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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY WINS HANDSOME SILK BANNER.

Presented By the Democracy of the Fifth Congressional District.

The Democracy of the Fifth Congressional district is to be congratulated upon the magnificent victory which has just been won. From time to time the unofficial majorities in the several counties have been printed. It was impossible to get the correct vote in all of the counties until the meeting of the Board of Canvassers. The official vote in the counties of the district show a majority of 3362. The majorities in the several counties are as follows:

Stedman Blair.	
Alamance.....	312
Caswell.....	499
Durham.....	692
Forsyth.....	323
Granville.....	999
Guilford.....	1187
Orange.....	230
Person.....	66
Rockingham.....	649
Stokes.....	413
Surry.....	536
Totals.....	4634

By reference to the vote of this district in 1908 it will be seen that there were some very radical changes, especially in the counties of Alamance, Durham, Guilford, Rockingham and Surry. In 1908 we lost Alamance county by 37 votes. This year we regained it by a majority of 312. In 1908 we carried Durham by 20 votes. This year we carry it by 692 votes, a change of 672 votes in our favor. In 1908 we lost Orange by 64 votes. We carry Orange this time by 230, making a change of 294 votes. We lost Person in 1908 by 180 votes. We regained Person in this election with a majority of 66 votes, making a change of 249 votes in our favor. We lost Stokes at the last election by 681 votes. At this election we make a gain of 268 votes in Stokes county. In 1908 we lost Surry county by 1001. At this election Blair carried the county by 536 votes only, making a net gain in our favor of 465 votes. It will be seen that we gained in Stokes and Surry 733 votes at this election over 1908. The largest gains were made in Rockingham county, which we lost in 1902 by 213 votes. We carried the county at this election by 649, making a change in our favor of 862 votes in Rockingham county.

This of course gives the banner to Rockingham county. As I have stated before, a citizen of Greensboro offered, on behalf of the Democracy of the District a silk banner to the county making the largest Democratic gain.

The inscription on the banner will be as follows:

"1910, Rockingham the banner County Presented by the Democracy of the Fifth Congressional District."

I desire to acknowledge my indebtedness to the press of this district and the News and Observer of Raleigh, to the County Chairman of each of the counties of the district, to the Precinct Chairman in each of the townships of this district, and the friends of Major Stedman and leaders and workers of the party who have stood together as a unit in this election.

While the duties devolving upon me were exacting and the labor of the campaign exceedingly heavy, yet the willingness with which the Democrats of the dis-

"I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and safest remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial trouble," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold of Denver, Col. "We have used it repeatedly and it has never failed to give relief." For sale by all dealers.

trict and especially of Guilford county, performed the most trivial services requested, and the consideration shown me at all times made the task one which I shall always recollect with pleasure.

A. WAYLAND COOKE.
Chairman Democratic Cong. Ex. Com.
Fifth District.
Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 14, 1910.

Solicitor Graves Banquets His Friends.

We learn from the Reidsville Review that Solicitor Graves spread a banquet to his political friends at Hotel Rockingham, Saturday night. The Review says:
Solicitor S. Porter Graves entertained a few friends at supper Saturday night at which time the great Democratic victory in Rockingham was fittingly celebrated. The guests of Mr. Graves on this occasion were William Young and John T. Oliver, Chairman and secretary, respectively, of the county Democratic executive committee, Judge-elect Lane, Sheriff-elect Pinnix and Messrs. McMichael, Glidewell, Saintsing, Wrenn, Smith and Reid. Mine Host Norman had prepared a lightful menu and the supper took on the aspect of a banquet at which good cheer flowed freely.

Next Legislature and How It Will Stand.

The Democratic victory is sweeping and all-embracing. In addition to electing all ten members of congress and giving the Democratic state ticket a majority of 50,000, the Democrats gain four state senators and fourteen members of the house of representatives, says a Raleigh paper. **Democratic Gains in the House.**
The Democrats have made the following gains in members of the house of representatives in the following counties: Alamance, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Catawba, Cherokee, Davidson, Forsyth (one), Jackson, Macon, Orange, Person, Stanly, Washington.
There will be 45 Democratic senators and 5 Republicans—possibly only 4 Republicans.
In the house the Republicans have 14 certain. They may have 18. The Democrats are sure of 102.

NATURE TELLS YOU

As Many A Mount Airy Reader Knows Too Well.

When the kidneys are sick. Nature tells you all about it. The urine is nature's calendar. Infrequent or too frequent action; Any urinary trouble tells of kidney ills.

Mount Airy people testify to this.

"Joseph M. Burke, Pender Ave., Mt. Airy, N. C., says: 'I have found Doan's Kidney Pills to be a reliable remedy for kidney trouble and for that reason I am glad to recommend them. I suffered for some time from kidney complaint and all the annoyances which generally accompany a severe attack. My back was very lame and the kidney secretions were so irregular in passage as to cause me much annoyance. I finally procured Doan's Kidney Pills at the Ashcraft Drug Co. and short use restored me to good health.'"

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

"I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Ore. This remedy is also unsurpassed for colds and croup. For sale by all dealers.

MR. CHAS. H. ARMFIELD DEAD.

Prominent Member of the Statesville Bar Passes—The End Came at Morganton Monday Night.

Statesville Landmark.
Mr. Charles H. Armfield died at the State Hospital at Morganton Monday night at 12:05 o'clock November 14.

Mr. Armfield's health had not been good for a year or two. Last August he became quite ill and since then had steadily declined. Being a director of the State Hospital at Morganton, he went there for treatment and had been there since with the exception of a few days spent at home when his brother, Gen. J. F. Armfield, died a few weeks ago.

Mr. Armfield's condition became critical the latter part of last week and his family was called to his bedside. There was a slight improvement and all returned home Sunday except Mrs. Armfield.

He was a victim of Bright's disease.

Charles H. Armfield, a son of the late Hon. R. F. Armfield, was born in Yadkinville February 7, 1860, being in his 51st year. Moving to Statesville with his father's family when a boy, he was educated in the Statesville schools and prepared for college. He graduated at Trinity College, when the institution was located in Randolph county, in 1882, read law under his father and the late Col. Geo. N. Folk about a year and was licensed to practice in 1883. In his first practice he was associated with his father, the firm being Armfield & Armfield. In January, 1885, Mr. Armfield was appointed private secretary to Gov. Seales and held the position during Gov. Seales' term—until January, 1889.

While living in Raleigh he taught law school in connection with his duties as private secretary. Returning to Statesville he succeeded his father, who had been appointed judge of the Superior Court in the law firm of Armfield & Turner—Col. Armfield and Mr. W. D. Turner having formed a law partnership some years previously—and the firm continued until the present. After Judge Armfield's retirement from the bench he was associated with the firm until his death.

Mr. Armfield was elected mayor of Statesville in 1893, serving four years. Later he was his party's candidate for the State Senate in the district then composed of Iredell, Yadkin and Davie, but the district was Republican that year. A few years ago his name was presented for the Democratic nomination for As-

sociate Justice of the Supreme Court and he received a flattering vote throughout the State. He was also on one or more occasions endorsed by his county for the congressional nomination. Several years ago he was appointed a director of the State Hospital at Morganton and was secretary of the board at the time of his death.

Mr. Armfield had been for years regarded as the leading lawyer at the Statesville bar. While not the strongest trial lawyer, he was in point of scholarship and equipment considered ablest lawyer at the Statesville bar.

Mr. Armfield was twice married, first to Miss Sallie Denny, of Guilford county, and the second time to Miss Mary Fawcett, of Mt. Airy. His second wife and three children of the first marriage—Miss Nell Armfield and Messrs. Frank and Alfred Armfield survive.

Mt. Airy Route 4, News.

The farmers of this section are about done sowing grain with better prepared land and a larger acreage than usual.

George the little son of Mr. W. P. Doby is very low with typhoid fever.

The protracted meeting at New Home is expected to begin on the fourth Sunday in this month. The Rev. W. R. Cooley of Coal Creek Va. will preach. The Farmers Union local, No. 1002, of this route, ordered a carload of chemicals and prepared their own fertilizer for wheat.

The school at Edmonds school house is making good under its efficient teacher, Miss Lula Davenport. The average attendance being 54 for the first two weeks.

Mr. Jim Doby and family of Low Gap, are visiting his brother Mr. W. P. Doby of this neighborhood.

A Casual Observer.

Coffin Had Wrong Man in It.
Danville, Ill., Nov. 9.—Relatives from four states gathered here to attend the funeral of Baker Poole, of McKeesport, Pa. whose body was supposed to arrive this morning. The body arrived, escorted by a member of the Moose Lodge, but when relatives opened the coffin they found the body of another man who they do not know. The remains of the unknown man will be returned to McKeesport tonight. The relatives turned the house of mourning into a house of merriment and gave a dance in honor of Poole, though it is not known where he is.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of J. M. Davis, deceased, notice is hereby given all parties owing the estate to come forward and make prompt payment, and save costs. And all persons holding claims against the estate will present them within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their collection. This October 5, 1910.
J. A. Jackson, Administrator.

MORMONS BAR POLYGAMY

Officials Issue Definite Orders That Plural Marriages Must Cease.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 1.—Officials of the Mormon church have issued definite orders that polygamous marriages must cease. Francis M. Lyman, president of the quorum of the Twelve Apostles, who is next in succession to the presidency of Joseph F. Smith, warned all Mormons that any violation of this order would call down the wrath of the church.

"In giving the manifesto to the churches," he said, "President Wilford Woodruff presented the will of God. It was as binding on the churches as any written revelation, and we are bound by it. It is as if God said it himself. Some of our brethren who were not satisfied with the manifesto have gone outside and over the law, and they have offended God in doing so."

"There is not a man on earth today possessing the authority to perform plural marriages. We want every one of you to clearly understand this, the sisters particularly. Plural marriages are unrighteous and unlawful now. We doubted the constitutionality of the laws, but they have been tested and sustained in the courts and we must obey them."

YOU TAKE NO RISK.

Our Reputation and Money are Back of This Offer.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you except our offer. Could anything be more fair for you? Is there any reason why you should hesitate to put our claims to a practical test?
The most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. They are very pronounced, gentle and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. They do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping or any inconvenience whatever. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

We urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Two sizes 10c. and 25c. Remember, you can get Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store, Ashcraft Drug Co.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Charity Roark, all persons owing said estate will make prompt payment and save cost, and all persons holding claims against the estate will present them within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their collection. This October 5, 1910.
J. A. Jackson, Administrator.

"DARN THE FLAG" A FEDERAL ORDER.

Policy of Careful Economy Hits Local Offices of National Government.

"Darn the American flag" is the latest order to government employees. Nothing defamatory is meant by the injunction, which will be carried out to the letter by Clayton R. Cooley, custodian of the federal building, when official notification reaches him in a few days. The policy of retrenchment is being carried to the extent that flags that fly from government buildings are to be mended when the wind frays the edges.

In the navy department such an order has long been observed, according to Lieutenant-Commander I. C. Wettengel of the navy recruiting station. These flags are mended by the sailors.

Economy in the use of scratch paper and lead pencils was urged upon government employees, not long ago, with the result that there are more stub pencils in use now than ever before in the history of the government.

U. G. Wursell, section director of the weather bureau, says economy in his department has been carried to the extent of printing bulletins on the backs of obsolete orders. He has figured out the wearing qualities of a lead pencil and announced today that an ordinary one, economically used, should make a mark around the world 25,000 miles.

NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina.

In the matter of J. H. Atkins, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of J. H. Atkins, of Rockford, in the county of Surry, and District aforesaid, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of November, 1910, the said J. H. Atkins was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my law office in Winston-Salem, N. C., on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1910, at 12 o'clock, M., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, consider the proposed compromise of any controversies, pass upon the report and account of the Receiver, pay out a dividend and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Masonic Temple, Winston-Salem, N. C., November 14th, 1910.
J. E. Alexander, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Saves an Iowa Man's Life.

The very grave seemed to yawn before Robert Madsen of West Burlington, Iowa, when after seven weeks in the hospital, four of the best physicians gave him up. Then was shown the marvelous curative power of Electric Bitters. For after eight months of frightful suffering from liver trouble and yellow jaundice, getting no help from other remedies or doctors, five bottles of this matchless medicine completely cured him. It is positively guaranteed for Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Only 50c. at Ashcraft Drug Co's.

THE OFFICIAL VOTE OF SURRY COUNTY CAST NOVEMBER 24, 1910.

Townships.	S. P. Graves, D.	S. E. Hall, R.	R. L. Haymore, R.	Dr. S. M. Flippin, D.	S. E. Marshall, R.	J. D. Draught, D.	W. W. Hampton, R.	J. O. Burrus, D.	Vestal Taylor, R.	C. H. Haynes, D.	J. B. Love, R.	Robt. C. Lewellyn, D.	W. A. York, R.	C. C. Hutchins, Ind.	J. B. Marsh, R.	S. R. Harbour, D.	Wm. T. Marlon, R.	R. E. L. Flippin, D.	J. A. Teah, R.	W. S. Gough, R.	F. T. Snow, R.	Dr. W. S. Taylor, D.	S. J. Atkinson, D.	C. S. Roberts, D.	D. H. Blair, R.	Chas. M. Stedman, D.
Bryan	107	167	173	101	166	100	173	102	164	109	153	120	181	3	174	100	173	100	174	179	254	90	101	89	177	100
Dobson	255	299	324	235	274	242	308	239	263	287	146	409	325	114	322	239	318	234	311	311	315	257	237	237	316	242
Eldora	200	138	191	74	173	70	185	77	179	84	167	97	194	11	186	77	191	74	196	191	193	73	75	73	204	56
Elkin	71	191	148	188	147	188	148	189	129	199	149	188	159	122	149	189	149	187	147	150	148	187	190	190	201	118
Franklin	75	119	125	69	125	68	120	72	106	82	121	71	131	0	125	69	126	68	125	125	125	69	69	69	125	68
Long Hill	11	88	86	11	86	11	87	11	85	12	88	11	90	2	88	11	87	12	88	88	88	11	10	11	88	10
Marsh	114	89	91	114	87	114	79	126	94	110	78	131	102	63	89	116	90	115	90	90	91	116	115	116	89	112
Mt. Airy, 1	460	203	267	393	210	415	231	431	186	483	219	448	260	352	256	410	258	409	260	231	237	456	410	393	255	407
Mt. Airy, 2	306	163	196	263	151	280	178	291	147	314	182	282	194	153	199	271	198	271	206	189	192	297	259	206	212	225
Pilot	130	91	78	143	88	124	94	127	88	135	88	129	97	3	95	124	87	135	96	94	93	126	123	126	93	124
Rockford	112	130	133	111	127	115	89	151	130	115	98	147	136	6	132	112	133	112	135	135	132	111	108	111	134	111
Shoals	113	37	39	112	35	110	36	113	34	116	36	114	40	10	36	113	36	114	36	32	29	114	124	114	44	104
Siloam	91	75	74	95	74	93	72	94	76	92	71	98	79	21	74	92	74	95	71	63	71	98	108	97	73	89
Stewarts Creek	190	162	145	190	167	192	163	196	150	203	151	203	196	81	165	192	146	189	165	165	164	191	191	190	166	185
Westfield	46	324	295	73	326	33	334	35	287	78	319	44	346	4	338	28	339	32	330	331	339	26	33	32	341	31
Total	2281	2276	2385	2172	22	2156	2297	2254	2128	2419	2061	2492	2531	845	2428	2141	2425	2147	2430	2265	2411	2325	2163	2054	2518	1983
Majority	5		218		69		48		291			431	1686		287		278		198	212	357				536	