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CONGRESSMAN CLAUDE KITCHEN

Addressed Enthusiastic Crowd at Goost Nest.

Goose Nest Township displayed its old time democratic spirit on Monday at Oak City when County Candidates met to welcome Claude Kitchen, the intrepid standard bearer from the 2nd Congressional District. The "Old North State" has no truer son and Democracy no braver exponent than this son of Halifax. He is a persuasive speaker—carrying conviction to the heart of every listener. His arraignment of the republican leaders and their policies was magnificent. He spared not, and every assertion was unassailable. Enthusiasm ran high, the cause of democracy was greatly strengthened. A splendid feast of "barbecue," cooked and seasoned as Goose Nest people know best, was served to everybody present.

The people have knocked out "General Apathy" in Martin County during this campaign, taking Goost Nest as an expression. Everywhere the candidates have met with hearty support. The Campaign will close at Everetts on Monday the 2nd.

Kodol is a combination of the natural digestive juices and it digests all classes of food and every kind of food, so you see it will do the work that the stomach itself does. The only difference between it and the stomach is the stomach can get out of order and Kodol cannot, but Kodol can put the stomach into good order. Buy Kodol today. It is guaranteed. Sold by Chase's Drug Store; Bigg's Drug Store.

Stockholders Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholder of The Enterprise Printing Co. will be held on November 5th at 8 o'clock P. M. at the office of the above named Company. All stockholders are requested to be present.
C. D. CARSTARPHEN,
President.

Burns, bruises and scratches, big and little cuts or in fact anything requiring a salve, are best and quickest soothed and healed by DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve. The best salve for piles. Be sure to get DeWitt's. Sold by Chase's Drug Store; Bigg's Drug Store.

Meaning of Halloween

To the Druids, those wise men of ancient Britain, we are indebted, so tradition tells us, for the fun and frolic of Halloween, or All-Hallow eve. The Druids celebrated the gathering of their harvest on the last day of October; the day following was all Saint's day, or as the ancient expression was All-Hallows—it was on the eve of All-Hallows, or on Halloween that the Druids held their solemn rites which in burlesque from now afford amusement for mischief-loving boys or entertainment for more decorous young people.

The Druids sincerely believed in charms and witchcraft, and they believed that on the eve of All-Saints' day the goblins and witches danced and held revels beneath the oak tree, so revered by these simple folk. But their festival, which was with them a celebration of religious significance suffered a great many changes as it passed on from century to century until it finally became the merry, nonsensical thing with which the young people of today celebrate All-Hallows.

Rings Little Liver Pills for biliousness, sick-headache. They keep you well. 25c. Try them. Sold by Chase's Drug Store.

Bryan and Prosperity.

When Bryan is elected there will be no sensational tirades against men of wealth. The laws will be enforced fairly and without bluster. There will be no favoritism. No Mortons will be whitewashed and other railroad men, less guilty, punished. No steel trust will be coddled while non-contributed trusts will be harassed. Everybody will get—not the promise of the gambling of a "square deal"—but a fair chance and equal rights and no proscription or injury to business. We shall then have no such condition as the following described in a press dispatch from Pittsburg on the 8th day of February, 1908:

"The cry of the unemployed daily grows more distressed in Pittsburg. There are 15,000 men idle, and the specter of the dreaded soup houses again makes its appearance. The first soup house will be opened by the Salvation Army Monday morning, and unless there is some radical and prompt change for the better, more places of this kind will be in demand before many days have elapsed. The situation is not really alarming, but it is bad enough. Soup house have been the dread of the business men and civic leaders, and every effort has been made to avoid them."

In Chicago with a Republican administration thousands on thousands of children have to be fed by charity so that they may be able to get to school, and this is a type of Republican prosperity (?). The great panic of 1907 which still lingers with us, which "busted" banks and closed factories is another example of Republican prosperity (?). The Republicans raise a calamity howl that Bryan's election would mean a financial crash, but even the worse that these false prophets foretell could come to pass he would not be able to bring the country to such a deplorable condition as that which it has endured and which it still endures under a Republican administration.—News & Observer.

Death of B. Archibald Coffield

News was received here on Tuesday of the death of a former North Carolinian, B. Archibald Coffield, at his home in Rockland, Texas. Mr. Coffield was the youngest brother of Hon. J. B. Coffield of Martin County, and left here for Texas a number of years ago. There he lived and reared a large family of boys, who are prominent in business circles in Rockland. He was married in Williamston to Miss Mattie Tamm, niece of the late Sheriff W. J. Hardison, who survives him.

Missionary Institute at Scotland Neck

The Woman's Meeting of the Roanoke Association will meet with the Scotland Neck Baptist Church, Nov. 5th and 6th, combined with this The Executive Committee, Woman's Missionary Union will hold a Missionary Institute.

The object of the Institute is, by the simple, definite and direct presentation of plans and methods to enable leaders to work more effectively in Woman's Missionary Societies, Young Women Auxiliaries, and Sunbeams Bands.

The Committee urges that delegates be sent from each Baptist Church. Entertainment will be provided by the Scotland Neck Society.

MRS. S. JUSTUS EVERETT,
Vice-President Roanoke Association.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. They are small, sure, safe pills.

ROBERSONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

People Coming and Going--As Gathered By Our Regular Correspondent.

By JOHN D. EVERETT

Mr. Percival of Petersburg, Va., was in town Sunday.

Miss Annie Bryan of Gold Point spent Monday in town.

Mr. J. L. Griffin left for Norfolk this morning on business.

Mrs. Martin of Bethel was the guest of Miss Krider Saturday.

Miss Lydie Roberson spent Saturday and Sunday at Gold Point.

Mr. A. Bodenhammer made a business trip to Dillon, S. C. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dunning are away for a visit to his relatives in Bertie.

Mr. Alonzo Mizzell of Williamston was visiting friends in town Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Ferrell left for a business trip to Rocky Mount and Virginia.

Mr. John Roebuck has accepted a position as salesman with R. L. Smith & Co.

Mrs. J. L. Griffin is spending a few days with her mother at Gold Point this week.

Miss Bertha Barnhill of Stokes is spending this week with Miss Annie Mooring.

Mr. J. C. Robertson attended the Association near Wilson Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Nelson and W. H. Adkins made a short visit to Bethel this week.

Miss Mavella Bunting of Bethel came Monday to visit her aunt Mrs. R. J. Nelson.

Miss Reta Roberson spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Myrtle Roberson near Hassell.

Mr. Joe Bullock's children spent Sunday and Monday with their grandmother in the country.

Miss Bertie Gardner formerly of this place but now of Everett visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

On Sunday evening at seven o'clock Mr. Joe Bullock was united in marriage to Miss Almira Moore. Mr. S. L. Ross officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Bullock have the best wishes of the town for a long and happy wedded life.

There was a very pleasant party at Mr. D. B. Parker's last Friday night. All present reported a most enjoyable evening and are loud in their praises of their young hostess Miss Lena, in whose honor the party was given.

Williamston Graded School.

HONOR ROLL.

For week ending Oct. 23, 1908.

FIFTH GRADE

Clyde Anderson, Daisy Manning, Edgar Blount, Frank Weaver, Leona Page, Louise Upton

SIXTH GRADE

Irma Woodhouse, Eva Peele, Stephen Roberson, Oscar Anderson, Joseph Leggett.

MRS. C. M. LANIER,
Teacher.

At any time when your stomach is not in good condition, you should take Kodol, because Kodol digests all the food you eat, and it supplies health and strength for the stomach in that way. You take Kodol just for a little while when you have slight attacks of indigestion, and you take it just a little longer in order to get relief from severe attacks of indigestion or Nervous Dyspepsia. Try Kodol today. Sold by Chase's Drug Store; Bigg's Drug Store.

Mrs. Eliza Cox who has been spending several months in St. Louis returned Friday and will be with her sister Mrs. S. W. Outerbridge during the winter. Mrs. Cox has a host of friends here who are always delighted to welcome her among them.

Who can beat this for highland corn? This year Mr. Samuel T. Everett has gathered from one acre, thirteen barrels of corn. Besides the remarkable yield, the weight of this corn is worthy of notice. One tub of the corn in the shuck, after it was shelled, weighed seventy-six pounds. This was a gain of twenty pounds to the tub, as the regular weight of a tub is fifty-six pounds. Then for the entire acre there would be a gain of thirteen hundred pounds of weight. Now, how does he account for this gain? For the most part by leaving the fodder on the stalk to dry up. Is this not one of the strongest arguments in favor of raising hay for long feed? It is cheaper to raise hay than to house the fodder, to say nothing of the saving in corn. That thirteen hundred pounds of corn at 75 cent a bushel would bring over \$17. Who raises fodder to the value of \$17 on one acre? After gathering off the 13 bbls. of corn Mr. Everett left on that land another crop of corn growing in every other middle, and peas in every other middle.

Democracy of Martin County was strengthened by the presence of the county candidates here last Saturday. After the several candidates declared themselves and gave their promise of faithful service, the Democratic warhorse was introduced, Mr. H. W. Stubbs. With his fine logic, supreme eloquence, superb sarcasm, and bounded wit Mr. Stubbs raised aloft Democracy's banner, not to be furlled again until good government becomes disagreeable to the citizens of a free country. He pictured the achievements of the democratic party in county, state and nation. He is thoroughly imbued with the sound doctrine and is not ashamed of the gospel of truth. With rare ability indeed, Mr. Stubbs discussed the national issues of this campaign, and made it plain that the people's candidate, W. J. Bryan, is altogether worthy to represent the highest honor of a free people. Enough speaking of the Stubbs type ought to make the vote unanimous for the democratic candidate.

Grateful Rejected One.

"I am truly sorry to give you pain, Mr. Hankinson," said the young lady, "but please do not allude to this subject again. I can never be your wife."

"That is your final answer, Miss Irene?"

"It is."

"Nothing can induce you to change your decision?"

"My mind is finally and unalterably made up."

"Miss Irene," said the young man, rising and looking about for his hat, "before coming here this evening I made a bet of five pounds with Van Perkins that you would say 'No' to my proposal. I have won. It was taking a risk but I was dead broke, Miss Irene," he continued, his voice quivering with emotion, "you have saved a despairing man from the fate of a suicide, and won the life long respect and esteem of a grateful heart. Good evening."—Exchange.

Wednesday Afternoon Book Club (Reported)

On October 21st The Wednesday Afternoon Book Club held its first meeting at the hospitable home of Mrs. Francis U. Barnes. The meeting was promptly called to order at 4:15 o'clock by the President, Mrs. C. A. Jeffress. In the absence of the Secretary, Mrs. S. Atwood Newell, Miss Mary Hassell acted in her stead.

After the roll call, the books were distributed to each member by the Librarian, Miss Taylor.

All business matters having been discussed the guest were invited to the dining room where chicken salad, Maryland biscuits, pickles and olives were served.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Biggs November the 11th. Those present were: Mesdames C. A. Jeffress, J. D. Biggs, K. B. Crawford, Wheeler Martin, J. G. Staton, T. J. Smith, Misses Walker, Taylor, Hassell and Brown.

Following is a list of the books in the hands of the librarian. Each member keeps a book two weeks—Louis Rand, The Duchess of Dreams, The Post Girl, The Man From Brodny, The Circular Staircase, The Life Do Us Part, Glean O. Dawn, Peter, The Firing Line, The Two Virginians, Fly On The Wheel, Flower of the Dusk, The Testing of Dana Malloy, The Trail of The Lonesome Pine.

To those afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble, backache, rheumatism, Pineules for the Kidneys brings relief in the first dose. Hundreds of people today testify to their remarkable healing and tonic properties. 30 days' trial \$1.00 They purify the blood. Sold by Chase's Drug Store.

The Bonny Scot

The Halloween hostess who would give something more elaborate than a ghost or fortune telling party on a festive night, might invite her guests to a Scotch costume party. Of course, dancing would be a feature of the evening, and if she could secure a bagpipe it would add greatly to the success of the entertainment. The Scotch costumes are easily arranged—tam o'shanter and plaid shawls may be added to the ordinary costume, if it seems too much trouble to dress kilts. Scotch cakes should be included in the supper menu. Scotch songs, Scotch poems and stories would make up a pleasant and appropriate program.

Wood's Liver Medicine in liquid form for malaria, chills and fever, regulates the liver, kidneys and bladder, brings quick relief to biliousness, sick-headache, constipation. Pleasant to take. The \$1.00 bottle contains 2 1/2 times quantity of the 50c size. First dose brings relief. Sold by Chase's Drug Store.

To the Voters of Martin County.

Not having the time to make a canvass of the County, I respectfully ask the voters to give me their support at the polls next Tuesday, November 3rd. Leave the old party ideas at home and vote for the man instead of the party. This is only a business proposition that appeals to every intelligent man throughout the County. Let every man think for himself and give me his vote. If I am elected I shall do all in my power to attend to the Register of Deeds office as it has been done in the past 8 or 10 years. I shall not promise to give any better service than Mr. Manning, as that would be too hard to do. As to my qualification, character and etc., I can refer you to most any business house in the County. Assuring you that every vote cast for me will be highly appreciated.

Very respectfully,
W. W. WALTERS.

J. ELWOOD COX TALKS HERE

Republican Candidate for Governor.

(Reported)

J. Elwood Cox, came Wednesday to fill a long announced appointment. He was introduced to a small crowd, made up largely of democrats who were curious to see the "sacrificial" Cox. He represented himself as the business man's candidate, saying that he got his start in life by the sale of fruit trees in Martin, Pitt and Green Counties. It is hoped that his gain was not the loss of Martin County farmers. He pledged himself to the cause of education and praised the railroads, but made no mention of passes, if he possesses any. He threw garlands at Taft for settling the claims of Catholics in the Philippines out of the funds of the government. He refused to lift the lid of the Holden and Russell administrations, stating that he was not going that way. He forgot to remark that the people do not intend to let him go that way. He talked tamely and thusly for one-half of an hour and quit. Cox is a fine business man, no doubt, but fails when speaking.

The curtain rose again, this time of the Hon. C. C. Fagan introducing another Honorable, Thomas Settle, who orated an hour and thirty minutes, showing himself to be a fair player on a 3rd class stage. His speech was utterly void of sound argument, being merely a "kick and skuffle" around for sore-legged democrats. But not a single "whoop" was heard except from his own brood. His speech served best in solidifying the lovers of truth and good honest government against the encroachments of Teddy and his followers.

A Healthy Family

"Our whole family has enjoyed good health since we began using Dr. King's New Life Pills, three years ago," says L. A. Bartlet, of Rural Routs 1, Guilford, Maine. They cleanse and tone the system in a gentle way that does you good 25c. at All Druggists.

Then and Now.

(Contributed)

To the citizens of the town who remember the political scenes of 1876, the advent of "Sonny" Tom Settle this week was in strong contrast to that of "Daddy" Tom in the campaign of that year. He came dressed to kill, wearing a brand-new beaver seated behind a handsome pair of bays, with a dusty 'coon' holding the ribbons. As he rode up Main Street from the old Court House between rows of negroes on each side of the street, bowing and lifting that shining beaver, he made a picture not to be forgotten. "Sonny" Tom came and walked about on foot; had no reason for smiling and lifting his derby—not even a negro stopped and looked after him. In 1876 the republic party was—in 1908 it is not even a well-kept carcass.

Boyle-Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Quimly Britton announce the marriage of their daughter

Margaret Brittin Watkins

to
Mr. John Plumb Boyle,
Thursday, October the twenty-second
nineteen hundred and eight,
Philadelphia.
At home Hamilton, N. C.

If you are a sufferer from piles, Manzan Pile Remedy will bring relief with the first application. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by Chase's Drug Store.