C. Lowdermilk.

In the race for Clerk Superior Court, C. J. Lovett, of Asheboro, received 3,363 votes as against 1,080 for W. C. Hammond, of Asheboro.

For Coroner, Dr. W. L. Lambert, of Asheboro, won over Dr. L. M. Fox by a vote of 2,680 to 1,694.

C. M. Hayworth for County Commissioner received an even 2,500 votes, a clear majority of those cast, while S. A. Cox, of Union township, came second with 2,281 votes. W. E. Davis received 1,977 votes and T. S. Bouldin, 1,267 votes. Hayworth and Cox are the two nominees.

Harold D. Cooley, of Nash county, received 2,144 votes or 143 more than the 2,003 cast for George Ross Pou, of Raleigh, Jere P. Zollicoffer polled 609 votes, W. F. Evans 16 and Palmer Bailly 13.

Charles L. Coggin, of Rowan county, polled 2,299 votes to defeat Zeb V. Long, who received 2,263 votes in the county.

Republicans showed their usual lack of interest in primaries but voted 893 strong for Horace S. Ragan, of Trinity township, for the legislature, and 181 for Everett Boling and 87 for John R. Smith. Mr. Ragan will be his party's candidate for the legislature in the fall election.

For Register of Deeds, John Hodgkin, of Coleridge township, polled 375 votes to defeat T. C. Frazier, who received 238 votes.

W. R. Brown received 480 votes for county commissioner, J. B. Farlow polled 418 and T. L. Cox 276. Brown and Farlow are their party's nominees for county commissioners.

Jack Newlin received 481 votes for the State Senate on the Republican ticket.

The race for Utilities Commissioner was almost overlooked in the voting in the county Saturday, but enough voters risked a guess and cast 1,925 votes for the incumbent Mr. Winborne, and 1,193 for Mr. Macon. Mr. Winborne won an overwhelming victory in the state.

Ehringhaus Calls Special Election For 4th District

Raleigh, June 6.—Governor Ehringhaus today called a special election for Saturday, July 7, in the fourth congressional district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman Edward W. Pou on April 1.

Harold D. Cooley, of Nashville, Democratic nominee for the regular term in the November election, will be the Democratic candidate in this district which sent Mr. Pou to Congress in 17 successive Democratic victories.

Hobart Brantley, of Spring Hope, the Republican nominee for the November election, will oppose Mr. Cooley.

Counties in the district are Wake, Franklin, Vance, Randolph, Chatham, Johnston and Nash and to call the election the governor issued a proclamation and writ of election.

Church Circle Meets

Circle No. 3 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Methodist Protestant church met with Mrs. T. Fletcher Bulla Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Rufus Routh, chairman presiding. Mrs. George Hasty conducted the devotions, using the theme "Lunch out into the deep," emphasizing the personalities of Jesus. Two papers were read, each of which dwelt upon Japan, her missionaries and the native Christian workers. Mrs. W. C. Hamman reading one and Mrs. R. F. Routh the other. Miss Esther Ross read the words of the song, "Lunch Out," and Rev. E. C. Stubbins closed the meeting with prayer.

The practical fountain pen was invented just 80 years ago.

Wins Nomination



Clarence J. Lovett (above) won the Democratic nomination for Clerk Superior Court for Randolph county in the primary Saturday by defeating his opponent, W. C. Hammond, by a vote of 3,363 to 1,080. He will face Rufus F. Routh, Republican incumbent, in the general election in the fall.

American Legion Child Survey Job Well Under Way

Reports On 35 Children Of Ex-Service Men And Orphans Of Ex-Service Men Made

State-Wide Job

Mrs. James Walker In Randolph Aided By Legion Committees.

Active work was started last week on the state-wide child survey, sponsored by the North Carolina departments of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary.

Thirty-five children and orphans of World War veterans were reported from Randolph county to state headquarters at Raleigh during the week.

The survey is being sponsored in Randolph county by the Legion and Auxiliary and is being carried out by a committee composed of Arthur Presnell, commander of the local Legion post, Mrs. R. L. Bunch, president of the Legion Auxiliary, and Mrs. Carl Page, Dr. Dempsey Barnes and Dr. J. T. Barnes. This committee is appealing to the civic and relief agencies as well as to the general public for their cooperation in bringing aid to the handicapped and needy of the county.

The survey has a four fold purpose and is expected to record the status of every needy, blind, deaf or crippled child in the state; in listing every world war veteran and world war orphan; the needy children of veterans will be recorded so that those eligible may receive help from the Legion's national child welfare endowment of \$5,000,000.

The survey will also list every needy orphan and any other child in need so that the cases may be brought to the attention of relief agencies. Every blind and deaf child not receiving adequate care will be listed and all crippled children who need industrial rehabilitation. The results of the survey will be studied and followed up by state and national agencies and joint welfare committees of local units and posts of the Legion.

Mrs. James O. Walker is supervisor for Randolph and asks that every one who knows of any child who should be included in the census of veterans, orphans, handicapped or underprivileged children notify her or any member of the committee under which the survey is being made.

Card Of Thanks

Through the columns of The Courier, we wish to express appreciation to our friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown during the recent illness and death of our beloved mother, Sarah M. Lambert, who was grateful for all favors to her. We shall never get the loyalty and kindness of the good people of our town in our sad bereavement.—Messa E. Lambert, L. B. and Flora Lambeth, M. T. and Elizabeth Lambert.

Deer Is Toe Dancer

Philadelphia, June 2.—A toe dancing deer, the first of its kind to be brought to the United States, was a recent addition to the Philadelphia Zoological Gardens. The animal is about a foot tall and walks on its toes. It is an extremely proficient jumper.

The American Hog Market Is Taking One-Third of the Total British Exports of Pork

Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning service, subject: "If God Be for Us." 8 p. m. evening service, subject: "The Price of a Soul."

Robert T. Lloyd Again Elected Welfare Officer

Chosen For Another Year At Meeting Of Commissioners Held Here On Monday.

Plumbing Job Let

For Seagrove School Building; Superintendent Reports All Teachers Paid.

The regular monthly meeting of the Randolph county board of education was held in the offices of T. Fletcher Bulla, county superintendent of schools, Monday, with all members present.

A delegation of citizens from Archdale came before the board with a petition requesting the appointment of Mr. W. T. Winslow as a member of the school board at Trinity township there being a vacancy on the local board. After hearing the request from various members of the delegation it was requested by the county board that a committee be appointed representing the people of Archdale to come before the board at Asheboro on Friday, June 15th, at 3:00 o'clock, to determine who should be appointed to fill the vacancy on the local board.

A request was made by some patrons of the Hopewell district, Cedar Grove township, to transport the children from the tract that district to some high school. This will be given consideration after the state allotment of teachers and also after considering the routing of trucks which will be taken up in July.

The board authorized the County Attorney, I. C. Moser, to re-advertise and sell the Payne school house in Liberty township as an advanced bid had been placed on the original bid.

A joint meeting of the board of education and county commissioners was held in the county superintendent's office with the County Attorney, Mr. Moser, to determine whether or not the county should assume the entire debt service for Asheboro city school. Recently a decision was made by the Supreme Court of North Carolina to the effect that the county should bear the expense for the reason that in the past it had assumed the debt service of other special charter districts and the supervision of same. The County Attorney was authorized to get a ruling from Mr. Byrummitt, Attorney General for North Carolina.

At a joint meeting of the board of county commissioners and board of education, R. T. Lloyd was re-elected County Welfare Officer to fill out the two-year term which is prescribed by law, his term of office to begin the first Monday in July. Mr. Ragan making a motion and it was seconded by Mrs. Kearns. Salary was fixed at \$100 per month and travel allowance of \$25.

The contract for plumbing and heating on Seagrove school job was awarded to Albemarle Plumbing and Heating Company for \$3715.00. General contractors bonds was accepted and also plumbing and heating bond.

The preliminary statistical report of Randolph county schools was presented to the board for its approval and a copy signed and mailed to State Superintendent's office.

The County Superintendent reported to the board that all teachers' salaries for the 8th month had been paid in full—\$10,073 paid by Federal Relief fund and \$6,038.00 paid out of state funds.

The board adjourned to meet Friday, June 15th, at 3:00 o'clock.

Transfer Cap. Cardwell To The Tennessee Valley

Capt. M. M. Cardwell, who has been in charge of the Randolph county national forest office, has been transferred to T. V. A. headquarters in Knoxville, Tenn., and the local office has been placed in charge of R. D. Trogdon, local civil engineer. The Asheboro office will be conducted as a ranger office and in no wise an employment or re-employment office.

25 Sisters Survived Doctor

Bellaire, Ohio, June 2.—Edward J. Foster, 52, native African herb doctor only 12 years ago, died here recently. Twenty-five sisters and half sisters survive him in Africa.

Randolph County Democrats Called To Hold Precinct Meetings Saturday

By virtue of the authority vested in me under the plan of organization of the Democratic party, I hereby call on Democrats in Randolph county to assemble at their several and respective voting places in the 30 precincts in the county on Saturday afternoon, June 9, at 3 o'clock p. m. The purpose of these meetings is to elect delegates to the county convention, which will meet in the county house in Asheboro, at 2 o'clock on Saturday, June 16, 1934, and to name precinct committees. One delegate and one alternate will be chosen to the county convention for each 25 votes or major fraction thereof cast in the gubernatorial election in 1932.

By virtue of the same authority, I hereby call a county convention to meet in the court house in Asheboro at 3 o'clock on Saturday, June 16, 1934. The purpose of this county convention will be for the election of delegates to the State Democratic convention which meets in Raleigh on Thursday, June 21. One delegate and one alternate for each 150 votes cast for Governor in the election of 1932 will be chosen for the State Convention. At the same time and place the Randolph County Democratic Executive Committee will meet in session and organize by electing a chairman, vice chairman and secretary. All delegates elected to this convention by their respective precincts in the precinct meetings on June 9th are urged to attend.

This the 4th day of June, 1934.
GEORGE T. MUROCK,
Vice Chairman Randolph County Democratic Executive Committee.

Wins In Primary



Henry L. Ingram (above), by virtue of his lead in the primary last Saturday, is the Democratic nominee for the lower house of the North Carolina general assembly for the November election. He won out by a comfortable margin in a field of four candidates, and will face Horace S. Ragan, Trinity township Republican, in the voting next November.

Postoffice Site On Sunset Avenue Is Being Cleared

Old Cranford Home Torn Down And Being Moved With View To Clearing Lot.

Expect Early Move

On Part Of Federal Government Looking To Construction Of New Postoffice.

The old Cranford home on the corner of Sunset avenue and Church streets, lately occupied by the Pugh Funeral Home, has been torn down and is being removed from the premises. The lot on which the house was located has been sold by C. C. Cranford to the United States Treasury Department as site for the proposed new Asheboro postoffice building. The agreement specifies that the lot must be cleared within 60 days, after which time the government is at liberty to go ahead with contract for the postoffice. The lot will be in readiness long before the expiration of the allotted time, and it is expected that the government will move speedily toward erection of the building. Mr. Cranford will probably use material from his old home for construction of smaller rent houses on other property he owns in Asheboro.

The government has already obtained samples of soil from the lot in order to determine the kind of foundation to use; complete surveys have been made of the property, and should be ready to draw up specifications of the proposed public building. With the federal government anxious to start public works in order to furnish employment, it is believed locally that work on the new postoffice will not be long delayed. Considerable satisfaction is noted locally over the latest move regarding the new structure.

Auditing Contract Let To A. T. Allen & Co. For The Year

Contract Entered Into Monday Between County Commissioners And Auditing Firm.

The Randolph county board of commissioners held the regular monthly meeting Monday in the court house in Asheboro.

Contract for auditing services for the year 1934-35 was made with A. T. Allen & Company, at a cost of \$2500. This firm, with Fred J. Phillips resident manager, has had charge of the auditing work in the court house for several years and as an indication that such services are satisfactory is the fact that the company's contract is renewed from year to year.

Agreement was also entered into regarding farm extension work for the year 1934-35, at a cost of \$1175. E. S. Millsaps, Jr., is the county agent and has served capably in this capacity for a number of years.

Robert F. Trogdon and James G. Auman, world war veterans were released of payment of poll tax by order of the commissioners.

J. C. Kearns, of Concord township, was granted peddlers' license.

John W. Curtis, Liberty undertaker, was allowed \$40 to defray expense of burial of two paupers.

Jurors for the July term of civil court beginning July 16 were not drawn, but will have to be selected some time during the month.

Announce Wedding Of Percy Bostick To Miss Blanchard

Announcement is made from Hertford of the marriage May 26 in the Hertford Methodist church of Miss Alice Blanchard, of Hertford, and Percy L. Bostick, of Greensboro. Dr. T. McN. Simpson, of Lynchburg, Va., heard the vows in the presence of a few relatives and guests.

After the ceremony, the bride and groom left for a motor trip to western North Carolina. Upon their return they will be at home in Greensboro.

Mrs. Bostick is a daughter of the late William Stewart Blanchard and Mrs. Artemesia Blanchard, of Hertford. She is a graduate of Greensboro college and Columbia university. Mr. Bostick is a son of Mrs. Nancy S. Bostick, of Greensboro, but formerly of Randolph, and the late Samuel E. Bostick. He is well known in Randolph county, having lived here during his boyhood and early manhood. He is connected with the Carolina Casket Company, High Point.

Among curious wills is that of Meinher von Kule of Holland, who was an inveterate smoker. He directed that his coffin be lined with boxes of cigars, that his favorite meerschaum pipe be inclosed, and that all who attended the funeral be supplied with pipes and tobacco.

Elwood Carroll Holding Service At Local Church

Greensboro Pastor Assisting Rev. R. C. Stubbins In Series Of Services Here.

At M. P. Church

Large Congregations Attending Despite Rain; Mr. Carroll Is An Able Preacher.

Many Asheboro people have been interested in the evangelistic services held at the Methodist Protestant church each evening during this week. Large congregations have been present, despite the continued rain, to hear Rev. Elwood Carroll, pastor of Grace church, Greensboro, who is preaching sermons of interest and worth.

Rev. Mr. Carroll attended High Point college after graduating at Reidsville high school. He then attended Duke university, receiving his Master's degree in 1930. During the time he was a student at High Point and Duke colleges, he served pastorates at Denton and on Mt. Hermon circuit in Alamance county. For a year and a half, Rev. Mr. Carroll served the Asheville M. P. church, coming to Grace church in Greensboro, last November.

While one of the younger men of the Conference, Rev. Mr. Carroll has already become known as "a builder." During his pastorate on the Mt. Hermon circuit, he launched a building program which resulted in the erecting of three new structures, two of which were paid for and dedicated under his pastorate. During this same period, he led the entire conference in membership work.

Not only is Rev. Mr. Carroll a minister of ability, but he is interested in many things of the world about him. Sports take a big place in his interest, and while at High Point College, he played guard on the football team. His interest branches out into the field of debating and music, being a member of the college bands in several instances.

The public is invited to the services of the Methodist Protestant church which will be held Thursday, Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

Wilson Accepts Job In Post Office At Franklinville, N. C.

Franklinville, June 4.—Misses Nettie and Esther Moon, who have been spending several days with their sister, Mrs. Herbert Stephens near Raleigh, have returned to their home.

W. H. Pugh, of Brower's Mill, Sandy Creek, has moved to Franklinville.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moon, June 2, 1934, a son, Henry Robert, Jr.

Laben Craven and family, of Greenville, Tenn., are spending a few days here with relatives.

Miss Margaret Wilson spent a few days last week in Charlotte.

Worth Buie, of Hamlet, was a visitor here the past week.

Fredrick F. Wilson has accepted a position as assistant postmaster in the Franklinville office.

Misses Selma Hayes and Frances Parks, spent Saturday in Greensboro.

W. H. Wrenn and family were visitors at Seagrove Sunday. They attended the memorial service at the Seagrove Christian church.

Misses Shirley and Gladys McCorquodale, Lucy Welch and Frances Parks spent Sunday in High Point and Greensboro with friends and relatives. While in Greensboro they attended preaching service at Caraway memorial church, conducted by Rev. A. C. Tippett, a former pastor of the Franklinville M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fisher, Mrs. Radford and son, Harvey Wilson, were guests Sunday at the home of W. W. Wilson. Mrs. Radford expects to spend some time with her daughter Mrs. W. W. Wilson.

Misses Mabel and Annie Maness and mother, and Miss Callie McLeod, of Biscoe, were week end visitors at the home of A. T. Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Routh were guests Sunday of Howard Frazier near Marley's Mill and attended memorial service at Rehoboth church.

Wm. Kellis and family, of Norwood, were guests, Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Saunders.

Harold D. Cooley, Of Nash County, Our Next Member U. S. Congress

Mr. Cooley Won Sweeping Victory In Primary Saturday In The Fourth District.

Gets A Majority Over Whole Field

High Man In Every County In The District Except Vance And Johnston Counties.

Harold D. Cooley, young Nash county attorney, will succeed the late Edward W. Pou, of Smithfield, as Congressman from the fourth North Carolina district.

Mr. Cooley in the primary Saturday obtained the largest number of votes of any of the five candidates in the field and about 800 votes more than his four opponents all together. Mr. Cooley, on the basis of unofficial returns, received 27,228 votes; George Ross Pou, of Raleigh, 19,397; Jere P. Zollicoffer, of Henderson, 6,241; W. F. Evans, of Raleigh, 418; Palmer E. Bailey, of Raleigh, 331.

The candidates had agreed among themselves that the high man in the contest would be declared the party's nominee, but this was unnecessary considering the great vote-getting power of the Nash county man. Mr. Cooley was high man in every county in the district except Johnston and Vance, but received flattering votes in these counties also.

Wake county gave Mr. Cooley a slight margin over Mr. Pou, so did Chatham and Randolph, while Mr. Cooley carried Franklin over all candidates and was next high to Mr. Zollicoffer in Vance and in Johnston received more than 3,000 votes to about 5,000 for Mr. Pou.

In his home county, Nash, Mr. Cooley polled 7,092 votes to less than 900 for all his opponents.

The fourth district is predominantly Democratic, the late Edward W. Pou having been elected in 1932 by a majority of more than 32,000. Therefore, since the candidates agreed also that the man nominated Saturday should be the nominee for the short term, Mr. Cooley will be certified as the Democratic nominee for both the unexpired term of Mr. Pou and the full term beginning after the election. Though the Republicans have a nominee for the regular term it is not anticipated that they will contest the short term election and Mr. Cooley will be certified as Congressman from the district for the short term without opposition.

The fourth district race was one of the hottest the state has witnessed in years. Supporters of both Mr. Pou and Mr. Cooley avowed their candidate would run high, and many supporters of each claimed their man would beat the field. The Pou folks scoffed at the Cooley claims, while the Cooley folks were skeptical—and the results showed rightly so—of the Pou claims to a majority in the primary Saturday. The greatest disappointment of the whole campaign perhaps was the poor showing of Jere P. Zollicoffer. The Cooley people claimed that Pou and Zollicoffer would be making a close race for second place, while the Pou protagonists were equally as sure that Zollicoffer would push the Nash county man for second high.

Anyway, it was a great fight, good natured all around, and supporters of all candidates fought their battles on the highest plane. It was a friendly contest, but a hot one.

Without Opposition

Three justices of the Supreme Court have been certified as Democratic nominees, these having had no opposition in the primary Saturday. These are: Chief Justice W. P. Stacey and Associate Justices Heriot Clarkson and Michael Schenck.

State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson was also without opposition.

Three Congressmen were without opposition: Walter Lambeth in the Eighth; Lindsay Warren in the Seventh; and R. L. Doughton in the Ninth.

Judges of the Superior Court who were unopposed in Saturday's primary are: R. Hunt Parker, third district; W. C. Harris, seventh; John M. Oglesby, fifteenth; John H. Clement, eleventh; P. A. McElroy, nineteenth.

In the 13th judicial district, Solicitor Don Phillips, of Rockingham, decisively defeated Judge A. M. Stack in the primary Saturday. Solicitor Phillips carried every county in the district except Union county, home of Judge Stack.

In the fourth district, Solicitor Clawson Williams, of Lee county, defeated Charles Ross, of Lillington, by a comfortable majority.

George Younce, endeavoring to stage a come back for Solicitor in the twelfth district, was defeated by the incumbent, H. L. Koontz, by more than 3,000 majority.

In the fifteenth district, unofficial returns from 121 of the 125 precincts, gave Charles L. Coggin, of Salisbury, 14,177 votes to 10,842 for the incumbent Zeb V. Long, of Statesville.

First Speed Limit Was 7 Miles

Cleveland, June 2.—First ordinances on speed passed by city council here forbade a rate exceeding seven miles an hour, according to musty files of the municipal body. The same ordinance provided: "No driver of any omnibus shall pass, or attempt to pass any other omnibus, while the same is moving at the rate of more than four miles per hour."