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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 Vilas, N. C. R. F. D. 1.
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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 specialty.
1-1 '11.

Wilson is Unquestionably the Right Man.

Democrats are mistaken if they think any candidate they choose to name can be elected president in 1912.

Even if you assume that a sound and acceptable platform will be adopted, success will still depend upon the candidate presented. In the debatable states, particularly, party ties are not as strong as formerly. There is a large independent class of citizens who look beyond the platform to the man. Party promises have been broken just sufficiently often and re-emption postponed to a more convenient season, to impair the faith of many intelligent voters.

They still pin their faith to the man rather than to pre-election party pledges. What manner of man is demanded? He is dull who has not been advertent to the political evolution in progress during the last two decades. The idea has been abroad that both legislative and administrative officials have been recreant to their trust, that they have too often served selfish interests which imposed unreasonable and unnecessary burdens upon those who sought no special privilege. The Republican party, as an organization, has been the most persistent and notorious friend of usurping privileges. Its accredited leaders have stood for a protective tariff and have yielded more to insatiate greed. They encouraged either active through protection or by inaction the growth of industrial monopolies. By other methods their work of spoilation upon the people has grown to such an extent as to surpass all previous records.

For a while these inequalities were patiently endured because they were imposed upon false and misleading guises. The country was told that a protective tariff was essential to their prosperity and that monopoly cheapened production. But the scales have fallen from the eyes of the people and they now see more clearly. Protests arose, at first faint and sporadic, but increasing in numbers and area, until now there is scarcely a state where brave men are not demanding emancipation from the exactions of the privileged classes and the restoration of popular government.

It is conceded by disinterested voters that relief can only come through the Democratic party. Our party can only win through the accession of independent Republican voters in those states which have since 1896 supported the presidential nominee of that party. As I have stated, platform nominees of that party. As I have stated, platform nominees will not satisfy or induce those voters to support the Democratic nominee. They must have faith in the man.

Where is the Democrat to answer the requirements? The only man is Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey. He stands for the removal of the grievous exactions of the Republican tariff. He is against all form of industrial and commercial monopoly. He is the foe of special privilege, regardless of the class or section making the demand. He stands four-square for popular government and is not afraid to express his faith in the capacity of the people to know and demand their rights. He believes in equality of opportunity for every man and every section.

He advocates primaries under legal regulations for the nomination of all candidates. If this will not suffice to secure faithful officials and just laws, he would not deny to the people the right to initiate policies and laws and to

Could Spare a Few.

What this county needs is fewer politicians and more upright men who fill our offices with integrity and without regard to fear or favor or without figuring for re-election the next time. President Taft has all along showed this qualification in a marked degree. To begin with he appointed democrats to important positions when he thought they were best fitted for the positions. He has in a number of instances stood for measures advocated by the democratic party as against his own party he was apparently held out for purity in office. He has placed the 42,000 rural mail carriers under the merit system and has ordered that they abstain from active politics in nominating primaries and convention. His latest is urging congress to allow him to place the presidential postmaster of the first, second and third class under civil service rule, thus barring them from activity in elections. This is regarded as a very bad political move on his part, and it is just now when it is patronage and support that he most needs but it is the proper thing, and Mr. Taft is to be commended for it. The men who hold the offices have no right to use the same and the money the office brings to corrupt the voters of the country as has been the case in the past.

The Post does not agree with Mr. Taft in many things, but the country needs more men like him to fill the offices. The case of Senator Simmons voting against reciprocity was regarded as poor politics on his part when his constituency favored the bill. But he stood for what he thought was right in the face of probable defeat in his return to the senate and he deserves a great credit for his action. There is but one real conclusion, and this returns us to our first statement, we need fewer politicians and more men to fill our offices without regard to their future re-election—Salisbury Post.

Where The Locality Does Not Count.

Wherever there are people suffering from kidney and bladder ailments, from backache, rheumatism and urinary irregularities. Foley Kidney Pills will help them. Belvidere, Ill. E. A. Kelly, an engineer, says: "Three years ago my kidneys became so bad that I was compelled to give up my engine and quit. There was a severe aching pain over the hips, followed by an inflammation of the bladder, and always a thick sediment. Foley Kidney Pills made me a sound and well man. I can not say too much in their praise." For sale at all dealers.

vote upon them and to recall the faithless officials who violate their trust, expecting only members of the judiciary.

He has shown his faith by his works. The people trust him. He is no mere preacher of political moralities. Neither is he a blusterer or blunderer in execution. No coterie of plausible privilege could swerve him or upset his equitable balance, and no array of demagogues could induce him to assail unjustly vested rights and property honestly acquired under the law.

In my opinion the Democrats of North Carolina believe in and will support Governor Wilson, and he will be our nominee and the next president.—Hon. John H. Small, in North Carolina Democrat.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

TRYSTING PLACE OF TIME.

Baltimore American:
When God gave commandment to make the ark he directed that it should have a mercy seat, covered with the spreading wings of cherubim and declared: "There will I meet thee." What could better symbolize the point at which the years meet, where the old year, bent with the weight of sins and the burden of its sorrows, and bringing along with it the sheaves of its successes and the fruits of its labors, bows before the Ancient of Days, while the tender New Year fashions forth in the first hours of a returning January, with its hamper upon its back ready to garner where the ages of the past have sowed. The passing year and the incoming year await the blessing of Almighty God. One calls for absolution from errors and wrongs and yet it is not responsible for these. Time is itself holy, and the sins of the year are those that have been brought into it by man. Yet the old year does expiratory sacrifice in terms of repentance and fresh resolutions with which the New Year is ushered in. "There will I meet with thee," is the covenant promise of God. The trysting place of time is at the junction of the years. It is then the heart is mellowed by reflection and the life chastened by regrets. Resolutions spring forth and despite the lightness with which they are oftentimes treated, enduring pledges to the future are made that mark epochs in the lives of individuals. The trysting place of time is also the trysting place of the divine. The mercy seat is shadowed by the wings of angels when the old year bows before the Eternal and the New Year steps forth to enter upon its untried labors.

So it is with all life. Time gathers in the field of the years. Who can say what are its sheaves. Bread sown upon the waters comes back after many years. He who goeth forth to sow with weeping returns again rejoicing. Life, the conscious appropriation of the gifts of time, is made up of triumphs and disappointments, of losses and gains. Born upon the swift flood-tide of the years, man goeth to his long home. The years come and go. Some take thought of their past hours to ask them what report they bore to heaven. Others do not. Some so number their days as to apply their hearts unto wisdom. Others are like the foolish, who go blindly on and are punished. What could the world do, what would the lives of men be without pauses for contemplation and reflection, for the humiliation of the soul before its Maker and the assertion of the eternal principle of new life and love that is suggested by the incoming of a new year. The mercy seat of God is established at every point in time where there is a fresh experience, and, those who have learned to cast their cares upon Him find in Him a present help in time of trouble. Time become mighty evangel when the years are meeting at the mystical tick of the clock at midnight. The soul of all serious persons are moved with reflection upon the ternity of time and the insignificance of mortality. At such a moment one finds surging through his soul the tide of the years, and the aged feel as did Tennyson when he wrote Crossing the Bar. The trysting place of God is with man whenever the mortal approaches the mercy seat, but at no time more symbolically than when at the passing of the year the soul of the individual conceives the richness and breadth

of life opened up in the promise of his Maker. Then he feels that the habiliments of the flesh are not the most substantial part of nature and he realizes that, as time speeds from cycle to cycle he, too, moves toward the compass of all high and holy things, and that far-off divine event toward which the whole creation moves and turns.

The bells toll as the solemn hush of prayer is broken in upon and the crash of cannon and the sound of pistol shots awaken the world at pause to the fact that a new year has arrived. No one can, no one seeks to pierce the veil and see beyond. But everyone feels the vigor of a new impulse and the thrill of a fresh destiny. The annals of time will be much the same. The scroll will be written over with fresh human endeavors, with new impulses toward the ideals of life; civilization will sing its majestic measures to a nobler movement of melody; the world will march over the bleak plains of an unknown year; the muses will rest beside the way of life to cheer the pilgrim with their inspirations and industry will set its maidens at the loom to work the wonderful weave that some time will be reversed so that mankind may know what pattern he has wrought in the dark of his clouded years.

He who lingers at the trysting place of time to catch the first moments of the new year and fix them in firm resolves to live better and to make life richer with good will find that God has established there the place of his pledges, and he will find the strength of the holy of holies imparted to him and come forth grit about with that strength that no human purpose can impart. Thus may the old year pass with its follies and faults, and thus may the new take by the hands the faltering and discouraged ones and lead confidently up the higher ascents of being.

A Father's Vengeance

would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy, of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of Kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help him," he wrote, "so at we gave him Electric Bitters and he improved wonderfully from taking six bottles. Its the best Kidney medicine I ever saw." Backache, tired feeling, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, worn of Kidney trouble that may end in dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Beware! Take Electric Bitters and be safe. Every bottle guaranteed, 50c at all Druggists.

Nearly every Bible of today has a concordance at the back. The first concordance was prepared by French Monks in the year 1247.

Saved Many From Death.

W. L. Mock, of Mock, Ark., believes he has saved many lives in his 25 years experience in the drug business. "What I always like to do," he writes, "is to recommend Dr. King's New Discovery for weak, sore lungs, hard colds, hoarseness, obstinate coughs, la grippe, croup, asthma or other bronchial affection, for I feel sure that a number of my neighbors are alive and well today because they took my advice to use it. I honestly believe it's the best throat and lung medicine that's made." Easy to prove he's right. Get a trial bottle free, or regular 50c or \$1.00 bottle. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

FOLEY'S ORANGE LAXATIVE
FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION

A TERRIBLE WARNING.

The snow last Sunday was just right for rabbit hunting and the Catawba man who yielded to temptation and went hunting on the Lord's Day, commonly called Sunday, was suddenly called to account when he was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his own gun. Other Catawbans, it appears, were also engaged in hunting on that day, and it is probable that residents of other counties may have ignored the divine command to "Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy." But only one Sabbath desecrator met death. Was it judgement or an accident that might have happened on any other day? It is well to remember before we pass judgement, that those on whom the tower at Siloam fell were not sinners above all other sinners, but as a matter of precaution it would be well, also, to refrain from trespassing on the Lord's Day. Meantime as Catawba seems to be conspicuous in offending on this particular day the Landmark makes bold to suggest to Dr. Banks of the Hickory Democrat, the exhort his fellow citizens to a better observance of the Sabbath.—Statesville Landmark.

"Best On Earth."

This is the verdict of R. E. Howell, Tracy, O., who bought Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for his wife. Her case was the worst I ever saw, and looked like a sure case of consumption. Her lungs were sore and she coughed almost incessantly and her voice was hoarse and weak. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound brought relief at once and less than three bottles effected a complete cure. For sale by all dealers.

"Every girl should be able to boil eggs."—Dr. Wiley. Ability to boil eggs is common enough; the real ability lies in getting the eggs.—Columbia State.

MUSTANG LINIMENT

CURED A BAD SPAVIN.

Mr. B. H. Levy, 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 if properly used."

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 ears were badly stung by hornets but your liniment quickly cured them. 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:
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For BURNS and BRUISES.

Mr. W. V. Clifton, Raleigh, N. C., writes:
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