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### Blowing Rock Letter.

[De'ferred from last week]

Mr. Editor:—Your correspondent considers it unseasonable to head his article as in the summer time 'Blowing Rock Breezes,' or, as Old Hurraygraph put it, "Breezes from Blowing Rock," hence the change in title.

When your former correspondent arrived on the summit of the Blue Ridge, after an absence of eleven weeks, he found this famous resort deserted, the trees fast shedding their leaves, the signs of autumn at hand, the summer visitors no longer in evidence, even the cottage-folk conspicuous for their absence, a few being loth to leave until the brilliant autumn foliage has lost its coloring and the last chestnut burr has burst and emptied itself for the children's benefit, and the katydids have ceased their noisy wrangling over the unimportant question as to whether Katy did or Katy didn't say that it was "nine weeks before frost."

Many changes have taken place in this community, much id'e property having changed hands and soon to be built upon, Mr. Will Palmer's broad acres cut up into lots and sold, not wholly to strangers, but in part to some of Watauga's substantial citizens who will build cottages either to rent or for their own occupancy during the cold months of the long, dreary winter.

A number of lots, bought by strangers are to be built upon shortly, many handsome bungalows to be erected upon the various view sites, for the season just gone was a great advertisement for this already popular resort as the unusually large crowd of visitors who "came, saw" and "conquered," heartily desire to come again, next time for longer.

Among the attractive new residents are the Cordons of Washington, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. and Master Norman, Jr. who having purchased the attractive Waller property in the heart of the village are occupying it and will remain during the winter. Mrs. Haughton and the Misses Haughton of Washington, Mother and sisters of Mrs. Cordon to spend the winter with them. Mr. Cordon has had a tedious time all Summer, but now recovering after his third relapse.

Among the recent transients are the following: Mr. Ed Shipley of Valley Crucis, Mrs. W. S. Miller and sons Masters Earle and James, of Todd, who with their Aunt, Mrs. Graham, of Cleveland, were en-route to the Happy Valley to visit the Dobbins at "Palmyra;" Reverend J. N. Atkins and Mr. Wesley Coffey of Foscoe; Mr. Thomas Baird and lady of Wilmington, formerly of Valle Crucis, who have just completed a visit to friends and relatives; Wm. H. Edmiston of Hickory and others whose names have escaped the pen of your correspondent.

Among the new cottages in course of erection is a handsome one for Mr. Brawley of Raleigh, Mr. Charles Moody contractor.

Mrs. Dr. Phillips of Columbus Ohio, after a pleasant visit to her mother, Mrs. Gragg of Kelsey her sister Mrs. Jeff Brown and brothers Messrs. George and James Sudderth of Blowing Rock returned home Monday, taking with her, Miss Carrie Sudderth, a niece who spent last year with her Aunt.

A Mr. Brown of Cove Creek has been chosen principal of the Public School here, with Miss Myrtle Sudderth as assistant. Here's believing that under their management the school will be a success.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and their son Hill, recently of Grandin City, have turned "Homers" and are in their cozy home on Washburn Ave. where, as ever before, a cordial welcome awaits their many friends.

Work on the new bank building is progressing finely under the skilled supervision of the well-known mason, Mr. J. W. McGhee, the walls of concrete blocks showing handsomely on the N. E. corner of the public square.

This place is becoming quite a

winter resort, for beside the Cordons, Stringfellow and Mordcais (Miss Margaret to remain with her sister), Mrs. Bessie Patterson and sisters Mrs. Hanna and Miss Alexander, of Charlotte will be here some time longer, Mrs. Patterson to remain here all winter, her daughter, Miss Mildred, a student at the Presbyterian school at Banner Elk.

W. R. S.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## AUCTION SALE of VALUABLE LANDS.

IN THE TOWN OF

BOONE, N. C.

Oct. 23, 1913.-1 P. M.

About Sixty beautiful residence and business lots, located in the best part of the town; right up against the famous APPALACHIAN TRAINING SCHOOL, where you can educate your children almost FREE of COST.

### The Big Annual Masonic Picnic of Watauga Co.

Will be held in Boone in the forenoon of the same day. The Southwest Land Co. contributes liberally in defraying the expenses of the picnic dinner, every cent of which will go to the support of the Oxford Orphanage.

## Free Presents.

**First** We are going to give five dollars in gold to the man who pays the highest price for any one lot.

**Second** To the one buying the greatest number of lots we will give five dollars in gold.

**Third** The FIRST LADY that buys a lot will receive FIVE DOLLARS in GOLD.

**Fourth** Every one who comes to the grounds will be given an EQUAL CHANCE to get a bag of Silver FREE, whether they buy anything or not.

**Fifth** We are also going to give five dollars in gold to the best looking baby on the grounds, between the ages of one and three years, to be decided by a committee of competent ladies.



REMEMBER these grand presents will all be given away absolutely FREE right on the grounds, after the lots are sold. We are going to sell these lots

rain or shine, YOU make the price. Everybody invited, Everybody expected, Everybody come.

We extend a special invitation to the ladies to come and bring the sweet little tots, and some one will win the golden prize and have the honor of having the prettiest baby in the whole country.

FREE BRASS BAND CONCERT. PICNIC DINNER at noon. Sale will open at 1 o'clock p. m.

TERMS: 1-4 cash on day of sale; balance 6, 12 & 18 mos Most Respectfully,

## Southwest Land Co.

Home Office . . . . . Abington, Va.

A collector's business is no sooner said than done.

West to East.

Wm. Lee, Paskenta, Calif., says: "It gives universal satisfaction and I use only Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for my children." E. C. Rhodes, Middleton, Ga., writes: "I had a racking lagrippe cough and finally got relief taking Foley's Honey and Tar compound." Use Honey and Tar compound, and refuse substitutes. For sale by all dealers.

There is no statute of limitation that can stop a scandal.

"Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsay Scott, of Temple, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

A fashion note says that Winter hats will be simply trimmed, and also poor fatter.

### STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

Wilkes county is trying to establish a better home for her unfortunate poor.

H. M. Pindell, an editor of Peoria, Ill., expects the appointment as Ambassador to Russia.

The Synod of the Associate Reformed church will be held in their church in Statesville early next month.

"There is one thing the fellow who is always talking and thinks he knows it all, doesn't know, that he is making a fool of himself."

Secretary Daniels has appointed Dr. John Thomas Borden, of Craven county, Assistant Surgeon in the Navy with a salary of \$2,800 per annum.

The State Normal College for Women, is 21 years old. During this short period of existence it has sent out \$6,000 young women graduates.

On the eve of Col. Roosevelt's departure for South America he told friends in New York that he would never return to the old line Republican party.

After the trial in Asheville of A. M. West, on the charge of killing Dr. W. J. Cloutz, he submitted to a verdict of manslaughter and was given two years on the roads.

The House has passed joint resolution for a joint committee of five to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies in North Carolina and report at the next session.

Hans Schmitt, the Priest who confessed killing Anna Amulter recently in New York, was declared sane and will be tried for murder.

On Wednesday the 8th, the Synod of the Presbyterian church in North Carolina celebrated its 100th anniversary on the same spot it was organized, Alamance church, six miles from Greensboro.

Rev. Dr. Frank H. Wood, aged 75, who for 52 years had been a member of the Western North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, died at his home at Trinity some days since.

The Mt. Airy Leader says that chestnuts are selling at \$6.00 per bushel at that point. Some of our merchants would be willing, no doubt, to deliver them there in almost any quantity for half that price.

Dr. H. K. Boyer, Superintendent of the Children's Home at Winston-Salem, has resigned. The trustees regretted exceedingly to give him up, but they at once elected Mr. Walter Thompson, Supt. of the Jackson Training School as his successor.

—Senator Simmons will give to the State museum the gold pen which he received from the President and with which Mr. Wilson wrote a part of his name to the Underwood-Simmons Tariff Bill.

Mr. Walter Bell, who for some time has been managing editor of the Charlotte Observer, has resigned to go back to his former position with the Jackson Cotton Mills Company of Monroe.

Timothy L. Woodruff, former Lieutenant Governor of New York, Republican, was stricken recently with paralysis. He had just closed a speech at a political meeting in Carnegie Hall, N. Y.

In Washington a few nights ago the White House automobile in which the President was riding, knocked down a messenger.

### Letter from Evanston, Wyoming.

Mr. R. W. Greene, of Stony Fork, who recently went to Wyoming, in ordering the Democrat to his address, adds the following as to his trip and the section in which he is located:

"I took the train at North Wilkesboro Sept. 16, and arrived at Evanston the 21st. As I have spent over five years in these parts, and as it had been nearly two years since I was here, I met quite a number of old friends that I was certainly glad to see. The people here are very hospitable and very easy to get acquainted with.

"The second day after arriving here, my nose began bleeding and kept it up at intervals for twenty-four hours, and the back of my head was quite sore. The people here say that it was the affects of the great change in altitudes. It is about 7,500 feet elevation here.

"The weather has been quite cold here since my arrival—two snow storms, but it is some warmer now. The ranchers here who have oats will have to mow them for hay as the freeze has caught them in the milky state. So I think the people in Watauga who are figuring on selling their farms and moving to Wyoming, had better look into conditions before they make too sudden jumps.

"Best wishes to the Democrat.

Very truly yours,

R. W. GREENE.

Evanston, Wyo., Sept. 26.

### The Family Gough Medicine

In every home there should be a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, ready for immediate use when any member of the family contracts a cold or cough. Prompt use will stop the spread of sickness. S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., writes: "My whole family depends upon Dr. King's New Discovery as the best cough medicine in the world. Two 50c bottles cured me of pneumonia." Thousands of other families have been equally benefited and depend entirely upon Dr. King's New Discovery to cure their coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Every dose helps. Price 50c. and \$1. All drug gists, H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

When a man desires to paint the town red he never has any difficulty in finding the artist's material.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy," writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

A boy who was riding a bicycle, but did not seriously hurt him.

Henry Miller, of Charlotte, was on the 6th, sentenced to the roads for twelve months for retailing. He had sold liquor to two boys in knee pants, and, as we see it, he got a light sentence, though it was the limit of the law. He appealed and is under a \$500 bond.

A shark was recently caught off Beaufort inlet that weighed more than 700 pounds and measured 18 feet. The fishers were after trout when the shark was caught, and it is supposed to be the largest ever caught with hook and line on that part of the coast.

Secretary Bryan was the principal speaker at the King's Mountain celebration held in honor of the 133rd anniversary of the battle of King's Mountain, where the Americans routed the British forces on that memorable day. Many other speakers of prominence were present. More than 25,000 people were in attendance.