

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Election Monday, September 5, 1904.

- For Governor, JEFF DAVIS. For Secretary of State, O. C. LUDWIG. For State Auditor, AVERY E. MOORE. For State Treasurer, H. C. TIPTON. For State Land Commissioner, F. E. CONWAY. For State Superintendent of Public Instruction, J. H. HINEMON. For Commissioner of Mines and Agriculture, H. T. BRADFORD. For Attorney General, ROBERT L. ROGERS. For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, JOSEPH M. HILL. For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, E. A. McCULLOCH. For Railroad Commissioner, J. W. PHILLIPS.

- DISTRICT OFFICES. For Congressman, First District, R. BRUCE MACON. For Prosecuting Attorney, 1st Judicial Circuit, P. B. ANDREWS.

- COUNTY OFFICES. For Representative, F. W. DeROSIET. For County and Probate Judge, T. C. FOLBRE, Sr. For Circuit Clerk, GEORGE B. MALLORY. For County and Probate Clerk, T. C. MERWIN.

- For Sheriff and Collector, J. D. MCKNIGHT. For Assessor, J. B. TERRY. For Treasurer, F. LAUGHINGHOUSE. For Surveyor, J. FRED PREWEIT. For Coroner, J. H. ALLEY. For Magistrates, Madison Township, J. B. SANDERS. J. E. STONE. For Constable, GEORGE BOTTOMS.

Is it possible that we shall have only one more election this spring?

The new city hall is one of the neatest offices in town, and is abreast of our advancement.

The next election occurs on May 21. We hardly know what the bar followers shall do from then until September. It will be a case of 'a long time between drinks.'

The Japanese gave the Bears a little taste of high life this time. A first-class battleship with 600 men, and two smaller vessels of the Russian fleet were put out of business for good and all.

Spring is here, and the mind of the enterprising citizen gently turns to paint, repairs, improvements, and new enterprises. Now that Forrest City is a city of the second class, let us all give a long pull, a hard pull and a pull altogether to make her a city of the first class.

The Lee county democratic convention held on April 2nd, 1904, unanimously passed a resolution pledging the hearty support of the democracy of the county for the democratic ticket, state and national, from president down to constable. Lee county can always be relied upon to support the ticket.

It is hoped that the additional authority given the council and officers of the City of Forrest City will be exerted at once in the direction of sidewalks. The walks on the south side are dangerous, and there are others in various parts of town. The owners should be required to rebuild them at once.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bremo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

We have been asked by certain friends to urge upon democrats the importance of voting in the general election in order that this county may have her proper representation in the state, judicial, senatorial and congressional conventions. We have been doing this very thing for twenty years, but it seems to do no good. The politicians alone can get the people to turn out to an election, and in this country the nomination is equal to an election, and therefore the politicians cease their efforts after the primaries. We will do what we can to get the voters to turn out in September to vote for Governor Davis, and thus increase our representation, but our efforts must be supplemented by the activity of other party workers.

TOO MUCH AT STAKE.

There is no sort of doubt that the citizens of the St. Francis levee district want to manage the affairs of the levee without interference from any political source. They object seriously to appointments of members on the levee board as a reward for political service rendered to the governor or any one else in high authority. A bill will accordingly be introduced in the next general assembly reorganizing the board and mentioning those who are to serve the district. No doubt this will be contested by the governor, who will desire to retain the patronage the law now gives, but there is little doubt that in the end such a bill as proposed will pass. There is too much at stake for the citizens of eastern Arkansas to permit politics to have anything to do with the board or with the affairs of the district.—Arkansas Democrat.

There is very little, if any, general expression of the democratic voters in this county on the question of a candidate for president or vice-president.

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Birthday Party.

Georgie Merwin celebrated her tenth birthday on last Monday afternoon. Out-door games were enjoyed by her little girl friends. The diningroom was prettily decorated. In the center of the table was a large cake, with ten lighted candles. The cream was in the shape of candles set in pink candlesticks, with burning tapers in each.

The little girls present were: Allyne Rollway, Helen Nichols, Emily Galling, Margaret Barrow, Goodwyn Tipton, Bessie May Williams, Virginia Rollway, Victoria Mann, Bessie Jones, Nellie Higgs, Mary Davidson, Courtney Cowan, Rosalie Neely, Evelyn Pettus, Nannie and Carrie Evans, Anna Clay Sanders, Anna Roieson, Neil Gorman.

Judging from the shouts of laughter and the sunny faces as these sweet little lassies wended their way homeward, they must have had a delightful time. Miss Georgie was the recipient of a number of pretty presents, and was a vivacious little hostess.

Played Pit.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Folbre entertained a few couples of young folk last Monday night in their usual gallant and gracious manner, and all spent a delightful evening in their hospitable home.

The exciting game of Pit was the feature, and dainty fruits were served. Those present were: Addie Horney, Irma Stevens, Lottie Thomas, Lydia Mason, Nannie Williams, Mamie Nelson, Elsworth Hambleton, Ouis Stevens, Ed. McLain, Theo Myers, Tom Tarter, Henry Enet and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williams, jr.

Choctaw Rates.

Below are rates and dates of sale of tickets from Forrest City, Ark., to St. Louis, account Louisiana Purchase Expedition, via Choctaw Route: Season tickets will be on sale daily from April 15th to November 30th, 1904, inclusive, bearing final return limit of December 15th, 1904 at rate of \$15.05.

Sixty-day tickets will be on sale daily from April 25th to November 30th, 1904, inclusive, bearing final return limit of sixty (60) days from date of sale, but in no case later than December 15th, 1904, at rate of \$12.55.

Ten-day tickets will be on sale daily from April 27th to November 30th, 1904, inclusive, bearing final return limit of ten (10) days from date of sale, but in no case later than December 5th, 1904, at rate of \$11.30.

For further information call on or address R. E. PALMER, Local Agent C. R. I. & P. R'y., Forrest City, Ark.

BILL WILLIAMS' RESIGNATION Accepted and Then Rejected by Governor Jefferson Davis.

One of the most interesting post-primary sensations, says the Arkansas Democrat, came to light Saturday afternoon, when it became known that Col. W. E. Williams, ex-sheriff of St. Francis county, had resigned as a member of the board of state charitable institutions, after denouncing Governor Davis in unmeasured terms for mistreating him. The resignation was accepted and then the acceptance was withdrawn. A Forrest City correspondent Saturday evening sent out the following: "Forrest City, Ark., April 9.—Quite a sensation in political circles was sprung by ex-Sheriff W. E. Williams upon his return from a recent visit to Little Rock, where he denounced Governor Davis in large red letters, and exhibited a letter to the governor in which he resigned his position upon the state board of charities. Mr. Williams' allegiance to the governor has for years been of state notoriety, and to him is ascribed in a great measure the governor's victory in carrying the county at the recent primary. Speculation as to the real cause of the breach between the two gentlemen is rife." The letter of resignation is said to have been couched in the bitterest terms, and written in red ink.

The records of the secretary of state show that the resignation was accepted and that Hon. M. P. Huddleston of Paragould was appointed as his successor. Then something happened. The public has not been advised just what it was as the newspaper representatives are not permitted to enter the office of the governor of the state, or to secure any information relative to public matters that the governor does not wish to be made known to further his own plans. So just what transpired to change the gubernatorial mind is not known, but ten minutes after the appointment of Mr. Huddleston had been entered of record, private Secretary Jacobson came around through the front door of the secretary of state's office, the door between that and the office of the governor still being locked, and instructed the secretary to cancel the appointment of Huddleston, and re-enter the name of Williams as a member of the board. And it was done. Whether Colonel Williams was induced to withdraw his resignation or the governor thought he might be able to effect a reconciliation is not known at this writing. As it stands, however, Colonel Williams still represents the First congressional district on the state board of charitable institutions.

The Commercial Appeal's Little Rock correspondent under date of Monday wrote in his paper as follows and it appeared Tuesday morning:

"The Commercial Appeal correspondent is authoritatively informed that the resignation of W. E. Williams, of Forrest City, was not finally acted upon, as Mr. Williams sent his son Eugene, and Eugene Rolfe, of Forrest City, to Little Rock yesterday to recall the resignation and to make suitable amends to Gov. Davis for his hasty actions. It is now said that the relations between Gov. Davis and Mr. Williams are again friendly. Today's record in the secretary of state's office shows that Senator M. P. Huddleston, of Paragould, was appointed this morning to succeed Mr. Williams. A few moments later this appointment was revoked and Mr. Williams was again appointed. This is the present status of the matter." And this closes the episode, and everybody is satisfied.

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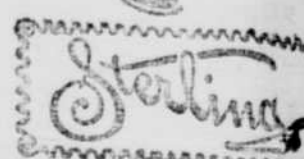
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The Output.

THE output is the key note to profit. In deciding upon a price at which to sell, a manufacturer, no matter what article he has to offer, considers how many he is likely to sell, and bases his charge accordingly. It is quite reasonable, too. If a tailor sells only two suits of clothes each week, his income must come from the profit of these two suits. If he can, however, double or treble his output without materially increasing his working expenses, he can naturally afford to make the profit on each suit much less.

Again, this output decides the buying power. It is only necessary to state that there have been manufactured and sold over 77,000 Emerson Pianos to prove what the buying power of this great Company must be. The small manufacturer who turns out only a few pianos each month will certainly have to pay more for the material in each piano—there is absolutely no doubt about this.

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WARNING ORDER.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS ST. FRANCIS LEVEE DISTRICT, vs. DELINQUENT LANDS. NOTICE.

The following named persons and corporations, and all others having a claim on interests in any of the following lands, are hereby notified that suit is pending in the Chancery Court of St. Francis County, Arkansas, to enforce the collection of certain levee taxes on the subjoined list of lands, each supposed owner's lands being set opposite his or her or its name, respectively, together with the amounts severally due from each, to-wit:

Table with columns: OWNER'S NAME, PARTS OF SECTIONS, Section, Area, Value, Total. Lists various landowners and their details.

Said persons and corporations, and all others interested in said lands, are hereby notified that they are required by law to appear and make defense in said suits or the same will be taken for confessed, and judgment final will be entered directing the sale of said lands for the purpose of collecting said delinquent levee taxes, together with the payment of interest, penalty and cost allowed by law.

G. B. MALLORY, Clerk of said Court. By R. W. PAYNE, D. C.

April 4th, 1904.

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