

# Magnolia Gazette.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Gazette is authorized to announce the following names for the respective offices, subject to the action of the democratic party.

**FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
[SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT]  
E. H. RATCLIFF.

**FOR STATE SENATOR.**

For Sixth District, composed counties of Pike and Franklin.  
J. HIRAM McGEHEE,  
of Franklin.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE.**

JOHN A. WALKER.  
W. W. POPE.  
P. E. QUIN.  
W. P. CASSELY.

**FOR TREASURER.**  
[PIKE COUNTY]

S. B. WILLIAMS,  
J. E. WOLFE,  
JESSE W. SIMMONS,  
JOHN H. MILLS,  
C. H. OTKEN,  
A. F. LAMPTON.

**FOR SHERIFF.**

F. M. LEE,  
C. D. MILLER,  
W. W. LEGGETT.

**FOR CHANCERY CLERK.**

W. C. VAUGHT,  
N. E. BALL.

**FOR CLERK CIRCUIT COURT.**

A. P. SPARKMAN,  
W. K. NETTLES.

**FOR ASSESSOR.**

W. L. VARNADO,  
JOHN D. WARNER.

**FOR SUPERVISOR.**

**1st District—P. X. SIMMONS.**

W. JACK FORTINBERRY

**2nd District—J. L. YARBOROUGH.**

J. DORT HOLMES,  
HENRY M. LEE.

**3rd District—S. J. LAWRENCE.**

5th District—VAN F. CONEY.

5th District—C. F. PITTS.

**FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE.**

5th District—W. L. WALKER,  
5th District—A. L. LAZAR.

**FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.**

Wm. F. SIMMONS.

**PEOPLE'S PARTY CANDIDATE.**

The Gazette is authorized to announce W. H. BRIST,

as a candidate for re-election as a member of the Board of Supervisors from the Third district of Pike county, subject to the action of the People's Party.

The Masons anticipate a large gathering at Adams camp ground on 24th inst., St. John's day. A number of candidates for state offices are expected to be present. Adams camp ground is about fifteen miles northwest of Summit.

Gov. McLaurin and Congressman Allen have accepted invitations to meet in Gillsburg next Tuesday 13th inst. and discuss the issues of the campaign for senator before the thousands of people who will be there on that day to witness the graduating exercises of the Gillsburg Collegiate Institute to take in the forenoon. The annual address will be delivered by Judge Longino, candidate for governor, and as there will be a hundred or more other candidates present, it may be called candidate day, as well as commencement day.

Major J. K. Vardaman, who has been serving his country in the volunteer army in Cuba for the past year, has been mustered out of service, and is expected home this week. He is a candidate for governor and will enter the campaign shortly after reaching home, and will push his claims before the people as well as the limited time before the nominating convention will permit. A distinguished citizen and true patriot, Major Vardaman has many friends who think he is the proper man to occupy the governor's mansion for the next four years.

## DECLARES FOR McLAURIN.

The New Orleans States, one of the best evening papers in the South, declares for Gov. McLaurin for Senator as follows:

"From the standpoint of perfect disinterestedness, we have spoken for neither Allen nor McLaurin. Indeed, all the time we have felt that there were many men better capable of filling the lamented Waltham's boots than either John or Anse, the wounded lion. But of late the supporters of John Allen appear to us to have made the defeat of Gov. McLaurin the sole and only issue, and that they have thus dragged the campaign down to one of bitter persecution of the worthy Governor. Persecution is not politics; or at best, it is the very worst and most pernicious species of politics and the surest way imaginable to make friends for a man is to set up a persecution of him. We are free to confess that we were rather opposed to McLaurin at the start but the plan of campaign instituted and vigorously pursued against him has enlisted our sympathies in his behalf and we now desire to see him elected."

## OUR CONGRESSMAN.

The Jackson correspondent of the Vicksburg Herald met Congressman McLain in the capital city Wednesday, and wrote his paper the following about him:

Hon. F. A. McLain, congressman from the sixth district, was in the city today en route to Monticello, where he is billed for an address before the high school. Mr. McLain has been in congress but a short while, but he has taken high rank, and has given his district as good representation as it need want. He is very enthusiastic in his advocacy of the deep water harbor on the gulf coast, and expresses himself as very hopeful of a handsome appropriation at an early day. He was instrumental in securing the starter and says he is not going to let up until the very largest ships are loading and unloading on Mississippi's front. Mr. McLain said he had no idea who would be the minority leader in the next house, nor did he feel like venturing a prediction as to the next republican who would occupy the speaker's chair. He stated that the farmers of his section of the state are suffering for rain, having endured a very protracted drought. Planting operations were a month late, and the seed planted did not half germinate, so that bad stands are general.

## WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.

Editor Gazette: An illustration of the progress in all lines that women are making, that the sex question is ceasing largely to be the paramount issue, and that the work accomplished is the generally conceded test of ability, we clip the following amusing incident from the Woman's Journal:

"One great difficulty in advancing the woman suffrage movement is found in the position which men assume. They pretend to believe (and it is mere pretence, I assure you), that woman's suffrage means woman's rule—that is, the absolute domination of the male rule—a fallacy fostered not by fact but by fancy. A California friend of mine told me this story, as illustrative of why the woman suffrage amendment was voted down in the house. He said: 'I was clerking in a wholesaler's house, and was private secretary to the manager. One day he said to me: 'we shall not need your services after the first. We have concluded to put a woman in your place.'"

"The young man next found a position in a local newspaper office as stenographer, and did very well for a few months. Then the summons came to report to the business manager, who said: 'We shall not need your services after the first; the editor has decided that he prefers a woman in your place.' His next position was as cashier in a feed store, but it was only a few months when the summons came from the manager, and he again heard the well-known words, 'We shall not need your services after the first; we have decided to put a woman in your place.' After this, nothing discouraged, he took service in a restaurant. Here his duties were arduous,



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and his hours long, but fate still pursued him. One morning the manager of the establishment summoned him, and began: 'We shall not need your services after —' but the young man had fled murmuring, 'Another woman!' At present he is painting church steeples, firm in the faith that here, at last, he has entered a field of work where women will not follow, yet honest enough to admit that, were it not for the women, there would be few churches to paint.

My friend seemed to think that this was the condition of affairs the world over. The women were taking the places of the men, crowding the men out. 'In California,' he said, 'we don't propose to give women a chance to take every state, county, and municipal office within the gift of the people.'

As an evidence of woman's ability to succeed in all departments of labor, the above is indisputable; but as an argument against giving her the ballot, lest she encroach upon masculine preserves, it is illogical. The field of labor is enlarged as the ranks of laborers are multiplied. The ablest must win, even as the 'fittest' of the species survives by a law of natural selection.

HALL HAMMOND BUTT.

FROM REV. J. H. LANE.

Eastfork, Miss., June 1st, 1899. Editor Gazette: Please say to the Baptist brotherhood who have been expecting me to fill appointments that when I returned from Osyka, where I have been helping in a meeting, I found my boy, Broadus, very sick, and I am still at his bedside. Some better this evening, and we are hopeful in God. Peace, mercy and grace to all. J. H. LANE.

Mr. Harrison Prescott has a wooden gate to his front yard that was made by his father sixty-five years ago. Who will longer doubt the lasting qualities of Pike county timber?

Judge T. E. Tate, of near Osyka was mingling with his friends here Monday, and we were pleased to see him enjoying excellent health.

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