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# Surry Elects Entire Democratic Ticket

PREVIOUS LARGE **MAJORITIES GIVEN** BACKSET TUESDAY

COMPLETE VICTORY

Every Democratic Candidate Is Placed In Office

EARGE MAJORITIES

Standing in line and awaiting their turn, voters of both the Democratic and Republican parties were on the job promptly at the time set for opening the polls, and but little time elapsed during the day when citizens of the township were not casting their votes.

Many predicted a majority for the Republicans: likewise enthusiasts of the opposite party forecast a victory. while still many others composed a group who either expressed them selves as doubtful of the outcome er remained silent on the question But as the day pealed forth and the hours drew near when the polls would close, it was evident that the mocrats in Elkin township had

piled up a substantial majority.

Despite the fact that a drizzling rain fell throughout the entire day voters were seen from every point of the township, coming afoot, in their cars, and by transportations furnished them by friends who were interested in getting a full vote of the registration.

Friends of Worth M. Gray, candidate for Register of Deeds, rejoiced when the world finished late Tuesday evening, which gave him a lotal vote of 837 in the taxable leading his ticket here by 18 votes. Mr. Gray's majority over his op-ponent, T. R. Marsh, was 859. Alex Chatham for county com-

missioner, received 819 votes.
For Solicitor of the 11th Judicial district, Carlyle Higgins received a vote of 784 as compared to

For Senator, 785 votes were cast for John H. Folger and 274 for his sale business. He became interested Haynes, Democrat, won over Frank had been on the floor daily since Whitaker, Republican, by a vote of the opening here for the season.

Court, in which Frank T. Lewellyn, ing to the scene of his boyhood days Democrat, and now in office, was in competition with S. O. Maguire, aspirant for the office, showed a vote of 745 for Lewellyn and 323 p., T. P. A., and the D. O. O. K. He for Maguire.

John D. Thompson, Democrat deto 289, for the office of Sheriff.

Lee Snow Republican coroner of Surry, received a vote in Elkin Township of 304, as compared to 750 for Dr. Miles A. Royall, Demo-

The Democratic candidate, Curtiss Harbour, found 747 votes had been cast favoring him for the office of surveyor, against 293 for E. L. lfe, Republican.

The Democratic nominees for

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#### JOHN WALL CUTS W. H. CHANDLER

Registrar of Marsh Township Stabbed in Back While At A Corn Shucking

W. H. Chandler, registrar for Marsh township, Surry county, was stabbed in the back last Friday night by Will Wall, while the two were attending a corn shucking at the home of Panco Dobbins, near

An old grudge of a political nature is said to have been the cause of the trouble which led to the cutting of Chandler. The knife wound, said to have been perhaps four ches deep, was not considered serious other than considerable suffer- of his community and had been a ing, and he was taken to Martin Justice of the Peace for several orial hospital at Mount Airy for years.

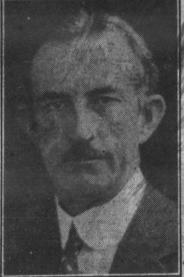
STATE SENATOR

LEGISLATOR



SHERIFF

CLERK OF COURT REGISTER OF DEEDS



John H. Folger



C. H. Haynes



John D. Thompson



Frank Lewellyn



Worth Gray

# SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. L. J. MESSICK IN WINSTON-SALEM

Heart Attack Causes Death While On Way Home

PROMINENT HERE

Mr. Leonard J. Messick, 39, who was connected with a local tobacco warehouse, died suddenly last Sat-urday night, following a heart at-

Realizing that his condition was serious, he was taken from Elkin to his home in Winston-Salem, and just as he was being taken into the home he expired, the attack being of short duration.

Mr. Messick spent his early boy hood in this city, and later moved 275 for F. Eugene Hester, his op- to Winston-Salem, where he, in company with his brother, Mr. J. Messick was engaged in the wholeappenent, David L. Hiatt. Caleb H. in the Elkin Tobacco Market, and Apparently he was in good health. The race for Clerk of Superior and had made friends since return-

was also a member of the Brown Memorial Baptist church of Winsfeated A. M. Smith, Republican, 763 ton-Salem, and was held in high regard by a wide circle of friends.

Surviving the deacesed is his widow and a son, Edwin Messick, and two brothers, J. G. Messick, now of Elkin, and D. W. Messick, of Winston-Salem

Funeral services were held at the home on Monday afternoon at o'clock, conducted by Rev. Templeton and Dr. John R. Jester, and interment was made in Salem

Pallbearers were: R. N. Hauser, B. Womble, Alonzo Bagby, W. C. Fulton, Mr. Lindsay, Dr. P. H. Mason, N. P. Stone, J. W. Smitherman and Z. D. Hoots

### **Prominent Man Dies At** Hospital In Statesville

Funeral services will be held at Grassy Creek Baptist church this afternoon at 2 o'clock, for William V Hurt, 53, who passed away at Davis Hospital in Statesville Wednesday morning, following an operation for appendicitis early in the week. Mr. Hurt had been seriously ill since he was stricken and his recovery was not expected. He was very prom inent in the religious and civic life

Memorial hospital at Mount Airy for medical and surgical attention.

While the consumption of whiskey is usually participated in at events of this kind, (corn shucking) no report has been circulated to the effect that liquor had anything to

(Special to The Tribune). A telephone message received from Boonville late last night gave the following official result in Tuesday's voting in Yad-

Solicitor, John R. Jones (R) 1997; J. W. Ragland (D) 1254, State Senate, A. T. Grant (R) 2046; T. W. Shore (D) 1820. For Legislature, L. F. Amburn, (D) 1697; J. C. Pinnix,

(R) 1704. For Clerk of Court, Craver (D) 1380; J. L. Crater (R)

For Sheriff, Grover Williams (D) 1225; (has. Reavis (R) For Register of Deeds, Jasper Long (D) 1815; P. D.

Prim (R) 2068. For Commissioners: Democratic—J. F. Myers, 1250; L. S. Flemming, 1280; C. E. Hartnan, 1190. Republican-Dinkins 1800; S. W. Vestal, 1840; John Davis, 1865. The contest in Yadkin for the

Legislative seat showed a majority of only 7 votes, and a recount will likely be demand-Mr. L. F. Amburn, the Democratic nominee, ran a race with his opponent, Mr. J. C. Pinnix, and this vote as in the other contest mark-

ed a decided reduction in the Republican majority in that county over previous years.

Returns from many counties and precincts of interest to the readers of The Tribune. slow and incomplete, although Democratic victories are reported in many, even though not confirmed officially or by an approximate vote, to suggest a majority.

You will perhaps be ested in hearing from:

North Wilkesboro.—For the first time in thirty years Wilkes founty is to have a Democratic representative to the State Legislature.

Tabilations of the vote today showed Hugh A. Cranor, beaucust back Lobe H. John

Democrat, beat John H. Johnon, Republicar.

Iredell (complete) - Bailey 7,349; Pritchard, 4,254, Wakefield, 3,966; Doughton, 7,825. All other Democratic candidates received majorities from 2,469 to 3,500.

In Alleghany County all candidates elected, with majorities ranging from 86 for R. B. McMil-

Sheriff, to between and 1,000 each for Carlyle Higgins for Soliciton and R. L. Doughton for Congress. R. L. Crouse was elected to the Eegislature by about 450.

On the face of incomplete but practically accurate returns Carlyle W. Higgins, of Sparta, was elected Solicitor of the Eleventh, Judicial District, by a majority of between 9,000 and 1,000 over F. Eugene Hes-ter, Republican, from Reids-

The Democrats were driving toward a possible tie in the nate on election returns this afternoon, and appeared head-ed also for something approx-imating a tie in the House.

Forging into Republican Sen-ate strongholds, Democrats al-ready had captured seats in Ohio, Kansas, Masachusetts, South Dakota, Oklahoma, West Virginia, Colorado and Illinois.

and lost but one-in Iowa. They needed the two remaining doubtful-in Kentucky and Minnesota-to bring the Democratic Senate strength to fortyeight, exactly one-half of the total membership, and they were leading in both of those disputed states.

# **SCHOOL FACULTY TO** BE ENTERTAINED BY THE KIWANIS CLUB

Will Be Guests Friday Night At Regular Luncheon

#### POULTRY DISCUSSED

President J. G. Abernethy opened the regular meeting of the Kiwenis club at Hotel Elkin last Friday evening, invoking the Divine blessing moon the mensbereldp. This was followed by a song, after which the usual "good eatins" were confronted and largely disposed of.

When the luncheon period, had been finished, President Abernethy. arose and in a few brief words ex-plained a movement that has been gotten on foot in the interest of stimulating poultry production in this section. The original idea was to furnish

any boy or girl within Elkin's territorial limits a setting of thoroughbred eggs, the only condition being that the eggs or hatched chicks were not to be disposed of within two or three years, but retained as breeding stock. Prior to the last meeting of the club, members were enthusiastic over the proposition and decided to "go one" better, by having the eggs hatched and delivering day-old chicks instead of eggs. The matter was left open for further consideration, but in all probability the idea will be carried out in ample time for the next chick-hatching season.

Elsewhere in The Tribune will be found a coupon, printed in order to obtain information as to how many boys and girls are interested in the poultry movement, and, if filled in and mailed to The Tribune or J. G. Abernethy, president of the Kiwanis

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# WOMAN'S CLUB TO SELL SHRUBBERY

Sale To Be Held In Show Room of Elkin Motor Company, November 13th and 14th.

There will be a sale of shrubbery the side of their car, overturning it sponsored by the Civics Department and pinning three of the occupants of the Woman's Chib, held in the beneath. Miss Newman received nu-beneath. Miss Newman received nu-merous cuts and bruises, especially to her knee, and medical aid was vember 13th, and continuing thru

> The plants are from John Young & Sons Nursery, Greensboro, who are closing out because of settling an estate. All plants will be sold at half price. The flowering shrubs with the exception of hydranteas and crepe myrtles will be 39c each. There will be a splendid assortment of flowering shrubs, broad leafed evergreens and conferous evergreens on display there days. Apple and peach trees, four to live feet high will be 29c each. These, as

# Bank Bandit Is Slain While Trying to Escape With Loot Ford Entering Highway at Marler

cessful attempt to rob the Bank of also fired, his shots going wild. Effand at 10:30 o'clock this morn-into Carpenter staggered him, but, chant, and another escaped in a has been identified as Bruce Car-Sale, Leo Disher, Harry Sharpe, J. penter about 25, of Durham. Papers H. Wadsley and S. H. Gough. Hon-found on him hore this name and orary pallbearers were R. L. Tuttle. address. Efforts were being made Fred Smithdeal, J. G. Flynt, T. P. this afternon to make the identifi-H. cation positive.

directly due to an alarm given by Mrs. George Shambley, who started to the bank while the job was in progress. Just as she started to enter the door the man in the car said

"Lady, you can't go in there now We're attending to some business in there." Sensing trouble Mrs. Shan ley, instead of standing by the yellow coupe of the yegg, went into the store of Mr. Forrest and said to

"Something is wrong over at the

Mr. Forrest remembered that he shotgun to shoot a hawk. It was lying nearby. He picked it up and vent out toward the bank, about 50 ards away. Mr. Forrest was .com manded to halt by the man in the car. He saw in his hands what appeared to be a rifle.

report has been circulated to the report About that time Carpenter backed out, pistol in hand, wheeled and fired twice at Mr. Forrest. Carpen-

Efland, Nov. 1.-In an unsuc-|to face trouble outside. The driver

ing, one robber was killed in a gun he kept to his feet and made an effight with F. Carl Forrest, a mer- fort to reach the car. He had almost succeeded when the Buick roadster in which he sat in charge . felled him. His buddy front of the bank. The dead man reached out in an electron the scene reached out in an effort to pull him

Durham, Nov. 2.- The Buick oupe used by the robbers in the attempted bank robbery at Effand Saturday, in which Bruce Carpenter one of the robbers was killed, was found by local officers in a patch of woods just outside the city early this morning. Bank officials indentified the car.

## Valuable Property Changes Hands

A real estate transaction of coniderable interest was closed here ate Wednesday evening, when J. W dathis, real estate agent, traded the home of John Park, an Bridge street extension to W. F. Reece for his home on Gwyn Avenue. ce paying Mr. Park a differen of \$6,000.00 in each for the difference in the homes.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE

Services will be held at the Pre yterian church in this city next undex at 11 A. M. Rev. John T.

## FORD CAR AND A WHIPPET COLLIDE

Runs Head-On Into Another; One Painfully Injured.

A Ford touring car driven by Buster Brown, of Cycle, ran head-on into the side of a Whippet coupe which was traveling west on the Boone Trail Highway Sunday, resulting in painful injury to Miss Hester Newman, one of the occupants of the Whippet car.

The Whippet was being driven by Johnny Jones, and with him was Gus Swaim, both of High Point, and Mrs. Laura Newman and daughter, Miss Hester, and son. Ray. of Indiana. Just as they approached the cross road at Marier, the Ford came into the highway and erashed into necessary. She was carried to the Wilkes Hospital for treatment immediately after the accident.

According to witnesses, Brown, who are

driver of the Ford car, was responsible for the collision, having en-tered from a cross road into the ighway without stopping or asceraining if the road was clear before driving onto it.

But for keen observation of driv-

ers on the road at that time and close behind the Whippet, other cars would have joined in the smash-up unavoidably, as several cars were close behind on the highway following the course of the car that was hit by Mr. Brown. No ar-tests were made at the time of the accident, although Mr. Jones took