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ONE PRESIDENTIAL TERM ENOUGH.

That an amendment to the constitution, making the presidential term six or eight years, the President not again eligible for election has been demonstrated as needed by the political campaign waged between a President and ex-President, and the convention which followed. The present system of four years and again a possible four years, is very different from a single term of eight years. Under the present system the President hardly learns his duties before he must seek the field in order to gain a renomination. It unsettles his public policies, for with a renomination sought there must be catering to factions, cliques and even states. Interests must be placated rather than aroused, in fact the present four term system, and eligibility to succeed himself, makes every President hew to political lines, rather than to those lines so essential to public progress and advancement.

The third term opposition, held so strongly by the people up to this time, is likely to be overcome, and with the powers invested in the President, with huge patronage, favors to "big interests," an unscrupulous incumbent might make his term of office almost indefinite, or until a revolution took place. The character and honor that invested a presidential term under Washington, Jefferson or Lincoln has disappeared. Their second term election found no reasonable objection, and history bestows credit on their administrations, because of services rendered. The President's office today has so much more in it than in those early days, that the position involves much more than the personal ambition of one man. With a tariff that concerns big industrial and commercial interests, and the various affairs that touch every state, there cannot be given the people patriotic services that they should receive. A single eight year presidential term would bring about a vast change for the public good in better and wiser administrations.

INSUPERABLE DIFFICULTIES FOR NEW PARTIES.

"Alexander Johnson wisely remarks in his 'American Political History,' 'the revolution of a new national party is now attended with almost insuperable difficulties. It must be the result either of the patient labor of years in a clear field, as in the case of the Democratic party or of a great popular movement, sustained long enough to produce a regular army out of a mob as in the case of the Republican party. Until some successful substitute for the convention system is discovered we may consider the sporadic third party national conventions as foredoomed failures.'"

Followers of such a character as Theodore Roosevelt, charged and humiliated after boasting for months that they would sweep the Republican National Convention, naturally think that right in their and the world will follow their exit into bolting and forming a third party. That a sort of fanaticism should continue to animate them after so many months of sensational politics, is to be expected. But the history of bolts has nothing to inspire Mr. Roosevelt, that his cause will succeed or prove the exception to the rule.

Take the Republican party which had its origin in the conventions of the Liberty party in 1839 1840, it was 30 years, or 1860 before Lincoln was elected, and his vote was about a million less than

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher. In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA. 900 DROPS. ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT. Vegetable Preparation for Assisting the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN. Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

the total vote of his opponents. In 1872, Charles O'Connor, a seceding Democratic candidate from New York, got 29,000, against Grant's 3,500,000 and Greeley's 2,834,000. Take the gold revolt in 1896, when Palmer and Buckner headed the so-called sound money interests, and their vote was 134,000 to McKinley's over 7,000,000 and Bryan's 6,287,000.

Are the country's needs in progressiveness in 1912, to be championed by a Roosevelt, greater than the antislavery issue? Can even a Roosevelt hope in 5 months to lead to victory enough bolters, when it took two decades to develop and bring the Republican party a victory, that grew out of issues that distressed and brought to civil war a great nation? The only possible chance for more Roosevelt in politics is chaos at Baltimore, and this would be to concede that Mr. Bryan is as headstrong and without political sagacity as to the future, as the proposed bolter, Theodore Roosevelt.

And some men call swindling their neighbors honest toil.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

More women would probably marry for money or a title if it wasn't for the kind of men that usually go along.

There is no real need of anyone being troubled with constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets will cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

Wise people worry over things fools may never think of.

Foley-Kidney Pills. TONIC IN ACTION - QUICK IN RESULTS. Give prompt relief from BACKACHE, KIDNEY and BLADDER TROUBLE, RHEUMATISM, CONGESTION of the KIDNEYS, INFLAMMATION of the BLADDER and all annoying URINARY IRREGULARITIES. A positive boon to MIDDLE AGED and ELDERLY PEOPLE and for WOMEN. HAVE HIGHEST RECOMMENDATIONS. A. J. Davis, 427 Washington St., Cambridge, Mass., is in his 60th year. He writes out of his own experience that he has used Foley-Kidney Pills for many years and has never known a better remedy for kidney and bladder troubles. He says that he has never known a better remedy for kidney and bladder troubles. He says that he has never known a better remedy for kidney and bladder troubles.

146 Lepers in United States. Washington, June 26.—The Marine Hospital Service states that an investigation made in January showed 146 known lepers in the United States, of whom forty had come under observation for the first time in 1911. There were 278 known lepers in the country in 1901.

In Hawaii there were 696 cases, of which 65 were newly reported; in the Philippines, 2,754, of which 1,142 were newly registered, and in Porto Rico, 28 of which 10 were new.

Louisiana has 71 lepers; California, 23; Minnesota, 13; Massachusetts, 13; New York, 5; Pennsylvania, 2; Washington and Florida, 2 each, and Arizona, Connecticut, Kansas, Michigan, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Utah and Wisconsin, 1 each. The five cases in New York State are in New York city.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. A man should put his troubles in pawn and then lose the ticket. THEY PUT AN END TO IT. Charles Sabie, 30 Cook St. Rochester, N. Y., says he recommends Foley Kidney Pills at every opportunity because they gave him prompt relief from a bad case of kidney trouble that had long bothered him.

What makes it so easy for a girl to fool a man is it would be just as easy for her if it was harder.

When your child has whooping cough be careful to keep the cough loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and make it easier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics and is safe and sure. For sale by all dealers.

Orphan Class Concert. A class of children from the Odd Fellows Home, at Goldsboro, will visit this city Tuesday, July 2nd and will give a concert in the opera house, beginning at 8 o'clock in the evening. Tickets are now for sale by the local Odd Fellows. This fraternity is doing a great work for the relief of the orphans and the aged and infirm. About two hundred children are now being cared for at the home, being trained and educated for useful lives, and a home has also been provided for the aged and infirm and several are there now being tenderly cared for in their declining years. It is hoped, and the local Odd Fellows ask that the people of New Bern attend the concert and contribute as liberally as possible to this worthy cause.

SOFT NIPPLES. Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a sure way is offered by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. When it is with a soft cloth before applying the salve to her breasts. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by all Dealers.

NEED A MILLION FOR MANEUVERS

Taft Urges Congress to Make Immediate Provisions For Mimic Warfare.

Washington, June 25th.—President Taft yesterday sent a special message to Congress recommending the immediate appropriation of \$1,350,000 for use of the war department in the joint maneuvers of the regular army and the national guard next month. The president also asked the appropriation of \$168,000 for urgent necessities of the war department. Both items were in the general army appropriation bill which the president vetoed.

The message was referred to the committee on military affairs after Chairman Hay indicated that action would be taken to enable the war department and the national guard to go ahead with plans for the maneuvers. The first will be at Manassas, Va., beginning on July 5th.

It is stated at the war department that the projected maneuvers will be so much larger than anything of the kind ever attempted before in this country that they may fairly claim to equal in extent the annual maneuvers of the great European military powers.

According to plans announced among the state organizations, which are to participate in the joint maneuvers with the regular army are: Mount Greent, Pa., July 5-August 3; Pennsylvania, Maryland, New Jersey, Virginia and West Virginia.

Anniston, Ala., July 6-August 4; Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Florida, Georgia and Kentucky.

Aug. 5 to 16 is the date set for the joint coast defense exercises of the North Carolina military and regulars.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

If a woman had a through ticket to heaven she'd lose the ticket to look at some new hats.

Mrs. M. A. McLaughlin, 512 Jay St., La Crosse, Wis., writes that she suffered all kinds of pains in her back and hips on account of kidney trouble and rheumatism. "I got some of Foley Kidney Pills and after taking them for a few days there was a wonderful change in my case for the pain entirely left my back and hips and I am thankful there is such a medicine as Foley Kidney Pills. For sale by all dealers.

Many a man has been badly disappointed, before marriage he loved his girl well enough to set her up, and after marriage he is sorry he had not set her up when he loved her so well.

A sprained ankle may as a rule be cured in from three to four days by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and following the directions with each bottle. For sale by all dealers.

Son Shoots His Father's Assailant. Mayfield, Ky., June 25.—After Rufus Billington had mortally wounded Alvin Wheeler, a tobacco planter, Wheeler's son shot Billington. Billington is in jail. Wheeler and Billington had been at odds since Wheeler attempted to check the liquor traffic in this section.

STOMACH TROUBLES. Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at all drug stores.

What makes it so easy for a girl to fool a man is it would be just as easy for her if it was harder.

Mrs. Lola Love, wife of Wiley Love, a farmer living near Covena, Ga., says: "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and find them to be all you claim for them. They gave me almost instant relief when my kidneys were sluggish and inactive. I can cheerfully recommend them to all sufferers from kidney troubles."—Sold by all Dealers.

Anyway, the fool is never stingy with his folly.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. Loafers are wise to the fact that it is always the open season for killing time.

HELPE TO KEEP DOWN EXPENSES. Mrs. J. E. Henry, Akron, Mich., tells how she did so: "I was bothered with my kidneys and had to go nearly double. I tried a sample of Foley Kidney Pills and they did me so much good that I bought a box, and feel that they saved me a big doctor's bill."—For sale by all Dealers.

SUMMER EXCURSION FARES. Now in Effect to Beaufort and Morehead City. The seashore season is now open and Summer Excursion tickets are on sale at all stations to Morehead City, N. C., and Beaufort, N. C., good to return until October 31st. Get complete information from any ticket agent.

W. W. CROXTON, G. P. A., Norfolk, Va.

When a woman asks a disinterested man for his candid opinion of her the chances are she would consider him a brute if he told her the truth.

PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE

Requirements of Candidates Seeking Democratic Nomination June 22nd.

By order of the Craven County Democratic Executive Committee and in accordance with law, notice is hereby given that a primary election for choosing Democratic nominees for county officers and House of Representatives will be held at the usual polling places in Craven county Tuesday, 2nd day of July 1912, from 6 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m.

The following named Democrats have been appointed managers for holding the primary, viz: Maple Cypress—E. F. Adams, J. W. Huff and Marvin Aldridge. Vanceboro—D. P. Whitford, Harold Butler and Henry Buck. Truitts—N. T. Fulcher, Cleo Gaskin and W. H. Dunn. Bridgeton—S. W. Brooks, E. J. Bayliss and Sam Dunham. Taylor's Store—E. C. Taylor, J. H. Elliott and J. B. Beaton. Lee's Farm—T. E. Haywood, J. B. Williams and I. S. Mitchell. Thurman—H. C. Wood, J. A. Miller and Alex Hardison. First Ward—J. B. Hill, F. Gaskill and H. H. Tooker. Second Ward—Walter Duffy, M. Disoway and C. K. Hancock. Third Ward—Geo. B. Waters, G. L. Clark and J. D. McCoy. Fourth Ward—L. S. Wood, Alex McLacklan and J. F. Henderson. Bern Precinct—J. R. Merritt, J. T. Agent and E. L. Smith. Tiedale's—W. F. Crockett, J. T. Shute and W. M. Thomas. Gum Row—J. E. Wilcox, M. M. Shute and B. B. Scott. Fort Barnwell—L. S. Harper, Luther Serrone and Geo. W. Palmer. Dover—J. S. Wooten, L. H. Whitehead and W. O. White. Cove City—J. S. Robinson, W. E. Jones and W. T. McCoy. Jasper—W. G. Lane, J. E. Wetherington and W. C. Davis. Pleasant Hill—J. B. French, E. A. House and Daniel Lane.

Each candidate desiring to enter the primary shall subscribe to a pledge that he will abide by the result of the primary election and support the successful candidate or candidates chosen in said primary election and deposit the same with ten dollars with S. H. Lane, chairman, New Bern, N. C., on or before the hour of 12 o'clock, midnight, Saturday, 22nd day of June, 1912, in accordance with the rules of the State Democratic Executive Committee and the Special Act providing for a primary in Craven county.

This 25th day of May, 1912. S. H. LANE, Chairman of Craven County Democratic Executive Committee, R. A. NUNN, Secretary.

The only kind of fancy work some girls enjoy is the weaving of romances.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. Two Killed in Collision. Conneaut, Ohio, June 24.—Conductor Lyttle, and brakeman Ransom, were killed in a rear-end collision, of two Nickel Plate freight trains at Crayton, Pa., in a heavy fog. Two other trainmen may die.

It is now well known that not more than one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts at each application. Try it and see how quickly it will relieve the pain and soreness. Sold by all dealers.

It's time for Jennings Bryan to challenge somebody for a duel. Some of Roosevelt's fool friends are suggesting Roosevelt and Bryan as a genuine progressive ticket.

FAMOUS STAGE BEAUTIES look with horror on Skin Eruptions, Blotches, Sores or Pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face, Eczema and Salt Rheum vanish before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains, heels, burns, cuts and bruises. Unrivalled for piles. Only 25c at all druggists.

People who say more money has been sunk in gold mines than anything else forget amateur gardens.

WOMEN. Women of the highest type, women of superior education and refinement, whose discernment and judgment give weight and force to their opinions, highly praise the wonderful corrective and curative properties of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Throughout the many stages of woman's life, from girlhood, through the ordeals of motherhood to the declining years, there is no safer or more reliable medicine. Chamberlain's Tablets are sold everywhere at 25c a box.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NO. 2 TOWNSHIP.

At the request of a large number of my friends I am announcing myself as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Constable from No. 2 Township. All my life I have voted a straight Democratic ticket and have a good by the party in every way, I have performed my official duties conscientiously and will continue to do so if re-nominated. Thanking you for your support, I am Respectfully, D. H. FLEMING.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I wish to announce my candidacy for Sheriff of Craven county, subject to the will of the people to be expressed at the Democratic primary on Tuesday, July 2nd, 1912. If elected I will discharge my duties faithfully. Yours Respectfully, F. S. ERNUL.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held July 2nd. If nominated and elected I pledge myself to discharge the duties of such office to the best of my ability. Very respectfully, W. B. FLANNER.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Craven county, subject to the Democratic primary which will be held July 2nd, if nominated and elected I hereby pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability. Respectfully, R. B. LANE.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for re-nomination to the office of Treasurer of Craven County, subject to the action of the Democratic Voters at the Primary on July 2nd, 1912. If re-nominated and elected to the office of Treasurer I pledge to the people the same courteous attention I have heretofore endeavored to give to all, and the same fidelity to the trust reposed in me as the custodian of the people's money. Respectfully submitted, B. B. HURST.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

Realizing that No. 2 Township has not been represented in this capacity for several years and at the request of a large number of voters I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner from that Township subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on July 2nd. Respectfully, T. W. HOLTON.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Representative from No. 1 Township, Craven county subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on July 2nd. Respectfully, G. A. WHITFORD.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Craven county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on July 2nd, if nominated and elected I pledge myself to discharge the duties of such office to the best of my ability. Respectfully, S. ED. EWELL.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

In response to the solicitation of many friends I have determined to again be a candidate before the party primary to be held July 2nd, next, for the office of Sheriff. I feel very grateful for past favors and hope that my administration of the Sheriff's office has your approval. If re-elected I promise to give you as faithful service in the future as I have in the past. Your obedient servant, J. W. BIDDEE.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Register of Deeds, for Craven County, subject to the will of the people to be expressed at the Democratic Primary on Tuesday, July 2, 1912. Since holding the above office, I have endeavored, as the servant of the people, to render efficient and faithful service to all. If re-elected, I shall continue to do my very best in the discharge of the duties of the office. I wish to thank my friends for their almost undivided support in the past, and desire to thank them in advance for their patronage at the coming Primary. Yours respectfully, STEPHEN B. FOWLER.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the Democratic Primary on July 2nd. If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office to the best of my ability, with the assistance of a competent corps of clerks. I am unfortunate in being blind, but I must have something by which I can make an honest living, and I appeal to my fellow voters of Craven County to come to my assistance, and help me make a living and educate my boy. I thank you all in advance for any assistance you may render me. Remember that one of the greatest U. S. Senators of to day is a blind man. Yours truly, J. C. JOHNSON.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

By the request of my friends I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Constable in No. 2 township, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on July 2nd. Respectfully, W. A. THOMAS.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Commissioners, hereby announce our candidacy for re-election subject to the approval of the Democratic primary to be held July 2, 1912. Reference is hereby made to the report of the Board to the Board of magistrates of this date, and the policy of our board of operating the machinery of the county within the limits of the tax levy. Respectfully, C. D. BRADHAM, E. Z. K. DAVIS, H. T. WHITE, J. D. WILLIAMS, N. M. LANCASTER.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

At the request of a number of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Constable in No. Eight Township subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held on July 2nd. I have filed the position of deputy sheriff in this county, and am fully acquainted with the duties of a constable. If elected I promise to fill the office to the best of my ability. Respectfully, J. H. RUSSELL.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY.

ROUTE OF THE "NIGHT EXPRESS" Schedule Effective June, 2d, 1912. The following schedule figures published as information ONLY and are not guaranteed. TRAINS LEAVE NEW BERN NORTH AND WEST BOUND. 12:30 a. m. Daily—Night Express Pullman Sleeping Car for Norfolk. 9:25 a. m. Daily for Norfolk, connects for all points North and West. Parlor car service between Washington and Norfolk. 1:45 p. m. Daily except Sunday for Washington, Hallsboro, Greenville, Wilson and Raleigh. Parlor car between Washington and Raleigh. 4:10 a. m. Daily—Night Express for Goldsboro. 9:10 a. m. Daily for Goldsboro. 6:48 p. m. Daily for Goldsboro.

EAST BOUND. 9:20 a. m. Daily for Beaufort. 6:25 p. m. " " Beaufort. 9:50 a. m. Daily except Sunday for Oriental. 5:45 p. m. Daily except Sunday for Oriental. 6:55 p. m. Sunday only for Oriental. For further information or reservation of Pullman Sleeping Car space, apply to T. H. Bennett, T. A., New Bern, N. C. W. W. CROXTON, W. R. HUDSON, G. P. A., Gen'l Supt., Norfolk, Va.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED. OVER 25 YEARS EXPERIENCE. PATENTS. Trade Mark. Druggists Everywhere. Scientific American. A thoroughly guaranteed remedy. Issues in 25c and 50c packages. Sold by all druggists. Wm. A. Co., 89 Broadway, New York.