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Democratic Convention

Held at Court House Last Saturday---Convention Harmonious and all of One Accord---Delegates Appointed.

In mass convention the Democrats of Grundy County, assembled at the Court House in Tracy City Tennessee, on Apr. 1st. 1916 at 10 o'clock, pursuant to a call of the Chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Grundy County Tennessee.

Thomas J. King, was unanimously elected Chairman and Frank Rust, unanimously elected Secretary of said convention.

On motion of Mr. Bell, the Chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of three on resolutions, whereupon the Chairman appointed R. B. Roberts, C. W. Hembree, and W. C. Abernathy, on such committee.

On motion of Mr. Bell the Chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of three to select a new executive committee for Grundy County, and recommend suitable persons to be Chairman and Secretary of said committee respectively; whereupon the Chairman appointed T. B. Roddy, Fred Schwoon, Jr., and Martin Marugg as such committee. Each of said committees retired and during their absence the convention was addressed by Hon. L. V. Woodlee, of Altamont. At the close of his speech the committee on resolutions submitted the following: (Ex. No. 1, resolutions was adopted) The Committee on County Executive Committee the following: (Exhibit No. 2, report of committee as adopted) Thomas J. King and Martin Marugg, were elected Chairman and Secretary respectively of the Democratic Executive Committee of Grundy county for the ensuing two years.

On motion every Democrat in Grundy County were appointed delegates to the Gubernatorial, Congressional, State Senatorial and Floterial Conventions, hereafter to be held and any number of them present at any of said conventions were authorized to cast the vote of Grundy County there in and that they vote as a unit on all questions.

The Convention then listened to the addresses of Hon. John Scruggs, of Altamont, and Capt. A. D. Hargis of Tracy City.

The convention adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of President Wilson, Congressman John A. Moon, and instructing the delegates from this County to vote for their re-nomination.

They indorsed the course pursued by our State Senator, Hon. L. R. Turner, of Warren County during the last session of the Tennessee legislature.

They instructed the delegates to the State Senatorial Convention

composed of the counties of Marion, Warren, Franklin and Grundy to cast the vote of this County for the candidate chosen by the County of Franklin, in accordance with the established rule of rotation in this Senatorial District.

Recognizing the rule of rotation in this Floterial District composed of the counties of Cumberland, Van Buren, Blount, Sequatchie and Grundy, under which Grundy County is entitled to choose the candidate of the Democratic party for Floterial Representative this year, they intrusted the delegates from Grundy County to cast the vote for Capt. A. D. Hargis, of Tracy City, and commend him to the Democratic voters of the other Counties as an able and progressive Democrat and a suitable man to represent this district in the next legislature.

They instructed the delegates to the Gubernatorial Convention to cast the vote of Grundy County for Tom C. Rye, for Governor and T. J. Walsh for Railroad Commissioner. There were also instructed to vote for T. L. Stewart of Franklin County and D. A. Landress of Hamilton for delegates from this congressional District to the National Democrat Convention, and for L. D. Hill, of White county and W. T. Murray, of Hamilton County, for State Executive Committeemen.

The following County Executive Committeemen were elected to wit: 1st Dist. George Lusk & W. S. Cain; 2nd. Dist. L. V. Woodlee, John Schild, Jr., and Pete Conry. 3rd. Dist. J. H. Hamby and John Gallagher; 4th Dist. Jeff D. Fults, J. H. Mankin and Martin Marugg; 5th Dist. T. B. Roddy, W. C. Abernathy and Thomas J. King. Thomas J. King was elected Chairman and Martin Marugg, Secretary, respectively.

W. W. Dorris, of Chattanooga, is here this week shaking hands with friends.

Albert Martin, of Cowan, was was here Monday.

Mrs. Jno. Ranson, of Nashville, is the guest of Mrs. Grover Sykes.

ONE POUND CAN BEST TALCUM POWDER 10 CENTS AT NEW YORK STORES.

WILL MEET.

The Memorial Association will meet with Mrs. Ed Hampton next Tuesday afternoon at 2 O'clock.

BACK TO NATURE

A hen is not supposed to have much common sense or tact, yet every time she lays an egg, she cackles forth the fact.

A Rooster hasn't got a lot of intellect to show, but none the less most Roosters have enough good sense to crow.

The mule, the most despised of beasts, has a persistent way of letting people know he's around by his insistent bray.

The busy little bees they buzz, bulls bellow and cows moo, and watch dogs bark, and ganders quack and doves and pigeons coo.

The peacock spreads his tail and squawks; pigs squeal and robins sing, and even serpents know enough to hiss before they sting.

But Man, the greatest masterpiece that Nature could devise, will often stop and hesitate before he'll ADVERTISE!

LOCALS

Ernest Hunt, of Chattanooga, spent Sunday here interviewing our merchants.

Miss Maud Berry is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Wisenor, in Memphis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moran have returned from Scottsboro Ala.,

Mrs. C. S. Myers has returned home after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Henry Holloway, at Whitwell.

Blake Brown was a Nashville visitor Sunday.

Ewin Norvell spent the weekend in Chattanooga.

I. A. Levan candidate for Tax assessor, of Pelham, was here Saturday.

C. D. Hillis, of Coalmont, candidate for Tax Assessor, was here Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Roberts has returned from Murfreesboro.

Henry Berry was in Nashville Sunday.

Carl and Earl Mason were in Nashville Sunday.

Wm. Mason and Jno. Flannagan were in Winchester Monday, and while there bought a few mules.

Frank Armstrong left last Saturday for Birmingham, where he has accepted a position.

W. A. Killgore, U. S. Revenue officer was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Martin Marugg has returned from Nashville where she attended the bedside of her niece, Miss Elsie Schild, who was very low with typhoid fever.

An Appeal to You?

It is only a short time until the summer vacation begins for all boys and girls in school. What plans are being made for them in order that the time may not be wasted, so to speak? It is a rare thing for any teacher or any school to assign enough work to keep a pupil busy a third of the time each day but still rarer is there any attempt to form a plan for the enjoyment of boys and girls during their vacation. It is not the fault of the teacher because he already has much more work than he can do in the given time. He needs help, support and re-enforcements. Are you willing to do your part.

The normal boy from 12 to 18 is active and inquisitive. He is bubbling over with energy, he has force and vitality in abundance. He wants to know the "why" and the "wherefore," and too often he must stifle his eagerness to know certain things. This should not be the case. He should be given full opportunity to express himself every way possible but he must be kept in the right track. Why not let him develop himself more during the vacation, not only physically but also mentally? Are you doing your part to help them? This is the proposition which I want to put before you if it meets your approval your support is wanted if you think it an unworthy cause treat as such. The scouts are in need of a number of things, we are poorly supplied with the necessary articles for successful work. They need books to read and various instruments which enable them to "be prepared" when anything is needed to be done. We want 100 books which relate to outdoor activities, as

standard works of prose which are interesting and valuable. These books will not be read merely by scouts but the camp-fire girls who are now being organized may also have use of them, after they have read them all, means will be provided whereby the public may use them. So will you give one book or several for this cause? Or will you give the price of a few books. It seems so me it would be difficult to conceive a more worthy cause because the mind develops from the material on which it feeds and very often books read in the plastic period are retained thru life becoming the nucleus around which adjustments are made.

Reasons might be given for this cause "ad infinitum," a suggestion is only needed, and I am sure every loyal citizen will act upon it. A list of books which are needed is given below with the price. It is impossible to publish a complete list but this will give you an idea of the books which are needed. If you will designate which books you desire to give, so much the better if you will give the price of books it is all the same. It may be impossible for me to see every citizen the next few months but you need not hesitate acting upon this proposition. A boy scout will receive your directions and will see to it that your desire is fulfilled.

Treasure Island, Stephenson; 50 cts. For the house of the school, Beard; 50 cts. Along the Mohawk Trail, Fitzhugh; 50 cts.

A Midshipmen in the Pacific, Brady; 50 cts. Tecumseh's Young Braves, Tomlinson; 20 cts.

Animal Heroes, Seaton; 50 cts. Cattle Ranch to college, Doubleday; \$1.25. Boy Scouts in a dismal Swamp, \$1.50. Two Boys in the Tropics, Fitzhugh; \$1.35

The Young Alaskians, Hough; \$1.25. Four Boys in Yellowstone, Tomlinson; \$1.50. Four Boys in Yosemite, Tomlinson; \$1.50.

African Camp Fires, White; \$1.25. Age of Chivalry, Bulfinch; .60. Stories of King Arthur and the round table, 50 cts.

Stories of King Arthur, Outler; 35 cts. Famous Indian chiefs Johnston; \$1.20. Camp Fire in the woods, Gibson; 1.25. The Young woodcrafter, Hawkes; 1.25. With the Indians in the Rockies; 1.25. Little Beasts of Field and Wood, Cram; 1.25.

Life of animals, Ingersoll; 200. The Boy scouts of the air, in Belgium; 39 cts. The Boy Scouts on the Great Lakes; 39 cts. Tom Strong, Washington's Scout 39 cts.

Tom Beard's Annual Book; 1.35. The Boy Mechanic; 98 cts.

Boat Building and Boating, Beard; 49 cts. Boy Scouts with the Cossacks; 10 cts. Boy Scout Signal Sender; 10 cts.

TURNER B. RODDY, Scout Master.

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