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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

In ye olden days a Democratic State Convention was about the biggest thing pulled off in this State, but since the primary has been adopted it is quite a tame affair. Occasionally something will be sprung on the convention which will occasion quite a good deal of speech making but this time nothing of the kind happened, and it was simply a love feast, everybody happy and having a good time. Hon. E. W. Pou was made permanent chairman, and also delivered what they called the key-note speech. Governor Morrison spoke to the convention and made no apologies, but set forth in glowing terms what his administration had meant to North Carolina. Well, there have been tremendous strides made during his administration, and while there is considerable feeling over the question of taxes, the State has just cause to feel proud of itself for the advances made. In fact, the counties have only themselves to blame for any excessive taxes, for the State does not collect a penny from the county for State purposes, save what is paid on income and inheritance taxes, and one liable for these ought to pay. If the taxes are excessive, and they are, you voted them on yourself or your representative put them on you by legislative enactment, and the State is not responsible.

But the speech of the day was made by Hon. O. Max Gardner, late candidate for Governor. He only spoke for about thirty minutes, but he caught the crowd and received an ovation worthy of the man and the speech. He announced that he would not be a candidate for Governor in 1924, as the East was entitled to name the man at that time.

There was no contest of any description, save the little ripple before the platform committee, which was occasioned by some of the old fellows who have not become reconciled to women voting. They opposed putting any women on this Executive Committee, but they lost out, and took their medicine gracefully. By the way, one of the most timely and enjoyable speeches was made by Mrs. Jerman. She told the convention, "we may not be wanted, but we are HERE." And they were, for they were represented in nearly every district in the State.

This platform is short, briefly setting forth what has been accomplished under Democratic rule, and naming a few things which the party stands for, etc.

One of the pleasing things of this convention was the fact that the grand old man, Woodrow Wilson, was still the best loved of all, and when Mr. Pou called his name in his address the house went wild, cheers coming from all sections of the hall, in fact so enthusiastic was the cheering that it did not subside until almost every individual in the house stood upon their feet.

At a meeting of the Fifth District Republicans in Greensboro last Thursday Mrs. Lindsay Patterson, of Winston-Salem, was named as the Republican candidate for Congress from this district. Mrs. Patterson is a very brilliant woman and we trust she will enjoy the honor of making the campaign, being the first woman in North Carolina to run for Congress, for the honor of "also ran" is all of the joy she will experience. Of course, the Republicans knew there was not even a possibility of defeating the gallant Old Soldier, Major Stedman, hence they very kindly gave the nomination to a lady.

In a private letter from Hon. Stacey W. Wale, Insurance Commissioner, we are requested to warn our people against the wild cat stock

salesmen. We have done this time and time again, and if before making an investment in any kind of stock you would ask your banker many a dollar would be saved, for your banker will tell you just about what it is worth.

A TEN STRIKE.

After it was seen that the Co-operative Marketing Association had secured more than the required number of signers in this County many still had their doubts as to the working plans, that men with the ability to handle such a proposition could not be secured, etc. But these doubts have all disappeared as far as this County is concerned, for they have put a man at the head here who has the ability and knows no such word as fail, and that man is Mr. Harry W. Winstead. He is a tobaccoist of rare judgment and a business man without a peer in this section. Like some of the other sound business men, he did not jump into the Association without giving it due consideration, but after he was convinced that it was the thing for the farmer, for business, and the one thing which would do more to bring prosperity than all others, he went in with his whole soul. And he is said to his credit, he did not go into it for the money he will get out of it, for he made a sacrifice in dollars to accept the position he holds, the salary being less than he has been making in his business. He will be manager for the Roxboro market, having all of the warehouses here under his charge.

and that of itself is a guarantee that the business will go. He tells us that his ambition is to see Person County lead the State in signers and he is predicting that there will be 95 to 100 per cent in this County.

TAX NOTICE.

The people of Olive Hill Township will please meet me at the following places for the purpose of listing their property.
At Paylor's store May 3rd 1922.
At Roseville May 4th 1922.
At F. D. Long's May 5th 1922.
At Winstead May 6th 1922.
Please be prompt to meet me on these dates and save us all time and trouble.
T. C. Wagstaff, Tax Lister.

JALONG NEWS

Mr. Z. R. Clayton is a fine chicken raiser, call by and see his banner chickens.
Miss Lois Broadus is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Swann this week in Semora.
Mrs. Buchanan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Wakler, in Jalong.
The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Daniel and brought them a fine baby.
Mrs. W. W. Morrell spent last Monday with her sister, Mrs. E. S. Regan.
Rev. Mr. Todd of Wake preached an excellent sermon Sunday on the 19th Psalm; his subject being "Secret Sins." Mr. Todd is a very fine preacher. If you have not heard him, come out. We were glad to have so many of the people from Roxboro and other churches. Repeat it for our love cooperation.

-Dairy.

DRINK
Coca-Cola Delicious In
Refreshing 5c

Caseade 5c IN
Ginger Ale 5c Bottles

Cherry Blossoms Taste Like the Cherry In
5c

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Slashing reductions have been made in the prices of all Spring Coats and Coat Suits. You can't buy them any cheaper anywhere. We still have some dandy Coats and Suits. It is the time to make your money go a long ways.

Bargain In Shoes

We have put out a large bargain table of women's and children's Oxfords and pumps which are priced at ridiculously low prices, \$1.00 to \$3.00. Original prices were \$5 to \$10.00.

Dont trade with us because we live in Roxboro, but because you get better goods for less money.

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Your account is appreciated, we can and will meet any customers reasonable requirements any time.

We will be glad of the opportunity to demonstrate our highly satisfactory service to you that we render to customers of this bank. In making your banking connection why not consider these points. Line up now with the Oldest, Largest and Strongest.

4 per cent with Safety every Sixty days—Legitimate interest charged—NO FEES.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
The First National Bank
ROXBORO, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 11, 1922.

RESOURCES.	
Loans & Discounts	\$403,796.63
U. S. Bonds, Other Bonds & Investments	94,778.49
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	2,700.00
Furniture & Fixtures	3,189.10
Cash in Vault and Due from other Banks	50,130.25
Total	\$554,594.47
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$70,000.00
Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits & Reserves	28,486.22
Bills Payable	None
Rediscounts	27,545.00
DEPOSITS	428,563.25
Total	\$554,594.47

This Bank is doing its level best to render the best of service to its customers.

This Bank has accomplished more in the same length of time than any bank ever organized in the County!

We pay two kinds of Interest 4 per cent and Personal.