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(Political Advertisement)  
This is a personal letter addressed to every voter in this congressional district. The newspaper is not publishing it free, nor am I sending it out in a government envelope as official business. I am paying for it with my own money, money that I worked hard to get.

I believe the average man is fair. The man who thinks everybody else is a crook is pretty apt to be a crook himself.

When that statesman who is known to you all as "Joe" Johnson resigned his seat in congress, there was part of a term to fill out. Sam Nicholls was elected to fill out that term. He got a majority of only 684 votes, out of nearly 19,000 votes cast. He promised to do many things if the people would elect him.

I ask you now in all fairness what he has done. Can you, as a fair minded man, point to one single beneficial thing he has done for his district, his State or his country?

I will not attack his personal character in public speeches, private talks or the press. A man should be a gentleman before trying to be a congressman, and if I can not get the office without stooping to that sort of campaign I will do without it.

But surely, by all the rules of courtesy, I may state this fact that everybody knows Nicholls has done absolutely nothing. He has sent out free seed, and he has sent many letters to you all here at home, all at government expense, but that is all he has done.

If you did not vote for him before, what reason have you to vote for him now? He is the same old Sam J. Nicholls. If you did vote for him before, thinking he would accomplish something, what has he done to justify your faith and earn your vote this year?

A man who cannot, does not or will not make good on a job has no right to ask to be hired again. In a democracy, where public servants—servants of the people, are elected by the people, the whole responsibility of government rests on the people.

When a new man offers his services, the matter of hiring him is much like getting married. It is taking a long chance; no one knows what a new man will do in office or what sort of biscuit a bride will make.

But after a man has been on the job for a number of years or a number of months, and has done nothing, what in the name of common sense is the excuse for reelecting him?

You, the voters, are the bosses. We, the candidates, wish to be servants. Judge of our ability to serve by what we have accomplished in the past. Very sincerely,  
David B. Traxler.

**ATTENTION DEMOCRATS.**

Official Schedule and Itinerary of the State Congressional, Judicial and County Democratic Campaign Meeting, 1916.

- County Campaign.
- Monarch—Saturday, August 5th, 2 p. m.
  - West Springs—Wednesday, August 9th, 11 a. m.
  - Buffalo—Saturday, August 12th, 2 p. m.
  - Jonesville—Tuesday, August 15th, 11 a. m.
  - Kelton—Thursday, August 17th, 11 a. m.
  - Lockhart—Saturday, August 19th, 2 p. m.
  - Cross Keys—Monday, August 21st, 11 a. m.
  - Black Rock—Wednesday, August 23rd, 11 a. m.
  - Carlisle—Thursday, August 24th, 11 a. m.
  - Santuc—Friday, August 25th, 11 a. m.
  - Union—August 26th, at school grove, 11 a. m.
  - Union, Saturday, August 26th, at monument, 7 p. m.
- Congressional and Judicial.
- Where candidates for congress and for solicitor will address the people.
- Buffalo—Monday, August 7th, 7 p. m.
  - Jonesville—Tuesday, August 8th, 11 a. m.
  - Kelton—Wednesday, August 9th, 11 a. m.
  - Lockhart—Wednesday, August 9th, 11 a. m.
  - Santuc—Thursday, August 10th, 11 a. m.
  - Cross Keys—Friday, August 11th, 11 a. m.
  - Union—Saturday, August 12th, graded school grove, 11 a. m.
- State Campaign.
- Union, August 22nd, graded school grove, 11 a. m.

All candidates in the Democratic primary will sign their pledges and pay their assessments to the treasurer on Friday, August 4th by 12 noon. All enrollment books during the legal hours of enrollment must be in the hands of the officers and at the place designated in the advertisements for enrollment from now on until the last Tuesday in this month. The enrollment during the legal hours and must stay there except in case of sickness or the disability of someone wishing to enroll, in which event one of the enrollment committee may take the book in person and enroll the party, provided the book is immediately brought back to its legal cus-

**JONESVILLE**

Jonesville, July 18.—I shall not tell the readers of this communication that it has been raining for it is well known that the whole country is drenched with the downpour that has visited the whole country. Jonesville has no communication except from Spartanburg to Carlisle. So about the only way to get beyond these points would be by a Zeppelin or submarine. In August, 1852, there was the biggest rain and freshest known to this country, except the June cloud burst in 1906 and that was principally on the Pacolet and Thicketty rivers and it only lasted a short time.

The farmers are taking the situation with much patience and are conservative in their talks about their condition.

R. A. Cooper, candidate for governor, was here last Friday, according to appointment, and met a small number of the voters, to whom he made an address, presenting his claims for the gubernatorial office.

Mr. Foster Mabrey, son of Mr. J. E. Mabrey, of Indianapolis is visiting his father.

Mr. Davis Crawford of Columbia is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lou Crawford.

I was very much pleased with the poetry written by Mr. J. E. James of Wolf City, Texas., published in The Union Times. I know Joe and know him to be a capital man. Write again Joe. I have a cousin that is a good writer as well as many others whose pens are silent, which makes me think of a poem one William J. Newberry wrote a good many years ago while serving a short sentence in Union for being on a drunk. I don't remember all the poem; wish I did, but one verse runs this way—

There's many a poet dead methinks  
Who might have cut a caper,  
If he had taken pen and ink  
And put his thoughts on paper.

Part of the approach to the Grindall bridge on Pacolet is gone and the same thing is the case at the Fair Forest bridge near Mr. B. F. Webber's.

The damage to crops and property all over this country is great and cannot at this time be estimated.

Miss Irene Gore and brother, Earl, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Jennett Beatty, of Cross Keys.

Mrs. J. H. Foster of Newman, Ga., is the guest of relatives in Jonesville.

Mrs. Martha A. Knox of Inman is visiting relatives and friends in Jonesville.

Several members of the Coast Artillery company here have been called to service at Camp Moore for recruiting officers.

Mr. John Fowler, son of Mr. Jeter Fowler, who has been sick for some time and has had an operation performed upon him at Spartanburg, is very low at his home here and it seems that his recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. Robt. Douglass of Alcolu, S. C., is visiting relatives in Jonesville. Telephone.

**LOCKHART JUNCTION**

Lockhart Junction, July 17.—Well, the rain continues to come. There seems to be something besides the war to talk about now. It is the rain and high water floods doing damage to the crops. All the low lands are covered with water. We have read of the high water and damages in the West but it has come this way. Some crops are under water on the rivers and creeks. I guess all the bottom corn is gone or ruined. That is a big loss, but it is nothing like losing life as we have read of in other States. So we are blessed, for I hear of no one getting drowned or washed away in the high water about here.

I hear today that Broad river at Lockhart Mills was higher than it has been for many years. The water at that place was higher than it had been since the mill was built. It reached some of the dwelling houses, and some had to leave their homes. They moved out to higher places to get away from the water for fear they would be washed away.

Some of the Jonesville boys who belong to the Coast Artillery at Jonesville have been called to Camp Moore at Styx. These are Messrs. Walter Hames, W. G. White, Ernest McWhirter, Albert Garner, Conley Kendrick, Albert McWhirter and Marvin Fowler. These will be recruiting officers.

Mr. Boyd Smith, who lives on Pacolet river, sold Mr. S. W. Vinson a home-raised ham weighing 35 pounds; brought him \$7.00. Mr. Smith has lost all of his corn on the river, but has enough old corn to do him. That is making and laying by for the rainy days.

Mr. Leander Proctor also sold a ham to Mr. H. J. Hames that weighed 30 pounds; brought \$6.00. This, I like to write about. See these farmers making bread and meat at home and some to sell.

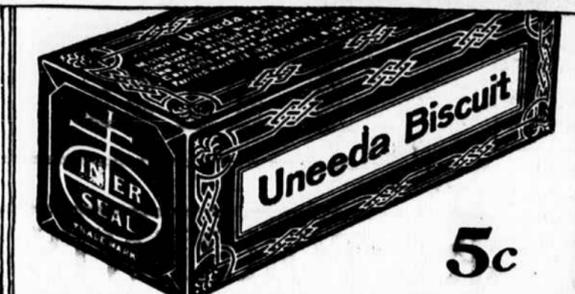
I hear today that Mrs. J. B. Foster of Jonesville died suddenly yesterday morning while at the breakfast table. We are sorry to hear of this sad death. This family has our sympathy. Moxy.

today and place for enrollment.

On Wednesday following the books must be brought to the undersigned and delivered to me.

The executive committee will be in charge and authority of the meeting and speakings.

Macbeth Young,  
Chairman Union County Democratic Executive Committee. 28-3

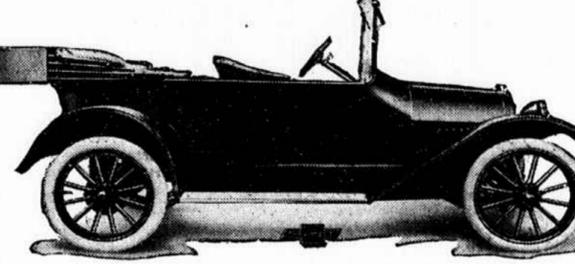


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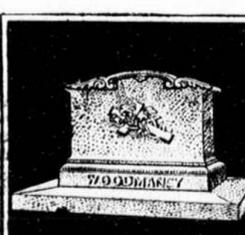
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