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FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM AND BLINDNESS

Furniture

Having purchased all the stock in the business of the Boone Furniture Co., I am prepared to sell you anything in my line at a very reasonable figure. Dressers, Bureaus, Chairs, Bed Stands, Bed Springs, Mattresses, etc. Give me a call when in need of anything in the line of furniture.

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I have been putting much study on this subject; have received my diploma, and am now well equipped for the practice of Veterinary Surgery in all its branches, and am the only one in the county. Call on or address me at Villas, N. C. R. F. D. 1.
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5-17-'11.

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All work done under guarantee, and best material used.
4-13-'11.

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— LAWYER —

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Will practice regularly in the Courts of Watauga,
6-1-'11.

L. D. LOWE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

BANNER ELK, N. C.

Will practice in the courts Watauga, Mitchell and adjoining counties.
7-6-'11.

F. A. LINNEY,

— ATTORNEY AT LAW, —

— BOONE, N. C. —

Will practice in the courts of the 13th Judicial District in all matters of a civil nature.
6-11-1911.

J. C. FLETCHER,

Attorney At Law,

— BOONE, N. C. —

Careful attention given to collections.

W. R. LOVILL

— ATTORNEY AT LAW, —

— BOONE, N. C. —

Special attention given to all business entrusted to his care.
7-9-'10.

E. S. COFFEY,

— ATTORNEY AT LAW, —

— BOONE, N. C. —

Prompt attention given to all matters of a legal nature.

Abstracting titles and connection of claims a speciality.
1-1-'11.

The Rev. Mr. Savage Writes

Mr. Editor:—Some weeks ago, quoting from an editorial of the Charlotte Evening Chronicle in which reference was made to the undersigned "prohibitionizer" of "not only Blowing Rock but the whole of Watauga county." You earnestly commented upon the same, vigorously though justly snatching from the undersigned barrels and placing them where they belonged, upon the modest pate of the real heroes. If "Doctors don't know everything," neither do Editors, as the following proves:

Had not his friend Mr. D. A. Tompkins of the Charlotte Observer sent him a marked copy of The Chronicle, the undersigned would probably not have seen the reference to "Dr. Savage the Prohibitionizer of Watauga" nor would he have had the opportunity, of which the undersigned took advantage, to disclaim the honor publicly accorded him, hoping that his friend, Editor Harris, would correct the error. But a reply from the editor of The Chronicle showed that he "stuck to his text" and believed in the infallibility of editors as a class, of which erroneous impression his mind was not disabused until receiving from the undersigned an "I told you so" in the form of a clipping from the Democrat, reference to which has already been made in this article.

As you correctly stated in your editorial, the undersigned "took no active part" in the campaign for prohibition, not being a stump speaker, but, fearing lest a wrong impression result from your earnest plea for "honor to whom honor is due," the undersigned desires to state here that though he took no "active" part in the campaign, yet, he not only cast his vote for Prohibition, but strongly advised "on the fences" to consider, as Episcopal Bishop Strange said at the mass meeting of men in Wilmington just before the election: "The question at is not 'shall we have Local Option, or High License, or Prohibition,' but shall we have Prohibition, or the Saloon?" praying for God's blessings upon the election, believing that as the Good Book says, "If God be for us, who can be against us?"

The undersigned is not a Temperance Lecturer, though he preaches temperance from the pulpit, and tries, in his humble way to live a temperate life, not even "taking a little wine for the stomach's sake," as St Paul, the great advocate of "moderation in all things" advised Timothy to do, but goes even further and would expel from the Public Reading Rooms all papers that publish liquor advertisements.

This is not written in a spirit of bravado, but by way of defence, for there are already too many of the laity ready to criticize the ministry, attributing to them wrong motives, as the following goes on to show:

The undersigned has been informed that a report has gone the rounds to the effect that he took a photograph of an "exceptionally poor and ragged family" their tumbled down log cabin as a back ground for the group, and sent this "interesting" picture up North to "show how the people of Western North Carolina live." The truth is, the undersigned never took a picture in his life, never had taken the picture of a group of that sort, and never sent North, East or West any picture to show anybody in the world how anybody else in the world lives.

In this connection let me cite one more instance. Last spring a report got abroad in Asheville

that the undersigned was in the habit of "playing cards for fun" with his members! Another false charge as the writer not only never owned a pack of cards but never in his life played a game of cards, not even understanding the game, his father having been an Episcopal minister of the old-fashioned type who would have been as much surprised and shocked to find a pack of cards on the parlor table as to see a rattle snake coiled in the middle of the floor!

Mr. Editor, the undersigned has lived in this beautiful region for nine years, and is a devoted friend of these noble-hearted people of the hill country, "The brave Highlanders of the Appalachians," as our beloved Bishop Horner, the champion of the mountain people calls them, and has none but good words to say of them, but he deplors the fact that we of the ministry of the hill country are not bound together in closer ties as Brethren in a common cause, Disciples of a common Lord, and he suggests here and now the organizing of a "Society of the Messengers of the Prince of Peace" to meet once a month at the county seat, not for public debate, nor for discussion of the differences between us, but in earnest Prayer and Praise to God for sending His Son to die for sinners, and in binding us with even closer ties than those now holding us together and as, not only workers in the same harvest field, but brothers in the same great family, having a common cause at heart, not "whose denomination shall be the strongest in the county," but "shall Jesus or Satan get the largest number of sinners."

Hoping to hear from other Brethren of the ministry and of the Laity on this subject, and with apologies for taking up so much space in your valuable paper, I am an humble servant of God and His people everywhere.
WILLIAM R. SAVAGE.
Blowing Rock, N. C.

Averts Awful Tragedy.

Timely advice given Mrs. C. Wiloughby, of Morengo, Wis., prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a "consumption" cough and could do little to help her. After many remedies had failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been using it for some time," she wrote, "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy when taken with a severe bronchial trouble." This matchless medicine has no equal for throat and lung trouble. Price 50c and \$1. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free.

New Minister—"Now just one thing more before I accept this charge. Have you got a supply?"
Deacon—"Well, yes, though we never said anything about it to the last preacher. I'll show you where it is and get you the key, but I tell you you will have to be just as careful about using it as the rest of us!"

James C. Dashman, "cowboy" Mayor of Omaha Throws the Lariat.

Mayor Jas. C. Dashman started his career as a cowboy, and is at present mayor of Omaha, and has the following record: Sheriff of Dawes Co., Neb, three terms; mayor of Chadron two terms; Democratic Nat'l committeemen eight years; mayor of Omaha six years, and in 1910 candidate for governor of Nebraska. Writing to Foley & Co., Chicago, he says: "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief, so I cheerfully recommended them." Yours truly, Jas. C. Dashman.

A Day of Thanksgiving.

President Taft has issued his annual Thanksgiving proclamation, calling upon citizens of the United States to celebrate Thursday, the 30th of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. The proclamation follows:

"The people of this land having by long sanction and practice, set apart toward the close of each passing year a day on which to cease from their labors and assemble for the purpose of giving praises to Him who is the author of these blessings they have enjoyed, it is my duty, as Chief Executive, to designate at this time the day for the fulfillment of this devout purpose.

"Our country has been signally favored in many ways. The round of seasons have brought rich harvests. Our industries have thriven far beyond our domestic needs; the productions of our labor are daily finding enlarged markets abroad. We have been free from curses of pestilence, of famine, of war. Our national councils have furthered the cause of peace in other lands and the spirit of benevolence has brought us in touch with other people, to the strengthening of the bonds of fellowship and good will that link us to our comrades in the universal brotherhood of nations. Strong in the sense of our own right and inspired by as strong a sense of the rights of others, we live in peace and harmony with the world. Rich in the priceless possession and abundant resources wherewith the unstinted bounty of God has endowed us, we are unselfishly glad when our people pass onward to prosperity and peace. That the great privileges we enjoy may continue, and that each coming year may see our country more firmly established in the regard and esteem of our fellow nations is the prayer that should arise in every thankful heart.

Wherefore, I William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America designate Thursday, the 30th of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and I earnestly call upon my countrymen and all that dwell under the flag of our beloved country then to meet in their accustomed places of worship to join in offering praise to Almighty God and give devout thanks for the loving mercies He has given to us.

"In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at city of Chicago, this 30th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand and eleven, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-sixth
By the President:
P. C. KNOX,
Secretary of State."

It's Equal Don't Exist.

No one has ever made a salve, ointment or balm to compare with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of cuts, corns, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, eczema, salt rheum, Forsore eyes, cold sores, chapped hands, or sprains its supreme. Unrivaled for piles. Try it. Only 25c. at all druggists.

Our systems take in more sweets than knowledge. The candy bill of our country is something over a hundred millions; the school bill is about four hundred and fifty millions.—Educational Review.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Methodists in Statesville.

Charlotte Observer.

Methodism has been one of the strongest moral and religious forces in this country since the first preachers of that denomination set foot on these shores one hundred and forty-two years ago. It was a new religion with all the strength and fervor of the oldest cults that had drifted into a formalism out of touch with the simple faith of the fisher-folk and their Royal Master who brought liberty into life and filled the earth with the glory of God. It took hold of the imagination of men, it established the brotherhood of the human race, it broke down the partitions that had been built up between the masses and the classes, it took account of the soul rather than of the person, of the spiritual necessities of men rather than of their pedigree, and denying some of the doctrines that had been regarded essential by other denominations, it accounted the grace of God sufficient for the salvation of His children.

There is much theology among the Methodists which many other Christians do not accept, and which it would be vain to discuss in these columns; but that this church is divinely ordained and that its work has been blessed by Heaven is proved by the tremendous fact that there are today in the world more than nineteen million Methodists. Over 92,000 of these Methodists live in the Western North Carolina Conference. In this Conference there are 290 ministers and 92,236 members. This is an increase of 89,000 members and 100 ministers since the last Conference was held in Statesville. In 1894 the church property in this Conference was \$671,000; now it is worth \$1,995,979. As the Church has grown rich in resources and powerful in numbers and strong in all the elements of influence it has grown also in grace.

There is a wide field for the work of the Church in this and all lands, and the Church is filling it. With a highly educated ministry, great schools and colleges and universities, a well ordered system of government and thousands of earnest workers in the affairs of the connection and a superb spirit of loyalty to the distinctive principles which Methodism represents, there is no measure that can be placed upon the growth of this magnificent army of the Lord.

Foley's Kidney Remedy vs. the Hopeless Case.

Bon. Ark. J. E. Freeman says: "I had a severe case of kidney trouble and could not work and my case seemed hopeless. One large bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy cured me, and I have never been bothered since. I always recommend it." Sold by all druggists.

The Greenville Reflector observes that "one advantage of the high cost of living is that there are fewer cases of dyspepsia." That fact ought to result in some saying, too, in the purchase of patent medicines. There is some good in everything, if one will only look for it.—The Greensboro News.

If you have young children you have perhaps noticed that disorders of the stomach are their most common ailment. To correct this you will find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets excellent. They are easy and pleasant to take, and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by all dealers.

FOLEY'S ORNOLAXATIVE
FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION

Civic Pride.

One of the traits of a wide awake progressive town is civic pride. It is a good trait, for while sometimes it leads one into making slightly exaggerated statements, yet in the main it is a good, healthy, feeling for the individual, and at all times conducive to the prosperity and growth of his city. It makes one vigorous in defense, and persistent in undertaking, it is incentive to industry; it makes the individual contented and therefore happy. Believe in your town and talk your belief. If you have any old fogies remember they are in the minority, and that it takes all kinds of people to make the world any. Encourage live people to move in by making it worth their while. Welcome outside capital in developing any natural resources the town has. Don't begrudge the dollars the enterprising man makes but hustle around and collar a few yourself. Above all "pull together and the town will ride the high wave of prosperity over the most discouraging breakers, and every inhabitants will get his or her share of the profit from the voyage.—Lenoir Topic.

Chicago wants a harbor before harbors get out of style.

A Medicine that gives confidence, is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, Mrs. T. J. Adams, 522 No. Kansas Ave., Columbus, Kansas, writes: "For a number of years my children have been subject to coughs and colds. I used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and found that it cured their coughs and colds, so I keep it in the house all the time." Refuse substitutes. Sold by all dealers.

I see the young lady next door has a beau." "She assures me it is purely platonic affection." "In that case you had better look over something cheap in clocks or something of the kind."—Washington Star.

MUSTANG LINIMENT
CURED A BAD SPAVIN.
Mr. B. H. Ivey, Marion, N. C., writes: "My horse had a very bad case of spavin and nothing did any good until I tried your Mustang Liniment. I rubbed the spavin frequently with the liniment, and soon saw an improvement. I did this three or four times a day and my horse was completely cured. It is sure to cure & properly used."

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT
FOR HORNET STINGS.
Mr. S. J. Hudson, Newbern, N. C., writes: "I have used Mexican Mustang Liniment for different ailments and have found it an excellent liniment. At one time my mate was badly stung by a hornet, but your liniment quickly cured him. I have recommended it to others hundreds of times." 25c. 50c. \$1 a bottle at Drug & Gen'l Stores

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment
CURES SWINNEY.
Mr. R. S. Shelton, Hill, N. C., writes: "I used Mexican Mustang Liniment on a very valuable horse for swinney and it cured it. I always keep it in my stable and think it the best liniment for rheum and galls." It contains no alcohol and so cannot sting in cases of open wounds or burns. Soothes and cools at once. Just try it.

MUSTANG LINIMENT
For BURNS and BRUISES.
Mr. W. V. Clifton, Raleigh, N. C., writes: "I keep a bottle of Mexican Mustang Liniment in my house continually for general use. It is the finest thing in the world for cuts, burns and bruises." 25c. 50c. \$1 a bottle at Drug & Gen'l Stores