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BUNCOMBE COUNTY'S VOTE.

TOWNSHIPS.	Congress.		Senate.		Representatives.		Register.	Clerk.	Sheriff.	Treasurer	Surveyor.	Coroner.								
	Crawford.	Ewart.	Campbell.	Sprinkle.	Reed.	Lowry.	Harris.	Folsom.	Mackey.	Brown.	Cathay.	Gudger.	Reynolds.	Worley.	Courtney.	Pinkerton.	Starnes.	Hamlet.	McBrayer.	Merriwether.
Avery's Creek	75	64	73	67	73	73	67	63	73	61	76	56	75	64	75	63	72	63	70	63
Lower Hominy	151	68	149	67	151	150	70	64	154	66	161	53	133	78	189	63	134	62	152	66
Upper Hominy	208	158	203	157	207	200	161	152	211	154	235	116	189	168	211	154	210	155	207	158
Leicester	316	211	301	217	307	309	217	207	311	207	273	241	274	241	304	219	293	214	302	212
Sandy Mush	94	143	86	143	82	97	152	126	91	136	86	143	75	155	90	142	86	140	88	143
Limestone	93	128	90	122	88	90	123	120	95	121	91	122	87	130	90	123	87	121	74	121
Fair View	148	129	147	130	141	148	134	122	152	117	153	116	144	134	141	115	147	128	148	128
Swannanoa	150	113	141	115	142	137	111	118	149	107	153	106	138	123	144	114	145	111	146	110
Asheville - East Ward	420	387	414	384	410	411	383	383	397	407	418	386	427	395	422	381	430	384	417	388
Asheville - West "	686	361	689	357	683	688	359	358	682	365	686	360	659	375	695	351	682	358	680	363
Biltmore	162	95	158	92	172	167	90	88	163	93	168	86	153	102	161	94	161	92	159	92
Hazel	106	109	104	109	105	106	111	108	108	106	110	92	104	110	109	105	108	105	110	100
Beaverdam	104	60	101	58	100	101	61	60	103	58	104	59	120	44	108	57	99	60	101	59
Haw Creek	48	46	48	45	53	48	39	46	52	42	49	45	53	41	47	45	48	45	47	45
Reems Creek	144	177	136	175	140	143	175	171	160	156	155	157	158	162	161	167	149	166	149	167
Flat Creek	75	157	69	162	90	53	180	142	83	140	72	157	70	164	86	144	70	162	85	144
Ivy	152	221	135	237	186	110	267	192	147	178	140	235	158	218	182	190	135	235	182	186
Black Mountain	88	73	86	74	88	85	74	75	87	67	59	58	85	75	87	74	85	75	86	74
French Broad	175	111	174	114	172	166	115	115	174	115	174	108	167	119	173	116	171	119	172	117
Totals	3395	2811	3304	2825	3390	3282	2894	2710	3392	2696	3393	2697	3274	2868	3475	2717	3302	2895	3375	2736

PAVEMENT PARAGRAPHS.

Items of Interest Concerning our City and Section.

Tobacco sales at all the warehouses are very heavy this week, commanding good prices.

The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough are booked for Asheville during the present season.

Mr. James P. Sawyer, Asheville's Fire Chief, was elected President of the State Fire Chiefs' Association at Greensboro.

Mrs. Julia Sluder, Mrs. E. J. Aston and Mrs. J. E. Ray are in Atlanta in attendance upon the National Convention of the W. C. T. U.

Very important transactions in real estate are occurring, or about to occur, in this city. It is expected some large ones will be announced in a few days.

One of the handsomest stores in the State will be Mr. Frank Loughran's, which is rapidly approaching completion. It would be a credit to any city.

Uncle Pleas Israel says he housed one hundred and three full bushel measures of corn on 120 rods of land, about equal to 120 bushels per acre. Can any one beat this?

Mr. V. J. Belote is agent for a new plaster cement for plastering houses which is certainly very excellent. It soon becomes so hard that it can scarcely be broken.

Col. L. M. Hatch has ordered made a new speaker's desk which he will present to-night (Thursday) to the Lyceum Society, and from behind it he will deliver his address on "The Poets of South Carolina."

Mr. L. H. Yeargan, some years ago a resident of Asheville and of Franklin, later a prominent merchant of Raleigh, now traveling for the great ink house of Geo. Mathers & Sons, New York, gave us a pleasant call a few days ago.

Boils, carbuncles, and other skin eruptions indicate that the system is endeavoring to reject poisonous acids, and that Ayer's Sarsaparilla is imperatively needed. It is the most reliable of all blood medicines. Ask your druggist for it, and take no other.

R. H. King, of Kansas City, Mo., and Lynn, Mass., parties have, it is stated, purchased 175,000 acres of mineral and timber land in Madison and Yancey counties, and will organize a \$1,000,000 stock company to develop same, build a manufacturing town, etc.

Mr. John D. Brevard, well known throughout Western Carolina, has purchased the stock of dry goods, clothing, etc., of Messrs. Bostic Bros. & Wright, and will continue business at the same stand. Mr. Brevard has been in business here before, and makes friends in all undertakings.

The work of grading the railroad up Sunset Mountain progresses rapidly, quite a mile being ready for the cross-ties and iron. This will be one of the most attractive improvements yet undertaken in Asheville. It will be completed during the month of January if weather continues propitious.

The new church, "Alexander's Chapel," on Reems Creek, will be dedicated on Sunday, Nov. 23d, 1890. The sermon will be by Rev. James H. Weaver, D. D. Dedication service by Rev. J. S. Burnett. A cordial invitation is issued to all to attend by the building committee, Jas. R. Dubose, Jesse Gwaltney, Wm. A. Wagner.

Rev. J. S. Burnett and Miss Sallie Span were married at the residence of Mr. J. R. DuBose, the bride's brother-in-law, on the 11th inst., Dr. Jas. H. Weaver officiating. The many friends of the contracting parties tender sincere congratulations.

We are glad to announce the election as District Attorney of San Diego county, California, of our former townsman Gen. Johnston Jones. He was the Democratic candidate and was elected, while all the other Republican candidates got 1,000 majority in the county.

The Lady Godiva must have had exceptionally long hair since it completely concealed her lovely person. Since Ayer's Hair Vigor came into use such examples are not so rare as formerly. It not only promotes the growth of the hair, but gives it a rich, silken texture.

Go where you may in Asheville and new and elegant buildings greet you. There is more building being done now than ever before at one time, and contractors inform us there is no abatement in the making of contracts for still more. Asheville is certainly growing, substantially and rapidly.

An Atlanta dispatch, reporting the proceedings of the W. C. T. U. convention in that city says: "The board of trustees of what is known as the Asheville assembly met to-day and accepted the donation by Mr. Miller, of Skylands of twenty acres of land adjoining the Vanderbilt property at Asheville, upon which a large temperance tabernacle is to be erected."

Dr. Von Ruck, of the Winyah Sanitarium, has gone to Europe to investigate Dr. Koch's cure for consumption. He will return here fully equipped to administer the new treatment if it is what it is represented to be. Dr. S. Westray Battle has also telegraphed to Berlin for the lymph. It is said many consumptive patients here are clamorous for a trial of Dr. Koch's method.

Mr. Chas. E. Wilson is one of the live young merchants of Western Carolina. His place of business is near the French Broad River, on the road between Hendersonville and Brevard. He has a mammoth store, sells many thousands of dollars worth of goods annually, keeps a splendid hotel; for the traveling public, runs a farm, and wants to get married. He is now engaged—not to get married, however—but building up the country otherwise, by erecting a telephone line from Hendersonville, via his store, to Brevard. Such men deserve success, and generally achieve it.

Rev. S. H. Hilliard. After the departure of Rev. Mr. Rankin for his Western home, Sam Hilliard, our former town's boy, now the Rev. Sam Hilliard, an already strong, earnest, aggressive advocate of his Master's cause, was appointed to the charge of Central Methodist Church of this city. He is a boy in years, but a man in his "Master's Vineyard." Without knowing what the congregation may want we do not hesitate to say that the assignment of Mr. Hilliard to this station will be alike a credit to sincere service to the church, good ability, and an expression of that confidence in the Christian brotherhood and faith begotten of association which ought to characterize the church. We do not know what our young pastor's wishes may be, whether he desires to stay here or go elsewhere. We do know that he is equal to the requirements of the most intelligent congregation in the Conference, and worthy, in all respects, of being sustained by that congregation.

IT IS FROM THE HEART:

The People Address The Democrat, the People's Paper.

The following, under date of Nov. 8th, was received:

MARS HILL, N. C., Nov. 8, '90.

Mr. editor of Democrat, dear sir: We had Big Torch light Procession here to Night in honor to W. T. Crawford, the Progression was Led By J. Vance Jay, a true Democrat we yeld for W. T. C. tell we wear out of Breth & put in seven yels for Sherief Rannels & put in seven yels for Her Gate Democrat gane we have 16 flames here & 15 ar Democrat & Mr. B. never went to the poles He will be solid the next time. Please let me sea this Pease in your weakley Democrat as I think it is the best paper Ever went out From the Press it has done moore good for Western N. C. than any paper, that has bin printed in the State

I am a true Friend
To the Democrat

N. W. B.

Heaven will bless "N. W. B." and the solid Democrats of his section. He and his fellow patriots may always rely on the DEMOCRAT being ever with them.

Here is another:

SANDY MUSH, N. C.

Editor Democrat: Times are very dull here on Sandy Mush with Republicans. I heard a prominent Republican say yesterday when he was asked how he liked the way the election went: "I went to the Raven Rocks to crawl in, and found it was full up, and their heels sticking out."

Hurrah for Crawford and Democracy.

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A Week's Entertainment.

The Baldwin Theatre Company, under the management of Walter S. Baldwin, are playing to good crowds at the Grand Opera House this week. This company is considerably above the average, and have quite a number of select plays, which are very creditably performed. On Monday night they presented "The Galley Slave," the manager, Mr. Baldwin, taking the leading character, and was well supported by the entire company. On Tuesday night "The Two Orphans," was rendered in a very admirable manner; the combat between the brothers in the last act was very realistic, and deserves special mention. Last night the "Queen's Evidence" was performed in our city for the first time, and the audience was more than pleased with the manner in which it was rendered. To-night they present the western drama, written by Joaquin Miller, entitled "The Danites." One of the principal features of the company is the popular price of admission, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. On Saturday night they will give away a handsome suite of bed room furniture or \$30 in gold to the person holding the lucky number. There will be a matinee Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the price of admission being 15 and 25 cents.

The Western N. C. Methodist.

In the current number of this excellent paper—the organ of the M. E. Church, South, of Western North Carolina—Rev. R. N. Price, D. D., assumes the editorship in chief. Rev. J. F. Austin, who has given the paper its present high and useful position, retains his editorial connection. We welcome Dr. Price back home, and to a position in which he can so well and ably continue the work of his love and his life. And under its new management we sincerely wish The Methodist increased prosperity. Mr. Buttrick, a successful and competent business man, continues the business manager.

J. S. Grant, Ph. G.

(Of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy)

Apothecary, 24 South Main St

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J. S. GRANT, Ph. G., Pharmacist,
24 S. Main St. Asheville, N. C.

Looking Backward

Over the past eight years of our successful business life in Asheville has demonstrated to us the fact that our determination to sell only pure goods, guaranteeing weights and quality, and asking a small profit on everything sold, commends itself to the good sense of purchasers.

Second, That desirable customers cannot be gained by the oft-tried practice of some dealers in cutting prices on a few leading articles, hoping to make it up on something else.

That hard work and close application to business is the price of success.

That our business for 1889 shows an increase over the previous year of 20 per cent., which is very gratifying, and for which we wish to thank our many friends in Asheville and Western North Carolina.

Looking Forward

We are encouraged to enter upon the year before us with renewed energy and a determination to give our customers the benefit of our increased facilities for buying and selling the very finest goods to be had, at small profits.

Our stock is now the largest ever offered in this market and embraces everything in the line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Table Delicacies, Fruits, Grain, Flour, etc. Respectfully,

Powell & Snider.