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TO THE VOTERS OF HANCOCK COUNTY.

As the Republican nominee for Trustee for Hancock County, and owing to the short time in which I will have to canvass the county, I take this method of bringing my candidacy before the voters both ladies and gentlemen of all political parties and affiliations. It is my aim to make as thorough canvass as possible, yet if I should fail to see all the voters I solicit your aid and support just the same. I can truthfully say that I have stood fairly and squarely by every promise and pledge that was made by me during the Primary and the one and only promise that I made to the voters namely, if elected, to make a fair and honest trustee, handling the county funds carefully and in a business like manner, is the platform on which I come to you now.

I wish to call the attention of every fair minded voter to the pledges that we made on entering the primary, and the utter disregard my opponent has shown for his word of honor and moral obligations. Among other things we pledged our honor not to use any money or other means for illegally influencing or procuring votes. This pledge was completely disregarded by my opponent who freely used money in the buying of votes. Another requisite for entrance, was the pledge of each and every candidate to support the one who won the nomination. This is another case of my opponent ignoring his word and moral obligation, and now through a frenzy of political ambition, enters the final race as a bolter or independent.

All I ask at the hand of the voters is, that you carefully consider this race with the betterment of the county in view and cast your vote likewise.

Respectfully Yours,
Robert L. Seal.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce the name of Lewis E. Drinnon as a candidate for the office of Trustee of Hancock County, subject to the will of the voters of Hancock county at the coming August election.

Adv.

COOL BRANCH

Mrs Elizabeth Roberts of Klondike, Hawkins County was visiting her daughter Mrs. Anne Williams at this place Sunday.

Miss Leona Williams who has been visiting relatives at Morris-town for several days has returned to her home at Cool Branch.

Mrs. Eliza Lawson an aged lady of this place who has been very sick for several days is no better we are sorry to note, and her life is despaired of.

Guy Waitson, Lewis and George M. Williams were seen marching along the road Sunday looking like the hindparts of trouble, and all on account of their girls not being along.

W. A., and A. W. Yount took dinner with Geo. A. Williams Sunday.

Guy Whitson who has been at Gypsum, Ohio for several months is back at home at Cool Branch.

Our Sunday school at Cool Branch is progressing nicely and having a good attendance.

Nearly everybody around this place are done laying by their corn and crops are fine and gar-

dens are good, but our fruit crop is short.

X. Y. Z.

SNOOKUM FOR CONGRESS

To The Dear People: I see the Republicans in the first District are going to have a race for Congress in August, I don't know whether the Democrats will have a race or not, but any body ought to be allowed to run that wants to, provided ne will promise to do things that no man can do, so I have decided to be a candidate and state my platform, and tell the people what great things I do for them. I am neither a Democrat nor a Republican, I am one of the common people, a Mugwump, and if elected my first official act will be, urn the rascals out, I will turn every Democrat and Republican out from President down to Constable and fill their places with Mugwumps, I will make places for every man woman and child that can prove they voted for me, don't forget it.

I will have a pike road run right in front of every man's door, I will have Clinch river turned just above the rounds and run into the Holston river, because the Holston has bridges across it and this would save lots of expenses.

I will have Clinch mountain moved over into North Carolina, so we can get to the Railroad, and because the country over there is all mountains anyway, and the people would never notice it no way. I will give every man, woman and child in my District a Postoffice and a rural route too, this will be a great improvement on our mail service, and be less trouble, as I would discontinued the use of postage stamps, it would be much more convenient for young folks.

I will have three, fourths of July one on Saturday before the full moon in June, Oct., and Feb., as this will furnish lots of sport, and keep in mind how our granddies and uncles stood on the burning deck during the revolutionary war.

I would have two Christmases one in December and one in May this will be more satisfactory as it is too cold in December to suit everybody's clothe and mine especially.

I would have Europe divided so as place Germany in Hancock County and let our boys vent their spleen on them for the hardships they suffered during the world war.

I will put brains in the head of a braes monkey, I will put wool on the back of the hydraulic ram, so we can have cheaper clothes, I will have the weather to change just any time that will suit the convenience of the people, and I will have full moon all the time.

But I have made up my mind as to just how much moonshine hootch I will allow, I will leave this question to a vote of the people, but I am bitterly opposed to allowing more than one quart to each member of the family, and one still in each district with a population of not less than ten and not more than twenty five, but I will leave this up to a vote of the people.

All this is only a few of the good things I could promise, I can do lots more when I get the lay of the land and on this platform I expect to rise and fall, if you like it there is nothing to hinder you from voting for me, you will not need a tax receipt as I will positively do away with the paymng of all taxes.

Hopefully Yours,
Snookum

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF THE THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE.

I am a candidate before the Republican primary election of August 3rd, 1922 for the office of State Senator for the 3d. Senatorial District of Tennessee. I solicit the votes and support of every Republican man and woman in the District, and promise you that if I am nominated and elected I will make you a faithful and efficient servant in the State Senate, I will serve you to the best of my ability and will make you a Senator that you will never regret having voted for.

I hope to see all or rs many of the voters of the District between now and the primary, but if I should fail to see any voter it will be for the lack of time to do so, and I ask your help just the same.

Sincerely yours,
M. H. Hollingsworth.

DEMOCRATS ENDORSE JUDGE MIMS

At an enthusiastic meeting of the county Democratic executive committee held at the court house in Newport, Friday, June 2, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, at the Democratic primary election to be held August 3rd, 1922, two members of the Democratic executive committee are to be elected in each congressional district of the state.

And whereas, our county has never had a member of said committee, and feeling that the time has come when we are entitled to membership on said committee, and having learned that Judge W. O. Mims of our county, in response to numerous requests from various parts of the district, has become a candidate and qualified so that he can be voted for in said election for one of said places, we the Democratic Executive Committee of Hancock county, in meeting duly called, recalling the long party service of Judge Mims, his untiring work throughout years for the party, without reward and recognizing his superior qualification for said position, we hereby heartily endorse his candidacy for said position, and commend him to the Democrats of the First congressional district and call upon them to give him their support. His election will mean that nothing will be left undone upon his part to restore Tennessee in November and to restore her to the Democratic column, where she rightfully belongs.

This June 2nd, 1922. A true copy, attest:

T. N. HUFF, Chairman.
T. H. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

Hon. Alf Taylor Drinnon, was among the visitors is Sneedville Monday and announced his candidacy for the lower House in a speech to a large crowd in the Court-house. Mr. Drinnon is the present member of the House, having been elected and served during the last session where he was made floor leader for the republicans and as such handled all administration measures for Governor Alf Taylor. Mr. Drinnon formerly lived in this county and is perhaps the best known man in the county and will carry the county by the largest majority ever given any candidate. We are all for Taylor regardless of local or congressional fights.

Lets all get behind our former citizen. He repealed the dog law, voted against the Dorch law, against making women pay poll tax, voted against the eight per cent law and says if re-elected he will introduce a bill to repeal the dorch law and relieve women from paying poll tax. Mr. Drinnon was the only man in the legislature to introduce a bill to repeal the present tax law which the farmers are so strongly opposed to. Drinnon is the man for Hancock.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the voters of Hancock county:

At the solicitation of so many of the good citizens, both Democrats and Republicans, I have decided to become a candidate for Sheriff of Hancock County, and in view of the fact that it will be impossible for me to see all of the voters in the short time in which I have to canvass the county, I take this mode of relating to you through the columns of the News the platform upon which I stand and base my hopes of election.

I am a Democrat in principal but often vote for the Republican when I believe him to be the most suitable man for the office to which he aspires, and by so doing I feel that any Republican can support me on the same principal.

I am a believer in the enforcement of the laws without fear, favor or affection and believe in same being executed with cool, sound and firm judgement, to which I pledge my-self to do if elected. I do not believe in being too hasty but, do believe in being diligent and executing the law without delay.

The friends of my opponent are trying to poison the minds of the voters against me by telling me I am being run by the moonshiners and boot-leggers and that I will cater to them and protect them while they violate the law under my administration. I can say to them that I will never

fall from the lips of man, for if I am elected I shall not brake or bend my oath to protect either a friend or a foe. But I will appreciate the support of every prohibition and anti-prohibition alike and shall treat them all with kindness and courtesy and will protect them both alike in executing the law when opportunity permits.

If you want a man who will enforce the law without fear, favor or affection, vote for me. If you want a man whom his supporters are afraid to let talk, and who will suffer him-self to be tongue-tied during his candidacy vote for some other man.

I believe in free speech and I am not tongue-tied. I have no strings on me and belong to no ring or clique. If my platform suits you I will appreciate your support.

Thank You.
Q. F. BUTTRY.

TREADWAY

After several days absence here we are again.

The health of this community is good, and everybody seems to be about through work.

Geo. D. Wolfe of Idol, Houston Livesay, John B. Wolfe, John F. Wolfe and all other kind of wolfe was visiting at Bill Gordon's last Sunday.

J. S. Wilder of Jefferson City was transacting business in our neighborhood Saturday.

B. N. Drinnon and H. M. Wolfe was visiting Bill Gordon Sunday.

W. B. Gordon was transacting business in Rogersville Friday.

Would like to know what has become of Snookum, of Pumpkin Ridge.

Bill Gordon thinks it don't pay to play Maggie and Jiggs but his black eye got all right when he had to go to plowing corn.

Old Bill.

CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE NO. 1254

Bank of Commerce and Trust Co. Vs. Southland Exploration Company.

Pursuant to a decree pronounced in the above cause at the April Term 1922 of the Chancery Court at Sneedville, Tenn., I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door in Sneedville, Tenn., on Monday the 18th, day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, the property mentioned and described in the pleadings and in said decree, to wit:

Tract No. 1.
That certain parcel of land known as the John Purkey tract, containing 50.1 acres, lying in the 6th. District of Hancock County, Tenn., and more particularly described in the deed from John Purkey to the Southland Exploration Company, dated Aug. 23, 1918 and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at pages 293 et seq.

Tract No. 2.
That parcel of land known as the Livesay heirs tract, containing 106.77 acres, situated in the 6th, Civil District of Hancock County, Tenn., and on the headwaters of Brier Creek, and more particularly described in the deed from the Livesay heirs to the Southland Exploration Company, and dated Aug. 23, 1918, and of record in the Register's office in Book "CC" at pages 294 et seq.

Tract No. 3.
That certain parcel of land known as the Livesay tract containing 24.4 acres, situated in the 6th, Civil District of Hancock County, Tenn., on the headwaters of Brier Creek, and more particularly described in the deed from the Livesay heirs to the Southland Exploration Company dated Aug. 11th, 1918, and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at pages 197, et seq.

Tract No. 4.
That parcel of land known as the Givens tract, containing 198.7 acres situated in the 6th, District of Hancock County, Tenn., and more particularly described in the deed from Jesse Givens dated Sept. 31, 1918, and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at page 319, et seq.

Tract No. 5.
That certain parcel of land known as the Williams tract, containing 79.6 acres situated in the 6th, District of Hancock County, Tenn., and known as the Sampson Williams tract, and more particularly described in the deed made to the Southland Exploration Company dated Nov. 7th, 1917, and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at page 69, et seq.

Tract No. 6.
That certain parcel of land known as the Huston tract, containing 35.7 acres, situated in 5th, District of Hancock County, Tenn., on the West prong of Brier Creek, and more particularly described in the deed from Sampson Williams to the Southland Exploration Company dated Nov. 7th, 1917, and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at pages et seq.

Tract No. 7.
That certain parcel of land known as the Lamb tract containing 29.8 acres, situated on the North bank of Clinch river, and more particularly described in the deed from Wm. Lamb, to the Southland Exploration Company, dated Aug. 23d, 1918, and of record in the Register's office of Hancock County, Tenn., in Book "CC" at pages 289, et seq.

Terms of sale.
Said sale will be made upon a credit of 6, 12, 18, and 24 months and in bar of the equity of redemption, taking from the purchaser interest bearing notes with good security for the purchase money and retaining a lien as further security.

Also, on the same day, I will proceed to sell all of the personal property for cash in hand, reported by the Receiver belonging to the said Southland Exploration Company, not heretofore sold by the receiver said report being exhibit A., B., C., and D., consisting of a stock of goods, sawmill, tools and many other articles included in said report.

This 7th, day of July, 1922.
L. C. Jarvis, C & M.

DR. E. J. McDANIEL
DENTIST
TAZEVELL, TENN.

Office in Claiborne County Bank Bldg

ROGERSVILLE

I see so many letters from my old friends and schoolmates, I will write a few lines.

We are having lots of rain corn and grass is fine, cattle are doing well and selling lots better than last year.

Hello old Bill of Treadway, I sure enjoy your letters, recon you have quit talking in your sleep, come again and stay longer.

Hello Charley Wayland, I have lots of quail again this year about Christmas but don't shoot in my yard.

Yes, Abe, I remember those happy days we spent together and the work we did in the Trustee's office on those rushing days have you forgot the boots?

Come often in the News, I like to hear from all my friends in Hancock many of them like myself have left the dear old County and I would like to hear from you wherever you are.

We have lots of Hancock people in Hawkins County, it would do you good to see us get together and talk about the father-land.

My mind often runs back to old Hancock and to my boyhood days, to War ridge where I used hunt squirrels, and many of you remember how I loved to fish in War creek, trout was plentiful, and one never got away from me.

I would like read another letter from Sgt. H. Williams of Ft. Monroe Va., I would like to exchange jobs with him for the next thirty days as I have an easy job on the farm.

I am the readers of the News and for every home in Hancock County,

I Am Respectfully,
R. T. Brewer.

NOBLESVILLE IND.

Dear Editor:- We will give you the news from this place again, most everybody is done their corn and are making hay and getting ready for wheat threshing.

Wheat is generally good, but oats will not make much, on account of dry weather.

We are glad to see so many letters in The News from our old faields in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Seal, Mr. and Mrs. Carry Musselman and son Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cantwell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Dave Cantwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purkey and daughter Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Purkey and childaen were Sunday visitors of Mr. Abe Baily and family of Ralston, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ireland had as Sunday dinner guests Misses. Edna and Flossie Poole and brothers Henry, Hollis, and Jay.

Mr. Carry Musselman and T. J. Cantwell spent the 4th., at a ball game at Lopel, Ind.

Mrs. Oka Sampson and children John, Alice and Roger spent Sunday with hr father W. S. Oarland

Mr. Porter Garjand has returned to his old job at Verona, Pa.

Mrs. Maud Edrington and children were calling on Mrs. Ida Seal one day last week.

Helen, the little daughter of Shirl Purkey spent Tuesday night with her grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. John Purkey.

Mrs. Walter Ireland and Mrs. T. J. Cantwell were shopping in Noblesville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Seal was calling on Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stephenson Monday evening.

Shorty & Mott.