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COUNTY EXHIBIT.

[Continued from last week.]

J F Hartzog, lumber for jail 12.60; G W Adams road surveyor juror, etc., 10.00; W H Byrd road surveyor 4.00; Weaver dam supply co. road supplies 10.85; Edwards & Broughton Torrensland records for county 40.71; John McGuire road juror 2.00; T D Ward road material 19.67; C D Taylor bridge lumber 2.64; Nelson Green bridge lumber 4.00; W L Haynes lumber for jail 2.50; C C Greene state vs. Cling Greene 1.70; Wilby Greene, state vs. Cling Greene 1.80; C M Critcher blasting material 6.00; J C Fletcher attorney's fees, Watauga vs. Avery 50.00; W R Gragg clerking to board 48.65; M B Blackburn feeding jurors, other supplies 31.55; J W Jones county physician 32.75; Will H McGuire printing for county 6.40; F A Linney half fees 34.00; Allen Greene half fees 1.00; C C Carroll half fees 2.15; N M Green 4.50; C L Cook half fees .50; W D Farthing, half fees, expressage, etc., 88.72; R C Crow half fees .15; C J Cottrell half fees .15; Q B Cannon half fees .70; C M Blackburn half fees 1.80; W L Robinson half fees 3.35; E R Eggers half fees 1.35; S C Eggers half fees 1.30; M C Oliver half fees .30; R A Hartley half fees 2.50; E F Harman half fees 2.40; John Grogan half fees 45; W S Carroll half fees 1.05; A C Wilson half fees .15; R S Roton half fees 1.80; A C Brinkley half fees 1.00; D E Greene half fees .60; W R Gragg half fees .50; John Lewis half fees 10.20; J G Vannoy road work and l a w suit 5.00; Lem Wilson road juror 3.00; J S Snyder road juror 3.00; E Ruggers, holding court, summoning jurors, taking affidavits 114.25; John Lewis keeping jail for February and March 192.05; Greene Michael official services 4.00; Leonard Lorie state vs. Anderson danner 1.90; J L Store state vs A Danner 1.20; C C Bradshaw, grand juror, 7.40; J W Farthing locating bridge site 82; L N Perkins locating bridge site 2.00; C M Critcher state vs Clarence McGhee 1.30; W Y Farthing bridge lumber 10.00; Miss Gertrude Hall court stenographer 28.80; W R Green state vs Clifford Cox, 60; T E Bingham county attorney 10.00.

C A Grubb - Travis juror 8.50
D J Cottrell 7.60
Roy Cox 8.60
W F Reece 9.10
N T Byers 8.60
W C Lentz 8.40
J C Storie 8.40
Charles Coffey 8.70
S P Townsend 8.61
David Lookabill 8.80
J C Phillips 8.60
N V Byers 8.60
N V Presnell 9.00
Jones Elrod 7.95
A M Townsend 8.30
C S Ford 2.80
J B William day 1.60
J S Snyder 1.60
Chas Cook 4.60
Joe Harman grand 7.50
W E Dugger 6.70
A G Keller 6.70
John Shell 7.50
Solomon Grogan 7.40
D H Grogan 7.40
Conley Green 7.60
Elisha Glenn 7.10
L A Green 6.70
J A Penley 7.20
John Watson 7.20
G W Main 7.50
Albert Greer 7.10
Chas Phillips 7.50
W F Lookabill 6.90
J L Hayes nails for bridge, 25; J J Bingham atty fee, watauga vs Avery 50.00; Loyd Varnson state vs Commodore Cox 1.55; Abner Mast state vs Mrs. Jack South 2.20; T L Critcher state vs. Roscoe Little 1.35; J A Billings state vs Jim Brown 1.45; Jim Mays st. vs. Jim Brown 1.45; W H Simms

state vs. Jim Brown 1.55; N B Brookshire state vs R Little 1.25
C L Cook state vs R Little 1.35; Ward Elrod state vs R Little 1.30; L E Earp state vs Frank Greer .90; J W Hedges state vs. Frank .85; L L Critcher state vs. Joe Hartley .60; L C Rogers state vs. Joe Hartley .65; C J Cottrell state vs. Joe Hartley 1.10; Myra Johnson state vs. Andy Johnson 1.10; El Johnson state vs. A Johnson .65; Bill Johnson state vs A Johnson 1.70; W D Norris state vs. F Norris 1.25; H J Hardin state vs. C J Cottrell et al .65; L N Perkins state vs C J Cottrell et al .70; L T Elrod state vs. C J Cottrell et al .80; J C Day state vs. C J Cottrell et al 1.20; Willard Wood state vs Ab Cook 1.20; Will Love state vs. Ab Cook 1.30; Lee Johnson state vs. Ab Cook 1.30; Parks Ward st. vs. Ab Cook 1.20; W B Day state vs. A Johnson 1.00; Wm Day st. vs. A Johnson 1.60; C Carroll st. vs. A Johnson 1.10; Carl Stone state vs. Dr. Little 1.65; Docia Jones state vs. Dr. Little .70; David Greene state vs Dr. Little 1.20; D W Wootton state vs. Dr. Little 1.85; W P Moody state vs Benj. Isaacs 1.35; D S Love state vs; Ben Isaacs 1.35; Willie Taylor st. vs. John Preswood et al 3.40; J C Shook state vs. J Preswood et al 2.25; J H Shook state vs. J Preswood et al 3.35; J R Gragg state vs J Preswood et al 2.00; Rash Aldridge state vs J Preswood et al 1.15; Henry Hardin state vs Charley Farthing 75; W W Rogers state vs. Charley Farthing .65; A Hix state vs Cordie Matney 1.25; Clarence McGhee state vs C Matney .80; Mat Kincaid state vs C Matney 1.30; Selia McGhee state vs C Matney 1.30; L C Green state vs. Glen Chur 1.80; J A Castle state vs Fin Wintbarger 1.05; David Winebarger state vs Fin Winebarger 1.05; W C Cox state vs Fin Winebarger 1.05; Jesse Martin st. vs C and W E Snyder 9.20; J O Potter state vs C and W E Snyder 9.20; R F Miller state vs C and W E Snyder 9.20; Leroy Snyder st. vs. C and W E Snyder 34.10; D H Ellison state vs C and W E Snyder 3.60; R A Shore state vs C and W E Snyder 5.60; B H Shelton st. vs C and W E Snyder 4.60; J C Shelton state vs C and W E Snyder 4.60; Ths. Greer state vs C and W E Snyder 5.40; J W Main state vs C and W E Snyder 5.60; W A Maxwell state vs C and W E Snyder 6.10; R I Hockaday state vs C DAVIS et al 1.30; W F Trivett state vs C Davis et al 1.85; G E Hayes state vs Cling Green 1.70; F C Baker state vs Cling Greene; Bart Norris state vs Cling Green .80; J H Hayes state vs C Mham Gilliam .75; Gray Johnson state vs Geo. Eggers 2.75; Walter Davis state vs George Eggers 1.70; E F Harman state vs V Presnell 5.70; J B Ward state vs V Presnell 7.00; G C Harman state vs V Presnell 4.50; J R James state vs V Presnell 4.50; E M Presnell state vs V Presnell 4.60; J C Harman state vs Edgar Young 1.85; W Holic state vs E Young 1.50; G H Hayes state vs E Young 1.25; Lee Robbins state vs E Young 1.60; R Walser state vs E Young 1.55; W C Baird state vs. Nathan Presnell 3.30; Vb Mast state vs N Presnell 3.40; Rufus Ward state vs N Presnell 3.30; H Ward state vs N Presnell 3.35; Lionel Ward state vs N Presnell 1.70; Andy Hix state vs N Presnell 2.90; G C Winkler state vs N Presnell .70; J F Welch state vs E L Green et al, 2.90; Z V Brown state vs Lou Shull, et al 2.35; L Day state vs Lou Shull et al Fred Hartley st. vs. Lou Shell et al. 2.25; B White state vs Lou Shell et al 2.35; E M Cornett state vs Lou Shull et al 2.15; A Cornett state vs Lou Shull et al 2.15; G Cornett state vs Lou Shull et al 2.15; R Reague state vs. Lou Shull et al 2.20.

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Henry Wyatt Weedon.

A TRIBUTE.

After many months of suffering weakness and close confinement to the house, all this the result of a stroke of paralysis, Mr. H. W. Weedon closed his eyes to earthly scenes, on the first day of December, 1914, and was laid to rest the next day, his body quietly sleeping in the beautiful yard of the Reformed Church near Blowing Rock, awaiting the time when "On the Resurrection Morning Soul and body meet again!"

Henry W. Weedon was born in Alamance County, North Carolina, on the 27th day of September 1831, being, at the time of his death, in his 84th year, and, up to the time of the fatal stroke was hale and hearty, even when arriving at the four score mile stone of his journey through life.

Before coming to Western Carolina, Mr Weedon was engaged in the lumber business, but, realizing a great future for this grand country on the Blue Ridge, bought property here in 1889 and opened a boarding house, known as The Grand View House which, for a quarter of a century has been visited by many tourists, prominent people of this and other states who loved Blowing Rock for itself and "Fairview" or Grand View for the entrancing view to be had from the verandah of the Weedon home, Mr. Weedon ever anxious to point out to new comers the objects of interest to be seen far and near, Mrs. Weedon dispensing gracious hospitality to all, their home one among the most popular on the mountain, the view by all means the finest in this whole region, "travelers who know" admitting that nothing in America surpasses it, and truly, as one stands upon "Fairview" Rock and looks out and beyond, down into the John's River Valley, and up to the distant sky line, it reminds one of that "sweet and blessed country, the home of God's elect."

Mr. Weedon not only was interested in the visitors to our beautiful Land of the Sky, but took an active part in local affairs, being for nine years Justice of the Peace, for two years the Mayor of the town of Blowing Rock, and rarely ever failing to appear at the polls at election time, even since his eightieth birthday, though, of recent years, on account of failing health, appearing seldom in public.

On Wednesday, the 2nd day of December, a number of friends joined with the family in the sol-

enn services conducted by Rev. John Ingle of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. Wm. R. Savage of the Episcopal Church, the interment as noted above in the cemetery, adjoining and belonging to the Reformed Church.

Mr. Weedon is survived by a widow and five children, as follows: Mrs. Charles Armfield of Elkin, N. C., Mr. Clarence Weedon of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Kenneth Denny of Rook, N. C., Mr. Daniel R. Weedon of Boston, Mass., Miss Elise Weedon of Blowing Rock, Miss Juanita of Red Springs Seminary and little Miss Helen of Blowing Rock, the mother and two daughters the only ones at home when the end came, Mr. D. R. Weedon the only one of the absent children able to reach home and he, even by close connections could not reach Blowing Rock in time.

The writer feels sure that he voices the sentiment of the many friends of the Weedon family when he says that they have the true sympathy of this community who, but for the most inclement weather at the time, would have been out in larger numbers to join in the last sad rites at home and at the grave on that sad day, looking forward to the time when "On that happy Easter morning, All the graves their dead restore, Father, sister, child and mother, Meet once more!"

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DISTRESS IN THE STOMACH.

There are many people who have a distress in the stomach after meals. It is due to indigestion and easily remedied by taking one of Chamberlain's Tablets after meals. Mrs. Henry Padgham, Victor, N. Y., writes: "For some time I was troubled with headache and distress in my stomach after eating, also with constipation. About six months ago I began to take Chamberlain's Tablets. They regulated the action of my bowels and the headache and other annoyances ceased in a short time." Obtainable everywhere.

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BLOWING ROCK BREEZES
(Too late for last week.)

Squire Thomas H. Coffey returned Monday from a visit of several days to his friend, Dr. C. J. Parlier, who is at the Charlotte Sanatorium, where the doctors have little hope of his recovery. The good doctor was for many years the resident physician here and made hosts of friends among both summer and permanent residents who are grieved to learn of the dear doctor's condition.

Mr. H. W. Weedon of Grand View Hotel died last Tuesday, the funeral services on Wednesday, conducted by his old friend Rev. John Ingle, assisted by Rev. Wm. R. Savage, a number of friends assembling at the home for the solemn services, the burial in the reform church cemetery. Mr. Weedon spent many years at the Rock, where as a good citizen and prominent in public affairs, he made many friends who sympathize deeply with the family.

Mr. D. W. Weedon, son of Mr. Weedon was the only one of the five absent members of the family who was able to reach here, and he did not arrive until the day after the funeral. "D," as he is best known among his Blowing Rock friends has a fine position with an electrical company in Boston, having learned his trade at Cranberry, this state, and, having "made good" can tell some of our boys how to do the same.

Captain Lovill, always a welcome visitor among us, stopped at Watauga Inn last Monday on his way down the mountain.

Last Sunday, Rev. Mr. Payne met his new appointment here both the Baptist and Episcopal churches open at the same hour, unavoidable, it seems, though unusual as heretofore each church has had its own Sunday each month, but Brother Payne was obliged to give the third Sunday to Cove Creek and so had to give the first Sunday to this place or give up this church altogether, Brother Savage having had a monopoly of the first Sunday for twelve years past glad to share it with his "Brother of a sister church."

His members and other friends hope Rev. Mr. Waters will be able to resume his appointment for the second Sunday in this town, being glad that Conference thought it best to send Brother Waters back to this circuit. During the recent cold weather the house occupied by Mrs. Holler, widow of Mr. Israel Holler, caught fire, and but for the help of their neighbors, the good lady and her children would have lost everything. This was the second fire that night, Mr. Rufus Coffey's house as noted last week, also in danger of destruction. It is a wonder that more disastrous fires do not take place, all the more reason for caution, for the wind certainly does blow on the Blue Ridge summit and yet we yield the palm to Boone, our fast growing neighbor, educational centre and metropolis of this favored mountain section, "God's own country."

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