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GOVERNOR JUDSON HARMON.

We have been looking over the history of the different men mentioned as probable candidates for the nomination for President by the Democrats for 1912 and after studying the lives and works of each we believe that the Democracy of the nation should place her standard in the hands of Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio.

We believe that Mr. Harmon combines more of the qualifications necessary in the candidate for Presidency than any other man. He has been a successful and popular officer in his own state and seems to have grown stronger with the years. He stands on what might be called a middle ground between the two conservative and progressive. He is a man of high character as attested by his re-election as Governor of Ohio, together with a Democratic legislature and in his work as Governor has been a power for good. He has strengthened his own party in his own state and his is a mighty good sign. Mr. Woodrow Wilson does not seem to have done this, as his state lost rather than gained in the recent state elections.

Of course it is a long time until the nominations are made, but at the present writing with all the facts before us, we believe that Mr. Harmon will make the strongest candidate we have heard of.

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.

The People of the United States pay a subsidy in artificially high office to the wool industry of at least \$104,000,000 a year, according to calculations of Hon. Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives.

"The Payne-Aldrich tariff tax of 61 cents per yard to say nothing of any increase in tax as it passes to the jobber, makes not less than \$104,000,000 paid each year to subsidize the wool industry of America." Says Mr. Underwood. "Now the entire duties actually paid the United States on all imports of woolsens and worsteds in 1910 amounted to less than \$15,600,000, which means that of the \$104,000,000 extorted from the purchasers of woolsens nearly \$90,000,000 went to the woolen industry.

"Is it fair or just or right to maintain these enormous taxes unduly to foster the business of less than one-fourth of one per cent of the people and to require ninety-nine and three-fourths to stagger under this enormous burden? I for one do not believe the American people will justify the President in his veto of the wool schedule."

SEEMS TO WANT THIRD TERM.

Ex-President Roosevelt is believed to be seeking a third term as President. For a long time Mr. Roosevelt has been silent on public questions, watching the trend of events and keeping an eye on President Taft and Attorney General Wickersham. Recently he has written an article for the Outlook condemning the administration's action toward the trusts, and giving his views along this line, and those who profess to read the signs of the times declare that Teddy is grooming for a third term.

Mr. Roosevelt lost a great deal of his personality, but it will be found that at the nominating convention next year he will have a voice following who will insist upon his accepting the nomination for Presidency. The Republicans are almost bound to nominate Mr. Roosevelt if they expect to carry the election. Mr. Taft has alienated the strong influences that have insured the election of the Republican ticket, and there is no more chance of his being elected than there is for Mr. William J. Bryan.

On the other hand, Mr. Roosevelt has turned about and is now championing the side of the trusts and special interests which he fought while President. He has declared that business is being hurt by the legislation, which is only the trusts argument for peace. If he should enter the field on this old and worn out hobby he would lose the great popularity that so endeared him to the people.

FOR SALE—A good one-horse surry, cash or credit. Callis' Repair Shop, Oxford, N. C.

Corinth Chronicles.

Miss Eva Currin is visiting relatives near Corinth.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Newton, spent Sunday with relatives near Mountain Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright, of Oxford visited Mrs. Walter Long the past week.

Mr. Buxton Averett visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Averette last week.

Mrs. A. A. Overton, of Durham, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Usry, near Clay.

Miss Lula Daniel, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Hopkins near Stem.

Mr. Roy Overton left Monday to take a position on the S. A. L. yard in Henderson. We wish him much success.

Misses Julia Council, and Mary Cheatham, of Oxford, were the guests of Miss Lila Eakes Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Vivian Reavis returned to her home near Louisburg Saturday, after spending a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Kate Clay.

Mr. Graham Allen, and Miss Mae Floyd, two very popular young people, of Banks, were happily married last Sunday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Rose officiating.

Miss Mary Lee Clay, who is now teaching school at Tar River, was at home Sunday. We are very glad to know that she is having success with her work.

Miss Louie Mitchell, a popular young lady of Oxford, is now teaching at Corinth. She is greatly beloved by parents and pupils. She is also teaching music, her talent for music being exceptional. School Girl.

In Memory of Mrs. Sadie Belle Raynor.

On the night of November 7th, the death angel visited the home of Mr. E. L. Raynor and took from him his beloved wife, Sadie. She had been sick five weeks and her death was not unexpected. She suffered untold misery, but bore it with christian fortitude until the end came.

It seems strange to us why one should be cut down so young in life as she was, only 22 years of age, but God doeth all things well. He is too wise to err and too good to be unkind, and may we all be able to say, "His will not ours be done."

At the tender age of ten she joined Shady Grove Methodist Church and lived ever a consistent christian until she was called up higher to join the Church Triumphant. We will say to her loved ones; do not weep, for Sadie is better off than she was in this world suffering, and we must all live so that we will be prepared to meet her in a better and brighter world above, for she will be there to welcome her loved ones home.

She leaves behind to mourn her death a heart broken husband and little son, just two and a half years of age, besides, father, mother, six sisters and two brothers and many relatives and friends.

The burial services were conducted at her home on Raleigh Street, Wednesday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. L. H. Joyner, and the interment was in Elmwood Cemetery. The floral offerings were beautiful.

The casket lid has hidden the face we all loved to see.

But we hope to meet again, in a vale of perfect peace Home is not home when Sadie is not there; Angels has taken her out of our care.

Dearest Sadie, thou hast left us, But we hope some day to dwell, In that place of many Mansions; Where we'll never say farewell. One who loved her.

Stem Stemming.

Mrs. J. H. Gooch returned home Monday from a visit to Elder P. D. Gold at Wilson.

Mr. W. D. Thomasson had the misfortune to lose a fine cow one day last week.

Rev. M. D. Giles left Monday night to attend the Methodist Conference at Kinston.

Miss Lula Daniel, of Tar River, visited her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hopkins Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Ella Hall and Miss Rheda Umstead left Sunday for Greensboro, where they will enter the State Normal School.

Misses Ziba Fleming and Bessie Dameron, of Lyons were the guests of Miss Ettie Washington last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. John R. Chandler and Miss Jennie May Chandler were happily married last Sunday. We wish them a long and prosperous life.

The Stem Mercantile Company have just gotten in a car load of wagons of all sizes and are now ready to supply the trade of the surrounding country.

Mr. W. H. Thomasson is the champion hog-raiser, in this community, as he has one which is thought will weigh about four hundred and fifty pounds.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Mollie Lyon who is now at Kellum Hospital, in Richmond, Va., for treatment is getting along nicely. We hope that she may be permanently cured.

Miss Pearl Reavis, of Henderson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. S. Carrington. We would not be surprised if a certain young man of this town was seen going in that direction very frequently.

Mr. J. H. Gooch is now carrying an up-to-date line of furniture and coffins. Those who may need anything in this line would do well to inspect his stock before making a purchase.

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We notice that one of the correspondents of the Oxford Banner stated in last week's issue that the barbecue which will be here on Thanksgiving Day would be free for all. We wish to say this is a mistake. The barbecue is given by the Masons and Woodmen of the World and is exclusively for them and their families.

Mr. J. H. Daniel, the excellent road overseer is putting in some good work on the roads of this community. Nothing will contribute more to the progressiveness and upbuilding of Granville County than the improvement of her public highways. We hope to have in a short time roads that will rival those of Durham and Person counties.

Mr. Melvin Peed, commenced a singing school at Providence last Sunday. Mr. Peed is the son of Mr. Sim Peed who was one of the best vocal music teachers this county has ever produced. He has had splendid training and is thoroughly familiar with vocal music and will doubtless make a good teacher. We wish him much success in this work.

Rev. J. L. Martin preached an excellent sermon at Tally Ho Sunday on the subject: "How to make Money." He showed very clearly how money could be used as a curse or a blessing, and impressed upon his hearers the importance of thrift and economy and the duty of contributing liberally to the advancement of christianity. Mr. Martin, always has the backbone to say what he thinks he ought to, and like Paul, does not shun to declare the

whole counsel of God, and is no respecter of persons. The present day and time demands more preachers of this type.

J. E. Bullock, a colored man, living near Stem had the misfortune to lose three of his children last week. Two of them were taken suddenly, speechless and unconscious. Drs. Hardee, Meadows and Sunderland were immediately summoned, but could do nothing to relieve their sufferings. They seemed to be unable to tell what was the matter with them. Three of them died in the course of two days and were buried at the same time. The stomach of one of them was sent to Raleigh to be analyzed but has not yet been heard from. It is generally believed that they were accidentally poisoned in some way. The fourth is in a serious condition, and the chances for recovery doubtful. "Bonaparte."

Will Be at Oxford Tuesday, Nov. 28th, and at Creedmoor Wednesday November 29th.

Dr. N. Rosenstein, of Durham will be at Oxford Tuesday November 28th at the Exchange Hotel, and at Creedmoor Wednesday, November 29th, for the purpose of examining eyes and fitting glasses. You should have them examined now and glasses fitted. Don't take chances with your eyes. Charges very moderate, as low as \$2.00 up, including examination.

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Table Linens.

Special prices will be made on table linens for Thanksgiving. We have the largest and best assortment we ever had and as they were bought early before the advance we can and will sell them cheaper than you can buy them for elsewhere.

Neckwear.

Just now when holiday gifts are thought of is when neckwear display is most helpful. We have just received an immense assortment of all the latest effects in side ruffles, coat and collar sets. Plain and fancy Jabots, wide new style windsor ties, dainty bows in solids and fancys.

Millinery.

Everything in the shape of a ladies hat will be sold at reduced prices and trimmed free of cost to you. We do not want to carry over a single hat and if big reductions will move them they must go. It is right early to make such reductions, but when people want and need hats is we think the time to cut prices. A few pattern hats left will be sold at half price and less.

Rugs and Druggetts.

High grade Axminster and other rugs at substantially less than regular prices. Excellent thing for Xmas presents. We bought them for less than usual prices and turn them over to you at a corresponding saving.

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