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J. B. HOOKS NOMINATED AS CLERK SUPERIOR COURT

SKY-SCRAPER BE ERECTED IN BUSINESS DISTRICT

Wayne County Democrats Go To Polls For Second Time In Five Weeks And Ballot

Spirited Contest For Selection of Candidate For Office of the Superior Court of County Results in Victory For J. B. Hooks, Present Incumbent—A Large Vote Was Cast and Interest Was Great

For the second time within the past five weeks, Wayne county Democrats went to the polls, this time to nominate a candidate for the clerkship of the superior court of the county and after the battle of ballots had been ended and the votes counted, with the exception of Indian Springs, where 42 votes were cast in the first primary, it was found that J. B. Hooks, present incumbent, had defeated his opponent, J. H. (Jack) Hill by a majority of 181 votes. The total vote cast for Hooks with the exception of Indian Springs, was 2,576 while that cast for Hill was 2,395. In the first primary, Mr. Hooks received a total of 2,606 votes while Mr. Hill received 2,561. Mr. Sumner, the third candidate in the three-cornered race in the first primary received 96 votes.

Both candidates were strongly supported during the second primary. Friends of both men worked tirelessly and diligently for their favorite and no stone was left unturned by either side to bring about victory for their candidate. Both are splendid men, both have countless friends all over the county and it is generally regretted by the public at large that there had to be a loser.

There was no spirit of bitterness manifested by either candidate or by any of their supporters at any time during the campaign, before the first or the second primary. It was a clean, out-in-the-open fight, one in which each candidate put forth their best efforts to win the support of the voters, as did their friends. It was probably the cleanest political campaign that Wayne county has ever witnessed and today, with the victor and vanquished known, there are no hard feelings on either side.

The tabulated vote cast in yesterday's primary was as follows:

PRECINCT	HOOKS	HILL
1st Ward	248	244
2nd Ward	129	125
3rd Ward	129	125
4th Ward	95	100
Great Swamp	229	27
Duck Swamp	29	78
Princeton	247	156
Warwick	98	94
Pikeville	96	79
Fork Township	185	85
Granthams	98	189
Mount Olive	215	208
Providence	50	22
Indian Springs	42	42
White Hall	57	19
New Hope	173	148
Shelston	68	129
Stoney Creek	110	76
Dudly	27	94
TOTAL	2,576	2,395

Refuses Large Sum As Ade To Hungary



Jeremiah Smith, of Boston, has served for two years as League of Nations Financial Commissioner and Economic Advisor to the Hungarian Government. At the termination of his services Premier Bethlen handed him a check for \$100,000, which Mr. Smith returned with gratitude, saying that the friendship and confidence shown him had been ample compensation.

Deputy Goes Forth And Locates Still In New Hope Sector

Saturday was primary election day, for the second time this year, so it was one of those hot, stifling days that make a man want to seek a cool place and stay there. It didn't keep deputy sheriff William P. Grant from going out into New Hope township and locating a fifty gallon illicit distilling plant and several barrels of beer and destroying the whole outfit.

Primary or no primary, weather or no weather, Deputy Grant had a "tip" that a still could be found at such and such a place if he arrived there pronto. He lost no time in taking himself New Hope and located the plant.

This was about the sixth still and not less than sixty barrels of beer located and destroyed by raiders from Sheriff W. D. Grant's office during the week.

Officers Of Junior Town Are Introduced

An institution of the Chautauqua, but these officers are Goldsboro children, were introduced to the audience last night. The children are preparing a program for Tuesday afternoon. One Goldsboro girl told someone after hearing the concert the Hallman company yesterday. "It would have been real good, if it hadn't been half as good as it was." Vesper services will be held at five o'clock this afternoon. Music by the Hallman Company. Everybody is invited. There will be no admission.

The King of Great Britain each year receives a herring pie from Yorkshire in payment of that country's feudal obligations.

BEAUTY CONTEST CRESCENT LAKE

Interesting Event Will Be Staged at Popular Beach on Monday Afternoon

One of the stellar attractions for Goldsboro and Wayne county people who will remain at home on Monday will be the bathing beauty and aquatic contest which is to be held at Crescent Lake Monday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock and continuing during the remainder of the afternoon and it is expected that hundreds will attend the event and participate in the contest.

In addition to the large number of prizes which will be offered in the beauty contest, there will be a large number of prizes for the best swimmers, divers and others who take part in the aquatic program and there will be many entrants for these.

Crescent Lake is one of the most popular bathing beaches in this section and the program planned for that place tomorrow afternoon will be one which will doubtless prove to be the biggest and best in the history of that place.

JUNIOR ORDER PROVING POPULAR

Interesting Meeting of Local Order Held Last Week Was Most Interesting One

The regular meeting of the local Junior Order United American Mechanics, held during the past week was a most interesting and enjoyable event and was largely attended.

Following the regular business meeting at the lodge rooms, the members adjourned to the Palace Drug Store where they were served with ice cream and cold drinks.

Later they paid a visit to the Superior sanatorium and carried ice cream and flowers to "Old Tom", Stanton, a member, who is receiving treatment there and who is in a serious condition.

The local order is fast growing and during the present year has added forty-two new members.

BANK BUILDING BE REMODELED

National Bank and Goldsboro Savings & Trust Company Need Larger Quarters

A rapidly increasing volume of business has made it necessary for the National Bank and the Goldsboro Savings and Trust Company to increase their floor space and contract has been awarded for the remodeling of their home at the corner of James and Walnut streets so that they will occupy the entire lower floor of the building.

The work is to be started at once and while this is in progress the two banks will be temporarily quartered in the Edgerton building, just across the street, where they will be glad to serve their patrons and the public in general.

The work, it is hoped, will be completed by September 1st, at which time the banks will occupy their enlarged quarters.

In connection with this improvement, it is said that these two banking institutions have enjoyed a large and gratifying patronage and this rapidly increasing volume of business makes much more room absolutely essential.

Contract Is Awarded For The Erection Five Story Building

Charming Young Woman Named As Sponsor In Speedway Contest By American Legion



MISS MARY CORNELIUS
Miss Mary Cornelius, of Mooreville, N. C., nominated by the American Legion Auxiliary as its sponsor in the contest for Queen of the Charlotte Speedway, August 23.

Explosion in Pennsylvania Mine Takes A Toll Of At Least Half A Dozen Lives

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 3.—Six men are believed to be dead following an explosion late today in the Peach Orchard Mine of the Glenn Alden Coal company near here. Two bodies were recovered and rescue crews started work in a fall where it is thought four others were buried by the blast. Seven men were removed to a hospital where it was reported two were near death.

First information of the accident tonight lacked details, and the cause of the explosion was not determined. Fellow workmen in the mine said that a shot exploded by a crew of thirteen had ignited gas causing the blast. A portion of the roof of the colliery was torn away.

Miners in other parts of the property rushed to the assistance of their comrades and succeeded in removing two bodies. Seven other workmen, all of them said to have suffered severe burns, were likewise taken out. The injuries of the two now in the hospital will probably cause their death, attending physicians said.

INDEPENDENCE DAY TO BE OBSERVED IN CITY

Appropriate observances will be held in the city on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock under auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution, American Legion and Girl Scouts—Public Invited to Attend

National Independence Day will be fittingly observed in Goldsboro tomorrow with a general suspension of business, the closing of the postoffice, banks, stores, manufacturing plants and practically every other place of business and the citizenry in general will join in observing the day as has probably not before been done in many years.

Under the direction of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion and the Girl Scouts, a most interesting, entertaining and enjoyable patriotic program will be rendered at Herman Park, starting at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. To this, every resident of the city is invited.

NO PAPER ON TUESDAY MORNING

In order that the members of the Staff and Mechanical Force of The News may join fully in the observance of Independence Day in Goldsboro, there will be no issue of THE GOLDSBORO NEWS on next Tuesday morning. The next issue will appear on Wednesday morning.

Goldsboro Sizzles While Voters Rush To Polls Cast Vote

In addition to being more or less of a day of intense interest and excitement from several hundred enthusiastic democrats in Goldsboro, the day also turned out to be one of the warmest of the summer and all during the afternoon the thermometer in unofficial thermometers hereabouts was flirting with the century mark.

Crowded streets and stores seemed to accentuate the heat and here was general relief when the shadows of evening began to fall and old Sol hid his face below the western horizon.

The entire eastern section of North Carolina reported very high temperatures yesterday.

HEAVY VOTE WAS CAST YESTERDAY

Little More Than 300 Ballots Less Than the Heavy Vote of the First Primary

With the possible exception of forty-two votes which may have been cast in Indian Springs township yesterday, the total vote in the second democratic primary in Wayne county, held yesterday was 4,957, a decrease of 306 below that cast in June 5th, on which date the first primary was held, and at which time 5,263 ballots were cast.

But the fact that nearly 5,000 were cast yesterday in the second primary is considered to be remarkable by local political leaders who had anticipated that it would be considerably less.

Interest, however, in selecting a successor to the present incumbent of the court was great and this is attributed as the cause of the heavy vote.

Scott Be Hanged In Month Of October

Chicago, July 3.—Russell Scott, who escaped the gallows almost by minutes several times, today was sentenced to be hanged on October 15.

Superior Judge Marius Kavanaugh sentenced Scott after first overruling his motion for a new trial.

Scott was convicted of the murder of Joseph Mauer, a drug clerk in the city hall pharmacy, who was shot and killed in what the prosecution charged with a hold up engineered by Scott and his brother Robert.

Robert Scott's trial on the charge of the murder of Mauer is scheduled for next week.

Royal & Borden Are To Have Modern New Home on West Walnut Street Near Corner of James — Will Start Tomorrow Morning and Completion Will Be Completed By September — Will Cost \$50,000

The Goldsboro News this morning gives the details of the first move of the awarding of the contract for the erection of a modern sky-scraper in the business district of the city. This to be five stories in height, constructed in the most modern manner of brick and other material, to be 100 feet in width and 100 feet in depth, located on the north side of Walnut street near the corner of James and to be completed when completed by the well-known firm of Royal & Borden, by whom it is to be erected.

Contract for the erection of the building was awarded yesterday to the firm of Royal & Borden, of Raleigh, N. C., and the actual work of erecting for the construction of the building will be started on Tuesday morning of this week.

The structure, which will cost \$50,000, will be finished and turned over to the owners by September 15th, 1926 and will be occupied by them with their big furniture store, which is already one of the largest and most modern in North Carolina. The contracting firm, incidentally, is the same which erected the modern store at Raleigh, which the firm now occupies in that city.

The new building, which is to be located on the fourth lot from the corner of James and Walnut streets and will face to the south, will be the latest word in the construction of modern store buildings. It will be equipped with two of the most modern electric elevators, one for the transporting of freight and the other for passengers and will be finished, both on the interior and exterior, in a truly attractive manner.

The first floor of the building, according to an exclusive interview given The News last night by Mr. William Royal, will be occupied by the gift shop and the Victoria department. There will be general display on this floor, also and it will be one of the main centers of attraction in the building.

The second floor will be used for "model" "better homes". Display in this will be changed frequently and it will really be one of the "show" floors.

On the third floor there will be very varied of oriental and domestic rugs. The fourth and fifth floors will be occupied by other departments.

Opens Up Property
The erection of this modern building, it is predicted by well known realty men, will mean the opening up of the Dewey property and it is believed that within the course of the year that entire block will be a business section.