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THE CONTEST AND HOW THE VOTE STANDS

Burlington.	
Miss Lois A. Workman,	7,150
Swannie Patterson,	6,800
Myrtle Isley,	3,150
Myrtle Tate,	1,000
Lillian Turner,	875
Flossie Burke,	550
Callie Boland,	100
Daca Davis,	100
Bertha Lineberry,	100
Burlington R. F. D's.	
Miss Jennie Whitsell, R. 4,	2,925
Emma Overman R. 1,	1,050
Annie Matlock, R. 2,	400
Ollie Ector, Route 2,	200
Rosa Crouse, Route 4,	200
Mattie Pennington, R. 2,	100
Fannie Belle Stanford, Route 9,	100
Snow Camp.	
Miss Mary Stout,	7,225
Spring Graded School,	500
Sylvan Graded School,	200
Mebane.	
Miss Grace Amick,	300
Essie Dodson,	100
Haw River, No. 1.	
Miss Carrie Albright,	5,300
Elon College, N. C.	
Miss Mollie Baldwin,	2,955
Union Ridge, No. 1.	
Miss Lottie Terrell,	250

Haw River Items.

Ray Johnston left Monday afternoon for Durham after spending a week at his home.

Mrs. W. G. Stratford of Greensboro spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Miss Patsy Robertson spent Saturday and Sunday in Raleigh with Miss Woodfin Chambers.

A good many of our citizens attended services at Long's Chapel Sunday.

B. S. Robertson went to Raleigh Friday night returning Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ralph B. Coit of Raleigh is spending the week with Mrs. B. S. Robertson.

E. M. Smith who went to Gastonia last week in the interest of the Daughters of Liberty returned home well pleased and made a good report and the girls who went with him went tell on him but think he will make a pilgrimage over there soon. Ed is O. K.

Mrs. G. W. Franklin of Durham is spending some days at Haw River with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Vest. We hope her stay will be pleasant.

Miss Alice Thompson one of the charming ladies of Hillsboro No. 3, was the guest of Gracie and Bessie Stewart Sunday. She carries sunshine wherever she goes.

Dr. Spoon of Greensboro visited his mother Sunday Mrs. E. J. Spoon. The Dr. seemed cheerful come again doctor.

John A. Johns of the soldiers some Raleigh after spending some days at Haw River shaking hands with his many friends left for Raleigh Monday.

J. W. Perkins and T. A. Evans attended preaching at the Baptist church Sunday night. Rev. Arnett of Durham will do the preaching, he is the brother of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Thompson are in town Sunday and attended services at the Baptist church. Sometime ago two of our batchelors were discussing matrimonial affairs and one said he was going to take a wife which he did and number two said he would follow in ninety days the ninety days are out and number two has bought himself a new buggy and we saw him riding out with her so we think the wedding bells will ring out very soon.

Messrs. J. S. Simmons, B. S. Howles and T. A. Bullard left Monday evening for Atlanta, Ga. Where they go to enter the bar-college, we wish them success in their new field of work.

A. L. Cates and wife are visiting relatives in Orange, we hope for a pleasant stay.

L. Allen and Robert Garrison of High Point, attended services at Long's Chapel Sunday, also several from Burlington and Haw River and Graham. Always glad to see those good people.

THE UNIVERSITY LETTER

The Memorial Services to Dr. Eben Alexander, the late dean of the University, were held in Gerrard Hall Sunday afternoon. The exercises were very personal and simple, as simple as the life of the great man in whose memory they were held. Rev. R. W. Hogue opened the services with a beautiful prayer. Dr. Kemp P. Battle presided and in an introductory address spoke of the brilliant mind, the statesmanship and the beautiful home life of Dr. Alexander. Mr. A. H. Wolfe, president of the Senior Class, spoke feelingly of the student's love of Dr. Alexander. Prof. W. S. Bernard of the department of Greek with simple eloquence interpreted the life of Dr. Alexander. He found the outstanding characteristic of his life to be expressed by the Greek word *eidos*, a sort of pity, ruth, sympathy; an indefinable tenderness and something more. He exhibited this same fine quality whether at the Court of Greece, in the Dean's office or on the streets of Chapel Hill. The principal address was delivered by Mr. Joseph Daniels, the gifted editor of the Raleigh News and Observer. Mr. Daniels spoke for the trustees and alumni. In an interesting and comprehensive manner he sketched life of Dr. Alexander. Sprung from forebears who were pioneers in the founding and building of the City of Knoxville, a high honor graduate and a loyal son of Yale, Chairman of the faculty of the University of Tennessee, professor of Greek in the University of North Carolina, American Ambassador to Greece, and Dean of the University are the facts with which Mr. Daniels paid a rare eulogium to a great man. Mr. Daniels gave his address a personal touch that added much to its interest and charm. He told of Senator Ransom's hesitancy in approving President Cleveland's appointment of Dr. Alexander and how the old general was finally won over by Dr. Winston's appeal to his love for his alma mater and his state.

Senator Ransom lived to bless the day he approved Dr. Alexander's appointment. The people of Greece and the press of both countries voiced the opinion that Dr. Alexander was perhaps the best minister that any country ever sent to Greece.

Tulane University of New Orleans is making arrangements for a pentangular debate between Tulane, North Carolina, Virginia, Vanderbilt, and Missouri. This debate will require two years for completion. It will be one of the most significant debating contests engaged in by any of the American Universities. Involving such cities as New Orleans, Nashville and St. Louis (not to mention Chapel Hill) and such states as Louisiana, North Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, and Missouri, this pentangular debate will be interstate and national in interest and consequence.

Carolina lost in baseball to the Navy 1 to 0, won from Georgetown 5 to 1, and from Wake Forest 1 to 0. In the Wake Forest game only 29 men faced Hedgepeth and not a single man got even the semblance of a hit.

R. F. D. No. 5.

Farmers are very busy making preparations to finish planting corn and tobacco. The wet weather has put them very much behind.

The good old summer time has come at last with blossoms so sweet, and we wish how soon fruit and vegetables will come.

Jake Anderson, of Durham, spent several days last week with his brother, Jim. Miss Carrie returned with him and will be gone sometime.

Miss Daisy Patton has gone to Hawfield section to make her home with her uncle. We regret very much to give her up, but wish her much success with her new home.

Messrs. J. L. Allen and Robt. Garrison, of High Point, attended services at Long's Chapel Sunday, also several from Burlington and Haw River and Graham. Always glad to see those good people.

OUR RALEIGH LETTER.

Raleigh, April 30.—"The greatest political row ever pulled off in the county of Wake." Unprecedented throttling of the voice of the people," are the headlines used by the two Raleigh Democratic daily papers to describe the disgraceful rioting engaged in in the Democratic mass meeting held here today. Among the mildest terms used by the contending factions was such words as "scoundrel", "liar", and epithets too vile to for print. The mob split and two meetings were held. The whole trouble is a fight between the Democratic "ins" and the Democratic "outs". The latter represented by Josiah William Bailey and Joseph Daniels three weeks ago called a mass meeting of all Democrats of the county to be held here April 30th, when it was proposed to organize to fight the present party leaders, Solicitor Armstead Jones, his son, Senator W. B. Jones, and the county officers. The call was issued for all Democrats, but in this call Mr. Bailey laid down a platform to abolish fees for county officers, put them on salary, and end the corruption which he declared his fellow Democrats were practicing.

At noon about four or five hundred Democrats assembled in the Academy of Music. It was evident that both factions were trying to pack the hall and get control of the meeting. Mr. Bailey wanted the audience seated by townships as he had arranged. Manager J. Sherwood Upchurch, of the Academy, refused to let Bailey have his way and tore down the township placards. After denouncing the present Democratic leaders of the county, Bailey called on his followers to leave the Academy and go to the Court House. Because Bailey and Daniels could not have their way in the Academy they bolted.

The crowd soon filled the small Court House and utter confusion reigned. Bailey and Daniels mounted the judge's rostrum, surrounded by their friends, Solicitor Armstead Jones, Democratic county chairman, Senator W. B. Jones, and their henchmen jumped upon the other end of the judge's stand, stood upon chairs and tables, all tried to speak but no one was heard. The audience were howling like maniacs. Attorney J. N. Holding, Register of Deeds Bernard, George Norwood and others also tried to speak, but in vain. Each faction was determined that the other should not be heard. During the rioting Solicitor Jones shouted "you dam scoundrel" to Bailey, while the rioters used unprintable oaths.

Finally Bailey and Daniels gave up and left the Court House, followed by their supporters; and they held a meeting on the sidewalk.

The meeting in the Court House with quiet restored, proceeded to organize, and was addressed by Armstead Jones, Senator Jones, Representative John W. Hindale, Jr., Dan Hugh McLean, of Harnett county and others. Bailey was declared by the speakers to be a near Republican, charged with holding office in the Dan Russell administration, during which time he attempted to charge up \$3.00 a day board while he was living at home with his mother, and was prevented from doing so by Russell. He was also charged with using money to secure the nomination of Craig, with being a prohibitionist while now pretending to favor local option, with deserting the child labor bill at the behest of cotton mill owners, and with other things. Josephus Daniels was charged with attempting to force Bailey, a near Republican, and the Salary Plank of the Republican county platform upon the Democracy and with desiring to get hold of the party management. A Resolution favoring Local Self Government was introduced and with drawn.

The Daniels-Bailey meeting of the street was addressed by Bailey and Daniels and the people were told of the rottenness of the Wake county "ring", urged to "purify" the old party, and notice was served that another mass meeting would be held May 14th. This meeting adopted res-

R. F. D. No. 10.

J. C. Isley was seriously injured last week while leading a cow. The cow became frightened and tripped him. He was badly bruised up and has several ribs broken. We are glad to see him able to be out again.

H. Boyd Pickard, of Whitsett, was visiting on No. 10 last week.

Misses Julia and Lizzie Fogleman visited in Burlington last week.

Lawrence Shoffner is spending a few days at home. Glad to see him back.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shoffner visited friends in Burlington last week.

Mrs. R. C. Curtiss and daughter visited Mrs. R. D. Isley on No. 1 last week.

Some of the young ladies of No. 10 seem to be interested in the Alamance Battle Ground. They have cleaned it off nicely. Looks like there will be something doing around soon. Watch for the sports.

W. D. Graves was calling on No. 10 Sunday. Looks like a bad case.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Penticost visited friends in town last week.

Our friend, Kirk Evans seems all out this week. Looks like he would get brown instead of blue.

The condition of Mrs. C. B. Cox continues to improve.

olutions to put county officers on salary; to demand of the Executive Committee their share of poll-holders at the primaries, and to stop stealing and buying at the polls.

The people of the county are thoroughly disgusted with this exhibition of the Democratic party. It has never been equalled in the annals of this section, not even in the so-called dark days of the reconstruction period.

FEDERAL COURT JURORS

List of Those Selected to Serve At June Term.

Greensboro News, April 29th.

Jurors for the June term of United States Circuit and District Courts, to be held in Greensboro, were drawn yesterday and it is noticeable for the personnel of the names making up the list. The court this year will be held in June instead of April, the change in dates having been made by a recent act of Congress. A number of important cases are set for trial at the term.

The following is the jury drawn yesterday: W. T. Chrisman, Siloam; J. H. Glenn, Stoneville; G. P. Stone, Proximity; George C. Wilson, Hillsboro, R. F. D. 1; J. A. Hartley, Yadkin College; R. P. Carter, Elkin; R. F. Ryerly, Winston-Salem; S. M. Jones, Semora; Rufus McNeelley, Greensboro; A. R. Callicut, Pictor; Robert W. Fuller, Farmer; Frank Evans, Jonesville; R. P. Murphy, Thomasville; M. L. Wood, Fullers; D. F. Morrow, Burlington; D. V. Carroll, Mizpah; C. L. Badgett, Jackson Hill; J. M. Vunvannon, Holly; John T. Joyce, Sandy Ridge; A. K. Roney; Haw River; S. N. Allen, Aconite; George R. Haywood, Onvil; W. T. Roper, Dry Creek; A. Auman, Asheboro; D. W. Webb, Greensboro, R. F. D. 7; W. G. Smith, Semora; Henry Bean, sr., Seagrove, R. F. D. 1; A. R. Blackwell, Blackwell; A. F. Neal, Madison; L. I. Conrad, Winston-Salem, R. F. D. 3; C. C. Durham, Chapel Hill, R. F. D. 3; George E. Stanton, Randleman, R. F. D.; George M. Crews, Kernersville; R. R. Ross, Asheboro; A. P. Brower, Liberty; A. B. Coltrane, Glenola; Frank Brooks, Greensboro; F. A. Ferrall, Mayfield, W. W. Brown, Burlington; J. L. Nance, Silver Hill; J. Lee Charles, High Point; R. E. Wall, Spray; J. L. S. Patterson, Burlington, R. F. D.; A. F. Yardero Winston, R. F. D.; I. J. Cranfill, Yadkinville; John T. Sexton, Denton; R. W. Pugh, Millboro; James F. Starr, Julian, R. F. D. 1; Albert A. Troxler, Brown Summit; Harmon Johnson, Prinson; W. H. Sparrow, Chapel Hill, R. F. D. 1; E. Clark Mendenhall, High Point, R. F. D. 1; Thomas L. Moir, Walkertown; A. Ed. Myers, Tyro, N. C.

PROCEEDING OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Graham, N. C., May 2nd.—The Board of County Commissioners of Alamance county met in the court house on the above date at ten o'clock a. m., in regular monthly meeting with the following members present: A. N. Robertson, B. S. Roberson, W. A. Murray, B. R. Sellars.

The chairman being absent, upon motion, A. N. Robertson was elected chairman protem. The board was called to order and the following business was transacted:

Ordered: That Thomas Norwood be relieved of graded school tax in Green graded school on \$175.00 same erroneously listed.

Ordered: That J. Archie Long be relieved of tax on \$1200.00 in Haw River township same being listed twice.

Ordered: That J. J. Archie Long be relieved of graded school tax in Haw River graded school same being listed twice.

Ordered: That Mrs. Bettie Coble be relieved of tax on 60 acres of land valued at \$325.00 same listed twice.

Ordered: That W. A. Andrews be relieved of tax on one lot, value \$74.00 same erroneously listed.

Ordered: That C. A. Thompson be relieved of graded school tax amounting to \$2.59 same erroneously charged.

Ordered: That E. F. Cates be relieved of \$1.17 graded school tax erroneously listed.

Ordered: That W. M. Mann be relieved of graded school tax in Hawfields graded school amounting to \$23.93 same being an error.

Ordered: That J. Ernest Holt be relieved of tax on one lot in Burlington township value \$250.00 same being an over charge.

Ordered: That J. Taylor Albright be relieved tax on \$250.00 personal property in Thompson township same being erroneously listed.

Ordered: That W. L. Spoon in Coble's township be relieved of tax on 13-3-4 acres of land value \$56.00 same having been sold and listed by another party.

Ordered: That J. F. Strader be refunded one poll tax for the year 1909 same having been erroneously listed and paid, he having a certificate of exemption.

Ordered: That W. M. Thompson be appointed a committee to take up the matter of damage with W. M. Mann caused by the building of a new road across his land, and see if it can be satisfactorily arranged without appointing a jury to access the damage.

Ordered that John Durham be relieved of one poll tax for the year 1909 and a certificate be issued to him exempting him from poll or road tax in the future, on account of disabilities.

Ordered. That the Board of County Commissioners avail themselves of the option with the Carolina Engineering Co. on the bridge at the McBride Holt place and request them to build this bridge first.

Ordered. That the Cane Creek Telephone Company be allowed to build a line along the public highway of Alamance county with the understanding that the poles are to be erected as not to interfere with the road or ditches in any way.

Ordered That W. H. Seymore be relieved of graded school tax in Fairground district, same being erroneously listed.

Ordered. That W. N. Thompson be authorized to sell the old bridge lumber at the upper stony creek bridge for the best price possible.

Ordered. That Fuller Kernodle be authorized to furnish Andrew F. Apple in provisions to the amount of \$2.50 per month for one month and present an itemized account with this order attached.

Ordered. That W. N. Thompson be authorized to investigate the road from near Wagoner's store to Guilford county line and report to this Board at its next meeting.

Ordered. That A. J. Marshburn Company be authorized to furnish B. B. Martindale in provisions to the amount of \$1.50 per month for one month and present an itemized account with this order attached.

Ordered. That J. H. Lashley be authorized to furnish Archie Poust in provisions to the amount of \$1.50 per month for one month and present an itemized account with this order attached.

Ordered. That Mebane Store Company be authorized to furnish Emily Wilson in provisions to the amount of \$1.50 per month for three months and present an itemized account with this order attached.

Ordered that A. L. Isley be allowed to construct a telephone line from Thompson's store toward Sidney cotton mill, said poles to be so planted along the road so as not to interfere with the road or ditches.

Ordered. That W. N. Thompson, Fred Homewood and Eusebius Patterson be appointed a committee to receive the stone piers and steel bridge at Noah's ford when completed, if completed in accordance with the contract.

Ordered. That Mrs. Maggie Ellis be relieved of tax on \$1.40 same being an error in listing the property.

Ordered. That the report of Dr. Geo. W. Long, Sup of health, be received and filed.

Ordered. That the report of J. H. Tarpley be received and filed.

Ordered- That the clerk of this Board correspond with the mayor of the town of Gibsonville and the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Guilford county in regard to connecting the Alamance county macadam road with the Guilford county macadam road at the town of Gibsonville.

Ordered. That W. A. Tillman be relieved of one road tax for the year 1908, he not being entitled to pay road tax as he was living in the city of Burlington.

Ordered. That the clerk of this Board write W. H. Graham Commissioner of Agriculture and make request as stated in his letter to this board for the experimental work, and that the proposition to place pure bred sires in this county be accepted.

Ordered. That the colored order of Odd Fellows of Graham be allowed the use of the court house on the third Sunday in May to hold special services in for the order.

Ordered. That W. N. Thompson have the road from Graham to Haw River scraped and put in good condition.

Whereas, it is necessary to have the records in the office of the Register of Deeds, showing conveyances of land's either in fee; in trust or in mortgage deeds; also all powers of attorney; also all papers registered affecting the title to real property re-indexed:

Therefore be it resolved:—

That the clerk to this board be instructed to in the name of and for this board contract with proper parties to have this work done in a proper manner at a cost not to exceed \$2250 and as expeditiously as possible; that he will consult with the committee heretofore appointed as to the best way to have this work done and as to what to have put on said indexes.

Whereas a petition has been presented to this board by the County Board of Education asking for a special election to be held in certain territory in Burlington township to vote upon the question of levying a special tax for school purposes; said territory bounded as follows:—Beginning at railroad near O. N. Foster's residence, running northwest into the Ossipee road opposite D. H. Thomas' residence following said road to the Birch bridge road, leaving said Ossipee road following said Birch bridge road to said bridge, thence east following river to Ireland's old mill place, thence south following old road by Jesse Vaughan's and W. F. Isley's to the corporate limits of Burlington near R. J. Hall's residence, thence following said line to the beginning.

It is ordered that said petition be granted and said election asked for be held on June 11, in

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