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It Is Better To Be Safe Than Sorry

Contestants Should Not Slacken Pace if They Expect to Finish Big—End Is Only Six Days Off—Two more Days of Big Votes, They for Lowest Vote Offer of Entire Campaign—Second Payment Subscriptions Help.

The all-important THIRD period (because of the closeness of the race), closes Saturday night at 10 o'clock. This week presents the LAST opportunity for securing BIG votes. Saturday night is "Opportunity Night."

The entire Campaign closes forever and all the BIG prizes will be distributed next WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 23. Now for the Home Stretch in the Race for the Big Prizes. JUST TWO DAYS OF "BIG VOTES" SCHEDULE LEFT; TAKE ADVANTAGE NOW WARNING!

DISTRICT ONE	
Mrs. W. H. Strickland	4,446,000
Mrs. G. B. Brantley	4,440,200
Miss Lela B. Horton	3,609,300
DISTRICT TWO	
Miss Mildred Broughton	4,443,400
Miss Goldie Wheeler	4,442,000
Mrs. J. J. Johnson	4,442,800
Miss Zemora Stallings	4,444,000
Miss Annie F. Privett	4,445,000
Miss Birdie Murray	4,445,100

With but two more days in which to turn in subscriptions and secure the greatest number of votes for each subscription, interest in the competition and enthusiasm in the progress of contestants in the Zebulon Record mammoth \$2,000 grand prize and popularity election is growing by leaps and bounds.

Each contestant in the race realizes that the grand prizes—representing hundreds of dollars in actual cash—are practically within their grasp, to be claimed for their very own or forfeited to more aggressive opponents during the next few days, depending almost entirely upon their final supreme efforts put forth while the BIG VOTES are allowed.

Candidates Must Not Halt
If the contestants halt now for a moment—if they slacken up or let their enthusiasm wane—if they overlook one opportunity to better their chances to win they are taking the separate risk of losing the big prizes ready partially won and which really belong to them. A candidate who fails to do his or her utmost during the remainder of this period—the LAST period for big votes—is certain to bring dismal disappointment upon himself or herself as well upon their friends who are naturally as interested in their success as candidates themselves.

The Last Stand
Six weeks of hard work and anxiety culminate in the closing scene of 10 o'clock next Wednesday night, at which time the big automobile and campaign comes to an official end and the most successful candidate will claim the magnificent prizes—headed by one big splendid ring car.

Success in an event of this kind depends upon the keen judgment and mediate action. Through all his people possessing the faculty of wing an opportunity when they are at it and grasping it at the right moment, have won frequently on the turn of the cards the good things of his world, while those undecided afraid to work stand back and about what they might have.

To The Candidates
The end is but a few days away so you can trust your own judgment of your competitor's strength, as based on facts and observations and your plans accordingly there is time to stem the tide and turn sweeping victory.

HIGH DEATHRATE AMONG INFANTS

Health Dept. Centers Work in Care Maternity & Infant Cases

Over one-third of the deaths in Wake county last month were of children under one year of age, and it is on this phase of the work that the Wake County Health Department is centering its attention, according to the report of Dr. A. C. Bulla, of the County Health Department, made to the county Board of Health Monday.

A bureau of infant and maternal hygiene was established by the Department last fall, and a course was given mid-wives. Twenty mid-wives completed this course last month. Dr. Bulla stated. The report shows 42 births attended by mid-wives, and 150 by doctors. It is his aim eventually, to eliminate the services of mid-wives, as this is one of the greatest sources of danger, both to mothers and infants. If there is one time when professional service is needed it is at childbirth. Dr. Bulla stated. In the rural sections, however, where the services of these mid-wives are employed, the best that can be done is to educate these women until their services can be eliminated.

RECORDERS COURT

The following cases were disposed of at last session of Records Court here.

Tootsie Lassister, larceny of seed cotton 30 days improving roads and cost.
George Lloyd, larceny of seed cotton and pistol toasting, 30 days work and board with road gang and cost.
Two Nash county white boys were tried for transporting hooch. H. H. Sink, has paroled E. M. Johnson, of Wake county, for the remainder of his term, and revoked the reprieve of M. S. Hartsong, Ashe county.

IN MEMORY OF MR. C. D. BEDDINGFIELD

Mr. C. D. Beddingfield died Sunday December 13 at 7:30 o'clock. He had been sick for a long time and his death was not unexpected. He was 83 years old, and leaves nine children and a host of grand children and a number of great grand children.

The funeral was conducted Monday p. m. at Pine Ridge Baptist church, by Rev. J. A. McIver, of the Louisville Baptist church and he was laid to rest in the family burying ground. May the Lord bless and comfort all the sorrowing ones, and help them to keep the faith as their father and grand father kept it, and may they too enter into that beautiful home where he has gone to be with Jesus ever more.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. J. R. Perry, of Mitchells Mill, celebrated her 50th birthday Sunday December 13, 1925. With a host of friends, besides children and relatives Mrs. Perry is the mother of 11 living children and is as spry and quick at her work as any of her children. The table was large and prepared in the yard and was loaded with good things to eat, such as barbecue, fried chicken, roasted chicken, barbecue chicken, sandwiches, pies, cakes and pickle of different varieties, and the table was beautifully decorated with a birthday cake, holding 50 candles, as a proof of Mrs. Perry's age.

Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Barham, Miss Betty and Bonnie Perry, Ormond Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Graham May, Mr. and Mrs. Lattie Upchurch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pulley, Mr. Sam Perry, of Macon, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Barham, Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Green, Carl Perry, Colie, Woodroe, Crudie, and Ercelle Perry.

Sheriff Mangum Returns to Work

Deputy Sheriff W. E. Mangum returned to work Monday, just four weeks after the day on which he was shot by "Slim" Anderson, the bandit killed here in a battle with the police, and one week after he was discharged from the hospital.

Sheriff Mangum said that he expected to take things easy for a while and would refrain from going on any long trips. He seemed to be in the best of spirits and none the worse for his experience.

J. L. Emanuel, Raleigh attorney, has been in correspondence with Clinton A. Groman, an attorney of Allentown, Pa., who was a judge in that district at the time Clarence Naegley was sent to the Huntington Reformatory, and who passed sentence upon Naegley.

Anderson was believed to have been Clarence Naegley, Naegley was paroled from the reformatory at Huntington through the efforts of Groman, but later disappeared and had not been heard of since.

Mr. Groman requested information about Anderson and from that which was furnished him, came to the conclusion that he was not Clarence Naegley. From information available to Mr. Groman, Naegley seemed to have been well behaved since he left the reformatory and the attorney stated that he was very much surprised to learn of the trouble he is alleged to have gotten into in Raleigh, and from later information was convinced that Anderson was not Naegley.

E. M. JOHNSON PAROLED

Governor McLean, on recommendation of Pardon Commissioner H. H. Sink, has paroled E. M. Johnson, of Wake county, for the remainder of his term, and revoked the reprieve of M. S. Hartsong, Ashe county.

Johnson was convicted at the April term of Wake Superior court for violation of the prohibition law, and sentenced to 12 months on the roads. He was first tried in Raleigh City court, and given a sentence of six months. But on appeal to the Superior court, he was given the twelve months' sentence.

In view of the fact that he had not appealed, the prisoner would have completed his sentence by this time, and that the prisoner has suffered three deaths in his immediate family since he began to serve his term, he was paroled for the remainder of his term.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Wednesday evening, December 9, Thelma Pearce, of Pine Ridge, surprised her little sister, "Reba" with a birthday party.

The guest were met at the door by Sherman Pearce and Coy Jeans, dressed as clowns. They were ushered into the sitting room where joyful games were played. After several games were played, there were two contests of which Miss Pauline Beddingfield won. After the contests were over another game was played, they were ushered into a beautiful decorated dining-room carrying out the colors of red and green. The lights were turned out and candles upon the birthday cake were lighted, while Misses Mozelle Pace and Thelma Pearce served a delicious fruit salad, cake and pickles.

Each expressed his and her opinion that they had enjoyed themselves very much and wished that the host would have another soon.

JOHNSTON YET KING OF COTTON COUNTIES

Washington, Dec. 13.—Johnston county led all North Carolina counties in the total cotton ginned prior to December 1, according to a report made public by the Department of Commerce. The state total of cotton ginned, which was recently announced, is 1,030,318 bales, as compared with 674,721 bales at the same time in 1924. The quantities given are in running bales, counting round as half bales. Linters are not included.

FINE PRICES FOR BOND ISSUE

Old Group Outbid at First Sale of McLean Administration

Selling its entire offering of \$20,125,000, the State of North Carolina Monday conducted its first bond sale of the McLean administration, and sold the entire lot in 4 1-2 per cent bonds at better than par. With the sale the State sold the first \$5,000,000 of the 1925 authorization of approximately \$30,000,000 and with the exception of \$3,000,000 funded the large portion of the 1923 authorization of which has been carried in short term paper.

Monday's sale was the first in a time in which the low bid has been accepted without any parleying and marks the advent of a new group of financiers. A syndicate headed by the First National bank was uniformly successful in all of the large sales conducted during the Morrison administration, but another syndicate was headed by Lehman Brothers and including the Chase National Bank and other large interests, carried off the bacon Monday.

Lehman Brothers were represented here by Frank Morse, while L. F. Hooper, and B. J. Vann Ingen looked after the interests of the First National Syndicate. The bidding was extremely close, Treasurer B. R. Lacy computing the interest rate of the successful bid at 4.49 and of the other bid at 4.55. Chester M. Masslich, bond attorney for the State during the Morrison administration, acted in a similar capacity.

"DEAR WIFE"

Oh, the memory of that day as I stood with aching heart,
Hearing of the one I loved so dearly,
Pass by deaths most cruel dart,
Rest on dear wife, thy labor is o'er,
Thy willing hands will toil no more.
A faithful wife, both true and kind,
A truer wife you can not find.
No one knows the silent heart aches,
Only those who have lost can tell.
Of the grief that is born in silence
For one I have loved so well.
Dear wife, I am sad and lonely too,
Today
My heart is heavy and grief is my pain.
When I think of you, Dear Lucy,
Whom death had to claim.
I can not forget you dear wife,
Though long may seem the day,
And often in the lonely house I wipe
The tears away.
Often when the days are brightest,
A gloom steals in my heart
And it brings back the sad memories
Of the day God bid us part.
For the Lord who gave has called
you,
To his will we all must bow
You are free from pain and suffering.
Not a care can reach you now.
The rolling streams of life roll on,
But still the vacant chair,
Recalls the love, the voice, and smile
Of one who once sat there.
Just a thought of sweet remembrance,
Just a memory fond and true,
Just the love and sweet devotion
Of the one who thinks of you.
In my heart your memory lingers,
Tender, kind, and true,
There's not an hour, dear darling,
That I do not think of you.
There are times when the grief is so
heavy,
To hard to bear it seems,
But the Master's voice whispers, "my
child."
Have patience and courage to wait,
For some day you'll meet your
loved one,
Face to face at the pearly gate."
A happy home we once enjoyed,
How sweet the memory still,
But death has left a vacant chair
The world can never fill.
I can see your dear sweet face in
mind,
The last sweet look that you gave
me still lingers in my mind.
I often think of the days I spent
with you,
Although I will wait the Saviors
time.
Viola Minga.

BELOVED CLAYTON WOMAN IS BURIED

Clayton, Dec. 12.—Funeral services were held for Mrs. E. R. Gully at her residence by Rev. C. A. Jenkins and her pastor, Rev. R. C. White, pastor of the Baptist church here. By her request a quartet composed of D. L. Barbour, C. W. Carter, Hugh Ferrell, and D. M. Hall, sang her favorite songs. The active pall-bearers were J. M. Turley, E. R. McCullers, J. S. Barnes, B. M. Robertson, J. D. Barbour and Y. M. Holland. Her remains were laid to rest in the nearby family burying ground under a large number of floral offerings.

SUNDAY MAIL

On account of the Christmas rush the Post Office here has received orders from the department to put up Sunday afternoon's mail. For one day in the year the patrons will be able to get all mail that arrives here Sunday.

PRISONERS START TO SERVE TERMS

Five of Seven Sentenced in Federal Court to Atlanta

Five of the seven prisoners sentenced to the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, left Raleigh Saturday under the escort of Deputy United States Marshal W. P. Edwards and two guards. The other two were permitted by Judge I. M. Meekins to give bonds for their appearance on January 1 to begin their sentences.

Out of the seven there is only one negro and only one of the seven was sentenced for violation of the national prohibition law, the crime which accounted for about 200 of the 250 cases on the calendar at the three week criminal term of the Federal court, which adjourned last Wednesday.

In addition to the solitary liquor case, prison terms were imposed for two infractors of the white slave act, for two instances of robbing the United States mail, for one case of using the mails to defraud and one narcotic case.

Paul S. Watters, of Duke, who ran away with a 14-year-old girl, and David W. Cannady, of Raleigh, who carried four girls to South Carolina for the purpose of commercial prostitution, were sentenced for white slave violations. Both of the men have families.

Three-year terms were also given to E. Vernon Dawson, of Dunn, who was charged with sending out false amounts on bills of lading for lumber, on which bank drafts were drawn; and to Lawrence Kelly, of Raleigh, the only negro of the bunch and who was charged with selling cocaine.

One-year terms were given Jesse B. Robertson, a United States railway mail clerk, of Goldsboro, and George F. Jessup, a letter carrier of Rocky Mount, both of whom are charged with robbing the mails.

Harvey Stewart, of Johnston county, are the only liquor man to go to the prison, also got one year and a day.

DAWSON AND STEWART WILL START IN JANUARY

ZEBULON HAS NEW CHIEF

Mr. S. M. Dickens, of Nashville, arrived Tuesday and has been sworn in as Chief of Police of Zebulon. He has had over twenty years experience in police work. He served faithfully and well at Weldon, Spring Hope, Wilson, Nashville and comes highly recommended. The people of Zebulon welcome him here and we feel safe in saying the people here are on hundred per cent with him in bringing the guilty to justice. The percentage of law breakers among the citizens here is so small it is almost negligible and his work along this line will be extremely light. There are other duties for him to perform besides arresting criminals and in these he will find a willing, helping citizenship.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Wakelon High School Auditorium, Thursday night, December 17, 1925.
Program
Song—Hark The Herald Angels Sing—(Mendelssohn), Wakelon Glee Club.
Song—Joy To The World—(Handel).
Scripture Reading and Prayer—Rev. T. B. Davis.
Anthem—Amen There Were Shepherds—(Wilson), Wakelon Glee Club.
Solo—Voices of The Sky—(Matthews)—Mrs. E. M. Hall.
Quartet—Christmas Song—(Harrington)—Dr. Massey, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Hall, Dr. Barbee.
Song—Oh Little Town of Bethlehem—(Redner).
Christmas Wishes—Margaret Brown, Edith Outlaw, Dorothy Barrow, Melba Chamblee, Beverly Isaacs, Grace Coltrane, Delilah Cahoon, Addie E. Winstead.
Duet—Christmas—(Shelley)—Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Arnold.
Reading—Christmas Tears—(Van Dyke)—Rev. E. M. Hall.
Solo—When The Angels Sang To Earth—(Parker) Miss Dorothy Davis.
Song—Oh Little Town of Bethlehem—(Redner).
Benediction.

SPECIAL NOTICE

There will be a Bozar and Musical at Poplar Spring church Christmas Eve night at 7 o'clock. The public is invited to attend and a good time is in store for all present.
A Christmas sermon by the pastor Rev. Van Miller, of Wilson, will open the exercises. Come one and all.
All communications for the Record must be in our office next Tuesday morning in order to get them in the Christmas paper, which will be published next Tuesday night. Editor.