

CHOWAN AND HERTFORD CANDIDATES WIN NOMINATION TO STATE SENATE

Divided Pasquotank Delegation Failed to Elect Either Nominee From This County and Probably For The First Time The Other End of the District Gets Both Members of the Upper House.

Davis Collins Barnes of Hertford county and William Woodley of Chowan are the Democratic nominees for the state Senate, from this senatorial district.

The senatorial convention met at Hertford yesterday, the meeting being called to order shortly before twelve o'clock.

Mr. W. M. Bond of Edenton was elected temporary chairman of the convention, and Mr. Percy McMullan of Hertford was made chairman of permanent organization.

The first of the session an address was made by Mr. Newby, for the past thirty years a citizen of Los Angeles, California, but previous to that time a resident of Perquimans county.

Previous to nominations, an agreement was made by the convention to the effect that the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes should be declared the nominee of the convention.

Four nominations were made, David Collin Barnes, William Woodley, and two candidates from Pasquotank, Hon. Thos. J. Markham and Col. E. F. Lamb, both residents of Elizabeth City.

When the roll call was taken, Perquimans county having gone into caucus during the roll call, was the last to respond, and it was immediately seen that this county would cast the deciding vote of the convention. Giving her vote to Woodley in preference to either of Pasquotank's nominees, Perquimans brought about Mr. Woodley's nomination by a plurality of five votes over Mr. Lamb, his nearest competitor.

The ballot was as follows: Barnes 74, Woodley 53, Lamb 48, Markham 27.

The result of this convention gives the other end of the district both senators in the next Assembly.

ROSS-TABB

Mr. Willis G. Ross and Miss Eva E. Tabb, both residents of Portsmouth secured a marriage license Wednesday and were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. Buffalo.

They were accompanied by Mr. C. C. Sawyer of Portsmouth, a nephew of Rev. E. F. Sawyer of this city. They intended that Mr. Sawyer should perform the ceremony but he was out of the city.

CARD OF THANKS

On behalf of the entire family, I wish to express to the people of this city our profound appreciation for their extreme kindness and loving sympathy to us during the recent illness and death of our mother, Lucy E. Turner. And I wish I could find some words adequate to express just what this has meant to us, as had it not been for these things the human heart would have almost crushed under this affliction. The memory of the kind words and loving deeds which were performed will ever linger as a sweet benediction to us.

Sincerely,
ROSCOE W. TURNER.

A CARD

Mr. Editor: Please allow us through your paper to express to the Good people of Elizabeth City and Nags Head, and especially to the members of the I. O. R. M. and Jr. O. U. A. M. our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for their aid and expression of kindness and sympathy in our recent misfortune and bereavement in the loss of son and brother.

W. G. COX.
J. S. COX.
Weeksville, N. C., July 16th.

MR. JONES SHOOTS NEGRO

Mr. T. C. Jones, Proprietor of the Southern Hotel kept missing eggs and other pantry supplies until he got tired of it, so last Saturday night he lay in wait for the thief and it was not long before he got him.

Mr. Jones was watching in the back yard of the hotel. He saw a negro run out with a box of eggs. He called to him to halt but the negro paid no attention to it and Mr. Jones fired at random. He hit the negro in the back as he was stooping down to get a better hold on the box.

Drs. C. A. Sutton and H. T. Aydtlett who are guests of the hotel were summoned and they rendered surgical attention. The negro, who is Luke James, one of the Southern Hotel table waiters, was locked up in jail. The wound has not proven very serious and the negro is rapidly recovering.

As evidence that Mr. Jones was shooting at random, he was in direct range of his stable door, and if he had not struck the negro, he would have shot one of his horses.

MR. CHALLIS OF ENGLAND TO RESIDE HERE

Mr. John Challis and young son of Manchester, England are spending some time here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Knowles.

Mr. Challis is a traveling man and his company has transferred him to the United States to represent them. He will bring his family to Elizabeth City and will make this city his home, traveling all over the Southern States from this point.

In Manchester Mr. Challis and Mr. Knowles were next door neighbors and the best of friends. Mr. Knowles says that Mr. Challis is a splendid fellow, and he looks it too; besides Mr. Knowles states to go for their full value in this section.

RICHARDSON-NELSON

Mr. Charlie E. Richardson and Miss Stella Blanche Nelson were married yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Capt. Miller in Cedar street, Rev. J. D. Bundy pastor of the First Methodist church, performing the ceremony in the presence of a number of intimate friends of the couple.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Davis, uncle and aunt of the groom, in Hunter street, where a wedding reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

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PLANS OF THEATRE ON EXHIBITION

Plans for the new theatre which Messrs Kram & Nutter are having constructed, are on exhibition at Seilgs jewelry store. The building will be most attractive when completed, and will resemble the Casino at Ocean View.

After a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fraley in Main street, Mr. and Mrs. John Fraley and young son have returned to their home in Tarboro, N. C.

MAKING ICE AGAIN.

The Crystal Ice Company has completed its new plant and is now turning out a sufficient supply of the best ice on the market.

Manager W. E. Dunstan got everything already for business last Saturday and steamed up to test the working of the machinery. He began Monday morning to make ice and Wednesday morning the first cakes were turned out.

The capacity of the plant has been doubled and now the daily output can be seventy tons. Mr. Dunstan is confident that he now has a plant of sufficient capacity to supply all demands for ice.

While the plant has been in process of construction, Mr. Dunstan has been troubled some in securing enough ice to supply his customers, but in spite of the inconvenience the service has been good.

HAVE GIVEN UP HOPE OF FINDING MR. COX.

The Atlantic Ocean still holds in its bosom the remains of Alonzo Cox who was caught in the treacherous undertow at Nags Head two weeks ago and carried down to his doom before the eyes of scores of his friends, that stood horror stricken unable to help him.

Since the tragedy, every effort possible has been made to recover his body without avail. Bands of searchers have sought everywhere in the neighborhood of the drowning, hoping that the waves would cast the body ashore; but they failed to do so. Practically all hopes of ever recovering the body of Mr. Cox, have been given up.

This is one of the saddest tragedies to occur in this section in years. A young man in the prime of life went away on a Sunday excursion for a day of enjoyment, and will never come back.

HOUSE PARTY AT CURRITUCK INLET

Special to the Advance.)

Shawboro, N. C.—One of the happiest events of the season, was a house party given at Currituck Inlet, by the young men of this community, in honor of the visiting young ladies. Among those in the party were: Misses Katie, Ella and Ida Bray, Rosa Stevenson, Jennie Ferebee, Lizzie Ferrill and Adelaide Flora, Shawboro, N. C.; Nina, Mary and Helen Baxter, Gladys and Eleanor Williams, Norfolk, Va.; Adella Baxter, Essie Walker and Adeline Jobe, Currituck, C. H.; Annie Lee Cahoon and Minnie Leary, Elizabeth City, N. C.; Luda Moseley, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Mary Kirkindoll, Richmond, Ky.; Ada Bell Isley, Burlington, N. C.; Nancy Moore, Jackson, N. C.; Geneva Barnes of Henderson, N. C.; Lucile Ward, Riland, N. C.; Ruth Ansell, Hickory, Va.

The young men present were: Messrs Doc Cowell, Joe and Edwin Morgan, Willie and Earl Flora, Gid Boswood, Baxter Bell, James Stevenson, Cecil Bell, Scott Ferebee, Shawboro, N. C.; Will Foreman, Dan Raper, Edwin Aydtlett, Jr., Edward Smith and Sidney White, Elizabeth City, N. C.; Andrew Bell, Augusta, Ga.; William Corbitt, Henderson, N. C.; C. B. Bell, Jr. Washington, N. C.; Will Amb, Allen and Dudley Bagley, Moyock, N. C.; Leland Baxter, Currituck, C. H.

The chaperones were, Dr. and Mrs. Daughtery, Deep Creek, Va., Mrs. C. B. Bell, Washington, N. C. and Mr. R. E. Flora, Shawboro, N. C.

DEDICATION AT KNOTT'S ISLAND

The new Methodist church at Knott's Island, which has been recently completed, was dedicated on Wednesday, July 17th.

The dedicatory sermon was preached by Dr. G. C. Hatcher of Randolph College, the dedicatory services were conducted by Dr. B. F. Lipscomb, and an address was delivered by Dr. T. A. Smoot of Epworth church.

A big free dinner and various refreshments were served on the church grounds and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all present.

THE WEEK AT NAGS HEAD

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS AND THE COMERS AND GOERS OF THE WEEK AT ELIZABETH CITY'S POPULAR RESORT.

The Edenton house party in Mr. Julian Wood's cottage is adding a great deal to the pleasure of the cottagers on the beach. The serenades given nightly by them are much enjoyed.

Master Shelton McMullan of Hertford has concluded a visit to his friend, Julian Nixon and will spend next week with Silas Whedbee.

Miss Sarah Cheshire of Raleigh and Mrs. Thompson of Maryland, a sister of Mrs. Cheshire, have returned to their respective homes.

Mr. B. G. Lewis of Hamlet, N. C., spent the week end with the family of Mr. W. G. Gaither, in their cottage on the beach.

Capt. Outlaw and family came down Wednesday and are occupying their cottage. Every one is glad to see the genial captain and the funny occupants of the Fresh Ponds will soon hear from him.

Judge Ward has returned after a short stay in Elizabeth City. He has a most attractive cottage at the south end of the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Conger of Edenton are the guests of Mrs. W. G. Gaither.

Dr. Montague of Winston-Salem is staying at the Winston Cottage.

The Edenton house party gave a marshmallow roast Saturday night. A large number of guests were present, and an evening of merriment enjoyed.

Mr. Tom Nixon of Elmwood Farm near Hertford is spending several days with his family in their cottage on the beach.

The "Georgetta" came from Hertford Sunday, bringing Messrs. Will Hudson, Tom White and Cal White for a visit to friends on the beach.

The "Virginia" brought a large excursion from Hertford on Tuesday the 16th.

Housekeeping is made much simpler for the cottagers this summer, since Mrs. Graham Hollowell's delivery wagon has begun its rounds. Crabs and fish are plentiful and of fine quality and flavor.

The House party from Elizabeth City at the cottage "Who'd a Thought It" gave a delightful bridge party to their friends on Tuesday morning.

Dr. Dram and family came down Thursday on their launch the "Skipjack" and will occupy their cottage on the beach for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. P. W. Melick is a guest at the Albemarle Cottage on the Sound this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Melick and children spent the week end at the Albemarle Cottage.

Misses Mary and Margaret Pruden of Edenton came down Saturday and have opened their cottage on the beach.

Miss Maie Gatling of Petersburg, Va., is a guest at the Winston Cottage.

Mrs. Ben Baker and children, Mrs. George Folk and daughter and Misses Elsie and Martha Haywood, all of Raleigh, are sojourning at the old Albemarle Cottage on the beach now christened "Spider Villa."

Bishop Cheshire and family of Raleigh, who have been occupying the Drane Cottage during the month of July, left for their home on Thursday, much to the regret of their many friends.

Mr. H. Clay Lewis is repairing his cottage on the beach.

Misses Mattie Reid and Byrd Kram were the guests of Mrs. C. W. Grice at her Cottage "While-away" this week.

Mrs. Julian Wood, who spent last week at Mrs. Winston's Cottage returned to her home in Edenton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pool are spending their vacation at the Arlington Cottage on the beach.

BOYS' CORN CLUB NOTES.

Columbia, S. C., July 15th.—One of the most interesting features of the National Corn Exposition, to be held in Columbia next January, is the first Exposition School for boys, which will be composed of the prize winners in the Boys' Corn Clubs in every county in the Southern States. The attendance upon the school is expected to reach at least one thousand, and preparations are being laid on a broad scale.

J. B. Hobby of Alabama has been selected as Superintendent of the school. Mr. Hobby is the assistant in charge of the Boys' Corn Club Work in Alabama, with headquarters at the State Agricultural College at Auburn. Later on he will make his headquarters in the National Corn Exposition offices at Columbia. Mr. Hobby stands exceedingly high among agricultural educators of the country, and his experience fits him for the management of the unique school. The boys will be divided into companies and squads, and through the co-operation of President Riggs of Clemson Agricultural College, cadets of the first class will be placed in command of the boys, who will be under semi-military discipline during their stay in Columbia. They will be comfortably quartered on the State Fair Grounds near the Exposition buildings, and will be given daily instruction along agricultural lines by some of the foremost agriculturalists of the country who will be in attendance at the Exposition. But the boys will not have all work; the City of Columbia, through its Council, has made an appropriation for a banquet to be given the boys on the last night of the school. The trip to South Carolina will of itself be quite an incentive to any of the boys living in distant states. There are enrolled in Boys' Corn Clubs this year seventy-five thousand boys in the various Southern States, and the pupils at the school will be the selected boys out of this great congregation.

As a tribute to Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, whose work for the agricultural development of the South makes it peculiarly appropriate that his memory be honored in connection with the Boys' Corn Club Work, South Carolina will offer a handsome bronze bust, as the prize for the state making the best showing each year in the Boys and Girls' club work. The award of this bust of Dr. Knapp will be made during the Exposition School probably at the Boys' banquet. Several notable men have already promised to be present on this occasion and participate in the issuing of diplomas to the boys and awarding of the bust.

HERTFORD HAPPENINGS

Special correspondence of the Advance.)

Hertford, N. C., July 18. — Miss Mattie Fleming of Kinston, N. C. is visiting Miss Bell Waters.

Mrs. F. M. Shamberger and daughter, Miss Londa are spending some time in Colefaine, N. C.

Miss Reid Fleming of Kinston, N. C., is visiting Miss Francis Newbold.

Mr. S. B. Underwood of Kinston, N. C., is here for two weeks conducting the teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Copsland of Embarry, N. C., are spending a few days with her brother, Mr. L. J. Copeland.

Mrs. J. P. Jessup and daughter Emma left Friday for Black Mountain where they will spend a few weeks.

Miss Jennette Darden who has been spending a few days with Miss Emma Jessup, left Wednesday for Windsor to spend a week before returning to Driver, Va.

Miss Ira Ward of Belvidere, N. C., is visiting Mrs. R. M. Fowler.

Miss Nellie Lewis of Raleigh, who spent last week with the family of Bishop Cheshire, has returned home.

Miss Helen Lewis arrived Saturday on the Haven Belle to spend the summer with her parents in their cottage on the beach.

Messrs. Howard Flora, Martin Simpson and Guy Commander came down on the Haven Belle Saturday for the week end.

WEDDED IN WASHINGTON

MISS McMULLAN OF THIS CITY THE BRIDE OF MR. BIGELOW OF CALIFORNIA LAST WEDNESDAY.

A telegram from Washington, D. C. Wednesday announced that Miss Mary Dabney McMullan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. McMullan of this city had been married to Mr. Earl Bigelow of Coalinga, California at high noon in Washington.

The news came as a great surprise to the people of Elizabeth City who had not the slightest suspicion of Miss McMullan's intentions to wed when the family left here Tuesday, ostensibly to take a trip to Niagara Falls and to points in Canada. The plans for the nuptials had been, however, carefully planned for the bride and her family to go to Washington, D. C., when they would be met by the groom and the ceremony performed. The announcements of the wedding were mailed from Elizabeth City immediately after the marriage.

Mrs. Bigelow is a charming young lady, highly educated, and well known in social circles in Eastern North Carolina and throughout the State. Mr. Bigelow is a leading young business man of the Pacific Coast country, is of a prominent family and wealthy. The romance which culminated so happily last Wednesday, began about four years ago, when Miss McMullan was making a tour of Europe. Mr. Bigelow and his mother were also making a tour and they met on the historic Rhine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bigelow will make their home in California.

BELVIDERE NOTES

Special Correspondence.)

Belvidere, N. C., July 17th.—Dr. J. A. Ward returned from Norfolk on Thursday night in his new automobile which he purchased on that trip.

Dr. T. N. White spent a few days in Belvidere combining business with pleasure. He returned to Franklin, Va., on Thursday.

Cardeley, Pareise, and Joyce Hunter entertained a number of the Belvidere young people on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Sibyl Nicholson had several of her friends to tea on the tenth in celebration of her birthday. The crowning event of the day was an auto ride with Mr. H. H. Perry, in his commodious new machine, which accommodated all the young ladies of the party.

Messrs. Edgar Lane and Troy Lamb spent Sunday in Gatesville, returning Monday noon.

Misses Viola and Leona Ward have returned from Elizabeth City and Hertford where they had been visiting since the Fourth.

Mrs. E. L. Chappell returned home on Friday from a visit to Northampton county.

Several of the Belvidere teachers are attending the Institute in Hertford this week and next.

Mr. T. C. Perry and Miss Emma White attended services at Bethany church on Sunday afternoon.

ICE CREAM SUPPER TO-NIGHT

The Baraca-Philathea Union of the First Baptist Sunday school will have an ice-cream supper to-night on the lot of the First Methodist church, corner of Road and Church streets.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

MRS. PHILLIP DAVIS DEAD.

The remains of Mrs. Phillip Davis, widow of the late Rev. P. S. C. Davis were brought here last Saturday from the home of her son in Pennsylvania. They were taken to Corinth Baptist church where the services were conducted by Rev. E. W. Stone and the interment followed in the burying ground at the church.

Mrs. Davis resided here many years and was well known here.