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WASHINGTON NEWS.

By H. Tavenor.

Washington, Aug. 26.—In the city of Lawrence, Mass., where the highly protected woolen mills sell forth; where boys and girls work for \$2, \$3 and \$4 a week, and fathers and mothers work long hours for \$5, \$6 and \$7 a week for full time, 47 out of 100 children are those of children under 10 years of age! And of these 47 children, 25 are under 1 year of age. The doctors declare the big majority of these children perish from their mothers labor such as 10 hours, under unsanitary conditions, in the woolen mills.

To mark the percentage of children deaths in Lawrence particularly 47 out of every 100 persons in Lawrence are children under 8 years of age. Now compare this with Seattle, Wash., 19 out of every 100 persons under 8 years of age, but 19 are children under 1 year of age.

The average for the whole State is 27 children under 5 years of age instead of 47 as in Lawrence, and for the whole country 19 out of every 100 are children under 1 year of age, instead of 35 as in Lawrence.

The people who work in the woolen mills are "protected," while the multi-millionaire trust magnates who come to Washington for excessive protection say that the sole reason for the tariff rates which give a monopoly on American woolens and permit them to charge the value for woolen clothing that they are "protecting" themselves.

In addition to making this plea, the magnates, of course, make liberal contributions of money to campaign funds of the woolen protection. The result of the tariff as Schedule K of the tariff act.

There is a plain question for the American people to ask themselves: Why should they longer permit a comparative handful of millionaires to force them to pay exorbitant prices for every article of woolen clothing they wear, on the pretext of these rich men that they are "protecting" their employees, when these employees are not only not being protected, but are being paid such low wages that they are practically compelled to live like cattle?

Honor of a Guest.

Miss Irene Regina Sullivan entertained in an informal manner the honor of her guest, Miss Pearl Lewis of Roxboro, N. C., last Thursday evening.

The entire lower floor was open to the guests; in parlors cards and games were played in while in the library and dancing held sway. In the early part of the evening an watermelon feast was enjoyed on the back veranda, while in the evening fancy cream cakes were served in the parlor. —Lynchburg News

Party.

W. D. Yarborough gave a party Saturday night which was an enjoyable affair.

There were about one hundred guests at the supper table, and Winstead says he never in his life sat down to such a party. Tom says he really got "hot" for "Joe Billy" but was so glad to see him able to be out today.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Whitted spent last Friday in Durham.

Senatorship in This District.

Mr. J. A. Long, of Roxboro, was in town Wednesday of this week and while here took occasion to talk with a number of our people about the Senatorship from this district. It appears that it was told in this county that Person county made no nomination for this office at its convention, but that the matter was left to Granville.

From Mr. Long's statement of the matter and that made by others who were present at the convention it appears that this is a mistake but that they nominated Mr. Long and authorized the delegates to vote for him at the Berea convention. Our information is that of the thirty-five delegates to the Person county convention twenty-three votes were cast for Mr. Long, seven and a fraction for Mr. W. A. Warren and four and a fraction for Dr. E. J. Tucker. If the precedents which have obtained in this district and the other districts of the State are to follow this year, this is equivalent to the nomination of Mr. Long. If precedent is followed, all that the Granville delegates will have to do at the Berea convention will be to endorse the action of the Person county convention.

It seems that Dr. Tucker is aiding by the action of the Person county convention, but that Mr. Warren is seeking support in this county for the nomination and that he has been encouraged by those who have not fully understood the situation as fully set forth above. It is to be hoped that the Granville county delegates will take no action that would impair the pleasant feelings that have always existed between the two counties. Two years ago Mr. Long and his friends loyally supported both Gen. Royser for Congress and Judge Graham for Corporation Commissioner. Person has always endorsed the action of the Granville county conventions in nominating Senator Hicks. It is to be hoped that our people will stand by Person county's action this year in nominating a Senator in the same way.

As we view the matter it is not a question of whether we would support Mr. Long or Mr. Warren. That, it seems, is not an open question. While some might be disposed to support Mr. Warren if we had that right, we cannot afford to attempt to override the action of our sister county in nominating its candidates as she had the right to do.—Oxford Public Ledger.

(The above is not entirely just to Dr. Tucker, as he was not a candidate, his friends voting for him notwithstanding he had stated he was not a candidate.—Eds.)

Entertained.

Saturday evening, August 24th Miss Margaret Cotter of Lynchburg, Va., entertained with a delightful lawn party in honor of Miss Pearl Lewis, of Roxboro, N. C. the attractive guest of Miss Irene Sullivan on Clay Street.

During the evening fruits and delightful ices were served.

Miss Lizzie Burton Entertained.

Miss Lizzie Burton entertained last Saturday night in honor of Miss Ruth Doughlin. After games refreshments were served, the large gathering voting Miss Burton a most charming hostess.

Shingles, Shingles.

See those two-dollar shingles for your barn. Watkins & Bullock.

CONVENTION.

Progressive Party Holds Convention And Names County Ticket.

The Progressive Party of Person county held its convention on last Saturday. When the convention was called to order there was a fairly good crowd in attendance, the number being 119 by actual count, though there was probably more than this number in the meeting as the crowd continued to increase as the meeting proceeded. The only test vote as to the number participating was that over the nomination for Register of Deeds, when 57 votes were cast.

Mr. F. O. Carver called the meeting to order, and in a speech, which was well chosen, of three minutes, stated the reason for forming a new party, and at the mention of Theodore Roosevelt's name there was loud and long cheering. He called R. A. Burch to the chair as temporary chairman. Upon taking the chair Mr. Burch spoke for about ten minutes, in his speech paying his respects to John Hedley Moorehead for reading out all of the Progressives. He outlined the policy of the new party, incidentally stating that they favored good roads, and if necessary the issuance of bonds. His speech was very good, containing nothing radical or bitter towards either of the old parties. At the close he called T. B. Davis to act as secretary. Upon motion the temporary organization was made permanent.

F. O. Carver moved that a platform committee be appointed and the chair appointed G. D. Neal, M. W. Satterfield and Thos. Grey.

W. A. Blalock moved that the chair appoint delegates to the various conventions, and the following were appointed as delegates to the State convention which meets in Greensboro on Sep. 3rd: W. A. Blalock, M. W. Satterfield, G. D. Neal, Thos. Grey and T. B. Davis. The chair announced that delegates to other conventions would be appointed when the conventions were called.

The chair announced that the next order of business was the naming of County candidates, and while on his feet placed in nomination A. M. Long as one of the County Commissioners. John Foushee and J. A. Carver were also placed in nomination, but Mr. Carver declined. T. D. Winstead and G. D. Neal were placed in nomination, both declining. R. A. Burch was placed in nomination, and the following were nominated: A. M. Long, R. D. Bailey and R. A. Burch.

James C. Wrenn was nominated by acclamation for Coroner.

T. B. Davis was likewise nominated for Surveyor.

For Register of Deeds the names of C. G. Mitchell, J. S. Bradsher and G. D. Neal were placed before the convention the result being as follows: Bradsher 48, Mitchell 6 and Neal 3. (Mr. Bradsher was not a candidate and his name was used without his knowledge or consent.—Eds.)

O. L. Satterfield was nominated by acclamation for sheriff.

For the House W. D. Merritt and T. A. Noell were placed in nomination, but Mr. Merritt asked that his name be withdrawn as he was not a candidate and would not accept if nominated. Mr. Noell was then nominated by acclamation.

The platform committee reported as follows: Resolved by the Progressives

of Person county in mass-meeting assembled.

1st: That we endorse the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for president, and Hiram Johnson for vice president and pledge them our support at the election.

2nd: That we endorse the National platform adopted by the progressive party at its recent convention in Chicago.

3rd: That we favor the nomination of all elective offices by preferential primaries regulated by law.

4th: That we favor the election of U. S. Senators by a popular vote of the people.

5th: That we favor the best public schools possible and we believe that the interest of public education will be promoted by the election of County Boards of Education by a vote of the people.

6th: That we favor better roads and if found necessary to issue bonds we favor leaving it to a vote of the people; and if bonds are issued, we further favor that each township have its equal allotment and the roads in all the townships to be worked at the same time.

Hoover Sent to the Roads.

Charlotte, Aug. 24.—T. A. Hoover, former manager of the Readers' club, who was found guilty of selling whiskey Friday afternoon, was sentenced to serve six months on the county roads by Judge T. A. Danils in superior court here tonight.

Hoover is a well known resident of Charlotte and his case has been watched with great interest. Counsel was employed by church members to assist the solicitor in the prosecution.

Have You Sent for Campaign Book?

Every Democrat who is working for the success of the ticket should send some money to Hon. James T. Lloyd, Chairman, National Campaign Committee, Washington, D. C. for a copy of the new Democratic campaign book. Whatever amount is sent for the book will be used toward carrying on the work of the campaign, without the aid of trusts or special privilege. The committee is in need of funds.

Congress Adjourns.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—Sobered by the embarrassments of Saturday's all night session of filibusters, Congress adjusted its differences today, invited President Taft up to the capitol once more and at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon wrote "finis" after the proceedings of the second session of the Sixty-second Congress.

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" Mebane	8:35 "	3 25
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" Cnapel Hill	8:20 "	3 00
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