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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET

For Governor—CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

For Lieutenant Governor—W. D TURNER, of Iredell.

For Secretary of State—J. BRYAN GRIMES, of Pitt.

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For Coroner—John O'Brien.
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MORE THAN THE AMENDMENT.

There seems to be a misunderstanding with some people about the election of next week. Some think that only the Constitutional Amendment will be voted on.

On Thursday, August 2nd, we shall vote on the Amendment and also for State, county and township officers.

HON. W. W. KITCHIN RENOMINATED.

It is not a surprise but a source of gratification to the friends of Hon. W. W. Kitchin here at his old home, to learn of his renomination to Congress from the Fifth district.

This is quite a compliment to Mr. Kitchin. A nomination for the third time in succession with his present service in his second term, is a compliment to be appreciated by any one. Mr. Kitchin is one of the most useful and efficient of the young men in Congress, and richly deserves by his faithful and able service the confidence which his constituents have thus placed in him. He will doubless be elected again in November and will thus have his third successive term in Congress.

THE TESTING TIME.

White men, the testing time has come. One week from to-day you will be called upon to do your duty for white supremacy by voting for the amendment. THE COMMONWEALTH knows that the white men of the State have been well informed on the subject. The press of the State and patriotic speakers have done all that could be done to enlighten the people and give full explanation of the great issue before us; and we have the faith in the white men of the State to believe they will do their duty and end this clash about negro domination forever.

Victory is assured if every man in North Carolina will do his full duty from now until the close of the election August 2nd.

This is the last chance THE COMMONWEALTH will have to speak to the people away from our own precinct before the voting begins, and we make this last urgent appeal that every white man do to his duty.

REMEMBER, WHITE MEN.

ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 2nd you are called upon to vote for the Constitutional Amendment. You are also to vote for State, county and township officers. And let every white man in the State do his fu'l duty.

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RALLY AT AULANDER.

Four Thousand The Crowd.

MR. AYCOCK'S GREAT SPEECH.

Tuesday was a great rally day at Aulander. Early in the day the people commenced literally to pour in on the trains and from the country, and soon the town was filled with patriotic men and fair women. The homes and principal buildings along the streets were beautifully bedecked with gay bunting and flags; handsomely dressed marshals on dashing steeds, with others made preparation for the parade.

Across the street in front of Hotel Central on fine canvas were the words:

"OUR NEXT GOVERNOR!

WELCOME!"

At 10:30 o'clock a great parade was started.

The Wilson band was present to discourse sweet and stirring music.

The order of the parade was: The band, the marshals, the Naval Reserves of Windsor, then the carriages with the speakers of the day.

The parade started at the hotel and moved up the street to the railroad station, then west back to the centre of the town, back by the hotel and then to the speakers' stand in a large grove, where seats had been prepared for the crowd.

Hon. C. W. Mitchell called the meeting to order and Rev. L. M. Curtis was asked to lead the audience in prayer. His invocation for the guidance of God in the affairs of the great Commonwealth of North Carolina was striking.

Mr. Mitchell then introduced Hon. S. L. Patterson, of Caldwell county, who made a short but impressive speech, declaring the purposes of the proposed amendment, and that no white man in North Carolina can be disfranchised under it.

The editor of THE COMMONWEALTH was asked to present Hon. C. B. Aycock, the next Governor of North Carolina. Mr. Aycock did not speak as long as he sometimes has, saying that that was his ninety-ninth speech in the present campaign. His speech was masterful from the opening sentence, and showed great genius and tact; for every class of hearers was interested—held fast all through.

His plea and pledge for the education of the poor children of North Carolina were something eloquent beyond description. As he spoke to the great throng of four thousand people, perhaps, they drew closer and closer around the stand and at his close the people were hanging on his words enraptured with the power and magnetism of the great orator and the magnificent man that he is. All went expecting much and all left with expectations fully met and anxious for the 2nd of August to come when each can do his part in making the polished speaker who so thrilled them there the next Governor of North Carolina.

One of the striking features of the occasion was the large number of banners carried in the procession with their unique inscriptions, and the great floating mottoes in front of the speaker's stand. The two striking mottoes that floated out grandly to the breeze were these:

"Let White Supremacy be our Watch-word and Good Government is is ours Forever."

"The Star of White Supremacy arises and the Sun of Negro Rule sets Forever."

On the banners borne in the procession were such mottoes of these:

"Aycock Doctrine is Hot Stuff."

"Let us send Butler to the Chinese Mission."

"Whar am de Cullud Politician this Year, Does he Fool You?"

"The Ladies are all Democratic—God Bless 'em!"

"Mary Ann is Gwine to get Lost in the Shuffle."

"Let us make it a Waterloo a final defeat."

On the stand occupied by the band in bold characters on canvas was the motto: "Kitchin for Congress:"

To the credit of Aulander and community and in wonder be it said there was a great dinner—seemingly ample for all.

All in all it was a great day for White Supremacy, and some who were opposed to the amendment before were won by Mr. Aycock's speech; and Bertie stands pledged for a good majority on 2nd of August.

Letter to Mrs. A. McDowell.

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AYCOCK AT AHOSKIE.

Cor. to The Commonwealth.

AHOSKIE, N. C., July 23, 1900.

To-day was a gala day for Ahoskie. Over four thousand people heard Aycock and other speakers. The whole town was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The Windsor naval reserves were in attendance and presented a fine appearance. The Wilson band gave us delightful music.

Mounted marshals under the supervision of chief H. H. Newsome, conducted the grand parade. The procession started from Hotel Copeland led by the band wagon. Immediately following was a wagon containing several beautiful ladies dressed in pure white with the motto, "Protect Us." Behind this was another wagon filled with gentlemen with their motto, "We Will Protect You." Carriages containing the speakers, Mr. Aycock being escorted by Mr. J. C. Williams, were followed by the naval reserves and others on foot.

The stand was erected in an oak grove near the academy, a large spreading beech tree affording ample shade for all the speakers.

Mr. S. L. Patterson, of Caldwell, introduced by Hon. B. B. Winborne, made the opening address with one of the best ten minute speeches ever heard here.

Hon. F. D. Winston was introduced at eleven o'clock, and for one hour and a half, interested the audience with his wit and eloquence as only a good orator can, and with his clear reasoning did much to convince some that the amendment is the only hope of North Carolina.

Hon. B. B. Winborne introduced Aycock as the second Zeb Vance and the next Governor of the State.

This is the first time a great many here ever heard Mr. Aycock speak and they expected a great speech. The result shows that they were not disappointed.

All the business houses were gaily decorated with flags and the national colors were liberally used. The passenger station was also decorted with flags and the national colors.

Every one seems to be pleased with the arrangements here. There was dinner to spare, and thanks are due to Mr. A. E. Garrett and others who assisted him.

Everything went on nicely until a Populist who engaged in a discussion with some gentlemen called Capt. Smithwick, of the reserves, a d—d liar. Capt. Smithwick promptly responded by striking him in the face. The Populist, Raynor, returned the blow striking Capt. Smithwick in the eye with a broken umbrella handle inflicting a painful wound. Raynor then drew his knife and dared any one to touch him. His knife was knocked from his hand and he was used very roughly for a minute; then some cool headed men interposed, giving Raynor time to get a start to run, which he did, leaving town faster than some trains do.

The Republicans also had a political meeting here same date, attended by lot of negroes and no whites. No particulars could be learned of their proceedings.

It is an assured fact Hertford county will come to the front on August 2nd and prove to the rest of the State that it is is for white government regardless of the croakings of a few disappointed pie hunters.

We are glad to welcome to our town this week Rev. R. T. Vann, president of State Baptist University.

Mr. Whit Bell, of Scotland Neck, spent Monday with his son Mr. J. L. Bell.

Mr. J. J. Crump who has been working at Port Norfolk for the last two weeks has returned. He will make this his home in future.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF VOTING PRECINCTS IN HALIFAX COUNTY.

To Whom it May Concern:—Notice is hereby given that the board of elections of Halifax county have made the following alterations in the voting precincts of said county, to-wit:

1. The precincts heretofore known as Halifax and Crowells precincts have been combined into one precinct, comprising the whole of Halifax township. Said precinct shall be named Halifax precinct, and the polling place thereof shall be in in the town of Halifax.

2. The two precincts heretofore known as Littleton and Gaston precincts have been combined into one precinct, comprising the whole of Littleton township and the polling place thereof shall be the town of Littleton.

3. The boundaries of Palmyra precinct have been altered so as to run as follows: Beginning at the County line gate between Halifax and Martin counties, thence along the county road to the Palmyra road in the town of Hobgood, thence down the Palmyra road to the Frosty Hyman place, thence northwest by the county road to Braswell's cross roads, thence to Sam's Head thence the Mill road to White's Mill, thence down the mill run to Roanoke river, thence down the river to the line between Halifax and Martin counties, thence along the line to the beginning. The polling place of said precinct shall in be the town of Palmyra.

4 Neal precinct shall be abolished, and in the lieu thereof a new precinct has been established and named Kehukee precinct, bounded as follows: Beginning where White's mill run empties into Roanoke river, and thence up said river to Norfleet's ferry, thence along Norfleet's ferry road to Deep Creek bridge just below Greenwood, thence down said creek to the Edgecombe lide, thence down the Halifax and Edgecombe line to the Martin county line, thence along the county fence to the county gate between Halifax and Martin counties, the beginning of the Palmyra precinct line, thence along the Palmyra precinct line to Boanoke river. The polling place of Kehukee precinct shall shall be at or near J. Y. Savage's shop.

5. The polling place in Faucetts precinct has been removed from Darlington to Burt's Mill.

6. The name of Deep Creek precinct has been changed to Roanoke Rapids.

All other precincts and polling places in Halifax county to remain as they were in 1898.

This July 2nd, 1900.

T. L. EMRY, Chairman
Co. Board of Elections.

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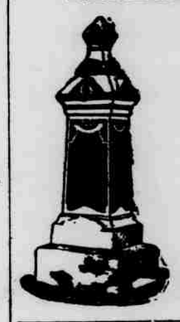

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