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Hubbard Administration Sure to Win

Mayor and All Democratic Commissioners Will Be Nominated Tuesday.

City Dads Have Made Good in Spite of Many Handicaps.

Much has been said and no doubt much more will be said, good and bad (the latter from malice or political grudge), about the present city administration before the polls close in the primaries next Tuesday, but thinking people who really have the interest of Tulsa and her citizens at heart will not govern their action and cast their vote so much upon the strength of what has been said as upon what has been done or attempted by the City Administration during the past two years.

Two years ago the present administration took charge of the municipal affairs of our city with a depleted treasury and several hundred thousand dollars of outstanding indebtedness and with every department of the city in a dilapidated condition. Besides this they were handicapped by systematized opposition from influential citizens who sought and are still seeking to discredit their administration and to minimize the honest efforts of capable and efficient officials to promote the welfare of Tulsa and her citizens.

But in spite of such tremendous handicaps, the present administration has converted the indebtedness of the city into cash in the treasury, have improved every department of the city more than 100 per cent and has made it possible for our city to grow to a population of 250,000 and drink pure healthful water from our city mains.

There are many things the present administration planned to do when they were first elected to office that conditions have prevented them from carrying out for the time being, but which they will successfully carry out when they are re-elected.

The Colored voters of Tulsa will not be inveigled into any transcendental regions of flowery promises from republicans or other aspirants for city officials, and influenced to cast their vote for men who may or may not give them a square deal, but will vote for men whom they personally know will give them every consideration as citizens.

The registration this year gives Tulsa a stronger Colored democratic vote than ever before and the results in precinct 25 next Tuesday will be watched with much interest.

The greatest fight for the present administration will be staged in the primary election. They need have no fear of 23 if they beat their enemies in the primary because the great majority of Colored voters regardless of party lines will vote for

the present administration. Following is a list of all the various candidates:

HERE IS THE TICKET
Entries closed Saturday in the city primary which will be held March 16 for selection of candidates to constitute the ticket for election on April 6. The complete list of candidates at the primary follows:

For Mayor
Judge T. D. Evans, republican.
Edward E. Short, republican.
Harry E. Ingram, republican.
Major C. F. Hopkins, democrat.
Mayor C. H. Hubbard, democrat.

For Commissioner No. 1
Judge J. H. Wilkins, Rep.
O. A. Steiner, Reb.
John W. Hisey, Rep.
A. J. Rudd, Dem.
M. E. Stanley, Dem.
Finnett Brunson, Dem.
William N. Tobin Dem.
P. H. Alkire, Dem.
J. L. Hughlett, Dem.
Robert E. Curran, Dem.
H. W. Kiskaddon, Dem.

For Commissioner No. 2
C. S. Younkman, Rep.
Tom Guinn, Rep.
Charles W. Daley, Dem.
M. J. McNulty, Dem.
A. D. Weldy, Rep.
J. D. Stradford, Rep.

For Commissioner No. 3
J. M. Adkinson, Rep.
J. W. Whitney, Rep.
H. T. Darnell, Dem.
R. D. Sanford, Dem.
Floyd M. Bohn, Dem.
J. M. Blankenship, Dem.
J. M. Chanler, Dem.
C. B. Gilmore, Dem.

For Commissioner No. 4
Frank E. Duncan, Rep.
E. L. Essley, Rep.
H. F. Newblock, Dem.
Jeff Chapman, Dem.
G. Renfro, Dem.
W. E. Smith, Dem.

For City Auditor.
Mrs. Frank Seaman, Rep.
Mrs. Frances H. Harvey, Rep.
Hattie Mae Purdy, Dem.
Charles F. Burke, Dem.
L. R. House, Dem.
J. G. Reichel, Dem.
J. L. Shaughnessy, Dem.

For Treasurer Board of Education.
Frank Newkirk, Rep.
Mac Rupp, Dem.
Carter Smith, Dem.
Ray H. Siegfried, Dem.
William F. Hastings, Dem.

Against the administration ticket the "dark horse" democrats placed the following tickets: Major C. F. Hopkins, for mayor; A. J. Rudd, for commissioner No. 1; Charles W. Daley, commissioner No. 2; C. R. Gilmore, for commissioner No. 3; G. Renfro, for commissioner No. 4; Hattie Mae Purdy, for city auditor.

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Too much can not be said commensurate of the indefatigable and efficient services rendered the City of Tulsa by the Hon. M. J. McNulty, Street Commissioner during present administration. Wherever and when ever there was work tending toward improvements of the public highways of Tulsa, Commissioner McNulty was onto the job and the work satisfactorily completed. The Colored People of Tulsa have excellent reason for considering favorably the candidacy of Mr. McNulty in coming primary. Under his administration there have been more Colored Men given honorable and remuner-

THE MAN OF THE HOUR



HON. C. H. HUBBARD, Popular Mayor of Tulsa, whose Nomination next Tuesday is already conceded.

ative employment than ever before in Tulsa's history. There are more Colored men employed in this department than in any other city in Oklahoma. The Colored People are classed as a grateful race, a race keenly appreciative of kindness and recognitions long denied them. Hence there can be no argument when we declare that Mr. McNulty is deserving from every point of view of the most favorable consideration at our hands at coming primary.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY TO-NIGHT
There will meet a political meeting in the Masonic Hall 618 E. Archer street to-night under the auspices of the Afro-American Democratic Club. Mayor Hubbard and other Democratic candidates will speak to the Colored people for the last time before the primary election, Tuesday. Everybody invited.

WILBERFORCE RAISED \$80,000.00
XENIA, O., Mar. 12.—At its recent "Victory Rally" staged on Founders' Day, Wilberforce University near here raised \$80,000.00, the largest sum ever collected in one day for educational purposes among our people in the Race's history. By the first Sunday in April this sum is expected to be increased to \$100,000. Money raised by districts: Bishop Smith, \$2500.00; Bishop Coppin, \$8000.00; Bishop Jones, (Texas) \$32,500; Bishops Tyree and Connor, nothing. Bishop Jones reported pledges of \$35,000 on top of his cash turned in, and hence surpassed all other Bishops in the rally.



LEONARD WOOD, Major General, United States Army. Who is making a strenuous campaign for President of the United States.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Mayor
I hereby announce my candidacy for Mayor of Tulsa, Subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, Mar. 16th 1920.
C. H. HUBBARD, Mayor.

B. F. INGRAHAM—FOR MAYOR.

To the Voters of Tulsa:
I am seeking the nomination for Mayor on the Democratic ticket. My platform is short—"A square deal to the citizens of Tulsa and enforcement of the law."
If elected Mayor, I will enforce the law.

I will cause to be published at regular intervals all contracts signed by me, setting forth the amount and to whom let, aside from the auditor's reports. My administration will support all progressive movements for the betterment of Tulsa. Any support rendered me will be highly appreciated.

Yours very truly
B. F. INGRAHAM.

For Commissioner No. 1.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 1. Subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16, Your support will be appreciated.

PLATFORM:
Right and Justice—A Square Deal for All
H. W. KISKADDON.

I desire to announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 1. Subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16.

ROBERT E. CURRAN.

For Commissioner No. 2.

I am pleased to announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 2, subject to the will of the people in the Democratic primary, Tuesday, Mar. 16. I desire your support.

M. J. McNULTY, Jr.

I desire to announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 2, subject to the Republican primary, Tuesday, March 16, and I desire the support of all good republicans.

J. B. STRADFORD.

I take this means of announcing to my many friends and supporters that I am a candidate for Commissioner No. 2, subject to the Republican primary, Tuesday, March 16. Your support solicited.

C. S. YOUNKMAN.

For Commissioner No. 3.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 3, subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16, 1920, and I desire the support of all good democrats.

FLOYD M. BOHN.

For Commissioner No. 4.

I desire to announce my candidacy for Commissioner No. 4, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16.

H. F. NEWBLOCK.

For City Auditor.
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of City Auditor, subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16.

J. L. SHAUGHNESSY.

For Treas. Board of Education.
I desire to announce my candidacy for Treasurer of the Board of Education, subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, March 16.

CARTER SMITH.

Popular Colored Republican Candidate Praises City Democratic Administration.

J. B. STRADFORD SAYS PRESENT ADMINISTRATION BEST TULSA EVER HAD

"There was a time when I felt like killing any Colored man who said he was a Democrat but I want to confess that I do not feel that way now. I am glad to see our people affiliated with both the leading parties. I also want to confess that so far as their dealings with our people are concerned the present city administration is the best we have ever had in Tulsa.

"Of course, I am a republican and a candidate for Commissioner No. 2, on the republican ticket and I know you can not do me any good in the primary, because you are all democrats here, but if I should be successful in the primary, I would like for you to vote for me in the general election next month."

Thus spoke J. B. Stradford, one of the leading Colored men of this city, at a meeting of the Afro-American Democratic Club in the Masonic Hall Tuesday night.

Mr. Stradford has always taken an active part in politics in this city and has always been considered a conservative leader. In the present campaign he is a candidate on the Republican primary ticket for one of the City Commissioners and it is expected that he will poll

a strong vote next Tuesday. Mayor Hubbard and the City Commissioners have never received a better recommendation than that given them by Mr. Stradford Tuesday night. His words were an endorsement of the present City Administration that should not be lightly regarded by the Colored people of this city. Any one who knows J. B. Stradford knows he will speak what he thinks under all circumstances and that he has the interest of his Race at heart.

Mr. Stradford is a representative citizen worthy the respect of any man. He is probably the wealthiest Colored man in Tulsa and is helping in a big way to improve the standard of his people in this city. It was he who gave to Tulsa the largest and most modern Colored hotel in the United States, and it is he who is now planning other great things for the benefit of his people which will put Tulsa in a class by itself as a city where public convenience and amusements may be enjoyed by members of our group as well as by any other people.

Mr. Stradford thinks he could better carry out his plans if he was one of the City Commissioners and for this reason he consented to become a candidate when he was urged to make the race by a delegation of Colored citizens a few days ago.

CLAREMORE ITEMS

Mrs. Parlee Brown is greatly improved this week.
Mrs. Hill of Okmulgee is visiting Mrs. Robinson.
Mrs. Jessie Rogers of Clelsea was seen in town this week.

Mr. Howard Smith died last week. His body was shipped to Coffeyville for burial.

The Masonic T. of A. elected Mr. E. A. Watson to attend the meeting at Tulsa next week.

The pupils of Lincoln School are very much enthused over the practice they are receiving in Basketball.

Among others who contemplate attending M. T. A. convention are Rev. L. E. Nelson and Louise Snow Flake.

Quite a number of Claremore people attended the basketball game at Tulsa Friday evening, between Claremore and Tulsa. Many others went down to attend "The Smarter Set" show.

Rev. L. E. Nelson, pastor of the A. M. E. Church was at his best Sunday. He delivered a soul-stirring sermon to a number of worshippers despite the severely cold day.

The Nowata Girls' Basketball Five accompanied by their coach, Miss Elliott and their principal, also Miss Montgomery, stopped in Claremore last Friday. While here they gave L. H. S. girls quite a "work-out" game. The Nowata team was en route to Pawhuska and Langston for a game in each place.

We regret very much to report the death of one of our oldest residents, Mr. Nathan Booker which occurred early Monday morning. Mr. Booker has been in poor health for sometime. His wife and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community. Funeral services will be held Sunday, March 14th.

WINFIELD, KANSAS.

Miss Myra Franklin of Kansas City, Mo., arrived last week for a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franklin.

Miss Ada Slaughter who has been spending the winter in California, has returned home.

The W. H. F. M. Circle met with Mrs. Andy Charles last Friday. The receipts from the serving was \$20.25.

Miss Awilda Brown who is attending school at Manhattan was

called home by the illness of her brother, Mr. Oscar Brown.

Little Beaty Jean Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Brown, Jr., is taking treatments at St. Marys Hospital.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. G. L. Johnson Friday afternoon.

The Young people will give a "Song Festival" at the Second Baptist Church, Thursday afternoon. Nine Nationalities will be represented by the chorus.

Miss Mattie Campbell is able to be out again after a few days illness.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Miles was held from the Second Baptist Church, Thursday afternoon. Interment was made in Highland cemetery.

WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE DEAD-LOCKED IN WEST VIRGINIA

Senator Had to Air Plane to Reach Charleston by Wednesday

(Star News Service.)
CHICAGO, Mar. 12.—An airplane flight from Chicago to Cincinnati was arranged Monday for State Senator Jesse A. Bloch of West Virginia in a race on which may depend the ratification of the federal woman suffrage amendment by W. Virginia. The state senate is deadlocked on ratification. Senator Bloch, who has been in California, is known to be for ratification. If he reaches Charleston by Wednesday suffrage leaders believe West Virginia will ratify the amendment.

Senator Bloch was due in Chicago Tuesday morning. In figuring train connections it was found that the senator must be in Cincinnati by 7 o'clock Tuesday night to catch a train that would take him to Charleston in time to cast his vote. Only a special train or an airplane would make the connection.

NOTICE TO ODD FELLOWS Oklahoma Jurisdiction

You are hereby advised that all the Grand officers of the jurisdiction of Oklahoma, are under good and sufficient bond with the exception of the elected Grand Secretary who has not yet qualified.

You will of this take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

E. D. Jefferson, D. G. M.

Bohn Has Made Good as Police Commissioner.

It is the well known policy of The Tulsa Star to throw bouquets, only where bouquets are merited and well deserved. It is with greatest satisfaction that we commend the administration of the Police Department under Police Commissioner F. M. Bohn, as the best and most efficient this city has ever enjoyed. So far as the Colored People are concerned, they have realized more in the shape of recognition by appointments as policemen and detectives than ever before. It can be said truthfully, that the limited allowances for this department in the city's budget, made it impossible for Commissioner Bohn to do more for our Group than he has done. It is urged upon all fair minded Colored Citizens to consider at coming primary, that with the election of a friend such as Police Commissioner Bohn has shown himself to be, and resultant from the extraordinary

growth of Tulsa in all fields, commercial and financial, there is certain to be a greater and more remunerative recognition of the Race in this and other departments. Tulsa is the only city in the state having a Colored Man officiating at the head of the detective department.

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