THE NEW NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

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protection below and diversion, storage and control of the flood water above, and their utilization for beneficial purposes in the reclamation of arid and swamp lands and development of water power, instead of permitting the floods to continue as heretofore agents of destruction.

We hold that the control of the Mississippi river is a national problem. The preservation of the depth of its waters for purposes of navigation, the building of levces and works of bank protection to maintain the integrity of its channel and prevent the overflow of its valleys resulting in the interruption of interstate commerce, the disorganization of the mail service and the enormous loss of life and property, impose an obligation which alone can be discharged by the national government.

We favor the adoption of a liberal and comprehensive plan for the development and improvement of our harbors and efficiency so as to permit their navigation by vessels of standard draft.

Alaska.

It has been and will be the policy of the Democratic party to enact all laws necessary for the speedy development of Alaska and its great natuval resources

Territories.

We favor granting to the people of Alaska, Hawii and Porto Rico the of traditional territorial government accorded to all Territories of the United States since the beginning of our government, and we believe the officials appointed to administer the government of those several Territories should be qualified by previous bona fide residence.

Candidates.

We unreservedly endorse our President and Vice President, Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, and Thomas Riley Marshall, of Indiana, who have performed the functions of their great offices faithfully and impartially, and with distinguished ability.

In particular, we commend to the American people the splendid diplomatic victories of our great President, who has preserved the vital interests of our government and its citizens and kept us out of war.

Woodrow Wilson stands to-day the greatest American of his generation. Conclusion.

This is a critical period in the history of America; a critical hour in the history of the world. Upon the record above set forth, which shows great achievement in following out a consistent policy of our domestic and internal development; upon the record of the domestic administration which has maintained the honor the dignity and the interests of the United States and at the same time retained the respect and friendship of all the nations of the world, and upon the great policies for the future strengthening of the life of our country and the enlargement of our national vision and the ennobling of our international relations as set forth above, we appeal with confidence to the voters of the country.

THE TENTH ANNUAL MEETING | Jas. H. Black and Geo. Brock Dead.

Beaverdam W. M. U., First Westminster Baptist Church, July 6-7.

Following is the program of the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to Beaverdam Association, to be held with the First Westminster Baptist church Thursday and Friday, July 6 and 7:

First Session.

10.00 a. m .--- Conference of association executive committee. 10.30-Recognizing Divine Guid-

ance by praise and prayer.

Greeting-Mrs. L. M. Lyda. Response-Mrs. J. W. Shelor. Roll call of W. M. Societies, with

eports.

Presentation of badges to honor roll societies.

Distribution of apportionment cards, Bible studies and literature.

Message from State superintendent of mission study-Mrs. J. T. Rice.

Report of superintendent, secretary and treasurer and division presidents. Quiet hour-"Getting Better Ac-

quainted with Jesus Through His Miracles." Lesson taught by Mrs. C. His Watson. E.

Reading of association policy. Election of nominating committee. Appointment of committee on time,

place and resolutions. Announcements; prayer; recess

Second Session. 2.00 p. m .- Children's session.

Processional of young people and children, with banners and songs. Bible lesson for Sunbeams-

Learning God through Nature and His Work. Taught and illustrated by Mrs. C. E. Watson.

Welcome-Minnie Lee Sorrells. Response-Madeline Dilworth. Roll call of bands, with reports. Presentation of badges to honor roll bands

Report of associate superintendent Sunbeams.

Story-telling hour for children (il

lustrated)—Mrs. J. A. Watkins. "South Carolina's Place in South-ern Union"—Miss Bewley Hunsinger. Report on Margaret Fund---Mrs. J L. Marett

Report on obituaries; dismissal.

Third Session. 8.30 p. m .--- Opening missionary session.

Young people's processional, with music, banner and songs.

Praise service-Devotional led by Rev. L. M. Lyda.

"The Foreign Mission Call and and Opportunity," by a returned missionary. "The Home Mission Demands if

America is held for Christ"-Rev. C. D. Boyd Collection for debt on foreign mis-

sion work. Reading of beginning and progress

of Baptist woman's mission work-Mrs. C. E. Watson. Dismissal.

Fourth Session.

(Y. W. A., G. A., R. A.) 10.00 a. m.—Young people's pro-cessional—Devotional by Mrs. T. D. Marett.

arett. (Special music). Presentation of the Bible studies designed for each department for the next year-Mrs. S. F. Reeder.

Reports from auxiliaries and chapters. Presentation of badges to honor

Report of superintendent of Y. W

A. and G. A. Report of R. A. superintendent. M

R. A. Bible lesson-Mrs. T. Galphin. Cultivating the art of story-telling

in G. A.'s and R. A.'s-Miss Ruth Berry Training school hour, (Report of committee)—Mrs. S. F. Reeder.

Report on personal service-Mrs. T. M. Galphin.

Report of nominating committee; election of officers; dismissal.

Fifth Session.

2.00 p. m.-Consecration service-Devotional by Mrs. C. E. Watson. The year's record presented in chart form—Mrs. O. K. Breazeale.

FINAL COTTON STATISTICS.

A Big Decrease—Smallest Crop Since 1909-S. C. a Big Producer.

Final statistics of the 1915 cotton crop of the United States, issued by the census bureau last week, placed the production at 11,191,820 equivalent to 500-pound bales. This is the smallest crop since 1909.

Every State decreased. Oklahoma's decrease was the greatest, the crop being less than half that of 1914. Linter production was a new record, and \$\$0,780 bales were ginned, exceeding 1914 by a 24,000-bale increase, due in part to the high price of fiber, used extensively in munitions.

Texas, Georgia, South Carolina and Alabama produced almost two-thirds of the total crop. Ellis county, Texas, led the counties with 117,337 bales. Bolivar county, Mississippi, was the only other county to gin over a hundred thousand. She had 102,828 bales.

Program Beaverdam Picnic.

Following is the program for the Sunday school picnic at Beaverdam church, to be held on July 4th. This picnic is to be taken part in by all the Sunday schools of Center and Tugaloo townships.

Tuesday, July 4th.

10.15 a. m.-Address by Rev. I. E. Wallace, 11.00—Reports from Sunday schools 11.15-Address by Rev. T. G. Watts

12.00 m.-Adjournment for din ner.

1.30 p. m.--Sunday school parade. 2.00—Singing by each Sunday tool. (Two songs.) school. (Two songs.) 2.30-Address by Rov. W. H. K.

Pendleton. 3.15-Business and adjournment. The dinner will be managed as before. Each school will set up its banner and spread its dinner to itself because it would be practically impossible to serve all at one table.

Georgia's Big Honey Raiser.

C. D. Boyd.

(Clayton Tribune.)

J. J. Wilder, of Cordele, Ga., who holds the world's record as the largest apiarist, is spending the summer with his family at their cottage in Mountain City. Mr. Wilder was in the Tribune office Wednesday and said in the year 1915 he produced and shipped ten car loads of honey. This year he is expecting twelve car loads. These cars sell at an average of \$2,000 per car.

Salted whale meat is considered a great delicacy by the Japanese





Marshall and Fairbanks

Indianapolis, Ind., June 19 .- For the first time in the history of American politics, the candidates for the Vice Presidency of both the Democratic and Republican partles are from the same city, Indianapolls. Vice President Marshall, who was renominated by acclamation at the St. Louis convention, and Charles W. Fairbanks, who was named by the Chicago convention, despite their differences politically, also are warm personal friends of long standing.

Among the first to congratulate Mr. Fairbanks on his nomination was Mr. Marshall, and the Republican nominee has just sent his congratulations to the Vice President.

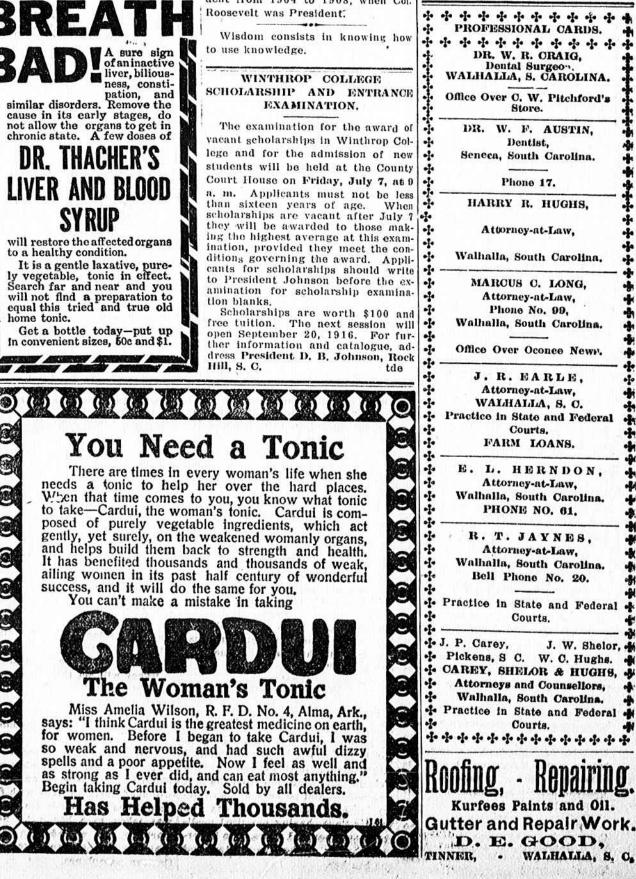
Another coincidence is the fact that both have held the office for which they are now candidates, Mr. Fairbanks having been Vice Presi-

Teddy Will Support Hughes.

New York, June 21 .--- Immediately after a call on Chas. E. Hughes in his headquarters at the Hotel Astor, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, went to Oyster Bay yesterday afternoon and talked for more than an hour with Col. Roosevelt. On returning to the railroad station Senator Lodge was asked if the Colonel would support Mr. Hughes for President. He replied: "That is my impression."

He would not repeat the conversation that gave the grounds for his impression, nor would he discuss his talk with the Colonel in any way except to say it had turned on national politics and on the Mexican situation.

Isolation is the most efficient



will not be denied the right to partic-August because of being ordered to ning has addressed the following telegram to the colonels of the two regiments:

provides that in case of mobilization of the National Guard the State committee shall provide for the enrollment and voting of members of the National Guard. Every soldier entitled to vote must be accorded that privilege. In order that no question may arise, instruct the company commanders by wire to urge upon the members of their several commands to enroll at once. Every white man entitled to vote in South Carolina must have his rights protected.

"Richard I. Manning, "Commander-in-Chief."

Wolf Stake Locals,

a bright and promising youth. He leaves his heart-broken parents, one brother and two sisters, to whom the sincere condolence of a host of friends is extended. Mrs. Brock was Miss Unity Porter, only daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Porter, and lived near Westminster before her marriage. Funeral and interment took place in Central.

(Tugaloo Tribune, 20th.)

at the home of his son-in-law, J. W.

Smith, June 10th. He was sick only

seven days. Mr. Black spent most of

came to Oconee eleven years ago, and

settled in the Earle's Grove section,

in the lower part of the county. In

February past he came to Westmin-

ster to make his home with his son-

in-law. Mr. Black was 73 years of

age and had been a devoted member

of the Baptist church for 55 years.

He was one of our heroic soldiers,

having served three years and eight

months in the Civil War. He reared

a large family of children, who re-

side in Anderson and Oconee coun-

ties, and some in Georgia. He was

a well-to-do farmer, and truly a good

man has gone to his reward. His

remains were laid to rest Sunday

morning, June 11th, in the cemetery

at Center Methodist church (Oak-

way) by the side of the grave of his

wife, who preceded him three years.

Funeral services were conducted by

George Brock.

eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John W.

Brock, of Central, was received here

with much sadness among his rela-

tives and friends. He died at 11

o'clock Monday morning, after suf-

fering intensely for several months

from an attack of inflammatory rheu-

matism. He was treated in a hospi-

tal at Greenville for several weeks

and everything possible was done to

stay the ravages of disease, but all to

no avail. George would have been

13 years old on August 3d, and was

News of the death of Geo. Brock,

Rev. J. A. Martin.

He

his life in Anderson county.

Jas. H. Black, of Eastminster, died

Militiamen Will Have Right to Vote.

Columbia, June 23 .--- Members of the South Carolina National Guard ipate in the Democratic primary in the Mexican border. Governor Man-

"The law regulating the primary

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Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones Take a dose of nasty calomel to-day and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated to-morrow. Don't lose day's work. Take a spoonful 01 Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you .--- Adv.

Proposal Rejected, Man Suicided.

Jefferson, Ga., June 20 .- A victim of unrequitted love, Lam Daniel, 20 years old, committed suicide last night at the home of his sweetheart, near here.

Daniel, who had been deeply in love for some time, Monday night called upon the object of his affections, determined to put the matter to a test. The young lady received him, but declined his proposal of marriage. Deeply dejected, the young man secured from the barn a shotgun belonging to the girl's father, loaded it with shells which he carried in his pocket, returned to his sweetheart's home and on the front porch shot himself. The load inflicted a deep wound in his abdomen, from which, despite prompt medical attention, he died two hours later.

Importance of association executive committee meeting. Open discussion. Discussion of Northern Division

Institute for 1917. Report of committee on time and place

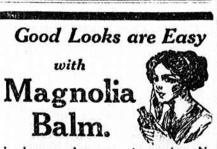
'Adoption of association policy. Report of committee on resolulions

Reading of minutes; closing exercises.

Let every one keep these two dates clearly in mind, and see to it that your society is well represented. We must not fail to make this our enth anniversary the very best in our Mrs. O. K. Breazeale, history. Superintendent.

A Young South Carolina Patriot.

Columbia, June 22.-Kendrell Williams, aged 11, of Mullins, wired the Governor Tuesday offering his 'services in defense of his country." The Governor wired in return that the "spirit that prompts you is symbolic of all true South Carolinians and deserves the highest commendation. I only regret that your youth prevents the nation from receiving the benefit of your services."



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Wolf Stake, June 19.-Special: The Sunday school at this place is doing nicely with R. L. Boggs as superintendent.

Miss Mamie Taylor and brother Arthur visited their friends, Miss Lucia and Harrison Orr, of Clearmont, the week-end.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kelley is suffering with dysentery. We hope for the little one's early recovery.

Mrs. O. T. White, of Greenville, is visiting her brother, W. M. Mur phree, this week.

Brown's Body in Rio Grande.

Brownsville, Texas, June 22 .--- The Body of Wm. Brown, a brother of Mayor Albert Brown, of this city, was found in the Rio Grande river, on the Mexican side, 10 miles south of Matamoros, Tuesday. Brown is said to have been last seen in Matamoros Saturday afternoon. He is believed to have been murdered and the body thrown into the river.



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less vegetable compound, and is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money will be returned. Insist on the original, bearing the likeness and algnature of L. K. Grigsby. For sale here at 50c. and \$1 at Norman Company's .--- Adv.