



"TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE, AND IT MUST FOLLOW AS THE NIGHT THE DAY: THOU CANST NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN."

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"IT PAYS TO BUY FOR CASH."

MRS. BOYD PASSED TO REWARD.

Died Last Thursday at Her Home in Richland—Local News.

Richland, June 12.—Special: Mrs. Mary Rebecca Boyd died at her home here last Thursday, June 8th, at 1 o'clock a. m. She had been partially paralyzed for two weeks, and although it was known that her condition was serious, her death was a surprise. She was the daughter of Rayford Neill, and was born at Old Pickens July 4th, 1851, and had spent her whole life in Oconee. She was married to William Edward Boyd October 30th, 1867. To them seven children were born, six of whom are living. They are: Mrs. S. H. Snead, Mrs. C. E. Gambrell, of Oconee; Mrs. Eugene Pressley, of Pelzer; Mrs. M. G. Garrison, of Ware Shoals; Mrs. J. B. Holder, of Anderson county, and Joe J. Boyd, of Blue Ridge, Ga. All of the children were present at the burial except Mrs. Pressley, who was unable to attend. The deceased is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. H. T. Fricks, of Madison, and Mrs. Miles N. Cannon, of the High Falls section. There are 28 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, all but four of whom were present at the funeral.

The remains were buried in the Richland Presbyterian cemetery Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Revs. J. T. Carey, I. E. Wallace and N. G. Ballenger conducting the services. Mrs. Boyd was a member of Welcome Wesleyan church. Her long life was spent as a devout Christian and faithful church member and worker. Besides the bereaved husband and children a large number of sympathetic friends and relatives attended the funeral.

Mrs. Boyd was quiet and unassuming, devoting her unselfish life to the comfort and happiness of her family, and others who had the pleasure of knowing her in her own home and enjoying her cordial and liberal hospitality. Ever true and loyal to her friends, with never-failing kindness and sympathy to those in need and trouble, she won many friends, in whose hearts she will linger as a sacred memory. As a faithful and helpful wife, a tender, loving and patient mother, her departure will be greatly felt by her sorrowing husband and children.

Mrs. L. M. Berry and Miss Ruth Berry returned home Saturday from a ten days' trip with the "Camp Fire" girls of Seneca near Caesar's Head, above Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stribbling, Misses Belle and Bessie May and David Stribbling, Misses Lynn Verner, Pauline and Christene Anderson attended the commencement exercises at Clemson College Monday and Tuesday.

Stiles and Bruce Stribbling and David McMahan arrived Tuesday afternoon, and Roger Coe arrived Thursday, to spend their vacations with homefolks in the community. Stiles Stribbling brought his sheepskin home with him as a testimonial that he had satisfactorily completed a four-years' course in agriculture and deserved the B. S. degree from the Clemson A. and M. College. He was a member of the largest class that ever graduated at Clemson, there being 118 young men in this year's senior class.

Misses Annie McMahan and Beulah Berry expect to leave this week to take special courses in the George Peabody Institute in Nashville, Tenn. Miss Ada Wyle expects to attend the summer school at Winthrop College, Rock Hill, which will open in a few days.

A. B. Carville, of Abbeville, a recent graduate of Clemson, spent the week-end with Stiles Stribbling.

Children's Day was very appropriately observed at the Richland Sunday school yesterday morning. Numerous recitations and readings by the primary and intermediate pupils and songs by the entire school constituted the program. Dr. E. C. Doyle, of Seneca, made an interesting talk as one who had visited South America. He laid especial emphasis on the prospects of the future in Brazil, the topic of study for the day.

Children's Day at Hopewell.

Children's Day services will be held at Hopewell on Sunday morning, June 18th. Dinner will be served on the grounds, and there will be singing in the afternoon. Everybody cordially invited, and leaders in music are urgently requested to attend.

Republican and Progressive Conventions Choose Presidential Candidates

Republicans Nominate Hughes.

Chicago, June 10.—Charles Evans Hughes, former Governor of New York and Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was nominated to-day for the Presidency by the Republican National Convention.

Charles Warren Fairbanks, of Indiana, elected Vice President with Theodore Roosevelt in 1904, again was chosen for second place on the Republican ticket.

Both nominations, made by overwhelming majorities on the first ballot of the day—the third ballot of the convention for the Presidency—were, by acclamation, made unanimous.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, presented by Col. Roosevelt as a compromise candidate, received seven votes. Col. Roosevelt himself received 18½, scattered over twelve States.

The nominating ballot showed this count:

Hughes	949 ½
Roosevelt	18 ½
Lodge	7
DuPont	5
Weeks	3
La Follette	3
Absent	1

Total 987

Although Frank H. Hitchcock, leader of the Hughes supporters, let it be known that the Hughes men wanted Burton for second place, Ohio withdrew Burton's name, leaving the field to Mr. Fairbanks and former Senator Burkett, of Nebraska.

The ballot for Vice President showed this count:

Fairbanks	863
Burkett	108
Borad	8
Burton	1
Johnson	1
Absent and not voting	6

Total 987

Mr. Hughes will be notified officially at a date to be fixed later by a committee headed by Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, chairman of the convention.

Mr. Fairbanks will be notified by a committee headed by Senator Borah.

At 2.01 p. m. the convention adjourned. There were expressions of harmony from all the leaders and among the delegates.

"Six months ago," said Chairman Hilles, of the National Committee, "I said harmony would be born in the convention, and it was."

"I am very much pleased, of course," said Mr. Hitchcock. "It means a reunited Republican party and victory in November."

The nomination of Mr. Hughes was made possible so soon by an overnight break up of the allied favorite sons' combination, which early this morning released its delegates, practically all of whom were known to favor Mr. Hughes when freed from their instructions.

Hughes Resigns Justiceship.

Washington, June 10.—Charles Evans Hughes resigned to-day from the Supreme Bench and accepted the Republican nomination for President. In a telegram denouncing the administration's foreign policies and declaring for a "dominant, thoroughgoing Americanism," he gave his decision to Chairman Harding, of the Republican National Convention, and broke the long silence which had kept the leaders of his party in the dark as to his attitude on what they termed the great issues of the day.

"I have not desired the nomination," the telegram began. "I have wished to remain on the bench. But in this critical period of our national history I recognize that it is your right to summon and that it is my paramount duty to respond."

Within an hour after Chairman Harding had notified him of his nomination Mr. Hughes had accepted the call. His resignation, a scant two-line letter without a superfluous word, was on its way to the White House from the Hughes home before the nominee had dispatched the message of acceptance. President Wilson accepted the resignation in a reply almost as brief.

When copies of both the telegram

to Chicago and the letter of resignation had been made public, Mr. Hughes left his home for his customary afternoon walk. Soon after his return Lawrence Green, his private secretary, told him of Col. Roosevelt's conditional declination of the Progressive nomination. Mr. Hughes sent word to inquirers that he had nothing to say concerning it.

Fairbanks Also Accepts.

Indianapolis, June 10.—Charles Warren Fairbanks, in a statement given out here to-night, accepted the Republican nomination for Vice President. His statement follows:

"I was not a candidate for the Vice Presidential nomination and requested the chairman of the Indiana delegation to withdraw my name if presented. The nomination was made and the convention adjourned before my dispatch was received. I feel it my duty, under the circumstances, to accept the commission which the party has so generously and unanimously placed in my hands."

A "Hyphenated" Victory?

Chicago, June 11.—Louis E. Brandt, secretary of the German-American Alliance, of Illinois, tonight issued a statement, saying that the members of the alliance had exerted their first political activity in working for the nomination of Chas. E. Hughes for President. The statement said that the campaign for Hughes was planned six months ago and crystallized at a meeting of representatives of alliances from all over the country in Chicago a week ago. A meeting of the political committees of the German-American Alliance will be held in Chicago on Wednesday to promulgate further plans.

Mr. Brandt's statement said that letters from the alliance were already going in the mails calling on 3,000,000 members to vote for Mr. Hughes.

Progressives Choose Teddy.

Chicago, June 10.—The Progressive National Convention, after four tumultuous sessions, with only one purpose in view, to-day nominated Col. Theodore Roosevelt for President, and a few hours later listened, without protest, to a message from Oyster Bay that he would not "accept at this time." The convention adjourned at 4.58 p. m.

Col. Roosevelt's declination was conditional, and it was placed in the hands of the Progressive National Committee to be held until such time as statements to be issued by Justice Hughes, the nominee of the Republican party, "shall satisfy the committee that it is for the interest of the country that he be elected."

In the event the committee shall be satisfied that aid should be given the Republican party, Col. Roosevelt's refusal to make a campaign is to be considered final. It will then be authorized for the representatives of the Progressive party to say whether to endorse the position taken by Mr. Roosevelt or whether they will name another man to fight for their party principles.

John M. Parker, of Louisiana, was nominated for Vice President, the selection being by acclamation.

Col. Roosevelt's running mate of four years ago, Governor Hiram Johnson, of California, refused to let his name be placed before the convention because of the information he had concerning the intentions of Col. Roosevelt toward his nomination. Several other names—notably that of Raymond Robins, who was both temporary and permanent chairman of the convention—were offered, but none seconded.

Roosevelt's Response.

Col. Roosevelt's answer to the Progressive Convention follows: "The Progressive Convention: I am very grateful for the honor you conferred upon me by nominating me as President. I do not accept it at this time. I do not know the attitude of the candidate of the Republican party toward the vital questions of the day. Therefore, if you desire an immediate decision I must decline the nomination. But, if you prefer it, I suggest that my conditional refusal to run be placed in the hands of the Progressive National Committee. If Mr. Hughes' statements, when he makes them, shall

satisfy the committee that it is for the interest of the country that he be elected they can act accordingly and treat my refusal as definitely accepted. If they are not satisfied they can so notify the Progressive party, and at the same time they can confer with me and then determine on whatever action we may severally deem appropriate to meet the needs of the country.

"Theodore Roosevelt."

Who Parker Is.

New Orleans, June 11.—John M. Parker has been active in Louisiana politics since 1886. He was defeated for Governor on the Progressive ticket in the State election in April last. He always had been a Democrat until the Progressive party was formed, and was prominently identified with almost every reform movement within the Democratic party in the city of New Orleans. He never held public office.

For many years he has been an intimate friend of Col. Roosevelt, and when the Progressive party was organized in 1912 Mr. Parker joined that organization. An evidence of his personal popularity was seen in the vote given him as the Progressive candidate for Governor last April, when he received almost 50,000 votes against the successful candidate of the Democratic party, which seldom has had opposition in the elections.

Mr. Parker is 53 years old and was born on a plantation near Port Gibson, Miss. He lived in New Orleans about 40 years and owns several large plantations and is a prominent cotton factor of this city.

Not Altogether Unanimous.

New York, June 11.—The New York delegates to the Progressive Convention at Chicago returned on a special train with anything but unanimity of feeling as to what course their party should pursue. It seemed to be the consensus of opinion, however, that if Col. Roosevelt makes positive his tentative refusal to be a candidate for the Presidency, some other man should be selected by the national executive committee of the party to fill the vacancy.

John J. O'Connell, chairman of the county committee, declared the Progressive party "will not desert the principles" for which it has stood.

"This much is certain," he said, "the national executive committee of our party hereafter will not permit any man not a member of the committee to invade its deliberations and that applies to members."

"It don't want Col. Roosevelt to finally decline the nomination of the party, but if he should I certainly do not expect the committee on vacancies to select Justice Hughes to take his place."

THE PIEDMONT PRESBYTERIANS

Get-Together Meeting to Be Held at Anderson on Tuesday, June 27.

At a meeting of the home mission committee in Anderson Tuesday it was decided to call a conference of all the elders, deacons, Sunday school superintendents and preachers in Piedmont Presbytery, to meet at the First Presbyterian church, Anderson, Tuesday, June 27, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The conference is to be in the nature of a social, "get-together" meeting, and the purpose of it is to formulate an aggressive and constructive policy for Presbyterians in this section. There will be two sessions, with a luncheon between, furnished by the Baracca and Philathea classes of the First church. Some prominent speakers will be brought in from some of the neighboring cities and talks will be made by local workers.

The idea is that there are enough of automobiles in every congregation to carry all who can come; that they can leave home after dinner and get back home that night from any part of the Presbytery, and spend several hours in consideration of the work of the church. The idea was suggested by the Masonic meeting recently held at Clemson College, when more than three hundred Masons, many of them Presbyterians, gathered from the three counties that compose Piedmont Presbytery, and spent several hours pleasantly and profitably in witnessing the work of this lodge, and returned to their homes that night.

Dr. W. H. Frazier and Rev. J. B. Wallace were appointed a committee to prepare a program and make arrangements for this meeting.

It is hoped that every Presbyterian official in the Presbytery will begin at once to make his plans to attend this meeting.

Lieutenant Governor Andrew J. Bethea formally announced last Saturday that he will stand for re-election in the August primaries.

June 14, 1916.
139 Years Ago To-day
The first form of the American Flag, 13 Stars and 13 Stripes, was adopted by Congress.

Some of you people who read this are no doubt rather superstitious about the number thirteen, but not so with the good old U. S. A., and it never has proven unlucky for her. However, if any of you do not want to open a bank account with us on the thirteenth, to-day is the fourteenth, and to-morrow the fifteenth, so why not fall in line? The man who delays never gets anywhere.

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July Fourth at Hunnicutt's.

The regular Fourth of July picnic will be held at Hunnicutt's Bridge, on Little River, and the biggest crowd in the history of these annual gatherings is expected. Everybody is invited to attend and bring well-filled baskets. All candidates are expected, and each will be given an opportunity to be heard. County Chairman Jas. M. Moss will call the meeting to order at 10 o'clock. Two candidates for Congress will certainly be there, and they ask that the farmers and cotton mill people attend, as they have something to say to them. The candidates for Solicitor will also address the gathering. The speaking will be started by the county candidates, Frank H. Shirley speaking first, and then Jos. W. Shelor, both candidates for State Senate. These will be followed by the others in their regular order until the afternoon, when the candidates for Solicitor and Congress will be heard. Music and dancing will be furnished for the entertainment of the young folks. Refreshments will be sold on the grounds. Everybody come and celebrate the Glorious Fourth.

Card of Thanks.

Editor Keowee Courier: Please give us space in your columns to return sincere thanks to Dr. Wickliffe, neighbors and friends who so faithfully supplied our needs during the recent illness and death of our companion and mother. May God bless, keep and save them all is our prayer.
W. E. Boyd and Children.
Richland, June 13, 1916.

Death Takes Two Children.

Wolf Stake, June 12.—Special: The farmers of this community are almost ready to have their grain threshed.

Mrs. W. J. Hunt visited her mother, Mrs. A. W. Gillespie, of Pendleton, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor and family and the Messrs. Abercrombie and Rollard, of Woodruff, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor the latter part of last week.

Lloyd, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Smith, of this community, died last Sunday, June 11th, after a brief illness from whooping cough. The interment of the little body took place at Wolf Stake on the 12th. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved parents.

On last Sunday W. H. Brewer was called to the bedside of his father, J. H. Brewer, of West Union, who is quite sick. We hope for his early recovery.

Last Thursday God saw fit to take for his own the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cater. The body was laid to rest in Wolf Stake cemetery the day following at 3 o'clock. Many friends of the family sympathize with the bereaved ones.

J. D. Cater and seven of his family have been quite ill for ten days, suffering from dysentery, which is quite prevalent in this section. Mr. Carter has been very ill, and at times his life was despaired of. So far only one death has resulted, that of the little one mentioned above. The sick ones are all slowly improving. We hope for their early restoration.

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