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WALTER SINCLAIR NOMINATED.

A Republican deligated convention was held at the court house last Monday afternoon to nominate a candidate to represent Adair and Cumberland in the next Legislature. There were five candidates before the convention, and after a number of ballots had been taken Mr. Walter Sinclair, of the Pellyton precinct, this county, was nominated. Mr. Sinclair was the contending man at the start, but after a few ballots, he dropped out and the race seemed to be between Mr. Neat and Mr. Hovious, as there was a tie vote between these two for several successive ballots. Finally the convention got tied, and Mr. Sinclair again showed his colors and was nominated.

He is a man with an excellent reputation, sober and industrious, and should be elected will make a creditable representative. The Convention was the most representative of good citizenship in that party ever assembled in the court house. Dr. L. C. Nell, Gradyville, was the Chairman and Mr. J. C. Strange, this place, was secretary.

Every Democrat in this county should be at the polls next Saturday and vote in the State primary. We take it that the party is unanimously in favor of the nomination of Mr. Garnett for Attorney General, and we appeal to his friends to vote, even if they do have to sacrifice a little time. It is a mistaken idea to conclude that your vote will not be needed. At this distance we can not tell what strength his opponent may develop, and as there are one hundred and nineteen counties in the State, it is very necessary for the counties throughout this section of the Commonwealth to vote solidly for Garnett. Again we urge the Democrats to come out next Saturday.

Senator Thos. H. Paynter has withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator. In his published card he gives as his reason for his action the condition of the situation in Louisville. He had hopes of carrying the city of Louisville until a few days ago. It is believed that Mayor Head's card, announcing that he would support Mr. James, brought Mr. Paynter's withdrawal. Mr. Paynter's fee of \$2,000 can not be withdrawn and his name will be upon the ballot, but he asks his friends not to support him.

We have every assurance that the Democrats in all the adjoining counties, to Adair are solidly for Mr. Garnett for Attorney General. The primary will be pulled off next Saturday.

Organ for Sale.

An extra nice organ for sale cheap. Minnie Kemp.

SATURDAY'S PRIMARY.

The Democratic contest for nominations closes next Saturday and since this is our last issue before that event, and since The News has been misunderstood by some of its friends in regard to the contest for the head of the ticket, we feel that it is not only a privilege but a duty to set at rest any suspicions that we have played into the hands of either of the worthy aspirants for that high position. In fact The News has kept in the middle of the road and has not cast a stone in the path of either or in any contest, save that in which Mr. Garnett is a candidate. While our judgment leads to the belief that Senator McCreary is the man to nominate, that he would make a much stronger race next fall and give this state that service it needs, yet not one line has been directed to that end and even now all we have to say is not meant as an appeal to Democrats to rally to his support. His faithful services to this State in various public capacities are too well known for a rehearsal. His untarnished reputation, clean political character and impartial faithfulness to public duties are likewise known and it can safely be predicted that he will not deviate from the path of rectitude in the future. We take no stock in the methods used by some of his opponent's supporters and their accusation that he was not loyal to Gov. Beckham in his contest before the legislature for United States Senator. The cry of old age and disloyalty is too far fetched to appeal to us or to cause a ripple of doubt as to his ability to win next November and to give the State that wise and faithful service as in the past. Gov. Beckham has never accused him of treachery, of disloyalty or of being too old for the discharge of public duties, but on the contrary is giving him his support. A soldier in war and a warrior in time of peace, in the interest of honest and clean government, here is not yet a dark spot on his record.

Of his opponent, Mr. Addams, we know less, but feel safe in saying that he too is capable of good service and if nominated we will as cheerfully assist in his winning as any man who is now fighting his battles. In his case as in Senator McCreary, we desire any effort on the part of his opposers to place him in bad light before his party. Whether he was disloyal or failed to support Mr. Bryan and Governor Goebel in their campaigns is unknown to us and would not, if known to be a fact, heat our blood or arouse a desire to do him an injustice. The effort on the part of the Anti Saloon League to connect him with the whisky interests, likewise cuts no figure with us for the League was misguided and in error four years ago. Let the past be the past and let him who would pull the political mote out of a candidate's eye, first pluck the beam out of his own peepers. So far The News has published commendable mention of Mr. Addams only as it would have done for Senator McCreary had he or his committee deemed it advisable to exploit his virtues before the readers of this publication at our regular advertising rates. Without charge or price we have persistently, and we think, consistently, endeavored to advance the interest of our townsman and personal friend Mr. Garnett, in his ambition to become Attorney General, and while the foregoing is our only mention of the leading figures in the primary contest we feel that no breach of faith or misguided step of discession has been taken. All we have to say, all we can hope for Democrats to do is to vote as they deem best for the good of the party and the well being of the State next Saturday, and in so doing we feel that Mr. Garnett will receive the strongest endorsement that South Central Kentucky ever gave any man. There is no diversion in this part of the State as to the nominee for Attorney General, there is scarcely a doubt as to Mr. Garnett's winning, but the moral worth of a full vote on his behalf can not be over estimated. Some of our adjoining counties seek to give him a stronger vote than our own, a spirit and measure of enthusiasm we heartily appreciate and trust that every county will be likewise enthused, but if every one entitled to a vote in the primary in this county will come out and vote we will not be left behind. Whether for McCreary or Addams remember the day, next Saturday, is the time for you to go to your voting place and help Mr. Garnett win over his worthy opponent Mr. Pollard, of the city of Lexington.

It is a busy time in the fields but a few hours next Saturday lost from the farms will do no harm. Call the attention to every legal voter in the primary of the importance of voting next Saturday and regardless of who compose the ticket you may safely say that we have a good one and in the entire list none better suited to the position sought or capable of a more able discharge of its duties than the Eleventh District man, offered by South Central Kentucky, Mr. James Garnett of Columbia.

Additional Locals.

Commissioner's Sale.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT KENTUCKY.

Farmers Bank Cane Valley, Plff. vs L. V. Murrell & Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the May Term, thereof, 1911, in the above cause, for the sum of four hundred and seventy-seven dollars and 52 cents, with the interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum from the 22nd day of May 1911, until paid, and \$36.25 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia to the highest bidder, at public Auction, on Monday the 3rd day of July 1911, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County court) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: Two certain lots in the village of Cane Valley Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Caney

Fork. The first lot is bounded as follows, to-wit, beginning at a stoney corner to P. C. Watson, on county road, thence with Watson's line N W 66 feet to a stone, A. H. Judds line, thence N E, 56 feet to a corner in A. H. Judd's line and corner to P. V. Cundiff, thence with Cundiff's line S E 66 feet to the road, thence S W with the road 56 feet to the beginning. The second lot contains one fourth of an acre more or less, this being the same lot conveyed by F. W. Rice and wife to P. V. Cundiff and recorded in deed Book 22 page 204, said lots are fully described in the Judgment and order of sale to which reference is made for a more particular description. Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. W. A. Coffey Master Commissioner

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Therefore, Be it resolved by the Sunday School of the Columbia Baptist Church, that in the death of Miss Clara Ann Wilson, we are sorely bereft, but heaven is richer thereby, and we have there another beckoning hand calling us to a nobler and purer life, and to rest with her by and bye. The memory of her noble Christian character and Godly example arises as sweet incense and shall ever be a plea to each member of the school and church for more devotion to the Master whom she loved to serve,

Mrs. Mary Biggs,
Miss Lillie Judd,
Mrs. Howerton,
Committee.

Govt Bros will run a hack to the Fair Grounds the Fourth of July.

Privileges for Sale.

The privileges of the Russell Springs Fair will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday July 1, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Russell Springs. The authorities reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids that may be received. Fair begins August 8, 4 days. J. P. Clayton, Sec. ty.

The Epworth Leaguers will give a public social next Thursday night in the yard at the Methodist church. The public in general, is cordially invited to attend. There will be refreshments served.

Rev. B. M. Currie will preach at Disappointment schoolhouse next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Pay Your Taxes.

I am now ready to receive county and State tax. My office is in the court house and I want to write receipts as fast as possible. A. D. Pattenon, S. A. C.

There will be a meeting of the Cemetery association next Saturday, at the Hancock Hotel at four o'clock. Let every member be in attendance.

Logan Blair, charged with being implicated in the killing of Tayler Sutherland, was acquitted in Russell county, last week.

All persons who owe me for millinery, are urged to pay at once. I need the Money. Mrs. G. W. Staples.

Mr. W. T. McFarland is raising his residence another story which will add greatly to the appearance of his home.

Horace Walker has opened a tin shop on Burkesville street and is prepared to do roofing, guttering, or any other tin work. He solicits business. 32 37

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Vester.

Miss Mattie Thomas, of near Campbellsville, and Misses Hattie and Gracie Conover, were the pleasant guests of Mrs. Kate Sutton, last Tuesday afternoon.

The all day singing at Bear Wallow, last Sunday, was largely attended. All had an enjoyable time, good singing and good order.

Miss Mildred Burton is very low, and is not expected to recover.