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Democrats Victorious In State and Nation

Carteret County Goes Democratic by Substantial Majority. Barden Get Good Vote. Vote in North Carolina Falls off but Democrats Get a Large Majority. Republicans Made Several Gains in the Legislature. Democrats Gain Several Seats in U. S. Senate and House

Carteret county, like many other counties in the United States, gave a very substantial majority to the Democratic ticket Tuesday. Both Republican and Democratic leaders worked hard before the election and on election day to get out the vote. The Legislative candidates Messrs Bushall and Wade polled a combined vote of 4681 which was about the total number of votes cast in the election. This year's vote was about 500 less than that polled in 1932.

On account of uncontrollable circumstances the News will not give the vote by precincts in detail in this issue. Next week a table showing how the county voted will be published. The following totals will give adequate idea as to how the county went Tuesday.

For representative, T. C. Wade 2835; C. H. Bushall 1846; For Clerk of Court L. W. Hassell 2641. Jas. W. Mason 2166; Register of Deeds, Irvin W. Davis 2855 Y. Z. Newberry 1897. Sheriff, Elbert M. Chadwick 2874, George Brooks 1909. Recorders court, several precincts not reported, Paul Webb 2216, E. W. Hill, 1550. Solicitor M. Leslie Davis 2243; G. W. Duncan 1491; Coroner George W. Hill 2854, U. S. C. Bell 1756; Surveyor Phillip Ball 2863, George Styron 1690; Commissioners C. T. Chadwick 2860, W. Z. McCabe 2823, K. P. B. Bonner 2751, Ed H. Fulcher 2856, Martin Guthrie 2828, R. Hugh Hill 1940, Earl Davis 1941, Webster Mason 1474, Roy Lincoln 1882, Fannie E. Simmons 1860.

In the Congressional race Mr. Barden got a larger vote than many expected him to get, on account of the hot primary contest of last June. He received a total of 2836 votes against 1849 for Mr. Rouse. In Beaufort precinct Mr. Barden got 692 votes which was higher than any other candidate received.

Much Fine Weather In Month of October

September was an unusually wet month in Beaufort and vicinity but October appeared to try to make up for it by furnishing a lot of clear weather. The rainfall for the month, which occurred in the first four or five days mostly, was 3.56 inches. There were 25 clear days. The prevailing winds were easterly. It blew from the northeast 14 days, southeast two, east southeast one, east one, north one, northwest six, west northwest one, southwest three, west two.

The temperature during October was mild. The coldest day was on the 29th when the mercury dropped to 42 degrees above zero. On the 6th it was quite warm reaching a high of 86 degrees. The figures day by day are given below:

| | Max. | Min. |
|-----|------|------|
| 1. | 81 | 66 |
| 2. | 81 | 61 |
| 3. | 75 | 69 |
| 4. | 74 | 65 |
| 5. | 81 | 68 |
| 6. | 86 | 70 |
| 7. | 85 | 65 |
| 8. | 81 | 63 |
| 9. | 82 | 64 |
| 10. | 79 | 66 |
| 11. | 82 | 69 |
| 12. | 82 | 63 |
| 13. | 79 | 55 |
| 14. | 69 | 45 |
| 15. | 72 | 44 |
| 16. | 79 | 50 |
| 17. | 75 | 56 |
| 18. | 79 | 57 |
| 19. | 76 | 64 |
| 20. | 68 | 51 |
| 21. | 76 | 54 |
| 22. | 85 | 63 |
| 23. | 85 | 58 |
| 24. | 69 | 55 |
| 25. | 69 | 56 |
| 26. | 73 | 58 |
| 27. | 73 | 49 |
| 28. | 74 | 48 |
| 29. | 69 | 42 |
| 30. | 72 | 48 |
| 31. | 72 | 50 |

To keep apples from turning dark soon after they are peeled, they may be placed in water containing salt—two teaspoons of salt to a quart of water.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN FEW COUNTIES

Democratic Congressional Candidates All Elected by Large Majorities

(Raleigh News and Observer) Republicans gained five seats in the General Assembly of North Carolina, a complete check of Tuesday's voting in the State's 100 counties revealed yesterday, but the 1933 minority will lack 32 members of attaining its 1929 status, which was the highest of this century.

Contests loom in Randolph and Cherokee, two counties that elected Republican representatives, because of alleged irregularities in the balloting.

In another county, Polk, a lifelong Democrat who switched party affiliations when he became incensed in a local political squabble, was elected to the House on a Republican ticket.

Majority 2 to 1

Late reports from the State-wide voting served merely to strengthen assurance of an overwhelming Democratic victory. Giving the Democrats a lead of over two to one, 1,423 precincts of a total of 1,838 cast 238,508 votes for Democratic candidates to 114,301 for Republicans on the State ticket.

Tardy returns from the 11 Congressional districts gave all the Democratic nominees wide majorities, and rolled up the lead of the five candidates for State offices: Chief Justice Walter Stacy, Associate Justice Michael Schenck and Herriot Clarkson; Treasurer Charles M. Johnson and Utilities Commissioner Stanley Winborne.

However, political leaders predicted that the total vote would not reach 400,000 which is considerably less than the 711,000 ballots cast two years ago, and well under the 535,000 votes of the 1930 off-year contest.

As has been the case for several years, the only major elective office in the State which a Republican will occupy will be the solicitorial post in the 17th judicial district, where John A. Jones, incumbent, had no opposition.

Largest Since 1929

Two Senators and 13 Representatives were elected on the Republican ticket, giving the party the largest legislative representation since 1929, after an avalanche of anti-Smith votes resulted in a Republican landslide that swept 12 Senators and 35 Representatives into the General Assembly.

That year saw the largest Republican representation since the beginning of the century. The Thirtieth and Twenty-fourth Senatorial Districts, most powerful Republican strongholds in the State, ran true to form, electing J. P. Gibbs, Burnsville and Joe Williams, Yadkinville, to the upper house.

Cloud Elected

E. B. Cloud elected as a Republican in Polk county, represented that county as a Democrat in the 1931 House of Representatives.

Other Republicans elected to the House were: B. C. Brock, Davie; T. S. Bryan, Wilkes; H. P. Craver, Yadkin; L. F. Klutz, Catawba; Charles H. Jonas, Lincoln; George Head, Rutherford; W. D. Kelly, Sampson; H. S. Regan, Randolph; J. S. Bowers, Avery; Herschel Sprinkle, Madison; Dr. Charles A. Peterson, Mitchell and Edwin Hyde of Cherokee.

Sprinkle and Brock were members of the 1933 House. Matters involving alleged irregularities will be laid before the Randolph and Cherokee boards of elections today. Henry L. Ingram of Randolph, who trailed his Republican opponent by slightly less than 200 votes, was a member of the 1933 Senate. His supporters claim irregularities in several rural precincts of Randolph.

Death of W. L. Hatsell A Shock to Beaufort

The people of Beaufort were very much shocked and saddened Wednesday morning when the news was spread abroad that Captain William Lee Hatsell had died at about nine o'clock at his residence on Queen Street. He was taken sick during the night but had improved and was lying on a couch in the sitting room when the fatal attack came. Dr. Maxwell was called around seven o'clock to see him and prescribed for him. Dr. Larry Moore was called when the last attack came but Captain Hatsell had passed away by the time he reached there. Heart failure was the cause of his death. The day before he died Captain Hatsell was going around apparently in excellent health.

Captain Hatsell was 63 years old. For 37 years of his life he was in the employ of the U. S. Engineering Service. He was retired on the first day of last February. For many years he was in command of the Neuse and was well known not only in this community but in New Bern, Washington and other ports along the coast. He was a quiet unassuming man of the highest type of character and was greatly respected by all who knew him.

Beside his widow, Mrs. Daisy Rumley Hatsell, Captain Hatsell is survived by his son, W. L. Hatsell Jr. four brothers, George of Tampa, Florida, Ben of Alexandria, Va Henry of Norfolk, Va., Charles of Beaufort and a sister Mrs. Charity Revery of Roanoke, Va. Also several nephews and nieces. Funeral services will be conducted from the home on Queen Street Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

City Board Meeting Held Monday Evening

The regular monthly meeting of the Beaufort Board of Commissioners was held at the City Hall Monday night. Those present were Mayor Taylor, Commissioners Gibbs, Lewis and King.

Fire Chief Hatsell appeared before the Board to discuss matters pertaining to his department. He said that he was resigning as chief because of lack of cooperation on the part of the department. A motion was offered by Commissioner Lewis that Chief Hatsell draw up such rules as he deemed necessary for the caretaker and truck driver of fire apparatus. The motion carried.

Commissioner Lewis also offered a motion, which was passed that fire truck No. 2 be put in good condition.

The question of parking regulations for Front and Turner Streets came up and after discussion Commissioner Gibbs moved that Chief Longest measure the width of the streets so that the Board may decide something about a truck parking ordinance. This motion was carried.

A motion offered by Commissioner Lewis that the City Clerk ascertain the cost of a car for the police department was carried. The Board recessed subject to the call of the Mayor.

Captain Bryan Longest Has a Narrow Escape

Capt. Bryn Longest of Beaufort had a narrow escape from death Monday morning while in the hold of the fishing boat C. P. Dey. Mr. Longest is the engineer on this boat and was on her most of the summer on the Jersey coast where the Dey has been fishing.

Captain Longest knows very little about what happened to him. All he knows is that he had started up the pump and that the next thing he knew was in the hospital. Luke Taylor fortunately came aboard the boat and found Captain Longest before it was too late. He got assistance and carried the unconscious man to the hospital where he was revived. Tuesday he was up and going around town apparently none the worse for his experience.

ANOTHER SHIRT FACTORY MAY START AT KINSTON

Kinston, Nov. 5—Reports that this city will have another shirt factory, employing several hundred persons, were current today. One of the largest manufacturers in the country was said to be contemplating leasing a building at the edge of the business district. A plant opened about a year and a half ago has been rushed with orders. It gives employment to hundreds of women and girls.

LIQUIDATION OF BANKS GOES ON

Quarterly Report Made; Bank Deposits Are Insured Now Against Loss

By M. R. DUNNAGAN

RALEIGH, Nov. 5—O f the 162 banks in liquidation, 86 paid claims to 22,692 depositors amounting to \$1,014,707.53, paid \$2,073,239.31 in secured claims and \$343,936.66 in preferred claims in North Carolina in the three months ending September 30, Commissioner of Banks Gurney P. Hood reports.

Commissioner Hood is reporting splendid progress in the liquidation of the banks which closed during the depression period, since which time none has closed after the March 4, 1933 banking holiday declared by President Roosevelt. All except one commercial bank in the State has its deposits insured under the Federal Insurance Deposit Corporation.

The reports show that 76 of the banks paid no dividends in the three-months period. In eight instances payments were made on court orders; in two cases the final payments were made to the clerk of superior court to meet unclaimed deposits, and in cases of three banks the depositors were paid by trades and offsets.

Included in those on which payments have been made in the last three months are Bank of Beaufort, Beaufort, \$1,467.29 in secured claims (a 10 per cent dividend had been paid to depositors before); Beaufort Banking and Trust Co., Beaufort, 10 per cent, or \$20,733.27, to 854 depositors, and \$3,263.28 in secured claims (a 20 per cent dividend had previously been paid); Bank of Morehead City, \$1,476.70 in secured claims only; The Marine Bank, Morehead City, 10 per cent, of \$6,974.28, to 235 depositors. (40 per cent had previously been paid).

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

B. S. Taylor and wife to Trustees Church of God, 1-4 acre W. O. Town ship, Con-
Irvin S. Garner and wife to Cecil C. Jones and wife, 26 acres Newport Township, Con-\$700.00.
Lina Garner Mortgagee to D J Ward Trustee, 125 acres Newport Township, Con-\$400.00.
Mrs. Lucy Garner McCain et al to Mrs. Bessie Garner Elliott et al 15 acres Newport Township, con \$1.00
D E Mann widower, to A L Mann and wife, 2 part lots Newport, consideration \$10.00.
Emma Jones widow, Wm. Harvey Jones, 1 lot Morehead City con-\$1.00
Adelaide Wade et al to Theodore J Willis et al, 1 lot Morehead City con-\$1.00.
D M Webb et als to Starkey Mobley 1 lot Morehead City, con-\$10.
Carteret Lodge No. 2 K. of H. to Joseph W. Glover, part lot Beaufort, Con-\$1.00.
Alice Green Widow to George Sparrow, 2 part lots, Beaufort, consideration \$10.00.
T G Willis and wife to Connie Daniels and wife, 1 lot Beaufort, consideration \$2000.00.
Dimer Gillikin to Guy Gillikin, 3 3-4 acres Straits Township, con \$25.
L H Pake et als to Chas W Pake, 8 acres Marshallberg, con-\$50.00.

FIND HEAVY DEMAND FOR RADIOS AND RIFLES

Kinston, Nov. 5—Local dealers have been unable to fill the demand for radios, shotguns, and rifles, it was said today. Virginia and North Carolina have been scoured for second-hand instruments and weapons. The record demand resulted from the new prosperity that has come to tobacco and cotton farmers. Automobile dealers, of course, have done a record business, while watch sales have been heavy. Farmers of the tobacco belt of Eastern North Carolina are liberal spenders when they have money. They have seldom had it in recent years.

Woman and Five Men Held on Bogus Money Charges

Laurinburg, Nov 4—A woman and five men who said they had been operating concessions at a negro fair in the upper part of Scotland county were arrested here today on charges of possessing counterfeit money. They said they were from Pittsburg, Pa. They gave their names as Bernice G. Baker, Raymond Davis, B. R. Milford, Joseph Dohok and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herbert.

Suicide At Williston Shock to Community

The people of Williston, and those of other communities as well, were greatly shocked Saturday when the news was circulated that Miss Mina P. Willis had taken her own life. She left home that morning after telling her mother that she was going to the creek to get some oysters for the family, as she frequently did. Around noon she had not returned and becoming alarmed her mother accompanied by Miss Christine Fulcher and several others went in search of her. On arriving at the spot where she went to get the oysters they looked around and found her lifeless body suspended by a rope from the limb of an oak tree.

Coroner George Dill was notified of the death and had a jury empaneled. After hearing all the evidence in the case the jury pronounced the death a suicide. Funeral services for Miss Willis were conducted Sunday morning at the Methodist church in Williston by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Barfield assisted by Rev. Leffers of Straits. Two duets were sung, "Jesus my Jesus" and "Face to Face" by Mrs. Theodore Willis and Mrs. Morris Bedford of Davis. The pall bearers were G. F. Everett, Thomas C. Everett, Walter Everett, Charlie Willis, Jesse Piner of Williston. Interment was in the family cemetery. The services were attended by a large crowd. Miss Willis is survived by her mother, Mrs. Nancy Willis, two brothers, Stacey C. and Eugene Willis. She was nearly thirty seven years old.

PURCHASING AGENTS AND FISH DEALERS CONFER

A meeting was held Wednesday at Morehead City by wholesale fish dealers of Beaufort and Morehead City at which State purchasing agents A. S. Brower and W. Z. Betts were present. The object of the meeting was to consider plans for selling fish to State institutions. There was a general discussion of the matter and those present hope that some good will result from it.

It was suggested by the purchasing agents that whenever there is a glut on the market that dealers advise the agents and they would undertake to handle as many fish as possible.

SEVEN YEAR OLD BOY DIES

Sam Bland, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bland of the Bettie community, died Monday at eleven o'clock after a short illness from diabetes. The boy was taken very sick about a week before his death. He is survived by his parents and several brothers and sisters.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage Licenses issued for week ending November 6th, 1934.
John Tyson to Amy Wilson, of Beaufort.
William R. Gould to Ethel Gray Pringle, Newport.
Ottis Smith to Minzette Wilson, of Beaufort.

Most Cases Continued in Court Wednesday

For several reasons, including the election, it was found necessary to continue most of the cases in Recorder's Court Wednesday. In one case, that of Brady Wade of Morehead City for driving a car while drunk, there was a submission. In his case prayer for judgment was continued on condition that he be of good behavior for six months and not drive a motor vehicle during that time.

In the case of L. F. Rice charged with abandonment of his wife and child the case was noll prossed with the understanding that the defendant would provide sufficient groceries to feed the child and pay his wife \$10 a month.

The following cases were continued: Glenn Guthrie violating prohibition law, Cleve Morris same charge, W. H. Riley driving car while drunk, Ike Simmons assault with deadly weapon, G. E. Sanderson, reckless driving, Lee Dudley breaking and entering and assault.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips of Beaufort RFD., November 7th a daughter.
Born to Mr and Mrs. W. B. Robinson of Atlantic a son, November 8.

N. C. RELIEF LOAD SHOWS DECREASE

September Less Than August; Carteret County Had 417 Families

BY M. R. DUNNAGAN

RALEIGH, Nov. 5—North Carolina relief showed an appreciable drop during the month of September, as compared with August, the report of Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, State relief director, shows.

Cases handled in September were 3,000 fewer than in August, the report of Mrs. Thomas O'Berry, State relief director, shows. Cases handled in September were 3,000 fewer than in August, or 69,022, as compared with 82,187. The amount of money spent was \$1,472,590.36 in August and \$1,055,542.39 in September, while the number of individuals receiving some form of relief decreased from 346,759 in August to 333,210 in September.

The decrease in September, the month in which the case load usually begins to show an increase for the winter months, is attributed in part to the order sent out by Mrs. O'Berry discontinuing all direct and work relief in rural communities, in order to make labor available for fall crop gathering.

Avery showed the largest percentage of its population on relief, 31.8 per cent, while Greene showed the smallest, 3.4 per cent.

Carteret county had 417 families, representing 1733 persons, and a total of 467 cases, aggregating a grand total of 1783 persons, on relief in September. The decrease in numbers of persons in the county was 42 per cent, the total amount spent in the county was \$7,638.99 and the part of the county's population on relief was 10.5 per cent.

Births Exceed Deaths By A Good Majority

A large preponderance of births over deaths is shown in the vital statistics report for Carteret county for the month of September. There were 84 of the former and only 13 of the latter. Morehead City with 14 births and four deaths was considerably in the lead of the other places reporting.

The following tabulation gives the report in detail:

| Towns | Births | Deaths |
|----------------|--------|--------|
| Beaufort | 9 | 3 |
| Morehead City | 13 | 4 |
| Townships | | |
| Beaufort | 3 | 1 |
| Cedar Island | 0 | 0 |
| Harkers Island | 5 | 2 |
| Harlowe | 2 | 0 |
| Atlantic | 1 | 0 |
| Davis | 0 | 0 |
| Sea Level | 2 | 0 |
| Stacy | 1 | 0 |
| Marshallberg | 1 | 1 |
| Merrimon | 1 | 0 |
| Morehead City | 10 | 2 |
| Newport | 4 | 0 |
| Portsmouth | 0 | 0 |
| Straits | 2 | 0 |

TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tides at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct and based on tables furnished by the U. S. Geodetic Survey. Some allowances must be made for variations in the wind and also with respect to the locality, that is whether near the inlet or at the heads of the estuaries.

| High Tide | Friday, Nov. 9 | Low Tide |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------|
| 9:23a. m. | | 2:55 a. m. |
| 9:38 p. m. | | 3:52 p. m. |
| | Saturday, Nov. 10 | |
| 10:11 a. m. | | 3:38 a. m. |
| 10:29 p. m. | | 4:41 p. m. |
| | Sunday, Nov. 11 | |
| 11:03 a. m. | | 4:29 a. m. |
| 11:14 p. m. | | 5:36 p. m. |
| | Monday, Nov. 12 | |
| 11:19 a. m. | | 5:30 a. m. |
| 11:58 p. m. | | 6:35 p. m. |
| | Tuesday, Nov. 13 | |
| 12:23 a. m. | | 6:43 a. m. |
| 12:54 p. m. | | 7:37 p. m. |
| | Wednesday, Nov. 14 | |
| 1:29 a. m. | | 7:56 a. m. |
| 1:58 p. m. | | 8:36 p. m. |
| | Thursday, Nov. 15 | |
| 2:44 a. m. | | 9:06 a. m. |
| 3:10 p. m. | | 9:31 p. m. |