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## WILLIAM T. CRAWFORD

RENOMINATED FOR CONGRESS IN THE NINTH.

The Man Who Defeated Ewart Unanimously Chosen to Make the Race for a Second Term—Details of Convention Work.

WAYNESVILLE, N. C., June 16.—[Special.]—The democratic congressional convention held here yesterday was not so large as that of two years ago when W. T. Crawford carried off the prize after a

hard fight against such distinguished competitors as Thos. D. Johnston, Frank Coxe, James H. Merrimon, Kope Elias and others, but every county in the district save Clay was represented, and the enthusiasm was all that could have been desired. The meagre delegations from the counties was due to the fact that Crawford had no opposition, and the selection of an elector was the principal event of the meeting.

W. I. Gudger, of Madison county, a brother of Alderman J. M. Gudger, of Asheville, one of the congressional executive committee, called the body to order at 1:10 p. m., and named as temporary chairman J. D. Murphy, of Asheville.

Mr. Murphy made a fine talk in assuming the chair, in which he eulogized Congressman Crawford and the record he has made for himself in the 52nd congress. Mr. Murphy is a good speaker, and made a most favorable impression on the convention.

On motion the delegates from the various counties, named a member each for the following committees, credentials, permanent organization and platform. The committees named were as follows:

On credentials—Buncombe, C. A. Moore; Cherokee, R. L. Cooper; Clay, (not represented); Graham, G. B. Walker; Haywood, H. B. Hayes; Jackson, J. W. Fisher; Macon, J. E. Kay; Henderson, A. P. Corn; Madison, M. W. Lane; McDowell, W. J. Sower; Polk, J. C. Fisher; Rutherford, R. Hicks; Swain, R. H. Smith; Transylvania, W. W. Zachary; Vance, E. E. Nell.

On permanent organization—Buncombe, G. H. Bell; Cherokee, R. L. Cooper; Clay, (not represented); Graham, G. B. Walker; Haywood, H. B. Hayes; Jackson, J. W. Fisher; Macon, J. E. Kay; Henderson, A. P. Corn; Madison, P. M. Hall; McDowell, W. J. Sower; Polk, J. C. Fisher; Rutherford, R. Hicks; Swain, R. H. Smith; Transylvania, W. W. Zachary; Vance, E. E. Nell.

While these committees were out, calls were made for T. K. Ransom, of Asheville, who made a strong speech, showing the great necessity for thorough and hearty work on the part of the democracy, and this call in order to defeat Harrison, who he declared was thoroughly in favor of the force bill and the limitation and degradation of the south. He was loudly applauded.

Chief Smith, of the Cherokee band of Indians, was called for, and in responding to a call he was difficult for him to express himself in English, but he would say that he was thoroughly in accord with the democratic party, and that he felt that he was a true republican and enemy from his country in fighting the republican party today. He did when he took up his musket in 1861 and went with his white brethren to fight the battles of the confederacy. The chief's talk was greeted with enthusiastic cheers.

C. C. Daniels, of Macon; C. C. Cowan, of Jackson; R. E. Farmer and G. H. Bell, of Buncombe, made short but pointed speeches. Farmau was received with special cordiality, and seemed to be as great a favorite as with the state convention that nominated him for auditor.

The committee on permanent organization then made its report, recommending that J. D. Murphy, temporary chairman, be made permanently so, and that F. A. Luck, of the Transylvania Democrat, Zimri Rogers, of the Waynesville Courier and J. P. Kerr, of THE CITIZEN, be made permanent secretaries. The report was adopted.

The committee on credentials reported 75 delegates present, and all the counties save Clay represented, and no contests. A letter from the Clay convention and the delegates appointed, empowering the chairman of the convention to cast the votes of that county, was read. The whole was adopted.

The report of the committee on platform was read by R. D. Gilmer, of Haywood as follows:

"The representatives of the democratic party of the ninth congressional district in convention assembled, reaffirming the principles of the democratic party, both state and national, declare:

"1st: That we favor the abolition of national banks and the substitution of legal tender treasury notes in lieu of national bank notes, issued in sufficient volume to do the business of the country on a cash system, regulating the amount needed on a per capita basis, and that all money issued by the government shall be legal tender in payment of all debts, both public and private.

"2nd: We favor the repeal of the ten per cent. tax on state banks, in order that a national bank be established in local banks of issue, which issue shall be re-

deemable in the final currency of the government, thereby giving to our people an increased volume of currency.

"3rd: Resolved that we endorse in full the platform adopted by the democratic party at Raleigh on the 15th day of May, 1892, and pledge to the nominees of that convention our hearty support.

"4th: Resolved further, that we endorse the course of our congressman, the Hon. W. T. Crawford, especially in his efforts in favor of the free coinage of silver, and the repeal of that clause in the McKinley bill which requires farmers to furnish, under oath, upon demand of revenue officers, a statement of the sales of their leaf tobacco, where, when, and to whom sold.

After some remarks by W. B. Ferguson, of Haywood, on the clause favoring the abolition of national banks, and a response by Mr. Gilmer for the committee, the report was adopted.

On motion the convention then proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for congress.

J. F. Ray, of Macon, nominated W. T. Crawford in a neat speech, eulogizing him as a man and as a representative. The nomination was seconded by G. G. Hayes, of McDowell; T. R. Ransom, of Buncombe; E. R. Hampton, of Jackson; and J. S. Davis, of Haywood.

Mr. Ransom referred to an expression from a distinguished senator from an eastern state, made to him in Washington, in which Mr. Crawford was referred to as one of the most promising members of congress. Mr. Ransom moved that Mr. Crawford's nomination be made unanimous by acclamation. Gen. Hampton seconded the motion and the question was put by the chair by a rising vote amid shouts of approval.

On motion of R. L. Cooper, of Cherokee, the chair was instructed to appoint a committee of three to notify Mr. Crawford of the action of the convention. The chair appointed R. L. Cooper, of Cherokee; H. B. Hayes, of Haywood; and J. P. Kerr, of Buncombe.

The convention then proceeded to the nomination of an elector.

C. C. Daniels, of Macon, nominated Locke Craig, of Buncombe; K. D. Gilmer, of Haywood; nominated E. R. Hampton, of Jackson; C. C. Cowan, of Jackson; and J. F. Ray, of Macon, seconded the nomination of Hampton and K. A. Moore, of Buncombe, and W. J. Sower, of Polk, seconded the nomination of Craig.

All of the speeches were unusually good. W. J. Gudger threw the convention into a paroxysm of shouts when he exclaimed that the convention would have nothing less than the Three C's—Crawford, Craig and Cooper.

A call of counties was ordered for a ballot, and the result was the selection of Locke Craig, by a vote of 194 to 99. On motion of Gen. Hampton the choice was made unanimous.

Mr. Craig was called for and made a short but able speech, in which he declared his embarrassment in trying to speak after the flattering eulogies which had been heaped upon him by those friends who had nominated him. "The fact is," said Mr. Craig, "no man can do what they claim I am capable of, and they knew they were not telling the truth when they were speaking." Mr. Craig made a very favorable impression on the convention.

On motion the counties then selected the congressional executive committee as follows:

Buncombe, M. E. Carter; Cherokee, R. L. Herbert; Clay, G. H. Hagler; Graham, John G. Tatnam; Haywood, W. B. Ferguson; Jackson, E. R. Hampton; Macon, Sam L. Rogers; Henderson, M. C. Tom; Madison, W. J. Gudger; McDowell, Wm. McL. Burgin; Polk, L. M. Wiley; Rutherford, Matt. McHenry; Swain, D. W. Kerr; Transylvania, W. A. Gash; Vance, E. M. Proffit.

On motion the chairman and secretaries were thanked for their efficient work, and at 5 o'clock the convention adjourned sine die.

A meeting of the congressional executive committee held immediately after the adjournment of the convention. M. E. Carter, of Buncombe, was elected chairman.

The committee to notify Mr. Crawford of his renomination did so by telegraph and today received the following answer:

"Your telegram received notifying me that the convention by acclamation has renominated me for the 53rd congress. I accept the nomination, and through you tender to the convention and the democratic party of the ninth district my heartfelt thanks for this expression of renewed confidence. W. T. Crawford."

## RIVERSIDE REVIVAL.

Rev. J. W. Lee Meeting Closed Last Evening.

The revival services, of ten days' duration, at Riverside church closed last evening. Rev. J. W. Lee preached a wonderful impressive sermon on the subject, "Heaven." After the sermon nineteen persons presented themselves at the altar and took the vows of the church. The whole number received is thirty-three. This has been a great meeting for the West End. The pastor, Rev. J. C. Troy is more than happy over the results of the services. Several of the converts will join the Baptist church. Mr. Lee will always receive a warm welcome in Asheville. He leaves Saturday morning for Knoxville to attend the summer school. After returning he will assist Rev. H. T. Hoover in a series of meetings on the Swannanoa Circuit.

## HAW CREEK PROIBS

Meeting Addressed by J. J. Hill Last Evening.

B. E. Hadden, secretary of the Haw Creek prohibition club, sends THE CITIZEN the following:

"A large gathering of the citizens of Haw Creek was addressed last evening at the school house by J. J. Hill. The meeting was enthusiastic and resulted in obtaining the names of every voter to the club roll, with the exception of one man and he is under conviction. The club has more than doubled its membership.

"The meeting resolved to send a large delegation to the county convention which meets in Asheville next Saturday.

## Released on \$1,000 Bond

The writ of habeas corpus, granted by his honor H. B. Carter in the case of N. L. Ray, of Madison county, who is charged with the killing of Neely Hensley several weeks ago, was heard yesterday at chambers in this city, the defendant being represented by J. M. Gudger, jr.

After a full examination of the evidence, bond was granted by Judge Carter in the sum of \$1,000, which was given and the defendant discharged from custody.

## PEOPLE'S PARTY POLITICS

WEAVER SUGGESTED FOR L. L. POLK'S PLACE.

A Woman's Suffrage Plank Creates a Disturbance—A Little of Everything Wanted by Kansas Thirty Party Men.

WICHITA, Kas., June 16.—After nominating L. D. Welling, of Wichita, for governor at an early hour this morning, the people's party convention selected W. D. Vincent for lieutenant-governor by acclamation. Vincent declined to run and there was no attempt made to nominate another candidate. Resolutions were submitted by the committee endorsing the St. Louis platform and somewhat amplifying its demands. They declare that only that government is good where injury to one is concern of all; that the public needs should be supplied by public agencies; that among other things the government should provide public telephones and use coinage laws and issue currency for convenience in transmitting small sums of money, and that as nearly as practicable, the mail of all the people should be delivered at their homes free.

The non-action of the republican state senators regarding the Australian ballot bill, the maximum freight bill and the bill for the election of the railroad commissioners by the people was denounced. The platform favors pensions for railroad employees injured in the company's service, such pensions to be paid by the company and to be a first lien on their property.

Mrs. Lease presented a woman's suffrage plank and with the report of the committee it was carried. A delegate called the attention of the chair to the rule that all resolutions should be referred to a committee without debate. The chair reversed his decision in spite of Mrs. Lease's protests. The convention, angered at the course adopted, became uproarious, and an appeal was taken from the decision of the chair. Before the result could be announced a motion to suspend the rules and adopt the resolution carried.

The convention then adjourned till 10 o'clock this morning.

## THIRD PARTIES

They Want a Great Deal Here Below, and Want Long

IFTS, Mont., June 16.—The state convention of the people's party completed its labors here yesterday, adopting a platform and putting an electoral and state ticket in the field. The platform favors the free coinage of silver, the election of president and United States senators by popular vote, and the restriction of immigration. It demands that the land grant of the Northern Pacific railroad in Montana be declared forfeited on account of the failure of the road to construct within the specified time, and wants the national government to maintain reservoirs for the irrigation of arid lands and to provide for the people free from the control of monopolies. Delegates to Omaha convention were selected, and Col. Edward of Rosebud, was nominated for member of congress; Wm. Kennedy, of Boulder, for governor, and Harry Cullon, of Butte for lieutenant-governor.

## THIRD PARTY VICTORY

A Democrat Probably Beaten in a Texas District.

CARLSBAM, Tex., June 16.—Returns from the outlying county precincts in this Navarro county, has swelled the majority of L. M. Barber, third party candidate to congress for Mills' vacant seat, to over 400. This will probably elect him instead of Judge E. L. Anthony, the democratic nominee, but the democrats will not give up until the last cross-road precinct comes in and the official count demonstrates the outcome.

## Hast-h