

A GOOD CITIZEN DEAD.

JAMES FURNE EDWARDS ANSWERED TO THE LAST SUMMONS FROM EARTH.

Death Occurred Sunday Morning at Six O'clock-Funeral in Oxford and Interment in Raleigh-Sketch of Life of Deceased

The whole of Oxford was cast into gloom when the sad intelligence was quickly spread Sunday morning that Mr. J. F. Edwards was dead, his death taking place in his room over Baird and Chamblée's hardware store on Main Street about 6 o'clock. Mr. Edwards had been sick but a short while, the first indications appearing the preceding Monday afternoon at three o'clock.

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HARGROVE ITEMS.

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STEM ITEMS.

Happenings of Those who Come and go-Lack Land sends in a bit of News.

Miss Willie Lee Stem, of Darlington visited this section recently.

Misses Gertrude and Exie Duncan, of Durham, after a brief stay in this county have returned home.

Rev. G. C. Duncan pastor of Leigh Street Danville Va., spent a short time with us recently.

Tobacco "Wilt" is playing havoc throughout this community, and the farmers have failed to find an effective remedy for its eradication.

In the death of Mr. J. H. Bullock, Granville sustains an irreparable loss. Perhaps no other man in the county would be missed so much.

Mr. E. D. Hunt's "House of seven Gables" at Stem, is nearing completion, and when finished will be a thing of beauty, and a model of convenience.

We attended the Flat River Association recently, held with Mill Creek Church in Person County. The session only lasted two days which were hot and dry.

The business of this season was badly hampered on account of the absence of some brethren who were appointed to make reports on different objects of the constitution.

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A LARGE DANCE.

It Was Given in Honor of Visitors One of The Nicest That Has Ever Been in Oxford-A Very Large Crowd Present.

One of the most enjoyable dances that has been given in Oxford was the one given in honor of the young ladies, Miss Agnes Ravanel, Miss Selma Ravanel, Miss Margaret Sims, and Miss Margaret Manning, all from South Carolina, who have been on a house party at Miss Mary Cooper's for two weeks.

The card used were painted by hand by the young ladies that composed the house party at Miss Cooper's. Two cards were made alike so as to make a pair for each couple.

Miss Sophie Taylor with Mr. Gibson Howell.

Miss Julia Winston with Mr. Marion Taylor.

Miss Mary B. Williams, with Mr. Newton.

Miss Roberta Rucker, with Mr. Elbert Crews.

Miss Sophrona Cooper with Mr. Frank Hancock.

Miss Lucy Landis, with Mr. Jim Taylor.

Miss Edith Spratley with Mr. Carr Taylor.

Miss Allene Cooper, with Mr. Alston.

Miss Fannie Web, with Mr. Augustas Graham.

Miss Gold, of Richmond, with Mr. Tom Howell.

Northern Granville Notes.

Misses Rosa and Bessie Frazier, of Henderson N. C. spent the week after the fourth Sunday, with the family of their uncle Mr. D. C. Frazier, and attended Amis Chapel protracted meeting.

Mr. Tom Pattillo, of Lynchburg Va., Mrs. Fannie Stone of Clarksville, Va., and Miss Bessie Worsham of Crews, Va., were the guest of Mrs. Frank Pattillo, the past week.

Misses Maggie and Mary Yates, and Mrs. Allbright, of Manchester, Va. have been visiting their Aunt, Mrs. C. W. Sneed.

Rev. Mr. W. W. Reynolds, of South Boston Va., aided Rev. P. H. Fontaine, in a protracted meeting at Amis Chapel, beginning the fourth Sunday and continuing through the week. There were large orderly and attentive congregations every day.

Misses Brooks and Paylor, of Person County, N. C. have been visiting the Misses Clements.

Miss Susan Norwood who had a right severe attack the fourth Sunday night, we are glad to learn is very much improved.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Luther Carrington and Mrs. D. T. Winston, who have Typhoid fever, are no better. Hope the change for the better will soon come for both of them.

Mrs. P. H. Fontaine, and son, Henry of Wooddale, N. C. were at the meeting two days last week.

Misses Julia and Hettie Hunt of Oxford, Route 7, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. H. G. Clark.

Mr. Johnie Fontaine, of Wooddale, N. C. spent the week of the meeting visiting friends around Amis Chapel.

Mrs. Alice Cumble and children, of Halifax County Va., visited Mrs. Cumble's mother Mrs. Bettie Downey the later part of last week.

Miss Janie Amis of Durham, N. C. has been visiting her cousin Miss Julia Chandler.

Mr. Alva G. Chandler, of Suffolk, Va., spent the week of the meeting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Chandler.

REPUBLICANS IN ACTION.

THE RADS HELD COUNTY CONVENTION LAST SATURDAY.

Good Deal of Pow-wowing-The Row began as How The Votes on Delegates Should Be taken-The Meeting Was Very Unceremonious-Everybody Tried To Speak at Once.

On last Saturday at noon in the Court House here the regular two year contest between the "dms" and "outs" of the Republican party of this county took place, in other words the handfull of Republicans in this county held their convention for the election of delegates to the various conventions. Several of the precincts of the county were unrepresented by delegates, but about forty Republicans in all were present.

It had been expected that a county ticket would have been put out this time to be slaughtered by the Democratic nominees, but for reason not apparent but still guessable this was not done. A caucus was held before the convention assembled and everything seems to have been arranged at this caucus except the selection of the delegates to the State Convention. The great fight was over who should be the six delegates from Granville since the State Convention selects the State Chairman and this means the selection of the official federal pie distributor for the State.

Dr. G. T. Sikes of Grissom called the convention to order and with well-oiled smoothness the machine began to work. Charles Hester of Fishing Creek, Register of Deeds in the days of long ago, thereupon moved the temporary organization be made permanent. Dr. Sikes hastily put the motion and upon hearing a few scattered "yes" he declared it carried, not giving Hester the chance to put the motion which meant his own selection as Chairman-an opportunity which courtesy demanded that he should have given the Fishing Creek man. With equal haste, Sikes thereupon without any motion from any one, stated that the next business would be the appointment of a committee on credentials and proceeded to appoint Harry Davis, Coley Gill and R. H. Rogers. He did the same with reference to the committee on platform and on this committee appointed Messrs. Farshaw, J. H. Gooch and L. V. Pease.

At this juncture Ben Thorpe Esq., arose in his usual manner entertained and amused the convention until the chair man out of the abundant kindness of his heart and consideration for those who were forced to sit and listen forced the worthy brother to take his seat. Why is it that a man who can't talk will insist on making a speech? Wonder if the caucus had agreed to let Squire Thorpe have so many minutes in which to speechify?

At this juncture Blime Brown moved that the delegates to State convention be elected one at a time. Royster moved that none but delegates be permitted to vote. He did not vote but once, but the convention evidently thought his motion as made was a necessary one for it went through with a celebrity equalling that with which Sikes had put the motion making himself chairman.

Here is where the row began. Various motions were made as to how the vote on the delegates should be taken. Finally the chairman ruled that each delegate could vote for six men at once or only one. A slate of delegates had evidently been prepared and placed in the hands of Squire Thorpe for the purpose of having him to nominate them as the old gentleman rose several times in the ineffectual effort to get their names before the body, finally succeeding in naming C. J. Roberts, C. P. Hester, R. H. Rogers, Henry Davis, D. A. Moore and J. T. Cozart. Others were placed in nomination among them being Postmaster Brown by his clerk Walker. When Brown's name was placed before the convention he seemed to realize that he was up against it as he rose and said "Mr. Chairman, we have only about fifteen Republican voters in South Oxford and if this kind of a thing keeps on much longer we 'll not have any left". In the primary on the Saturday before, Brown had beaten out the Cozart-Peace wing of the party securing his election as a delegate by an overwhelming majority of the nine Republicans who were present, and the effort of his political enemies in the convention was towards preventing his going as a delegate to the state convention. Upon the vote being taken it was found that Cozart had 25 votes, Roberts 21, Cozart 22, Hester 21, Rogers 20, Sikes 20 and Brown 17. This showed that Brown was beaten. During the taking of the votes much disorder prevailed, Gill, Oakley, Hester and Squire Thorpe all trying to talk or at least being on the floor at the same time.

After the selection of the delegates to the State convention Squire Thorpe evidently with a view of conciliating those who had been defeated, nominated Moore, Royster, Brown, Davis, Peace and Jenkins as delegates to the Congressional Convention. The motion met with no opposition, since the nomination of a candidate for Congress is a small matter in the eyes of a Republican compared with the selection of the fellow who shall name the postmaster.

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