

## OUR RALEIGH COMMUNICATION

Raleigh N. C. April, 21-Not since the memorable convention which nominated W. W. Kitchin for governor over Locke Craig in Charlotte sixteen years ago has the attendance approached the big crowd of democrats who assembled here on Thursday to write a platform, name delegates to the Democratic National Convention and perfect an organization for the approaching contest. On completion of the roll call, the chairman announced that every county answered present. In commenting upon the record attendance one of the speakers was reminded that the primary had not entirely "done away with" the convention which he still enjoys to the fullest extent. Old convention days were recalled as the roll calls proceeded on nominations for delegates at large to the National Convention.

The convention was called to order by Chairman John G. Dawson in the City Auditorium at 12:30 p. m. and Dr. W. A. Stanbury, pastor of the Edenton Street Methodist Church, offered the opening prayer. W. N. Everett, secretary of state, was designated as temporary chairman and delivered the key note speech at the conclusion of which the temporary organization was made permanent. Mr. Everett held up the record of the democratic party in both state and nation as a matter of supreme satisfaction. He recounted the invaluable service of Secretary Daniels during the World War told of the great work of former Congressman Claude Kitchin, Senators Simmons and Overman, Representative Bou and other North Carolinians serving in positions of high importance through that momentous struggle. He also rendered an accounting of the party's stewardship in the State for the past twenty-four years and boasted of its splendid accomplishments.

Early in the proceedings a letter from Hon. Josephus Daniels, now in the western states on a lecture tour, declining to permit the use of his name in connection with the presidential nomination. Next came a resolution declaring it to be the policy of the party henceforth to give the women equal representation with the men in the selection of delegates at large to the National Convention. The resolution was passed by an overwhelming majority of the convention vote, and eight delegates were elected for the state at large. Men: John G. Dawson, Josephus Daniels, Cameron Morrison, O. Max Gardner, Women: Mrs. T. Palmer Jerman, Raleigh; Mrs. J. G. Fearing, Elizabeth City; Miss Mary Henderson, Salisbury; Miss Hattie Berry, Chapel Hill.

Four delegates to the National Convention were selected by each of the congressional districts in conferences held prior to the assembling of the convention. The tenth District chose Don Elias, of Buncombe, R. Lee Whitmire, of Henderson, James E. Caraway, of Haywood, and Mrs. Giles Cover, of Cherokee. For members of the State Executive Committee: Solomon Gallert, of Rutherford, J. W. Winborne, of McDowell, J. W. Rut herford, of Buncombe, W. E. Brees of Transylvania, R. Otis Self of Jackson, T. L. George, Miss Martha Boswell, Brevard, Mrs. M. A. Brown, Hendersonville, Miss Elizabeth Kelly, Franklin, Mrs. J. G. Stikeleather, Asheville, Mrs. George B. Walker, Andrews.

Henderson county was represented in the convention by C. E. Brooks, Carroll Rodgers, R. Lee Whitmire and Dr. Dixon. Transylvania by Thos. H. Shipman, Miss Martha Boswell and T. C. Henderson. Other democrats from these counties, whose names are not recalled, were present in a "passive" way.

### THE HOSPITAL SHOWER

We desire to thank the people of Brevard and vicinity for the useful and beautiful gifts received at the linen shower.

The following articles and donations were received through the various clubs of the city and by personal gifts:

Sheets 26, Bed Spreads 3, Bath towels 27, Face towels 113, Pillow cases 41, Table cloths 1, Wash cloths 18, Hot water bottle 1, Gauze bandage 3 rolls, Mending tape 1 roll, Medicine droppers 1-2 gross, Cake 1, Cash \$60.00.

Brevard Hospital, Ada E. Page, Supt. of Nurses.

## REVIVAL AT M. E. CHURCH

To all Citizens of Brevard and community:

The revival at the Methodist Church begins next Sunday morning and will continue at least two weeks. The pastor will do the preaching and Miss Carolyn A. Hosford of Massachusetts has been secured as assistant in music and personal work. We consider ourselves very fortunate in securing her services. She is a lady of culture and attractive personality and has had several years of unusually successful revival work, both as leader and as singer. We have many fine endorsements of her and of her work in this state and elsewhere she has labored. She is also a fine saxophonist and will render some fine solos. She arrives the last of the week and will make her first appearance Sunday.

We not only invite your attendance but would make the appeal as strong as we can urging the full and hearty cooperation of all christian people to the end that it may be a community revival blessing every church and every home. All our churches stand or fall together and the success of one is the success of all. We especially wish that all who can sing of the city choirs, will attend and help. We will endeavor to show our deep appreciation. To our fellow pastors we extend a double invitation. We feel the great responsibility of leading the meeting and crave your presence, your prayers, and your encouragement.

May God graciously lead and bless one and all. To all Methodists we simply say that we expect you to enter into the services with earnestness and loyal cooperation. Will you please no disappoint us? God expects it. Your vows compel it. Let every one be such in prayer that the Holy Spirit may fall upon the whole community at this time of the troubling of the water.

A series of cottage prayer meetings is being held in five districts at three p. m. Tues., Wed., Thurs., and Fri. Find the one nearest you and attend.

Yours for Christ,  
E. R. Welch, Pastor.

### ANOTHER LADY PROMOTED

At a special meeting of the Directors of the Brevard Building and Loan Association held on Tuesday, April 22nd, Mrs. Hattie Perkins was unanimously elected by the Directors as Secretary and Treasurer of the Building and Loan Association to succeed Glenn E. Lathrop, Decd., and the Association is to be congratulated in securing the services of Mrs. Perkins.

Mrs. Perkins has been doing the work for the Building and Loan Association for several years under the supervision of Mr. Lathrop, and is thoroughly familiar with every detail in connection with same. A financial Committee was elected from the Board of Directors to pass on all loans so as to assist Mrs. Perkins with the loans.

The Brevard Building and Loan Association has assets of more than \$120,000.00 and has a little more than doubled its assets in the last three years. Half of the homes built in Brevard in the past ten years have been built in this association and it has been very fortunate in not having to make any foreclosures.

### AN ATTRACTIVE PLACE

Pete's Lunch Room is one of our new business enterprises, located on Broad Street in the Aethelwold building.

It is a most attractive place, shining with cleanliness.

The shoe shine stand has been eliminated to make more room for ladies.

### ANOTHER VALUED CITIZEN FOR BREVARD

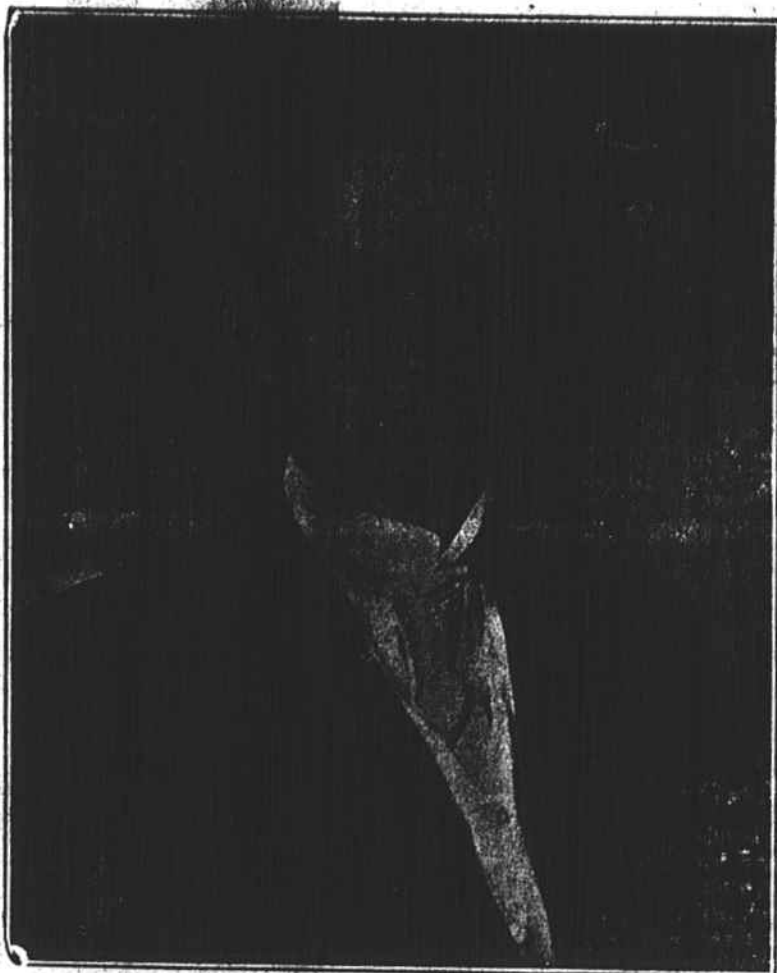
Paul Hartley, Electrical Contractor, of Southern Pines has located here.

Mr. Hartley's office will be in the building with the Transylvania Produce Co.

Besides doing expert wiring, he will carry a full line of electrical fixtures.

We welcome Mr. Hartley to our midst and wish him success.

## Rev. E. R. Welch



Rev. E. R. Welch, the Methodist pastor who will lead in the revival at his church beginning April 27, to which all are invited.

### A SPLENDID CITIZEN GONE

Brevard has suffered an irreplaceable loss in the passing of G. E. Lathrop.

Mr. Lathrop was born in South Royalton, Vermont in 1863. He made his home in several other states before coming here in July 1915. During our participation in the World War he was secretary of the local Exemption Board and treasurer of the Red Cross funds.

The latter position he still held at the time of his death, and in this position and others he has been a tower of strength in charity work in the community.

Being an expert in banking and accounting, Mr. Lathrop as town clerk and treasurer has put the town affairs on a splendid business basis. Since he has been Secretary treasurer of the Building and Loan Association, its business has more than doubled, due to the confidence of the people in his ability and integrity.

He was also Secretary treasurer of the Citizens Telephone Company and the Road Commissioners.

Mr. Lathrop was prominently identified with St. Philip's Episcopal Church, being Lay Reader, Junior Warden, assistant treasurer, and at times a member of the choir.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at St. Philips by Rev. J. C. Seagle assisted by Rev. C. D. Chapman.

The honorary pall bearers were representatives from the various organizations with which Mr. Lathrop was connected. The active pall bearers were: F. D. Clement; P. N. Simons, O. L. Erwin, J. A. Miller, J. S. Silversteen, H. N. Carrier, Dr. E. S. English, J. S. Bromfield.

The interment was at South Royalton Vermont. The body was accompanied on its long journey by F. D. Clement and J. S. Silversteen acting as a guard of honor from the town.

The sympathy of the community goes out to the widow who is his only survivor.

The memory of this splendid man will remain with us. The community is better and stronger because he lived among us.

### SCHOOL TAX ELECTION

No finer example of the strong determination to have good schools in Transylvania County could be found than the result of the election held at Rosman on Tuesday to vote on a special school tax. Not a vote was cast against the levy.

Our people realize taxes are costly but ignorance is more costly. We believe in education.

### DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Waightstill Avery Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. C. H. Klenpelt and Miss Florence Kern at the home of the latter on Gaston St. Several donations to educational institutions in the South were reported.

Mrs. Silversteen made an interesting report of the state conference in Greensboro to which she was the delegate.

Mrs. T. E. Patton read an article on the life of Daniel Boone which was very instructive and much enjoyed by all present.

The medals which will be awarded pupils of the seventh grade for the best work in history were examined and admired.

The regent's bar has also been received. Copies of the Flag Code which will be distributed later to the schools were examined.

A box of wools, crochet cotton, knitting and crochet needles will be sent to Ellis Island.

The next meeting will be held at Davidson River Cemetery on memorial Day to decorate the grave of a Revolutionary soldier, Lambert Clayton.

### MRS. PATTON ENTERTAINS

The Fortnightly club met with Mrs. H. H. Patton at her home on Main Street Monday afternoon. Miss Alma Trowbridge, Mrs. M. M. King and Mrs. J. E. Waters had charge of the program.

Miss Trowbridge discussed the period immediately following the Civil War. She did this in a very intelligent way which is characteristic of Miss Trowbridge.

Mrs. King discussed very interestingly the Invisible Empire and Mrs. Waters subject discussed the life of W. A. Graham, a statesman of the Old Regime.

After the program the hostess served a delicious salad course.

The club will meet with Mrs. Zachary May 5th. The club members met at Mrs. Pattons Tuesday afternoon and went from there to the Hospital to attend the linen shower.

Each member of the club gave a very beautiful and useful piece of linen.

### BETTERMENT MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Betterment will be held at the high school Monday, April 28, at 3:30.

Twelve new members were added to the last meeting. Every woman in town should be a member of this organization. If you have no children join to help somebody else's child and the community.

## GLAZENER KILLED IN ACCIDENT

On the Rosman road, between the railroad crossing below Reuben Ballard's and the old mill, on Sunday evening occurred a deplorable automobile accident.

A car in which Johnnie Glazener Raymond English, and Carlos Hays were riding drew to the side of the road to speak to Mr. Glazener's mother and sister who were walking along the road.

The recent heavy rains had softened the earth so that the edge of the bank gave way, the car slipped and turned over.

English jumped out and escaped with bruises. The car caught Glazener and Hays. Glazener was dead when dragged from the car. The car had to be broken to take Hays out, but he was only slightly injured, being able to go to work next day.

Carlos Hays was driving the car. The verdict of the coroner's jury was, "Death of Johnnie Glazener was caused by an unavoidable automobile accident."

### MRS. O. H. ORR HOSTESS

Mrs. Oliver H. Orr was the charming hostess of the Mathasian club at its last meeting.

The topic for discussion was Child Welfare. Mrs. H. L. Wilson, the leader, read a paper on The Community's Responsibility. She suggested a number of committees which the club felt are needed in the community. This work might be undertaken by the Betterment.

Miss Florence Kern speaking on the subject of Public Play Grounds stressed the importance of supervision of play grounds.

Mrs. Julia Trowbridge had a most instructive and interesting paper on School Lunches.

Children who are dull are often undernourished and when given warm, nourishing food at school improve mentally as well as physically.

There were a number of guests who enjoyed Mrs. Orr's hospitality as well as the club members.

## C. A. Hosford



Miss Carolyn A. Hosford of Springfield, Mo. who will direct the music at the coming revival at the Methodist church

### A PRETTY HOME WEDDING

On Sunday, April 20, Miss Hester Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manson Hamilton, was quietly married at the home of parents near Penrose to Mr. Harold Hart.

Only members of the two families were present.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a traveling suit of blue with gray hat and accessories.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Ladd Hart.

The happy pair are at home to their friends in the charming bungalow near Pisgah Forest which the groom had built and furnished in readiness for his bride.

We wish for them many years of wedded life.

named George Gibbs.

The Coroners jury rendered a verdict of "Death from unavoidable accident."

## GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT

To Hon. T. B. Finley, Judge Presiding: We, the Grand Jury acting at the present term of the Superior Court of Transylvania County make the following report.

We wish to express our thanks to His Honor, Judge T. B. Finley for his commendable charge to the Grand Jury and for his able conduct of the court. Further we wish to thank the solicitor, the clerk and the sheriff for their assistance to us. By committees we examined the court House, Jail, County Home, and Chaingang.

As a whole, the chaingang is in good condition. The different departments seemed to be in sanitary condition.

The prisoners were apparently well fed, comfortably clothed, and provided with adequate quarters. The teams and all the equipment were all found to be in good condition. The County Road Commissioners are to be commended for the splendid results now being accomplished by the chaingang.

The County Home was found to be in excellent condition. The Home is beautifully located. It seems to have all necessary equipment for the comfort of the inmates. The County Commissioners have recently installed a good water system. The farm is partly operated by the inmates and a good crop was grown last year.

We found the jail in first class order and the prisoners well cared for. We would recommend that the iron cages inside the jail be repainted in order to prevent rusting, and we would also recommend that the main chimney to the jail be built higher, so as to prevent the smoke from coming into the Court house.

We examined the various offices of the court house and find them in excellent condition.

We have acted upon all the bills sent before us by the Solicitor and attended to all other business assigned to us.

Respectfully submitted,  
G. O. Alexander,  
Foreman of Grand Jury.

### BREVARD BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

In the absence of the Pastor, who is to preach the Commencement sermon at Fruitland Institute, Rev. Jessie R. Owen, of Mars Hill, will preach at the Brevard Baptist Church on Sunday Morning April 27th. The Baraca Class is now holding its sessions in the Court house. There were present about 65 young men last Sunday. Come next Sunday if you are not attending Sunday School some where else.

### AN ERROR IN NAMES

The name of the alternate delegate to the National Republican Convention, who was named at the Bryson City Convention, should have been T. H. Hampton and not A. H., as we announced last week.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

The Easter season has been as usual a season of marriages. The following marriage licenses were issued last week by Register of Deeds Roland Owen:

Joseph Tillman Owen, Toxaway and Connie Elizabeth Galloway, Wolf Mountain.

Harold Hart, Pisgah Forest and Hester Hamilton, Penrose.

E. B. Blythe, Penrose, and Alma Gibson, Penrose.

### MEETING OF THE TRAILERS

The Trailers met on Friday, Apr. 18 and organized a baseball team.

Edmond Orr is captain and Hayes Shipman manager. A coach has not been selected.

The members are: J. A. Miller, Hayes Shipman, Ashe Macfie, Tom Patton, Wood Paxton, James Lyon, Edmond Orr, Frances Pummer, Edmo Duckworth, Duncan McDongal, Tom Wood, Dwight Moffit, Motto "We Help."

### SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON MAIN STREET

Last Saturday afternoon on Main Street, near the corner of Caldwell occurred the first fatal automobile accident Brevard has experienced.

A car driven by F. E. Frady struck and killed an old colored man