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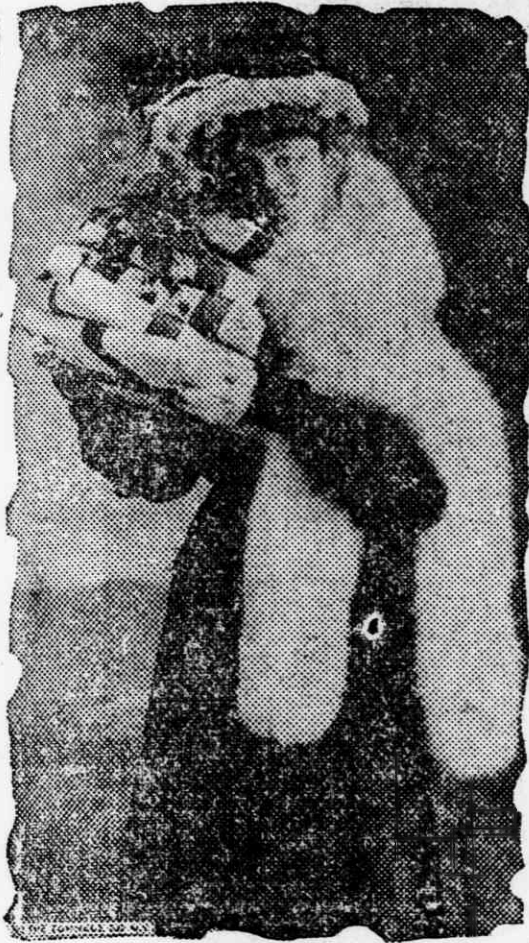
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Eight Weeks to Christmas



And time RIGHT NOW to Begin Your Christmas Shopping

BULKELEY BEATEN.

One More of the Stand Pat Senators Will Be Left at Home.

The result of the primaries for members of the Connecticut legislature shows Senator Morgan G. Bulkeley decisively beaten for re-election. If the Republicans carry the legislature ex-Governor McLean will have a majority of the caucus. The fight was exceedingly bitter. While McLean has never been classed as an insurgent, he is at least more nearly a progressive than Bulkeley.

Of the thirty senators whose terms expire March 4 next, twenty-one voted for the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill on final passage. Through withdrawal or defeat seven of these have already fallen by the wayside. These are Aldrich of Rhode Island, withdrawn; Bulkeley of Connecticut, defeated; Burrows of Michigan, defeated by a progressive; Flint of California, withdrawn, to be succeeded by a near progressive; Hale of Maine, withdrawn, to be succeeded by a Democrat; Piles of Washington, withdrawn, to be succeeded by a progressive, and Warner of Missouri, withdrawn, who will probably be succeeded by a Democrat.

Of the remaining fourteen there are eight who are in peril of being beaten either in their own party or by the Democrats. These are Burkett of Nebraska, Carter of Montana, Clark of Wyoming, Depew of New York, Dick of Ohio, Dupont of Delaware, Kean of New Jersey, Lodge of Massachusetts and Nixon of Nevada.

Of the entire twenty-one outgoing senators who voted for the Payne bill a majority will never come back.

Now look on the other side of the picture. There are three outgoing Republican senators who did not vote for the Payne bill—Beveridge of Indiana, Clapp of Minnesota and La Follette of Wisconsin. All three have been renominated or will be, and only one, Beveridge, is in any peril from the Democrats.

It pays to keep promises in politics as elsewhere.

A LUSTY INFANT.

For its first national campaign the progressive movement has seven candidates for governor in as many states and at least two others that are partially progressive, six candidates for senator and three more that are near insurgent and more than fifty candidates for the house. The tide is still rising.

Reports from the vicinity of Cape San Antonio say the Cuban revenue cutter Cespedes has been wrecked, with the loss of the captain and all hands except two. An unknown American bark is stranded off the cape. The crew was saved.

The Negro in Politics! How He Got in, and Why He Stays in. The Republican Party Wants Him.

It was hoped by the citizens of North Carolina that when the Constitutional Amendment was adopted the negro question was settled for all time in our state politics, and republicans as well as democrats were thankful for such conditions.

Unfortunately, however, the National Republican Party, in its efforts to control the negro vote in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and other Northern States, has pledged the republican party to restore to the negro all his political and civil rights and the leaders of that party have opened the door for negroes to re-enter politics in this and other Southern states.

Two years ago the democrats were not discussing the negro in their political campaign speeches, but during this campaign the negro question has been, and will be, one of the main issues, for the republican platform has come out squarely for the negro and for giving him back his vote.

John G. Grant will have to vote in Congress—if he should be elected,—to allow the negro to re-enter politics in North Carolina for the Republican Congressional Handbook promises the negroes (or Afro-Americans as they call the negroes) to pass such laws as will give them back all their political rights.

Mr. Grant may not personally like to vote for this negro political equality for it is against his people, against the people he represents, but Mr. Grant is a stronger republican than he is a North Carolinian and he will vote as his National party directs, never mind how it affects his people

in the mountains of North Carolina. Two years ago Mr. Grant told the people of this district that if Crawford was elected the duty on pulp wood would be lowered and that the price of said wood would go down and that therefore Crawford's election would ruin the acid and pulp industry in this section. Grant promised that he would keep up the high tariff and save the people. But what is the truth about his position? As soon as he got to Washington he was told what the National Republican party wanted to do and among the things was to reduce the tariff on this protected wood. Mr. Grant forgot his friends at home, forgot his promises to the mountain men and he voted as Joe Cannon told him to vote, namely to reduce the tariff on wood and therefore the price of wood has not gone up and our people have lost thousands of dollars.

Therefore, if Grant went back on us on the wood question it is certain that he will go back on us on the negro question, and we can not afford to trust him to help make our laws.

Major Rollins in his speeches at Brevard and at Rosman said that the "Nigger" was dead, that the democrats were only using it as a bugaboo. Poor old Major! The echo of his speech had not died before the newspapers were full of President Taft appointing a "nigger" to the high office of Assistant Attorney General of the United States, the highest office any negro ever held. This negro has been in the employ of the republican party in Boston for eight years. He was born in

Virginia but moved up North and joined the republican party and is now appointed as boss to Prof. J. J. Britt, boss to Hon. Thos. Settle and hundreds of other good white men, and this Negro is now one of the chief legal advisors of the United State's government. No wonder that Prof. Britt did not come to Brevard to make his advertised speech, for Prof. Britt is a high toned gentleman and he was ashamed of his party appointing this negro to so high an office.

Mr. Grant has refused to meet any democrat on the stump this campaign for the very good reason that he can not defend his own record on the wood traffic nor can he defend the republican party on its standing for Negro Equality.

The white men of Transylvania should not forget the four hundred negroes appointed to office in this State by the last republican Legislature and if Marion Butler and his crowd get in we will see the same state of affairs. Don't forget that the republicans put Jim Young, that coal black negro, in control of the poor blind white children of the State. Never mind what party you belong to—remember first that you are a white man and that blood is thicker than either water or politics.

A large majority of the members of the republican party in this State and county are white men and in favor of white men first, last and all the time, but there are scheming leaders who only use the republican party for their own selfish ends. Those leaders fooled the good white republicans in 1894 but they can not fool them again.

LATEST NEGRO BULLETIN:

Maj. Rollins, Charlie Mashburn, Boyce Deaver and Judge Faulkner said the nigger was dead in politics, that the Democrats had "negrophobia." Poor Radicals, just when they had things all nicely fixed up President Taft appointed Lewis, the negro, as Assistant Attorney General of the United States,

they tried to explain that by saying it was in New York.

But to top it all, when Vice President Sherman left Asheville to go home he met Booker Washington at Salisbury. Mr. Sherman had a private car and as soon as he found that Booker Washington was on the train he sent for him and took him into

his private car and Booker Washington (negro) rode in Vice President Sherman's (republican) car and Sherman and Washington spoke at two places in North Carolina.

What do you white men of Transylvania think of that? Is the negro question dead? No, not yet, and never will be until the Republican party is dead.

Democrats of Transylvania:

It is but a few days until Election, and I appeal to you to save the County from Republican "Rule and Ruin." There are enough Democrats in the County to elect the entire County Ticket, and I ask every Democrat to come out and vote. Grant beat Crawford by reason of the "stay-at-home" vote, and we cannot allow that to happen again.

Certain Republican leaders are making every effort to swap any of their candidates for Mr. Pickelsimer—they want the tax list, they want to handle the money. I want the Democrats to watch this move. Again I beg you to go out to the polls on election day and WORK for Democratic success. Work, my brother white man, for the supremacy of the white man's party in Transylvania and in North Carolina. Forget any personal feeling and vote as your instincts as a pure-blooded white man prompt you to vote. Vote to put down "BUTLER, BOOZE and BONDS," and vote for Democracy, Decency and Development.

Don't forget past history in our County and State, and let past experience be the light to guide you in casting your ballots next Tuesday.

Respectfully,

W. E. BREESE, Jr., County Chairman.

County Government.

Representative—G. W. Wilson.
Clerk Superior Court—T. T. Loftis.
Sheriff and Tax Collector—C. C. Kilpatrick.
Treasurer—Z. W. Nicholls.
Register of Deeds—B. A. Gillespie.
Coroner—Dr. W. J. Wallis.
Surveyor—A. L. Hardin.
Commissioners—W. M. Henry, Ch'n; G. T. Lyday; W. E. Galloway.
Superintendent of Schools—T. C. Henderson.
Physician—Dr. Goode Cheatham.
Attorney—R. L. Gash.

Town Government.

Mayor—W. E. Breeze, jr.
Board of Aldermen—T. H. Shipman, J. M. Kilpatrick, T. M. Mitchell, F. L. DeVane, E. W. Carter.
Marshal—J. A. Galloway.
Clerk and Tax Collector—T. H. Galloway.
Treasurer—T. H. Shipman.
Health Officer—Dr. C. W. Hunt.
Regular meetings—First Monday night in each month.

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NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX.

Having qualified as executrix of the last will and testament of Washington E. Galloway, late of the county of Transylvania, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said testator, to present their claims to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of July, 1911, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate settlement. This July 9th, 1910.

SARAH LUCINDA GALLOWAY, Welch Galloway, atty. *Executrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. C. McGaha, deceased, late of Transylvania county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at office of R. L. Gash, Esq., Brevard, N. C., on or before the 27th day of May, 1911, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 20th day of May, 1910.

V. B. MCGAHA,

Adm'r estate of J. C. McGaha, deceased.

Entry No. 2568.

W. J. Owen enters and claims six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, lying in Hogback Township, on the waters of Indian creek. Beginning on a white oak, E. D. Owen's corner, and runs thence north 66 deg. east sixty (60) poles to a hickory stump on top of the Blue Ridge; thence south 24 degrees east with S. A. Owen's line to a stone, S. A. Owen's corner, on top of the Blue Ridge; thence south with the top of the Blue Ridge to a black oak, John Kizer's corner; thence west, running so as to include all the vacant land on Indian creek.

B. A. GILLESPIE,

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