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TURNING MILL LOCATES HERE

J. M. Long To Erect Plant; Will Employ 15 To 18 Men

Plans for establishment in Franklin of a woodworking industry, which at full capacity will furnish employment for 15 to 18 men, were announced this week by J. M. Long, formerly of Wilkesboro, N. C.

Mr. Long said he started moving machinery for the new plant, which will specialize in dimension hardwood work, on Monday, and plans within the next 10 days to begin construction of a factory building on a site he has leased on highway No. 28 opposite Bulgin's Machine Shop. The building, he said, would be approximately 40 by 60 feet and of frame construction.

To Manufacture Lugs

The principal output of the plant, Mr. Long said, will be wooden lugs for use as ends in paper rolls, rugs and various other materials which are put up in rolled form.

Mr. Long has been in the hardwood dimension business for a number of years, operating a plant at Wilkesboro. Besides manufacturing lugs and other turned wood products, he plans to buy and sell dimension timber. He said he would be in the market for maple, beech and birch logs 38 inches long, 10 inches and up in diameter, and for poplar logs cut 30, 35 and 45 inches long, 10 inches and up in diameter.

"Unlimited Supply"

Mr. Long said he chose Franklin as a site for his new plant principally because he had found in Macon county "practically an unlimited supply of wood suitable for making lugs." He expressed the opinion that timber owners in this vicinity would probably find it more profitable to log for dimension timber than to cut acid and pulp wood, as the haul will be much shorter.

Royal Welcome

Given Motorcade Group On Visit to Highlands

(Special to The Press-Maconian) HIGHLANDS, N. C., Oct. 23.—Highlands turned out in full force Wednesday of last week to welcome a party of more than 50 travel bureau representatives, automobile association executives and hotel men who were making a 2,000 mile motor tour, visiting scenic and historic points in the Carolinas.

Highlands did not learn until a day or so before that it was on the itinerary of the motorcade, but when it did learn of it, everybody got busy preparing for the visitors. So, when the group arrived, it was met by a parade of 40 local cars decorated for the occasion. The town was festooned with banners, flags and welcome signs. Heading the parade was an escort car, occupied by a committee of Mayor S. E. Potts, W. S. Davis and C. J. Anderson.

Each of the visitors was given a fine apple from the orchard near Highlands of Mrs. A. J. Salinas.

The visitors were taken to the Highlands club, other points of interest in Highlands and then escorted to Whiteside View, called the most beautiful mountain view in the southern Appalachians. Many of the visitors were captivated with Highlands and remarked that here they had received one of the finest receptions they had enjoyed on the whole tour.

The motorcade came to Highlands from Bryson City, via Sylva and Franklin; but it did not stop in Franklin. Upon leaving here, it went to High Hampton, Brevard, Mount Pisgah and Asheville.

Jobs Open

For Janitor and Fireman In Federal Building

Open competitive examinations were announced this week for two jobs that will be created by the opening of Franklin's new federal building, which is expected to be ready for occupancy about the first of the year. The jobs are those of janitor at \$1,140 a year and of fireman-laborer at \$1,260 a year.

Announcements received from the Civil Service commission stated that applications for the job of janitor—classified laborer, custodial service, in Civil Service parlance—should be filed with the "Manager, Fourth U. S. Civil Service District, Washington, D. C., not later than October 26, 1935." The deadline for applications for the job of fireman-laborer was set as November 6.

Competitors will not be required to report for written examination, but will be rated on their training and experience. Full information and application blanks may be obtained at the Franklin postoffice.

LEADER NAMED FOR ROLL CALL

Bloxham Appointed Chairman For Annual Red Cross Campaign

The Rev. Frank Bloxham, joint rector of the Franklin and Highlands Episcopal churches, will serve as roll call chairman of the Macon county chapter of the American Red Cross in the annual membership drive scheduled to begin Armistice Day and continue through Thanksgiving Day, it was announced Wednesday by the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, acting chairman of the Macon county chapter.

Preparations are already under way, Mr. Flanagan said, to make this one of the most successful roll calls in recent years. The quota for the county, he said, had been changed from 300 to 200 memberships, but he expressed the hope that this quota would be exceeded.

A group of Red Cross workers from this county left this morning for Waynesville to attend a district Red Cross conference. In the group were Mr. Flanagan, Mr. Bloxham, Mrs. Henry Slagle, Mrs. A. L. McLean, Mrs. Gordon Moore, and Mrs. J. C. Wright. Mr. Flanagan was scheduled to preside at the morning session of the conference.

Old Magazines and Books Requested for Prisoners

The response made by the residents of Franklin to a request for magazines for the prison camp has been very generous. Yet the supply has been unequal to the requirements in a few respects. Comic sections from the Sunday papers are in great demand; also moving picture magazines and more copies of "Liberty." An English dictionary is urgently needed, and a copy of "Latin for Today," Book I.

The men of the camp ask that thanks be extended to all who have so kindly contributed to their enjoyment. Reading matter left at The Press-Maconian office is taken to the camp promptly.

NAVY ENLISTMENTS OPEN

Sixty apprentice seamen and twelve mess attendants will be enlisted in the U. S. Navy in November from the Carolinas. Part of this quota will be furnished by the navy recruiting station, post office building, Asheville, N. C. Only men of the negro race are eligible for enlistment as mess attendants. Applicants to fill this quota are accepted daily at the Asheville office from 9 to 4:30 p. m. on week days and 9 to 1 p. m. on Saturdays.

How They Stand in Presidential Poll

(STATE)	DEMOCRATIC		REPUBLICAN	3d PARTY
	For Roosevelt	For Other Democrats	All Rep. Choices	3d Party Choices
Alabama	873	112	308	...
Colorado	185	37	184	22
Florida	230	169	140	16
Georgia	192	367	271	15
Illinois	913	156	853	34
Indiana	1065	37	273	54
Iowa	395	66	432	54
Kansas	454	11	964	21
Kentucky	543	68	110	17
Louisiana	145	91	14	11
Maine	91	...	132	...
Maryland	171	156	101	...
Michigan	3024	133	1463	44
Minnesota	810	105	1566	137
Missouri	2015	176	1696	80
Nebraska	171	63	221	...
New Jersey	469	56	581	87
New York	175	11	609	62
North Carolina	381	78	224	16
North Dakota	105	9	300	106
Ohio	190	51	362	32
Oregon	15	...	52	...
Oklahoma	1055	92	430	65
Pennsylvania	303	42	714	...
South Dakota	157	...	107	14
Tennessee	109	52	103	...
Texas	1065	160	171	26
Vermont	181	92	225	9
Virginia	3037	867	2143	21
Washington	561	14	743	75
West Virginia	247	21	452	14
Wisconsin	248	34	660	40
Wyoming	233	...	65	11
	19,808	3326	16,669	1083

Roosevelt Leading in 17 Of 33 States Reporting In "Next President" Poll

Roosevelt Still Far ahead in Macon

Returns to The Press-Maconian this week in the "Next President" poll little altered the standing of the "nominees." President Roosevelt is still an overwhelming favorite among readers of this newspaper.

For the lack of space, we are omitting this week a table of local returns. National returns will be found in the tabulation appearing in this issue. Both local and national returns to date will be published in next week's paper.

If you have not voted in this straw poll, do so at once. You will find a ballot on page 9. Mark your preferences and mail or bring it to our office. It is not necessary to sign your name on the ballot, and in voting you in no way obligate yourself to any political party.

Borah Favorite Choice Among Republican Candidates

BY JOHN THOMAS WILSON (Special to The Press-Maconian)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The war front broadens in the "Next President" poll.

Reports of balloting in new sectors are every day being received at national headquarters here.

At the end of the third week of tabulating national, state by state returns, 33 states report lively action and a total of 40,886 ballots cast for favorite presidential choices.

From many of these 33 states, however, only first and widely scattered returns have been received. Early leads, at many points, are so narrow that it would be vain to attempt to put the respective states in a definite column for either party.

Third Week Voting

The total of 40,886 ballots from 33 states show President Roosevelt leading in 17 states with a total of 19,808. Other Democratic choices polled a total of 3,326. A total of 16,669 votes for Republican choices gives the G. O. P. a lead in 15 of the 33 states. Third party choices total only 1,083 in the 33 states.

While the Roosevelt vote of 19,808 exceeds the total Republican vote of 16,669 by 3,239 votes at this time, experienced political observers are quick to suggest an analysis of the electoral votes of the 33 states, as reported so far, discloses the following results:

For Roosevelt, (17 states) Ala., 12, Colo., 6, Fla., 6, Ill., 29, Ind., 15, Ky., 10, La., 6, Md., 8, Mich., 15, Mo., 18, N. C., 12, Okla., 10, S. Da., 5, Tenn., 12, Tex., 20, Va., 12, Wyo., 3. Total, 195 Electoral votes.

For Republican Choices, (15 states), Iowa, 13, Kas., 10, Me., 6, Minn., 12, Neb., 8, N. J., 14, N. Y., 45, N. Da., 5, Ohio, 24, Ore., 5, Pa., 38, Vt., 4, Wash., 7, W. Va., 8, Wis., 13. Total, 212 Electoral votes.

Georgia, the 33rd state, is led at the moment by other Democratic choices. It has 14 votes in the electoral college. If these should go to Roosevelt he would then have

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DEATH CLAIMS

R. M. HUDSON, 55

Funeral To Be Held at 3 P. M. Friday at Baptist Church

Richard M. Hudson, 55, well known Franklin business man, died of heart disease at 4:30 o'clock this morning at his home on the Georgia highway. The funeral, it was announced later in the day, will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Franklin Baptist church, with burial in the Franklin cemetery.

Mr. Hudson had suffered from a heart ailment for a number of months, but he remained active in his business until a few weeks ago, when his illness became so grave that confinement was necessary. The early part of this week his condition became critical and his daughter, Miss Dixie Nell Hudson, of New York, a trained nurse, was notified. She arrived Wednesday to be with her father.

Came Here in 1908

Mr. Hudson was born in Humphrey county, Tennessee, on June 22, 1880, son of W. J. Hudson and Martha Turner Hudson. He came to Franklin in 1908 and for some years was employed by the Blue Ridge Lumber company. Later he went into the livery business, and then into the contracting business as a member of the firm of Higdon, Scott and Hudson, road builders. In August, 1922, he and A. R. Higdon organized the Franklin Hardware company, of which Mr. Hudson was president at the time of his death.

On Dec. 27, 1910, Mr. Hudson married Miss Sophie Burnette, of Black Mountain. After her death he married Mrs. Kathleen Petty Baxter, of High Point, in April, 1924.

List of Survivors

Surviving Mr. Hudson are his widow, his daughter, two sisters, Mrs. Maude Norton and Mrs. John Henry, and one brother, Put Hudson, all of Franklin.

Mr. Hudson was a member of the First Baptist church of Franklin. He had no fraternal or club affiliations.

The funeral will be conducted by the Rev. W. M. Burns, pastor of the Baptist church, and the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Franklin Presbyterian church. Pallbearers were named as follows: W. T. Moore, T. W. Angel, Jr., Roy Mashburn, A. R. Higdon, Roy Cunningham, George Patton, Pope Ellard and Dr. W. E. Furr.

Miss Virginia Slagle To Broadcast over Radio

Miss Virginia Slagle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Slagle, of Franklin, who is a student at Berea College, Berea, Ky., was recently selected as one of a group of eight Berea students to go to Chicago and broadcast over radio station WLS for a ten-minute program each day on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Miss Irma Seagle's Brother Killed in Wreck

Miss Irma Seagle, who was notified recently of the death of her brother, James Seagle, in an automobile accident in South Carolina, is expected to return to Franklin next Monday to resume her duties as a teacher in the Franklin school. Miss Seagle's home is near Camden, S. C.

Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Ollie Young

Funeral services for Mrs. Ollie Young, who died at 7 p. m. Monday at her home in the Cartoogechay community, were held Tuesday at Maiden's Chapel. She was the wife of Arthur Young.

Hymn Printed in Chinese

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the hymn, has been printed in Chinese.