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A petition asking the special legislature to pass an act allowing Surry county to issue bonds for road purposes was sent here a few days ago from Mount Airy with the request that it be signed by our citizens. A hurry call brought a number of our business men together yesterday who, after considering the pros and cons of the petition, decided to hold it up until a thorough investigation could be made. We think this was a good decision. We have enough bonds outstanding already and are opposed to floating any more unless it is positively necessary.

The Republican County Convention met in Dobson, Saturday, Aug. 14th, at 1 O'clock P.M., and was called to order by Mr. A. H. Wolfe, chairman county executive committee who stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the different county offices. Mr. T. M. George, of Mount Airy, was made chairman and Messrs. E. M. Linville and C. N. Bodenheimer acted as secretaries. Mr. Charles Jones, of Walnut Cove, was nominated for State Senator. Mr. S. O. Magerise, of Elkin, for Representative; W. L. Alberty, of Rusk, for Sheriff; Henry Wolfe, of Dobson, for Register of Deeds; R. W. Snow, of Kapps Mills, for Coroner; Job Mages, for Surveyor; A. W. George, of Elkin; W. W. Thomas, of Mount Airy; M. D. F. Hill, of Westfield, county commissioners. Mr. A. H. Wolfe was elected chairman of the county executive committee.

We are now entering upon another intensive political campaign and the fight for supremacy between the two great parties of the nation, the Democrats on one hand and the Republicans on the other, bids fair to be one of the hardest contested and in some parts of the country a bitter partisan fight will be waged. In November officers will be elected in every State in the Union from the President down the line to township constable. The Tribune is democratic in principle and will always be found on that side of the line upholding what we conceive to be the right, yet we grant to our opponents the same privileges we claim for ourselves. Our columns will, at all times be open to our friends either Democrats or Republicans for any suggestions or criticisms they may wish to air, that will be of benefit to the cause they espouse, but we reserve the right to reject any article of a personal nature, or one that would have a tendency to create discord and strife in communities or among friends and neighbors. We have many friends and patrons in both parties, and it is our desire to treat them all fair and square and retain our self respect, but we will not allow ourselves to be made a tool of to abuse the other fellow because he happens to hold different political views to our own. We shall support the Democratic platform in both state and nation, because we believe the fundamental principals of both are right, and that they stand for the best interests of all the people in this great American nation.

What Do You Think?

In discussing daily conditions of the times in which we are living and the fast rate in which everybody and everything are rushing along, we frequently hear some one make the assertion that the world is growing worse every day. This is a mistake. The world is growing better all the time, and each day, month and year conditions prove that as time moves on space the world is becoming a better place to live in. The people who inhabit the world are to blame for existing conditions. The mad rush to accumulate money and property and the desire to revel in pleasure has caused the people to a large measure to turn away from the religion of their fathers and cause it to drag the church and the God to whom they owe allegiance. In the United States there are 50,000,000 children, of this number only about one-half are enrolled in religious schools of any creed. In North Carolina there are 405,540 young people under 25 years of age who are not enrolled in Sunday school and who receive no formal religious training. This is the seed plot of immortality, crime, social unrest and anarchy. Spiritual illiteracy is the forerunner of moral bankruptcy and national decay. With these facts before us, is it not time that we, as a people and nation, should begin to seek a remedy whereby our young people may be saved, and our country redeemed from the thralldom of sin and iniquity?

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The first annual meeting of the Edwards township Sunday School convention will be held with Little Elkin church, Saturday and Sunday, August 28th and 29th.

There are Eighteen Sunday Schools in this township, and we hope that the superintendent of each school, will see that his school is represented on Saturday, the 28th, as topics pertaining to Sunday School work will be discussed, and the business of the convention will be transacted on that day. Officers are to be elected at this meeting.

Sunday will be given to the singing classes from the different churches, who entertain and please the large crowds that attend these conventions with their splendid singing of real gospel songs.

T. J. McNEILL, Chairman.

RULES GOVERNING WHO'S WHO CONTEST

Any person is eligible to contest for the gold prizes except those connected with this paper and members of their families.

Just write your answers in the blank spaces under each question The person getting the largest number of correct answers will be given $10 in gold. The next best answer will win $5.00. The prize money is on deposit in The Farmers & Merchants Bank.

In event of ties the gold prizes will be doubled.

If you don't know, ask and find out. Get the information any way you can, but two or more persons must not combine to create ties. Such combinations are not permissible.

After you have answered all the questions or as many as you can, write your name and address on the margin of the page and send it to The Elkin Tribune, addressed "Who's Who Editor."

Incomplete firm names and incomplete answers will not be counted as tieing with complete firm names and complete answers. Get your answers right.

All answers to be counted must be in The Tribune office not later than Friday, noon, Sept. 3. The "Who's Who" page will be run again Aug. 26, and complete answers and prize winners' names will be printed Thursday, Sept. 9.

If you don't win you will learn much about your local business men, which alone will be worth the time and trouble of entering the contest.

DOUGHTON NEWS

The Roaring Gap school has opened up with Mr. John Joynes, principal, and Mesdames S. A. Lyon and Mrs. J. N. Gentry, assistants. Enrollment almost 100.

A revival is in progress at Roaring Gap church this week. We hope much good will be accomplished. Our people need an old time revival. Let's pray for the success of the meeting.

Mr. Paul Woodruff and Misses Alma and Sallie Woodruff went over to Mt. View Saturday to enter school there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gentry spent Sunday at Park Mountain with Mrs. Gentry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Snow.

Mrs. Van Poindexter, of Elkin, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Divins, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper are all smiles—it's a girl

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jones, of Winston-Salem, are spending some time here with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Jenkins and little son have returned to Winston-Salem, after spending some time at J. N. Gentry's.

Mr. D. D. Shelton was in Doughton Saturday enroute to Mt. Airy.

Success to The Tribune.

—Reader.

Mrs. Mary Poindexter Pusey

Mrs. Mary Poindexter Pusey died last Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Cundiff, on Elk, aged 88 years, 9 months and 5 days. She had been in declining health for several years, due principally to the infirmities of old age, but on Wednesday she was unusually bright and worked in her usual manner and no one had the least thought that her earthly race was so near its end. Wednesday night she became ill and continued to grow worse through the following day and night, and although everything that loving hearts and tender hands could do, her gentle spirit took its eternal flight to the realms beyond the skies. She had been for many years a consistent member of the Baptist church and died in the full triumph of faith. The funeral services were held at the home Saturday at 1:30 P. M., conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. T. Bascom, and interment was made in Hollywood Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Alex. Chatham, A. W. George, E. C. Grier, J. S. Atkinson, J. H. Allen, H. F. Gray and J. G. Abernethy. She is survived by one brother, Mr. Peter Apperson, of East Bend, one sister, Mrs. Lucy Hunter, of Bathania four sons and one daughter, as follows: Mr. W. T. Poindexter, of Winston-Salem; Messrs. R. E., R. L. and N. V. Poindexter, and Mrs. Lucy Cundiff, of Elkin, twelve grand children and four great grand children.

Program

Edwards Township Sunday School Convention, held with Little Elkin church, Saturday and Sunday, August 28th and 29th, 1920.

SATURDAY, AUG. 28th

11 A. M.—Sermon by Rev. John Burcham.

12 M.—Refreshments.

1 P. M.—Reports received and read and election of officers.

1:30 P. M.—What benefit does the local church derive from the Sunday School? E. W. Settle and I. C. Woodruff.

2 P. M.—Who should attend Sunday School and why? John Burcham and L. B. Murray.

2:30 P. M.—Does Edwards township receive any benefits from her Sunday Schools? If so, name some of them. Grover Caudill and W. S. Edwards.

3 P. M.—What is the need of the churches of Edwards Township? Grant Cothren and J. F. Byrd.

4:30 P. M.—Adjourn.

SUNDAY, AUG. 29th

10 A. M.—Sunday School lesson by classes.

11 A. M.—Singing by classes.

12:30 P. M.—Refreshments.

4 P. M.—Adjourn.

Executive Committee—W. H. Church, Chairman; A. C. Wall, H. E. Parks, John Burcham, J. N. Burchette.

H. P. Graham, manager of the Graham-Gwyn Co., has returned from Baltimore and New York where he spent all of last week buying fall merchandise for his company. Mr. Graham states that while he did not find prices as low as he would like to see them, yet he is very much pleased with his purchases and thinks he will be able to offer to his trade a line of fall merchandise they will approve both as to quality and price. He says the ladies should feel encouraged because of the substantial reduction in silks—also there has been some reduction in all of the ladies ready to wear from the high prices prevailing this spring and last fall.

NOTICE.

This is to notify the former friends and patrons of the firm of Crater and Sale that I have purchased the interest of Mr. W. S. Sale, my former business associate, and will continue the business at the same location.

I wish to express my appreciation to the store's long list of customers for their business during the years past, and by fair, square dealings hope to merit a continuance.

I wish also to state that our milliner is now on the northern markets, studying the new fall and winter styles, and we will be amply prepared to take care of the millinery needs of the people of Elkin and surrounding country.

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R. P. Crater.

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Our store is always open to you. Come in and see us. Elkin Hardware Co.

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We positively have the best tobacco twine made. Goes twice as far. Surry Hardware Co.

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Runabout	$550	with dual electric starting and lighting system	$625
Touring Car	$575	with dual electric starting and lighting system	$650
Coupe	$750	with dual electric starting and lighting system and demountable rims	$850
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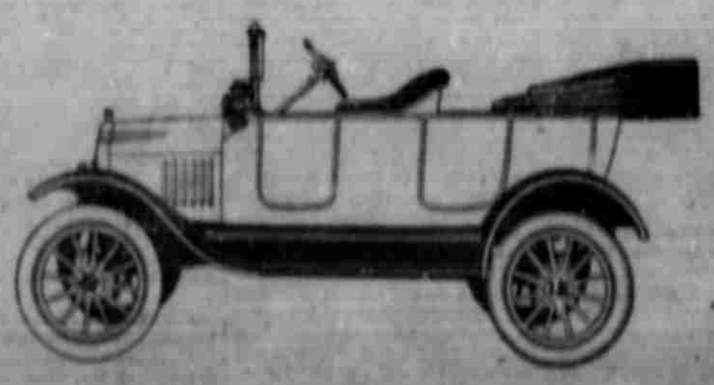

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