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The Advertiser is very much humiliated when it has to make an apology for unusual short-comings in the paper, but there are times when it has to be done. This issue of the paper was gotten out without our linotype operator, who has been sick for several days, and his work has fallen on other members of the force who are not accustomed to it. Some of our news stories have been cut down and some cut out, but there is an abundance of plate matter which we newspaper folks fall back on in a pinch. We regret very much that we are not able to cover our usual field this week.

### WARREN G. HARDING, REPUBLICAN NOMINEE, IS NEWSPAPER MAN

Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—For president of the United States, Warren G. Harding of Ohio.  
For vice president, Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts.  
This is the Republican ticket for the 1920 campaign.  
It was chosen in the convention this afternoon after a long drawn out battle, ten ballots being required to nominate Harding for the first place on the ticket.  
Harding's vote was 674 7-10 nearly more than 220 in excess of the number required to nominate.  
His nearest competitor, General Leonard Wood, received 157 1-2 on the final ballot.  
Hiram Johnson, in third place, received 80 4-5.  
Frank O. Lowden, on the final ballot received 12.  
Harding, the junior senator from Ohio, had the backing of every one of the old guard leaders in the convention. He was also favored by Boise Penrose, who from his sick bed in Philadelphia issued his orders to the convention through Senator Watson of Indiana and John T. King of Connecticut.

Starting out with the small vote of 65 1-2 votes on the first ballot taken yesterday, Harding, with the aid of the masterly leaders of the old guard faction, steadily won his way to the top, gaining on each successive ballot taken today. His lowest vote was 58 1-2 and was recorded in the third ballot yesterday.  
Warren G. Harding is editor and proprietor of the Marion Ohio Star and has represented Ohio in the United States senate since Nov. 3, 1914. He is a Baptist, admirer of the late Col. Theodore Roosevelt and of the military genius of Napoleon and the statesmanship of Alexander Hamilton. He numbers William Howard Taft among his closest friends. He was born Nov. 2, 1865 in Blooming Grove, Morrow County, Ohio.  
On his father's side the Republican nominee for the presidency is a descendant of the Scots who settled in Pennsylvania in Colonial times. His father was a physician. His mother was Miss Phoebe Elizabeth Dickerson a descendant of the Van Kirk family of Dutch ancestry.

### Boyhood on Farm

His boyhood was spent on the farm which his father conducted in addition to practicing medicine. After attending the "little red school house" of the neighboring town until he was 14 he entered the Ohio Central College at Iberia from which he was graduated in 1882. He paid most of the expenses of his tuition from his own earnings in cutting corn, driving teams, working as a railroad laborer and also in painting barns. He also worked in the office of the village paper and there learned the art of setting type and "making up" forms. In his graduating year he taught a village school and also played the horn in the village band.

When the family moved to Marion in 1884, the young man, with the assistance of his father, acquired a half interest in the Daily Star and assumed the editorship of the struggling little journal. He had been editor only ten days when the Blaine and Logan campaign opened in Chicago. He became a Blaine enthusiast and finally told the two printers and the office boy to get out the paper and hurried away to Chicago. When he got back to Marion the sheriff had closed his shop. He then became a reporter on the Marion Mirror at \$7 a week and kept the place until he was

fired for refusal to write an editorial against Blaine.

Finally he and "Jack" Warwick now a paragon on the Toledo Blade managed to raise enough money to resurrect the Star. Warwick drew out of the venture shortly afterward, but Harding stuck and got the paper on its feet. It is stated that in all the time of his ownership there has never been a strike or a threat of a strike on the paper which is now prosperous and powerful.

### Political Success

In 1900 Harding decided to accept the nomination for state senator. He was elected and served four years. In 1901 he was named for lieutenant governor but was defeated because of a split in the party. His popularity in the state increased rapidly and he was talked of for the presidency and when he ran for the senate in 1914 he was elected by a majority of 100,000 running 3,000 votes ahead of the nearest man on the ticket.

In the senate he has made a notable record. He became a member of the important committee on foreign relations and during the war was a warm supporter of the Wilson administration. Later, however, he criticized the president severely.

### His Opinion of Roosevelt

Before the United States entered the war the senator was asked what he thought would have happened to the country if Roosevelt had been president when the war began.

"If Theodore Roosevelt had been president," he replied, "the Lusitania never would have been sunk and we should today be living under the guarantee of peace rather than trembling on the verge of war."

He introduced in the senate an amendment to a bill which, if it had been adopted, would have permitted the former colonel of the rough riders to organize a division of volunteers and lead it to France.

At the end of the war Senator Harding was an earnest advocate of prompt making and of legitimate cooperation among the nations of the world to avert danger of future wars, but he was strongly opposed to adoption of the league of nations covenant without effective reservations. Justifying his position on this question, the senator said in a speech in the senate last September:

"It may be very old fashioned; it may be reactionary; it may be shocking to pacifists and dreamers alike, but I choose for our own people, a hundred million or more, the right to search the American conscience and prescribe our own obligations to ourselves and the world's civilization."

### Need Honesty in Politics

The senator believes honesty to be a panacea for all the ills of the political system. "And we don't need honesty in politics any more than we need it in business, in social life or religion" he added, in speaking on this line recently. "It will drive out cheats and swindlers, high and low. There is no end to the reformation it will work. It exalts men and commands confidence. The American belief in Colonel Roosevelt is founded on the popular belief in his absolute honesty."

The Hardings live in a comfortable home, the most conspicuous feature of which is the number of books scattered about the rooms. The senator is very fond of dogs and likes to drive an automobile or run a motor boat, being an expert at both.

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solid Lowden state, flopped completely into the Harding column.

Amid scenes of rising enthusiasm other blocks of Lowden delegates followed suit while many of the routed Wood supporters also went into the Harding camp. By the end of the roll call Senator Harding had rolled up a total of 374, putting him far in the lead and several score of votes nearer the nomination than any candidate had been before. Lowden, at the end of the ninth, had only 121 votes left out of the 397 with which he ended the eighth, and General Wood's strength had fallen from 299 on the eighth to 249 on the ninth. Johnson dropped from 87 to 82.

### "How We Cleared Our Summer Home of Rats," by Mrs. Perry.

"When we opened our seaside home last May, it was alive with rats. They'd gnawed all the upholstery. We cleaned them out in a week with RAT-SNAP. I prefer this rat killer because it comes in cake form, no mixing. Saves drying hands and plates." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Laurens Hardware Co., Putnam's Drug Store and Kennedy Bros.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their many kindnesses during the sickness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. E. C. Murphy, and to assure them that their thoughtfulness will ever be appreciated by us, Sister and Children.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—One 34 x 4 Goodyear casing with inner tube and rim on June the 2nd between Mountville and Laurens. Finder will please notify J. M. Simmons, Mountville, S. C., and get reward.

LOST—Several weeks ago, heifer weighing about 400 pounds. Finder please notify me. Dick Owings, Laurens, S. C. 48-11-pd.

Clay Pens—Ten bushels at \$5.00 per bushel. A. J. Martin, Gray Court, Route 2. 48-11-pd.

Found—Calf about three months old. Owner can secure same by identifying and paying for this advertisement and costs. R. W. Steffart, Lanfor Station. 48-11-pd.

Wanted—Clean rags, no strings. Advertiser Printing Co.

For Sale—Grade Aberdeen-Angus milk cow, with heifer calf ten days old, by her side. Apply to J. B. Humbert, Ware Shoals, Rt. 2. 47-51-pd.

Wanted—To sell Sideboard and Dining Table of dark quartered oak, in good condition. Will sell cheap. Mrs. H. Nichols. 4-21.

For Sale—One new Bungalow on large lot on South Harper st. J. S. Maehen. 47-21-pd.

Vulcanizing—Since the advance of tires, why not save by having your old one vulcanized? We do not let inexperienced men work on your tires. All work guaranteed. Standard Gas and Oils. McDaniel Vulcanizing Plant, next door to hotel. 46-21-pd.

Wanted—Sawmill man with complete outfit manufacture and put on cars 300,000 ft. pine timber located mile and a half from Renno, S. C. Will pay \$25 per thousand. Address: C. C. Robbins, Gaffney, S. C. 45-11-pd.

Notice—We sell gasoline at 33 cents per gallon. J. D. Culbertson, Maddens. 46-51.

New Ford For Sale—One new Ford touring car with self starter and electric lights. T. B. Sumnerel. 48-11-pd.

Trucks—One new 1 1/2 ton DeLafayette truck for sale. Price right. T. B. Sumnerel. 48-11-pd.

Cars For Sale—Some good used cars for sale. Fords, Overlands and Maxwells both roadsters and touring cars from \$100 up. T. B. Sumnerel. 48-11-pd.

Cars Washed—Come to T. B. Sumnerel's garage to have your cars washed, oiled and greased. 48-11-pd.

Mules For Sale—Two good small mules, in good condition, both sound and all right and I offer them at a cheap price. T. B. Sumnerel. 48-11-pd.

Buggies For Sale—Still have a good line of buggies on hand, open and top, either in rubber or steel tires, with three different colors of running gear. T. B. Sumnerel. 47-11-pd.

For Sale—Second hand buggy. One good second hand top buggy. Price right. T. B. Sumnerel. 48-11-pd.

Notice—Laurens Trust Company will pay you 6 per cent interest for your money. 15-11.

### J. C. Burns & Co. Special Sale.

Bandon L.L. Sea Island, Annull L.L. Sea Island, 36 in. wide, worth the yard. Our special sale price, 25c. at both stores.

### Notice

We have a large force of men transferring our wires to new poles. Power will be off at frequent intervals for a short time for several days. We ask the indulgence of consumers until completion of this necessary work. REEDY RIVER POWER CO. 48-11.

### Notice of Dissolution.

By authority of the Board of Directors, the stockholders of Laurens Gas & Fuel Company, a corporation, are notified to meet at the office of the said company at Laurens, South Carolina, on July 3rd, 1920, at ten o'clock, A. M., to consider a resolution for the dissolution of the said corporation. W. E. MENG, President, J. D. MENG, Secretary. May 31, 1920. 46-11-A

### Citation for Letters of Administration.

By O. G. Thompson, Probate Judge: Whereas J. W. Kellett and Lizzie T. Wilson made suit unto me to grant them Letters of Administration of the Estate and Effects of Rhoda Kellett. These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Rhoda Kellett, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Laurens Court House, Laurens, S. C., on the 25th day of June, 1920 next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted. Given under my hand this 11th day of June, Anno Domini 1920. O. G. THOMPSON, J. P. S. C. 48-21-A.

### FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 2nd day of July, 1920, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of Eliza Eicher, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as Administrator. Any person indebted to said estate is notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven or be forever barred. W. C. WHITMIRE, Administrator. June 2, 1920. 46-51-A

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of Court of Laurens County subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. B. A. SULLIVAN, Jr.

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of Court for Laurens County, subject to rules of the Democratic Party. C. A. POWER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Senate from Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the results of the Democratic primary. JACK H. DAVIS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate from Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the rules of the Democratic primary. O. P. GOODWIN.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the senate from Laurens county, subject to the rules and regulations of the democratic primary. PHIL D. HUFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the state senate from Laurens county, and pledge myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the democratic primary. O. L. LONG.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate from Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the results of the Democratic primary. R. D. BOYD.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the results of the Democratic primary. TOWNS A. WILLIS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as solicitor of the Eighth district subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. H. S. BLACKWELL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial District, and pledge myself to abide by the rules of the Democratic primary. J. HOWARD MOORE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. COLUMBUS L. OWENS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Laurens county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. S. C. REID.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election for County Commissioner of Laurens county, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. A. Homer Moore.

I hereby announce myself for re-election for Coroner of Laurens county, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary, running on my record for the past two years. R. R. OWINGS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Coroner of Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. W. HAMPTON WHITLOCK.

### How a Noted Vet. Gets Rid of Rats—Farmers Heed.

Dr. H. H. Butler says, "I use RAT-SNAP around my hospitals every three months, whether I see rats or not. It does the work—RAT-SNAP gets them every time. I recommend it to everybody having rats." Don't wait until there is a brood of rats, act immediately you see the first one. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by Laurens Hardware Co., Putnam's Drug Store and Kennedy Bros.

### A GOOD FARM.

- \* 127 ACRES ON ROAD FROM GRAY COURT TO LAURENS.
- \* 125 ACRES IN CULTIVATION.
- \* 10 ACRES IN PASTURE.
- \* 5 ACRES IN WOODLAND, ONE 4-STALL BARN, ONE 3-STALL BARN, 6-ROOM TENANT HOUSE
- \* THIS IS NICE LEVEL LAND
- \* AND WORTH THE MONEY.

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- \* 75 acres east of Laurens, near O. P. Goodwin's.
- \* 137 acres near Gray Court.
- \* 143 acres in Greenville County, near Lebanon church.
- \* 100 acres near Ware Shoals.
- \* 103 acres at Mountville.

Other good farms that I shall be glad to show you. Prices and terms right. I also have all kinds of city property for sale. One nice new store for rent on East Main street. I buy and sell all kinds of stocks.

Call and see the oldest Real Estate dealer in Laurens, with twelve years' experience.

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- 170 acres, 6 miles west of Laurens.
- 217 acres, 9 miles of Laurens.
- 56 acres nice land near Eden.
- 350 acres, near Boyd's Mill.
- 234 acres, 6 miles west of Laurens, well improved.
- 100 acres, 4 miles of Laurens.
- 52 acres, 6 miles of Laurens
- One 32 acre and one 60 acre tract near Hickory Tavern.
- 75 acres east of Laurens, near O. P. Goodwin's.
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