

## CITY ELECTION WAS CLOSE ONE

Deep Interest Manifested, and Ticket Considerably Split.

### BOTH SIDES MADE POINTS

Administration Ticket Retained Mayor and Two Councilmen, but Remainder of Ticket Was Won by Municipal Club—Vote a Close One.

Notwithstanding that there was manifested in the city election Tuesday the deepest interest that has been manifested in Gainesville for many years, and notwithstanding that both sides worked with all possible alertness and energy possible to elect their ticket, the election was marked for its quietness and the orderly and systematic manner in which it was conducted. Those who had congregated about the polls with the expectation of witnessing some excitement were disappointed, and aside from the good-natured joking remarks which passed between the supporters of the two tickets, the election was on par with ordinary.

A heavy vote was polled, however, as both sides exerted every effort to bring the voters to the polls. Carriages and other vehicles were in demand, and were kept constantly on the go between the voting-place in the City Hall and various sections of the city. Before the noon hour, when the inspectors took a recess of a few moments for lunch, about three hundred votes had been polled. Both sides claimed a majority of these, but the close and constant and conservative observers declared up to that hour, as far as they could judge, the honors were about even.

#### A Lively Campaign.

The campaign which closed with the election of Tuesday has been one of the liveliest, hardest fought and most interesting the city has ever known. The Administration ticket on the one hand, the Municipal Club upon the other, both announced their platforms sometime ago, and which in purport appeared very similar. Tickets were placed in the field by both organizations, and then the fun began. Meeting after meeting was held, each voter as a rule attending the session of his own club, and these meetings to say the least lent spice to the campaign and kept the interest at boiling heat. A large amount of literature was also printed and circulated through the press, the mails and otherwise, and these have kept the voter busy between the meetings—that is, if he took the time to read them all.

Returning to election day. The day opened up clear, but the wind was high during the day, making the weather very disagreeable. This had no tendency to prevent a good attendance at the polls, however, and a large crowd congregated about the voting-place during the day. It was plainly evident that the majority of those around were deeply interested in the outcome of the ballot, and the sentiment on the exterior seemed to be about evenly divided.

Immediately after the closing of the polls the inspectors, comprising D. A. Robertson, clerk, F. X. Miller, W. L. Hill and A. S. Taylor, began the count, which lasted until a late hour. The result was as follows:

- For Mayor—S. M. Davis, 287; W. R. Thomas, 320.
- For Marshal—Chas. Pinkson, 265; T. Arnow, 278.
- For Clerk and Treasurer—J. M. Dell, 262.
- For Tax Assessor—W. M. Bradford, 271.
- For Tax Collector—T. B. Ellis, 439.
- For Alderman—J. W. Blanding, 260; J. Burnett, 238; E. E. Cannon, 272; A. M. Cushman, 249; H. S. Graves, 244; S. M. Mixson, 281; A. L. Vidal, 281; I. E. Webster, 263.
- For Board Public Works—S. J. Thomas, 259; J. H. Vidal, 257.
- For Board Public Works to serve unexpired term of W. N. Wilson, resigned—E. J. Baird, 244; W. B. Taylor, 238.

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### HIGH SPRINGS HAPPENINGS.

Smoker and Banquet by K. of P., and Dance by Pythian Sisters.

High Springs, April 8.—Mrs. G. W. McCall, who has been very ill for several days, is reported no better, and the attending physicians, Drs. Hodges and Bishop, hold out no hope of her recovery.

Mrs. Eugene Gramling is critically ill but her symptoms show no fatal development as yet. The town is in gloom over these cases, as both ladies are well known and greatly loved.

Mrs. M. F. Roberts, and her daughter, Mrs. Ola Brink, moved to Atlanta this week, much to the regret of their many friends. They were among the first families of the place, and closely identified with the social life of the town. Their loss will be long felt here.

Household Economics Day was observed in the New Century Club at its last meeting, which was with the chairman of that department, Mrs. M. P. Summers. This charming hostess and club woman is very energetic in the interests of her department and had prepared a very entertaining and instructive program. One feature of it was the display of original dishes by the club members, the recipe of each being given. Some elegant salads, and desserts, with home-made bread and confections, were displayed, which proved that club women could be skilful in the the culinary as well as other arts.

The Knights of Pythias gave a smoker and banquet Monday night, expecting the Grand Chancellor. He was prevented from attending on account of the inclement weather.

The ball given by the Pythian Sisters for the benefit of their lodge Tuesday night was a success, socially and financially.

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#### An Appreciated Gift.

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## SHORT SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE

Both Houses Adjourned in Memory of Senator Newlan.

### DR. WARTMAN'S RESOLUTION

Asking the Appointment of a Committee to Draft New State Apportionment Bill—Governor Calls Special Election.

#### Special to The Sun:

Tallahassee, April 8.—The sessions of both Senate and House today were very brief, after which both adjourned in honor of Senator Newlan of Suwannee, recently deceased.

Mr. Wartman of Marion introduced a resolution asking for the appointment of a committee to draft a new State apportionment bill.

The Governor has called a special election in Suwannee county for May 2, to fill the vacancy caused by Senator Newlan's death.

#### Good Judgment

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#### Sunday Night's Rain.

Between midnight and dawn Sunday this section was visited by a light shower, but it was of such brief duration that very little good was accomplished. As the wind was very high on Monday the dust was very disagreeable, and only pedestrians who were compelled to come upon the streets ventured out.

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