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### Political Announcements.

**FOR COTTON WEAVER.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for cotton weaver at Marshville, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Hiram W. Griffin.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for cotton weaver at Marshville, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—R. E. Beik.

**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic primary in June.—Clifford Fowler.

**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—W. H. Presson.

**FOR COTTON WEAVER.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for cotton weaver at Monroe subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—H. M. Presson.

**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Russell W. Rogers.

**FOR THE LEGISLATURE.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—C. J. Braswell.

**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—W. Frank Benton.

**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff subject to the action of the Democratic primary in June.—Raymond C. Griffin.

**For Prosecuting Attorney.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Julian C. Brooks.

**For Register of Deeds.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Register of Deeds subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—M. C. Long.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.**  
We hereby announce ourselves candidates for re-election as members of the county board of commissioners, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—W. D. Bivens, W. L. Hemby, A. A. Seerest.

**FOR ROAD ELECTORATE.**  
We hereby announce ourselves candidates for the road electorate of Union county subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Monroe township, J. C. Winchester; Jackson township, W. N. Davis; Sandy Ridge township, Sam Redwine; Vance township, W. E. Lemmond; Goose Creek township, T. L. Price; New Salem township, G. W. Smith; Marshville township, J. C. McIntyre; Lanes Creek township, H. F. Parker; Buford township, T. C. Eubanks; At Large, W. C. Heath.

**FOR THE LEGISLATURE.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Earl Ezzell.

**For Cotton Weaver at Waxhaw.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for cotton weaver at Waxhaw, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—D. F. Short.

**FOR THE LEGISLATURE.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—T. F. Limerick.

**FOR CORONER.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Coroner of Union county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—T. B. Davis.

**FOR THE LEGISLATURE.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.—Henry McWhorter.

**Hogville Local News.**  
Hogville, May 29.—Dan Hooks, the blacksmith, who also does barber work on Saturdays, now has two pairs of scissors, a dull pair and one sharp. He has established two prices on hair cuts—25 cents for a hair cut with the dull ones and 39 cents for use of the sharp ones. A traveling man was in town Saturday and chose the sharp shears and Dan raked in an extra nickel.

Dag Smith, in looking over some statistics yesterday noticed that every third baby born in the world is a Chinaman. Dag has nine children. He will endeavor to find out something about the pedigree of the other six.

The Postmaster left this week for a three days' hunting and fishing expedition and closed the postoffice right at a time when Miss Petuna Belcher was expecting a letter from her unknown correspondent. The Postmaster says if he stayed on duty all the time Petuna was expecting mail a great many of his share of the fish would go uncaught.

Zero Peck, expressing his opinion of things generally a few days ago, said he had never done any singing himself but had heard a great many others sing and believed if he were to try he could do as well as Miss Begonia Allsop, who always manages in some way to get on the program where singing is to be done. Begonia has heard of this unkind remark and Zero is hiding out.

Human nature is still doing business at the same old stand—the Postmaster putting on a disgusted look when certain people call for their mail more than once a day.

Sile Sims got his second-hand auto to run a short distance a few days ago but says he got no pleasure out of the ride, as he imagined all the time the thing was running that he was sowing the road behind him with bolts, springs, broken coas, etc., and his mind was laboring as to how long it would take him to gather up all these parts and get them back into the machine.

**MISTAKES.**  
We made some mistakes yesterday and a few the day before; We wouldn't be at all surprised if today we made some more. Should we ever reach the point Aslant life's rocky hill Where we never make mistakes Right then we'll make our will.

### CATHOLIC DENIES HASTY HAD SUCH AN EXPERIENCE

Marshville Man's Story "Should Be Put Down As an Ignorant or Ill-Timed Hoax." Declares Layman Publicity Officer.

To the Editor of The Journal:—You will pardon me for addressing you with reference to an item "Polluted The Holy Water," which appeared in the Coolee Journal of May 14th and there credited to your paper.

It is perhaps somewhat outside the sphere of the Catholic Layman's Association of Georgia, which was formed to bring about a friendlier feeling among all citizens of Georgia, regardless of creed, to notice anything calculated to stir up enmity against Catholics in another State, but you will not, I feel sure, consider it impertinent for me to say that this is the only purpose that could be served by the item referred to in your paper, calculated as it is to put Catholics in a ridiculous light.

Because the Catholics of North Carolina and elsewhere who read your valuable paper quite well know, that if Mr. Frank Hasty of Marshville ever visited a Catholic church, he did not meet with the experience narrated in your paper. For, not only in the North Carolina city which you failed to name, but wherever there is a Catholic church, visitors may walk right in, go where they please, see anything they like to, do what they wish, and so long as they are orderly no questions will be asked of them. Mr. Frank Hasty of Marshville, whoever he is, has simply imposed upon you a bit of fiction that is either humorous or malicious, according to one's taste. A number of the editors in Georgia used to fall for this sort of comedy, but most of them have come to realize that such things are usually "out of the whole cloth" and do not do any good.

Having myself been for many years an editor, I can grant without the necessity of your saying, that there was no ill motive on your part, possibly not on the part of Mr. Frank Hasty of Marshville, but it is not pleasant to Catholics to have a newspaper of note and influence in the community aspersing their religious practices with ridicule.

If Mr. Frank Hasty of Marshville insists upon the truth of his story, he surely will give you the name of the city in North Carolina where he says the incident occurred, and the time when he says it did occur, as well as the names of some of his friends who were with him. If he will not do this I think you will agree with me that the matter should be put down as an ignorant or ill-timed hoax.—Very truly yours, J. J. Farrell, Publicity Manager, Catholic Layman's Association of Georgia, Augusta, Ga., May 31, 1920.

The article to which the above communication has reference to, was published in The Journal on May 4, 1920, and follows:

Mr. Frank Hasty of Marshville, who was in Monroe Monday, had several of his friends laughing at an experience he had in a North Carolina city some time ago when he wandered into a Catholic church. "I had no reason for entering the church," he said, "but followed another man in just for curiosity. I got along all right until I came to the altar, where the man in front of me had dipped his finger in holy water. I tried to do the same thing, but was stopped by two of the priests, who stood near me. 'Are you a member of this church?' one of them asked. 'No,' I replied. Surprised that a non-member should enter the sacred portals, the priests ordered the church door closed. I stood there almost paralyzed with fear. Beads of perspiration appeared on my face, though snow was on the ground. Turning to me, a priest said: 'You have polluted the water.' I remained quiet. 'What did you mean by dipping your finger in the holy water?' I was finally asked. 'Well, sir,' I replied, 'I have always been told to do in Rome as Romans do.' This made the fathers smile. 'You are pardoned,' said one, as he opened the door for me to make my exit. Needless to state, I was thankful to gain my freedom."

### TIMES NEED MORRISON SAYS EX-GOVERNOR CRAIG

For Twenty Years Morrison Has Been the Leader in Declaring Democratic Principles, He Says.

Hon. Cameron Morrison was introduced to a large Asheville audience Wednesday by ex-Governor Locke Craig in the following classic manner:

"In the selection of governor the good of the state is the first consideration. I gladly bear testimony of ability and character beyond question. It will be conceded, I think, by fair-minded persons, that in strength of intellect, in equipment for public service, in training and in exalted character and ideals, Cameron Morrison is the peer of any North Carolinian of our generation.

"Born to poverty, the riches of mind and nobility of heart were his inheritance. In youth, with unshaken faith and courage, he triumphed over difficulties. By genuine worth and a personality that commanded admiration, by universal esteem, he took his place years ago among the foremost, as a man and a leader of men. In the forum he ranks with the first lawyers of the state, for he is learned in the wisdom of the ages, and can appeal with the convincing power of logic and emotion to the hearts and consciences of men.

"But his finest thought, his highest activities have been devoted to the service of the people. This is the genius of his life, and the fire of his soul. He is a democrat because he loves justice and equality, because he recognizes the fellowship of men who work, and the right of all ranks of society to laws and institutions that will guarantee the development of a higher social order; and democracy to him is a well of truth springing up into everlasting life.

"For 25 years he has served the democratic party and the people of this state with a faith that never faltered—with a loyalty and courage that never wavered, and with a prowess that never failed. Old men and women in eastern North Carolina and western North Carolina will tell with gratitude to their grand-children his work in the redemption and safety of the state. For 20 years he has been a leader in declaring the principles and formulating the policies by which the democratic party has led the state into the ways of prosperity and righteousness for the magnificent advancement and blessing of all the people. He has rendered all unselfish devotion, which no reward could purchase. He has devoted his gifts, his life, fully, freely, bravely, to his state, and he has done the highest order of work, and more of it than any man in North Carolina who has not been raised to high position.

"I am persuaded that the people of North Carolina will not forget, and will not be ungrateful. He asks no reward, but he does ardently desire that which is inherent in every noble, aspiring child of God, the recognition and approval of the people whom he loves and has served, and from them the high commission of honor and trust to render still greater service.

"He has the wisdom that cometh

with the steadfast resolve to do right. With 25 years of work and training, with that finer and surer knowledge born of fellowship and human sympathy with all classes and conditions, he comes to us worthy and well qualified to be raised to the master's degree.

"With love and gratitude I bear testimony to his loyalty to friend and to cause.

"True and bright as a star shining in days of trial and adversity, we need him as the standard bearer of democracy in this time of crisis and momentous issue.

"If Woodrow Wilson could have stood in his power, he might have brought order out of chaos, of social ferment and economic upheaval. The hand that is now palsied could have delivered unimpaired to mankind blasted and consumed by war, the covenant of enduring peace. It could have tamed the Hydra of Anarchy and quelled the feud of nations. But this world leader has fallen. The people of the United States in the approaching election must pass upon the issues of peace and war—of America's obligation to civilization—of social and economic readjustment and justice. The cause of democracy is the cause of mankind.

"We need a leader in North Carolina, who can present the great cause with power and eloquence, who can meet all comers with victorious assurance, and fire the hearts of the untrifled as of old. We have but to look and listen beyond the din and confusion of the hour to see the hosts of democracy in North Carolina advancing to victory with our greatest field marshal at the head—Cameron Morrison!"

Rev. Zebulon A. Shipman, said to be the only man in western North Carolina who has won a congressional medal of honor, is out under a \$1000 bond for shooting two negroes in Hendersonville the other day. During the Spanish-American war Rev. Mr. Shipman, while serving as a private in the marine corps, jumped overboard from a war ship, and with several others, helped cut a cable amid Spanish shell fire. He was awarded the congressional medal of honor for this.

How complicated the simplest thing can be made was shown by an engineer, who said to a company:

"This morning I went over to see a new machine we've got at our place, and it's astonishing how it works."

"And how does it work?" asked one.

"Well," was the reply, "by means of a pedal attachment a fulcrum lever converts a vertical reciprocating motion into a circular movement. The principal part of the machine is a huge-disk that revolves in a vertical plane. Power is applied through the axis of the disk, and work is done on the periphery, and the hardest steel by mere impact may be reduced to any shape."

"What is this wonderful machine?" was asked.

"A grindstone."

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