

9th District Sends Mr. Clyde R. Hoey

Hon Clyde R. Hoey of Shelby, Democratic candidate for Congress, Tuesday last was elected by a majority of between 1900 and 2000. Tuesday night late there was received by daily papers and at headquarters of the two parties, the official majority from 7 of the 10 counties in the district of the ten counties in the district and estimates from the other three Madison, Mitchell and Yancey, bordering on the Tennessee line. The estimates from these counties are based upon reports received from both democratic and republican sources.

Hoey received majorities in six counties and Morehead in four. The only county that shifted from the last regular election was Burke, which is officially reported to have given Hoey a majority of 78 against a majority of 61 for Charles A. Jonas, the republican candidate last year. The Hoey majority in Mecklenburg county, including Charlotte, is 2,163. The vote for Hoey was 1,675 and for Morehead 1,512. The vote in the county was 3,187 for Hoey and 7 67 for Morehead.

LATER REPORTS REDUCE HOEY'S MAJORITY

Since the above account of the election was put in type, today's Charlotte Observer gives later reports on the returns which indicate that Hoey's majority is reduced. Today's report says:

Revised reports from several of the mountain counties of the ninth congressional district received last night reduced to less than 1,600 Clyde R. Hoey's majority in the special election of Thursday, in which he was elected over John M. Morehead to succeed Judge Yates Webb in Congress. Burke county remained in the republican column and gave Morehead a majority variously estimated from 1,000 to 1,800. Republican headquarters in Charlotte would concede Hoey a majority of only 1,100.

It was impossible to obtain complete returns from Avery or Yancey yesterday, but both democratic and republican headquarters in Charlotte gave Morehead a majority of 1,000 in Avery, more in the total vote cast in that county in last election, and gave Hoey a majority of three votes in Yancey. These figures were given out at both headquarters as "official," but neither had the vote been ascertained either candidate.

On the other hand, Mr. Hoey said last night that telegraphic reports received by him yesterday from Avery gave Morehead a majority of only 875, and from Yancey gave him (Hoey) a majority of 100. Telegraphic reports received by the Shelby man also gave Morehead a majority of only 850 in Mitchell and 1,000 in Madison, said Mr. Hoey.

HOEY'S FRIENDS CELEBRATE HIS ELECTION AT SHELBY

Shelby, Dec. 18.—A thousand enthusiastic friends of Clyde R. Hoey celebrated tonight his election to Congress over J. M. Morehead, by an estimated majority of not less than 2,000 nor more than 2,500, when the Republicans confidently expected to elect their man.

Cleveland county gave her favorite son 3,217 against Morehead's 1,306, a majority of 1,911, the largest Democratic majority Cleveland county has ever given in her history. Hoey carried 20 of the 23 precincts in Cleveland.

He will take his seat in Congress after the holiday recess.

PRESIDENT HOLDS THEM RESPONSIBLE

President Wilson Declares That Republican Leaders Will Bear Responsibility For the Fate of Treaty—What the Leaders Say.

From the White House Sunday, President Wilson issued the following statement in regard to the peace treaty:

"It was learned from the highest authority at the executive office today that the hope of the Republican leaders of the Senate, that the President would presently make a compromise which will relieve the situation with regard to the treaty, is entirely without foundation; he has no compromise or concession of any kind in mind, but intends, as far as he is concerned, that the Republican leaders of the Senate shall continue to bear the undivided responsibility for the fate of the treaty and the present condition of the world in consequence of that fate."

Senator Hitchcock, commenting on the White House statement, declared that the Democrats would continue effort for compromising the reservations, and that the Senate and not the President must act first.

"The President says the whole matter is in the hands of the Senate and I agree with him," said Mr. Hitchcock. "The President says he has no compromise or concession to make. That is for the Senate. We are ready to negotiate at any time and will continue to seek a compromise between the Lodge reservations and those I offered last November."

Senator Hitchcock declared positively that the Democrats never would consent to ratification of the treaty without the league of nations and would not accept the plan offered by Senator Knox, Republican, of Pennsylvania, to ratify the peace terms and leave the league question for decision by the voters.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, and other prominent Republicans reserved public comment on the White House statement but the Republican viewpoint is beyond doubt, was that the President must continue to be held responsible for the deadlock and until he acts the treaty must remain at a standstill, probably until January.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, Republican member of the foreign relations committee and prominent among the treaty's implacable foes, in a statement charged that large financial interests in the propaganda favoring a Senate compromise and also purpose to keep the treaty and the league from being passed on by the people during the ensuing presidential campaign.

The Knox resolution, which may be pressed anew, is sure to meet active opposition. "It is utterly out of the question, absolutely impossible," said the Nebraska Senator, adding that a basis of compromise is not to be made on reservations and the five he proposed as substitutes.

Questioned regarding the future course toward a compromise, Senator Hitchcock said:

"The Lodge reservations are in the Senate, ours are there also. We are willing to discuss a compromise at any time."

MOREHEAD CARRIES CATAWBA BY MAJORITY OF 218 VOTES.

Hickory, Dec. 16.—Complete returns from all precincts in Catawba county give Morehead a majority of 218 votes over Clyde R. Hoey, Democratic candidate for Congress. Both the Hickory precinct returned a majority for Morehead to overcome any Democratic lead in the rest of the county. Outside of Hickory township it is indicated that the Democrats have made slight gains over last election. The election passed quietly here and throughout the county.

HOEY'S MAJORITY IN MECKLENBURG 2,163

Democratic Candidate Gets 3,675 Votes to Morehead's 1,512.

DEMOCRATIC VOTE INCREASED IN LINCOLN

Hoey Carried Eight of the Twelve Precincts in Lincoln—The Lincoln Box Increases Its Democratic Majority—Non Payment of Poll Tax Prevented Some from Voting.

The Democrats of Lincoln county are feeling good over the Congressional election in this county last Tuesday, when Lincoln county rolled up an increased Democratic majority for Mr. Hoey, Democratic nominee, in the special congressional election, for a successor to Judge Webb, resigned. Mr. Hoey's majority in Lincoln over his opponent, Mr. Morehead, is given at 167.

The Democratic voters in Lincoln in the election last fall gave Mr. Webb a majority of 31. The vote of the two parties last Tuesday only lacked about 200 of being what it was in the election last fall. The falling off in the vote was attributed by Chairman Love to the fact that many voters on both sides had failed to pay their poll tax before May 1, as required.

A total of 783 votes were cast at the Lincoln box Tuesday, against a total of 710 last election. The Democratic gain at the Lincoln box over last year was around 73, the Democratic vote at this box last year being 404, and this year 477. The Republican vote at this box last year was 306, this year 306.

The voters in the city generally paid their poll tax in order to vote in the city election last spring. The vote for Hoey and Morehead in each precinct, official, is given below, as turned in Tuesday night from the 12 precincts of the county.

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name and Votes. Includes Lincoln County Vote Dec. 16, 1919. Lists precincts like Lowville, Triangle, Iron Station, etc.

The Vote for Congressman Last Year at the 12 Precincts. A comparison of the vote Tuesday with that of last fall in the Congressional election will perhaps interest our readers. The vote last fall, 1918, was as follows:

For Webb, Dem., Lowville 91, Triangle 43, Denver 108; Iron Station 104; Oronok 111; Reepsville 176; Heavner's 81; Crouse 69; Play 98; Beam's 77. Total for 1918: 1,100.

The Democrats carried 8 boxes in the county in Tuesday's election—Lowville, Triangle, Iron Station, Lincolnville, Southside, Heavner's, Crouse, and Play. The Republicans carried 4 boxes—Denver, Oronok, Oronok, and Heavner's.

No other county in the district, save Cleveland, stood by Congressman Hoey, with more enthusiasm than did Lincoln, and the Democrats generally in the district are pleased with the Democratic majority in this county.

FARMERS' UNION OFFICERS.

R. W. H. Stone, of Guilford, Succeeds Dr. H. Q. Alexander As President—Other Officers and Resolutions.

R. W. H. Stone, of Guilford county, was elected president of the North Carolina Farmers' Union at the meeting in Greensboro the past week. Paul Jones of Edgecombe county received 57 votes against 53 for Stone. Dr. H. Q. Alexander, of Mecklenburg county, retiring president, received 22 votes; Rev. J. W. Lyster, of Rowan 11, and Dr. G. J. Tompkins, of Wake 3. The election came on the fourth ballot. Dr. Tompkins was re-elected vice-president.

An executive committee was elected composed of W. B. Gibson, of Iredell, chairman; Dr. H. Q. Alexander, Mecklenburg; Mr. Bagwell, of Wake; Mr. Hudson, of Rowan, and T. L. Terry, of Edgecombe. Mr. Bagwell is secretary to the committee. E. C. Fairies of Guilford was elected secretary of the district.

Resolutions were adopted denouncing the State revaluation act as being oppressive on the farmers. The Union refused to adopt as its official program the program of non-payment of poll tax, which is a violation of the law. In fact it decided not to have an official organ.



CONGRESSMAN CLYDE R. HOEY. Elected Last Tuesday to Represent the Ninth Congressional District in Congress.

50 PER CENT GROSS PROFIT IS ALLOWED

Merchants Must Mark Selling Price on Each Article—Will Require Rigorous Enforcement of Regulations Authorized Under Lever Act.

A gross retail profit not to exceed 50 per cent on the invoice cost has been announced by Henry A. Page, State Fair Price Commissioner, as a reasonable margin of gain to merchants in North Carolina, regulations going in effect Monday, December 15. The announcement was made in an address before the Merchants' Association in Wilson Tuesday night, and brings to an end the controversy aroused some weeks ago between the Commissioner and the merchants of the State. The regulations are as follows:

1.—The practice of having different prices for different people will be considered a violation of the Lever Act, there must be one fair price to everybody.

2.—Full replacement value will not be allowed, but the merchant will be expected to average cost of clothing, shoes, etc., in determining new advanced prices. (Mr. Page explained by saying that a serge suit purchased last spring at \$20 might cost the merchant \$40 if purchased today. This would not justify the merchant in marking irregular percentages of profit on the \$40 suit and then bringing the price of the suits carried over up to this level.)

3.—A maximum margin of 50 per cent on invoice cost is allowed on men's clothing, furnishings, hats, and all shoes. To charge more than 50 per cent is indictable under the act. This does not mean that the merchant may merchandise classed above should bear 50 per cent profit, since, if he found a merchant adhering to this rule to escape the clutches of the law, it would be counted against him.

4.—A maximum margin of 60 per cent on invoice cost is allowed on all women's ready-to-wear. To charge more than 60 per cent is to violate the amended Lever Act.

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6.—These regulations are effective December 15, and any merchants who willfully exceed the above margins of profit or violates above regulations will be subject to indictment and trial before Federal judge and jury.

IRON STATION, R-1 LETTER

Correspondence of the News. We read in the Lincoln County News the following letter: "Webb's first charge before the Grand Jury, delivered in Asheville, also Governor Bickett's article, 'Hate and Passion in the Saddle.' We trust that when our people will support the support of men in public office, who will condemn unrighteousness and live righteous lives; thus punishing crime and unholiness making goodness, we will have a change in this fair land of ours, and the people will be pleased with a new smelling fragrance unto the throne of God."

We believe there is deep down in every human heart a love for true and beautiful actions in life. In reading Shakespeare's Play, 'The Merchant of Venice' everybody admires the character of the merciful Portia better than that of the harsh Shylock. The quick business activities in life we like to boast that we are an educated Christian nation. Some of our noted educators have defined education as 'social efficiency,' that is 'to promote growth and social happiness to help people solve the problems of life.' In the Bible we all know that many, many times we are commanded to love our brethren and do good. According to Judge Webb's and Governor Bickett's addresses are we doing this? Would we not have these words said into us, 'Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting.' It seems to us that it might be hoove every one of us who wishes to help uplift humanity to begin thinking what we are doing. We had this rule in chemistry, for changes, 'those which affect the composition of substances and give rise to the formation of new substances with new properties.' We have been thinking that the combination of some characteristics with the elimination of some in our people might produce a change. We beg the privilege of giving this formula:

Love instead of hate, charity instead of selfishness, work instead of idleness, wisdom instead of ignorance, truth instead of lies, honesty instead of dishonesty, and a better people. If you can give a better one, we will be glad to see it. A. B. C.

SHORT ITEMS OF NEWS

The president of the unions have voted for the continuation of the nation-wide steel workers' strike.

Fortyfour States have ratified the prohibition amendment to the constitution. Virginia lead the way January 17, 1918.

Governor Bickett has appointed Miss Martha Haywood a member of the board of directors of the Soldiers' Home, Raleigh.

Floods last week caused heavy damage in portions of Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi and several lives were lost.

A big steel freighter, 'City of Winston-Salem,' will be launched at Wilmington Saturday, 27th. Miss DeWitt Chatham, daughter of Mrs. Hugh Chatham, of Winston-Salem, will be sponsor.

At the annual meeting of the North Carolina Livestock Association, held in Goldsboro last week, T. D. Brown, of Salisbury, was elected president of the Association. J. W. Haynes, Asheville, vice-president, and J. A. Arey, secretary.

The next regular meeting of the North Carolina State Board of dental examiners will be held in Charlotte on Thursday, January 15, 1920, beginning at 9 o'clock according to the announcement of Dr. F. L. Hunt, of Asheville, secretary.

Reports received at Baptist headquarters, Raleigh, from North Carolina Baptist churches show pledges for the \$2,000,000 million campaign amounting to \$7,106,000. This is more than a million dollars over the State quota. Many churches have not yet reported.

Fuel Administrator Garfield has tendered his resignation to President Wilson, because an Associated Press dispatch from Washington says, he disapproves in principle with the coal strike settlement proposal arranged by the government and the mine workers. The resignation was accepted.

Churchill Godley, white, of Johnston county, who was to have been electrocuted Monday morning for criminal assault, gets a reprieve until January 15, 1920, provided that all delegates and alternates must be chosen 'not earlier than 30 days after the date of this call and not later than 30 days before the date of meeting of such Republican national convention unless otherwise provided by the laws of the State in which the election occurs.'

Exportation of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes will not be permitted after January 16, when the prohibition amendment becomes effective, according to the bureau of internal revenue. The fact that spirits are in transit in this country on that date or are in warehouses at the port of export or are on board ship in port, will not be regarded as compliance with the law, but it must be accounted for in the territory of the United States on January 16.

SUBSCRIBERS DO NOT OBJECT TO ADVANCE IN THE RATE

The News force has been as busy as could be since the announcement appeared notifying the subscribers of an advance in subscription rates effective January 1st from \$1.50 to \$2 a year. Our friends readily understood that everything has advanced to such a degree that it is impossible to give a twice-a-week paper any more for \$1.50 a year. We have been busy receiving renewals from subscribers who are taking advantage of the present rate. Many subscribers are yet in arrears but we know they will come in before the first of January 1st the name of every subscriber, rich or poor, whose name has been expiring will be taken from the list. We must adopt this course in order to be fair to all.

Sure Clues. "The man we called to see you yesterday wore a cutaway coat and a stovepipe hat." "He must have been the plumber." Baltimore American.

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

North Carolina Lincoln County Publication in pursuance of section 1388 of the Revised 1905, is hereby made giving each individual whose account has been audited, a true and correct statement of the amount allowed, together with full statement of county Revenue and Charges—showing by items the income from every source and the disbursements for the year also showing the permanent debt of the county, when constructed and interest paid.

Revenue taken from county Treasurers Annual Reports. (Continued from Last Issue.) July 23, A. Nixon, C. S. C., jury tax in case Lallie Ramsaur, vs. Ramsaur, \$3.85; S. C. S. C. 5 per cent commission 15c, \$2.85. Aug. 4, G. B. Goodson, sheriff, taxes, \$1922.50. Aug. 4, Amount collected from Sarah Hoke, \$25.46. Aug. 5, The First Natl Bank, Lincoln, borrowed money for 90 days, \$1500; less interest \$22.50, \$1477.50. Sept. 1, C. B. Goodson, Sheriff, taxes, \$1922.50. Sept. 2, First Natl Bank, borrowed money for 90 days, \$1200; less int. \$18, \$1182. Oct. 3, T. L. Ware, Supt. Gaston county roads, for hire of convicts, \$30. Oct. 6, First Natl Bank, borrowed money for 90 days, \$4000; less int. \$60 \$3940. Oct. 15, James R. Young, Ins. Com., 1919 Bldg. & Loan tax, \$91.74. Nov. 1, A. Nixon, C. S. C., jury tax in cases as follows: S. A. Hauss \$2; L. B. Dymun, \$2; Charlie Reynolds, \$2; Charlie Reynolds, \$2; W. A. Larman, \$2; Dewey Chapman, \$2; M. L. Carpenter, \$2; Jim Queen, \$2; Herd Smith, \$2; Bill Reynolds, \$2; Jess Smith, \$2; Jess Smith, \$2; Ernest Newton, \$2; Edwin Mullin, \$2; Charlie Reynolds, \$2; J. Mull, \$2; S. Lockman, \$2; Kever, \$2; Wade Fullinswider, \$2; Geo. Fullinswider, \$2; Wade Fullinswider, \$2; J. S. Wiley, \$2; Hoyt Gregory, \$2; Hoyt Gregory, \$2; total \$48; less C. S. C. per cent commission \$2.40, \$45.60.

COL. WM. S. PEARSON DEAD.

Col. Wm. S. Pearson, aged 70 years, was struck and instantly killed by a street car in Charlotte Thursday evening. Col. Pearson was a native of Mecklenburg and a lawyer by profession. Some years ago he was appointed assayer of the Charlotte mint and he and his family took up their residence there. He returned to Mecklenburg in 1870 and later again returned to Charlotte. He is survived by three daughters and a son. Col. Pearson was well known to Stateville people, where he resided before the above mentioned.

DANIELS SCHOOL NEWS.

The enrollment for the month was one hundred and five, and the average attendance was one hundred. A fourth teacher is expected after Christmas.

The honor roll for the month is: First Grade—Frances Reep, Juanita Cline, Russel Helms, Sarah Helms. Second Grade—Elizabeth Killian, Ethel Young.

Third Grade—Robert Carpenter. Fourth Grade—Maude Blackburn. Fifth Grade—Katherine Rhodes, Melvin Yoder, Russel Carpenter, Rosa May Blackburn.

Sixth Grade—Roberta Bangle. Seventh Grade—Fred Coder, Ruth Rhoads, Blanch Yoder, Ethel Miller. Eighth Grade—Ruth Coon, Phillip Coon, Willard Yoder. Ninth Grade—Alton Carpenter, Claud Carpenter.

Tenth Grade—Phylic Carpenter, Louise Coon, Junius Coon, Carrie Yoder. Thursday of this week the high school will play 'The Little Coddhopper' at Startown High School, Newton, N. C.

Saturday night of this week the high school will play 'The Little Coddhopper' at Daniels again. It is hoped that the patrons and friends of the school will give the hearty co-operation. All school children are admitted free. Adults 35c.

STATE AND FEDERAL AID ROAD BUILDING.

Raleigh News and Observer. Seventy-eight of the 100 counties in the State have filed with the State highway commission application for State and Federal aid in road building since the commission was reorganized, and there are now in hands of the commission applications for aid on 103 separate projects, two of which have been completed, 35 are under construction, and the others are pending, according to figures given out.

Surveys are being made on 65 projects that have been applied for, there being at present 35 surveying parties in the field in various sections of the State. Among projects in various parts of the State, recently approved, are: Caldwell county, Lenoir to the Catawba river, 16 miles of clay gravel road. Caldwell county, Lenoir to Wilkes county line, 16 miles of clay gravel road.

Watauga county, Boone to Caldwell county line, 13 miles clay gravel. Davie county, Mocksville to Yadkin river bridge, 10 miles and concrete bridge over Yadkin river. Where The Sign Failed.

"The men who make the heat blankets," says a writer, are the very men who possess the knotty type of face with square toes." But the young fellow of ours addicted to stopping light, says they make the worst kind of occupational father-in-law.—London Opinion.

The Scientific Mind. "This is a sixteen-year-old princess. The mummy has been preserved for 2,000 years." "Does that include the sixteen years she lived?"—London Passing Show.

Notice Of Advance in The Subscription Price

The Lincoln County News hereby announces that beginning Jan. 1, 1920, the subscription price will be advanced from \$1.50 a year to \$2.00 a year. We find this absolutely necessary on account of the unprecedented advances in blank paper, and other articles needed publishing the News which have more than doubled recently. During the month of December renewals and new subscriptions will be accepted at the present rate of \$1.50 a year. If you renew your subscription and pay in advance during this month (December) the increased rate will not effect you until your time expires again.

We have been busy making this advance. We must increase the rate to meet increased cost of operation. Our patrons have been loyal and true, many of them taking the paper ever since it started years ago and we give you believe they will stick to us in this crisis. In comparison to the price of other things, the News is cheap at \$2 per year. With print paper costing \$8 per hundred and reduction of its cost to 10 cents in 30 days (and hard to buy at any price) there is nothing left for us to do but make a small increase.

We ask everybody who has not done so to renew their subscription this month while it is still \$1.50 a year. After Jan. 1, 1920, it will be advanced to \$2 per year.

ONLY a few days until Christmas. Why not buy your good wife a whole lot of Blue Diamonds for a Christmas present. Johnston Ice and Fuel Co.

See the fancy work at Miss J. A. McKnight's over Abernethy and Thompson. \*2415

LOST—Package from Sherrilla Jewelry Store, containing three small boxes of gold pins.—Berge Beam 2.

AFTER Tuesday, Dec. 16, we will get cotton Friday and Saturday only. Lincoln Ginnery. \*d15-21\*

A lot of goods selling near old prices. \$1.50 ties \$1; pants, sweaters, underwear, boys suits, ladies hand bags, men's scarfs, Flannel shirts \$1.25 to \$1.75; a lot of goods for less than I can buy it for. Come and look over.—McClellans.

MULES, MULES, MULES—I have just received a carload of first class mules weighing from 8 to 11 hundred 3 to 5 years old, well broke and in fine condition. Come to see me before you buy or exchange for I will sell \$25 or \$30 cheaper than any one else. Terms cash or time.—D. M. Abernethy High Shoals, N. C., Gaston Co. 015-37

—Fay Ideal stockings at Leonard Bros. —Fay stockings need no supporters. Leonard Bros.

A. A. SHEETING—25c a yard. Leonard Bros.

NEWSPAPERS ARE ASKED TO CONSUME LESS

Washington, Dec. 17.—Every newspaper in the country was called on today by the house postoffice committee to reduce its consumption of newsprint paper by 10 per cent for a period of six months in an effort to relieve the present serious shortage which the committee has been told threatened the destruction of a number of small papers.

Voluntary co-operation of publishers would obviate the necessity for governmental action, said the committee statement, which was prepared by Chairman Stenerson. Members of the committee said that if the publishers carried out the voluntary conservation plan, further action on the Anthony bill to limit the sale of newspapers and periodicals using the second class mail privilege would be postponed for the present, at least.

WANTED ADS

WANTED TURKEYS: Highest market price paid for same. Phone or write us what you have.—Catawba Creamery Co. Hickory N. C. 018-14

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DR. EVANS S. WEINUT. DENTIST. CHERRYVILLE, N. C. Morrison Bldg. Phone 192.

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