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CHOSEN ON 58TH BALLOT FRI-DAY AT STATESVILLE.

In the Lead on First Ballot-Murphy His Closest Opponent-Convention Breaks up in Love Feast-Resolutions Regarding Death of Col. Paul B. Means.

gighth district congressional convened Friday at 12 The court house at Statesgas called to order by Hon. F. Kluttz, chairman of the discommittee, who called Capt. E. E Levell to act as temporary chair-R. R. Clark, R. A. Deal and Securill temporary secretaries. made a short but vigorous

Lovell also made a ringing month, in which he said the eighth would certainly be redeemed this year. ctrength of his vote. The other dele- vention adjourned till 3 o'clock. He stated that he was not a prohibi- gates were divided as follows: non Democrat or an anti-prohibition Democrat, not a gold Democrat or a silver Democrat, but just a plain

· Committees on credentials and permanent organization were appointed, J. F. Dayvault and J. Ed Cline. at 2:30 o'clock.

ly. The permanent organization com- vote as long as could be reasonably mittee selected Mr. H. P. Grier, of expected. Statesville as permanent chairman, and R. A. Deal, of Wilkesboro, as secretary, with R. R. Clark and J. B.

Sherrill, as assistants. as follows: Caldwell by L. T. Hart- tives and friends. sell; Gwaltney by W. C. Newland; Marphy by Lawrence Wakefield; Doughton by T. C. Bowie and E. F.

Murphy 85; Gwaltney 42.

three candidates receiving all the vote Rocky Ridge. of the county on different ballots.

On the 28th ballot Doughton came Mr. John W. Cook to Manage Jackson within 4 1-2 votes of the nomination, but on the next ballot he fell

The balloting kept up until about ba'clock without interruption, except On the fifty-eighth ballot Doughing: Doughton 158.50, Murphy 103.50. Caldwell 51. A few ballots before this the name of Mr. Gwaltney was withdrawn.

Messes. Murphy, Caldwell and ng speeches, pledging the nominee heir heartiest support. There was no bitterness and consequently there are no sore spots as a result of the con-

The counties of Alleghany, Ashe and Watanga voted solid for Dough-100 on every ballot, and Wilkes was nearly solid for him. There was never at any time doubt about Doughton bespeech accepting the nomination, and given an ovation.

There was less "wire-pulling" in the convention than any we have ever known. There were no wrangles, and

reached 140 and upward, some of the grounds. elegations rotating their strength 2 the four impartially.

the fifth ballot was reached is ammistakable that a nominacould not be made soon except in ease of a withdrawal. Mr. Murexcept on one ballot, ran second the time, Gwaltney third and on vote Caldwell reached 119.

Resolved, that this conention has by Miss Fannie Koonce. rd with profound sorrow of the of Col. Paul Barringer Means, ative committee for this district and Mr. W. R. Odell.

many times a delegate to National T Democratic Conentions.

"That in his death his party has lost one of its most loyal and devoted members, his State one of her bravest and truest sons, and his friends one of the most lovable of men.

"That the secretary of this convention cause this resolution to be published in the Democratic press and send a copy to Mrs. Means.

J. P. COOK. (Signed) R. A. DEAL, A. D. WATTS.

At a meeting of the Cabarrus dele-L. T. Hartsell, chairman.

Member of committee on permanent chairman. organization, T. A. Moser.

J. B. Sherrill.

and Mr. Johnson. For Doughton-R. C. Benfield, A. B.

and the convention adjourned to meet | Notwithstanding the fact that Mur- his nomination was seconded by Judge phy had no friends on our delegation R. W. Winston. He was nominated The convention assembled prompt- his strength was given him on each by acclamation.

Death of Mrs. C. P. Walter.

Mrs. Christiana Elizabeth Walter mous. (nee Rodgers) died at her home in Every county in the district had a this county, July 13, 1910, of neuritis, Victor S. Bryant, and the nomination full representation, and there was no at the age of 58 years, 4 months and was seconded by Cameron Morrison. contest from any county. Nomina- 26 days. She leaves to mourn her The speech nominating Judge W. ting speeches were limited to 10 min- death a devoted husband, two brothers R. Allen was made by Ex-Governor utes and seconding speeches to 5 and many relatives and friends. The Aycock, and the seconding speech by minutes. Alexander responded through day following her death after suit- Walter E. Daniel. J. H. Burke, who named John L. able services by her pastor, Rev. C. The vote on Manning and Allen Gwaltney; Alleghany, through W. C. A. Brown, at Lutheran Chapel E. L. was then taken, resulting as follows: Fields, named R. L. Doughton; R. B. Church, China Grove, of which church Allen 526; Mannin 434; Allen's ma-McLaughlin named L. C. Caldwell for she remained a consistent member till jority 92. Mr. Foushee, manager for Iredell, and for Rowan John M. Julian her death, her body was tenderly laid Judge Manning moved that his nomnamed Walter Murphy The speeches to rest in Greenlawn cemetery in the ination be made unanimous, and this seconding the nominations were made presence of a large number of rela- was done.

Death of Mr. S. A. Rich.

at his home on South Valley street. Balloting was begun shortly after Mr. Rich had been an employee of the mous, which was done. lo'clock. On the first ballot the vote railroad company for many years and the employees all along the line. He that the committe on platform was For about fifteen ballots there was forced to give up his work at the not ready to report. was no change. Then Cabarrus and station here several months ago on This vote was shifted, each of the which the interment was made at

School Farm.

Mr. John W. Cook, of No. 4 township, one of the county's best farmers and a very successful business man, when a delegation would ask to retire the farm at the Jackson Training ner of the Democratic party as a sure the Relablican party that prosperity for a few minutes for account to the farm at the Jackson Training ner of the Democratic party as a sure would follow its adoption we call at for a few minutes for consultation. School. Mr. Cook has already entered upon the duties of his new position ton was nominated the vote stand- having gone out Monday. No better selection could have been made, and those who know Mr. Cook expect that under his wise management the farm will prove a valuable asset. The store of Mr. Cook, in No. 4 township, will Gwaltney all made eloquent and ring- be in charge of his son, Mr. Sam Cook.

Excursion to Asheville.

An excursion wil be run from Concord to Asheville on Thursday, July 28th. This will afford a good opportunity to visit the Mountain City at a very small cost. Mr. J. C. Lingle, of Faith, N. C., is manager of this ex- government from the day of the rea good time. The fare for the round ty, and we reaffirm the declarations expenses of a government economicalspeech according the made a stirring a good time. The fare for the round of our party upon the questions of ly administered. ing after the interests of this trip here and can give you any informa- up-building of the internal affairs of

the convention. When it was seen graded school grounds, having prize continuation, up-building and develnothing whatever to mar the harmoy assemble every day on the Central cational, and pledge ourselves to the that Doughton had been nominated, fights, etc. Naturally such gatherings opment thereof. and before the ballot was announced, result in depredations, and they are We pledge ourselves to the conhurtful to the grass and trees that tinued development of the internal Rowan sent a solid car load of dele- are a source of pride to the people of affairs of the State; to the continuagates to the convention to work for Concord. These gatherings should be tion of the policy of education which Murphy. They marched up the street stopped. We like to see the boys have has been carried forward with such from the depot in solii phalank, each fun, but when there is an indiscrim- success under the Democratic adman having a Murphy ribbon pinned inate gathering of boys, colored as ministrations; to the further develop-The strength of Doughton on the among them whom are reckless enough, maintainance of the institutions for ballot was 126; several times it to do injury to the building and the insane, deaf, dumb and blind;

> Our linotype operator, Mr. Frank Brumley, is taking his vacation this week. He expects to go to Wilmington Wednesday. While he is out the machine is being manipulated by Messrs, Ed. Walter and Homer

Snyder. Misses Grace White and Mary Por- tions for his comfort and care. he following resolutions was adopt- ter will leave this afternoon for Chadby the convention by a rising vote: bourn, to attend a house party given

Mrs. W. H. Branson and daughter, and commend and approve our Sen-Cabarrus county, for many years a Miss Anna Branson, of Durham, will ators and Representatives of Congress day anounced that Lynchburg, Va., member of the State Democratic exectarrive tonight to visit at the home of for their activity in behalf of the has 29,494 population, as compared

ALLEN NOMINATED FOR JUDGE OVER MANNING.

Lee Chosen for Corporation Commissioner on First Ballot-Platform Adopted Last Night-A Harmonious Convention.

The Democratic State Convention of North Carolina met in the Charlotte auditorium Thursday at 12 o'clock, and was called to order by gation held before the convention, an Chairman A. H. Eller. Mr. Eller organization was affected as follows: made a ringing speech, and introduced Senator Lee S. Overman as temporary

Senator Overman made an eloquent Member of credentials committee, speech outlining the issues of the campaign. Senator Overman received Not a single Murphy delegate from a great ovation, which gave another Cabarrus attended the convention. Mr. evidence that he is the most popular Murphy's delegates were, of course, Democrat in North Carolina. Comduly appointed according to the mittees were appointed and the con-

When the convention met at 3 For Caldwell-L. T. Hartsell, J. B. o'clock Hon. Walter E. Moore, of Sherrill, C. W. Swink, Campbell Cline Jackson, was announced as permanent chairman.

Nominating speeches were then Cleaver, T. A. Moser, John Howard, made. Chief Justice Clark was nominated by Hon. Jas. A. Lockhart, and

Associate Justice Platt D. Walker was nominated by Hon. C. W. Tillett, seconded by Hon. Theo. F. Kluttz. His nomination was also made unani-

Judge Manning was nominated by

For corporation commissioner the vote was as follows: Lee 527, Graham 313, Pearson 126. Lee was declared Mr. S. A. Rich died Friday morning the nominee. It was moved that the nomination of Lee be made unani-

The convention then adjourned till stood: Doughton 112; Caldwell 24; had a large number of friends among 9 o'clock p. m., it being announced

At the night session the committee Stanly, which counties were not in- account of ill health and his death on platform reported through its erested in the judical fight in the 13th was not unexpected. He is survived chairman, Hon. C. B. Watson. The the laws no legitimate enterprise shall listrict, began to secraw their votes. by a wife and several children. The platform was presented by a unani- be injured. Cabarrus voted 10 votes for Caldwell, funeral was held Saturday morn- mous vote of the committee, and was 15 for Doughton and 7 for Murphy. ing at 10 o'clock at the home, after unanimously adopted by the convention. The platform in full will be as enacted in the Aldrich-Payne found below:

Democratic party in North Carolina, placed upon the United States, forin convention assembled, rejoice in mulated in behalf of sectional interthe call occasioned by the coming ests and fostering the trusts and comelection and the opportunity of binations of the country at the exfered to lift up again in the midst of pense of the great mass of the peothe people of North Carolina the banstandard of their rights and the unfailing guide of their progress, and tention to the present commercial we reaffirm our allegiance to the condition of the country, its idle facgovernment and congratulate the people of North Carolina upon the ministration of the affairs of governcratic party to power in this State.

North Carolina the consideration of people's money. the success with which the affairs and economical conduct of the State turn to power of the Democratic parthe extension and improvement and 1t the State and the institutions provided by the State for the care of our We learn that a large crowd of boys citizenship, both charitable and edu-

well as white, there will be some ment of local improvements; to the and to the extension of these institutions to meet the demands upon the

tenance of the government.

State Administration Endorsed. ministration of Governor W. W. well." Kitchin and the other State officials, people of North Carolina.

Internal development and improvement tends to the up-building of any citizenship and we take pride in the Council Unanimously Nominates Rev. To be Held at Concord July 30th and progress that has been made under Democratic government in the building of roads and the extension of means of communication and transnortation all over the State, and we particularly approve of the work in this behalf by the Good Roads As-

sociation of North Carolina. We recognize the great growth and improvement of the State along material and intellectual lines under the upport and maintenance of the common school system of North Carolina, and the pledge of the party hereto" fore made of a four-mouths' free school in eery district of the State has been fully met, and we promise he continued support and improvement of the public school system of he State and the extension of the same to the institutions of the State for higher education, to the end that these institutions may be placed upon a permanent basis of extension and maintenance consistent with the growth of the schol system of the State and the increased population and demands of her citizenship, and Mr. Hornbuckle Preaches at Forest we favor in the schools of the State a more liberal instruction in agricultural training and the encouragement and development of the agricultural intertests in such schools.

The supervision and control o public service corporations is a well recognized right of the State and national government and we pledge ourselves to the enforcement of this right in the interest of the people of the State consistent with fair and just treatment of the public service corporations, and grant no special privilege to any person or corpora-

Monopolies.

Private monopolies are inconsistent with the growth and development of internal affairs of the State and the liberties of the people and should not be allowed. We are opposed to illegal combinations in restraint of trade, trusts and monopolies, and favor the enactment of such laws as will make their existence impossible.

We condemn the unjust and unreasonable discriminations in freight rates against the towns and cities of North Carolina and in favor of the

cities of other States.

We pledge ourselves to the fostering and encouragement of all legtimate enterprises and developments that may be located within the borders of this State, and in the administration of

We condemn and denounce the tariff policy of the Republican party bill, and we declare the same to be ple, and in spite of the promises of

We denounce the extravagant and

have been administered by the Demo- the Republican party to revise the interment will be made at Oakwood cratic officials and the clean, efficient tariff in acordance with the pledges of its platform and promises.

We demand the enactment of a tariff for revenue only to meet the

Speaker Cannon Seriously Ill.

ing serious."

Great anxiety is felt by his friends. Mr. Cannon had not been feeling well since he arrived from Kansas City in the morning. He had nearly finished his speech when, after taking a drink of ice water, he began to talk incoherently.

Mr. Harris a Good Guesser.

The Asheville Gazette-News says: "W. R. Harris of the Harris State and the needs of the unfortu- Furniture Company has been awardnate who require the care and main- ed the third prize offered by the Athens, Table company of Athens, We pled re ourselves to the contin- Tenn., the amount being \$15. The ned aid and assistance of the Confed- prizes offered were for the nearest erate soldier and demand that legis- guesses to the amount of the increase lation shall make ample appropria- of business the Athens concern did the first half of last year. Mr. Harris proves that he is not only a good We commend and approve this ad- furniture man, but a fine guesser as

with 18,891 in 1900.

PASTOR FOR ST. JAMES.

C. P. McLaughlin, of Pennsylvania.

At a meeting of the council of St. James Lutheran church, held yesterday, Rev. Charles P. McLaughlin, of Myersdale, Pa., was uranimously en. day August I. dorsed to the corgrigation for pastor.

and all who heard him were greatly together the women from the farm policy of the Democratic party in the pleased with him, both as a man and bomes that they may become better accalled as pastor.

to Concord about October 1st.

FOREST HILL NEWS.

Hill-Reception at Mr. Wright's-Personal Notes,

delivered a strong sermon to a large bred corn. congregation at Forest Hill Methodist | Institute lectures will be present church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. as follows: Mr. J. L. Burgess, Agron-Mr. Hornbuckle spent several years in omist, State Department of Agriculthis community before entering the ture; Dr. W. G. Chrisman, Veterina ministry and many hearty hand- rian, State Department of Agriculclasps were given him by old friends ture; Mr. S. B. Shaw, Assistant Horand companions.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood, of Me- culture. Coll, S. C., are visiting at the home of Mr. Jno. R. Wood. They will spend several weeks in the city.

Kings Mountain with home folks. home after a visit of several weeks at 10 o'clock and afternoon sessions at Wrightsville.

Mrs. C. R. Allison, of Hot Springs, take notes. N. C., arrived in the city Saturday night and will spend several weeks Any Woman Can Have Beautiful with her father, Mr. J. M. Burrage. Mr. J. A. Lisk, of Mt. Gilead, spent

several days last week in the city with his sister, Mrs. S. V. Stewart, on North Church street.

father, Mr. H. D. Eudy.

to her home in the city after spending and strength to the hair. two weeks in Spray with relatives. Mr. Eli T. Goldston spent several

ours in Charlotte last Friday after-Misses Pearle Wash and Daisy Sherrill, of Charlotte, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wright. Saturday night riant hair; to turn dull, lifeless hair a reception was given at the home of into lustrous hair; to stop falling We, the representatives of the the most iniquitous tariff burden ever Mr. and Mrs. Wright in honor of the visiting young ladies at waich a number of invited friends were present and spent a very enjoyable evening.

> Death of Former Concord Lady in High Point.

Mr. J. C. Fink received a telegram this morning from Mrs. Fink, who is in Hight Point, announcing the death cardinal principles of Democratic tories, industries and unemployed op- of Mrs. Emma Atkinson, who died in that city this morning. Before her first marriage to Mr William Winewise, progressive and economical ad- unbusinesslike administration of the coff, of this county, she was Miss is in better shape than it has been for affairs of the national government by Emma Kimbro, also of this county, ment since the return of the Demo- the Republican party, whereby there where she had a large number of has been a useless expenditure of friends. She is survied by one daugh-We commend to the people of over \$300,000,000 annually of the ter, Miss Lizzie Winecoff, of High big Democratic figures. After dis-Point. The remains will arrive here counting a good deal of the confidence We call attention to the failure of tomorrow morning on No. 11 and the expressed by the twenty or more leadcemetery.

> Mr. Williams Leaves the Training School,

Mr. W. H. Williams, of Alexander intendent of the Jackson Training high as it did in New York last Sat-School since last September, has re- urday. The July option advanced Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, while signed that position, and he will about 20 points to 16.53, or about \$1 speaking at the Chautauqua at Win- leave tomorrow for his former home a bale above last night's closing. This field, Kansas, Saturday afternon, suf- near Hiddenite. Mr. Williams's fam- was due solely to a continuation of fered a temporary collapse and was ily left several days ago. Mr. Wil- the short scare that had been responvived sufficiently to apologize to his graded schools here. His work at a bale last week. audience and said: "Am better; noth- the Training School will be done by John W. Cook, who recently became

Additional Pensions.

The county pension board met this morning and the following pensions, not previously reported, were granted: Soldiers, W. A. Coleman, J. W. Clark and A. D. Melton; widows, Elizabeth Smith, Martha J. Eury and Eliza J. Williams. This makes a total of seven machine. Misses Shirley Montgomery soldiers and six widows of soldiers to and Lucy Richmond Lentz came over be granted pensions for this year, and returned with them During the year-four soldiers and four widows have died, making an increase of four in the pension list of this and Louise Ludlow, who have been

Republican Primaries.

The county Republican primaries will be held Saturday, July 30th, at 2 o'clock in the county and at 8 o'clock in the city, the places to be attending the summer school at designated in the regular call, which Charlottesville, will return home to-The Directors of the Census Fri- will be published later. The county morrow. convention will be held August 6th. when the county ticket will be nominated.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES

Harrisburg August 1st.

Farmers' Institutes will be held at the court house in Concord on Saturday, July 30, and at Harrisburg Mon-

At these places and the same date Mr. McLaughlin was here about will also be held an Institute for Wohree weeks ago, and preached two ser- men by Miss M. L. Jamison. The obmons at St. James. The congregation jects of these institutes are to bring a preacher, and the endorsement of quainted an dtalk over among themthe council is the result of the visit, selves subjects tending to the better-The congregation of St. James will ment of conditions in rural homes. meet Sanday, July 31, to vote on the such as better and more economical council's nomination, and no doubt foods and better methods of preparing Mr. McLaughlin will be unanimously them, home sanitation, home fruit and vegetable gardening, farm dairying, Mr. McLaughlin is about 39 years of poultry ralsing, the beautifying of the age, and his family consists of his wife home and home surroundings, etc. and three children. It is probable that There will be given on the grounds . he will accept the call when tendered practical demonstration in home canim, and if so he will move his family ning by Mr. A. B. Shaw, Assistant Horticulturist. Every woman in the county should see this demonstration. An interesting program has been prepared for these meetings.

A premium of \$1 will be gien for the best loaf of bread baked and exhibited by a girl or woman living on the farm. A premium of \$1 will be Rev. J. P. Hornbuckle, of Reidsville, given for the best five ears of pure-

ticulturist, State Department of Agri-

All farmers and their wives, some and daughters, and all others interested in farming and the betterment of Mr. J. C. Keller spent Sunday in the farm homes are urged to attend these meetings and join in the dis-Mrs. H. C. Raimer has returned cussions. Morning sessions will open at 1:30. Take a book and pencil to

Many women do not realize the attractions they possess because they do not give proper attention to the hair.

The women of Paris are famed for Mr. Martin Eudy, of Charlotte, their beauty, not because their facial spent Sunday in the city with his features are superior to those of other women, but because they know how to Mrs. Cornelia Mills has returned keep young by supplying vigor, luster

Three years ago Parisian Sage could hardly be obtained in America. But now this delightful hair tonic and dressing can be had in every town in America. Gibson Drug Store sell it for 50 cents a large bottle, and they guarantee it to grow beautiful, luxuhair; to stop itching of the scalp. Ask for Parisian Sage:

A United Democracy.

Mr. Jno. M. Julian, in his write-up of the congressional convention for

his paper, the Salisbury Post, says: . This much is certain—the Demoeracy of the district is in better fettle than it has been since 1902, and this is not mere whistling to keep up courage, either. Gov. Doughton told me his section of the district years, Representative Bouie said the same of Ashe, while the Iredell, Cabarrus and Stanly folks are all talking ing Democrats I have interviewed today, I feel sanguine over the pros-

Cotton is Highest Since Sulley Year.

Not since the memorial Sully camcounty, who has been assistant super- paign of 1903-04 has cotton sold as

> Mrs. Theodore Smith and daughter. of San Antonio, Tex., arrived yesterday morning on train No. 36, and are visiting at Mr. W. M. Smith's. They will go with Mr. Smith on his camping trip in Virginia, about August 1.

Dr. J. C. Montgomery and family, of Charlotte, spent yesterday afternoon here. They came over in his

Mrs. Ludlow and Misses Margaret visiting Mrs. J. F. Cannon, will return this afternoon to their home in Winston-Salem.

Misses Zula and Grace Patterson and Miriam Dumville, who have been

Mr. Hugh Parks has returned from a two week's visit to Linville .