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To Tax-Payers.

I will be at the following places on the days mentioned for the purpose of collecting taxes due on the list now in my hands:

Dunns Rock—Rockbrook Store, Monday, Oct. 22.
Little River—Ashworth's Store, Tuesday, Oct. 23.
Boyd—T. R. Duncan's Store, Wednesday, Oct. 24.
Gloucester—Macedonia Church, Thursday, Oct. 25.
Hogback—School House, Friday, Oct. 26.
Eastatoe—Zion Church, Saturday, Oct. 27.
East Fork—Baptist Church, Monday, Oct. 29.
Cateys Creek—School House, Tuesday, Oct. 30.
Brevard—Court House, Wednesday, Oct. 31.
Cedar Mountain, Bishop's Store, Friday, Nov. 2.
Boyd, Enon Church, Monday, Nov. 5.

Very respectfully,
C. C. KILPATRICK,
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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Congressional Canvass.

Crawford and Britt

Good Crowd—Good Feeling—Good Order—
Good Weather—Last Saturday Was
a Great Day in Brevard.

Never in the history of political gatherings in Transylvania county has there been a more attentive, thoughtful and orderly meeting than that which gathered to listen to the congressional candidates in the court house last Saturday. There was not a fight, nor a street brawl, nor any boisterous conduct on the street or in the hall during the entire day, and both speakers were listened to without interference of any kind. There wasn't even a remote indication that any one had found a jug, and whisky, the great disturber, was not in evidence. How different from the old regime of a few years ago! It certainly pays to have a dry town.

Mr. Britt had the opening speech, and he made a very favorable impression. He is a smooth, pleasant speaker, and were no one present to call him down on his propositions his arguments might be convincing, but with Crawford to follow him he seemed rather doubtful of his soundings and was apparently backward in launching any aggressive propositions. He contented himself with platitudes for the republican party which, as he put it, has brought the country its wide prosperity by its tariff protection to industries.

In reply Mr. Crawford showed that no law can make prosperity for any save the protected classes. It is labor that makes general prosperity—those who delve in the mines; weave and spin in the factories; build the engines; make the steel bridges and farm machinery, as well as those who follow the plow and raise the bumper crops of wheat, corn, cotton and hay, who bring to every country its general prosperity. This year nature has interfered with the general prosperity by an extended season of continuous rains, and in spite of the Dingley tariff or any other law there will be hard times and suffering for the necessities of life in some localities.

So far as the prosperity of Transylvania county is concerned every citizen knows that the Transylvania railroad is responsible for it. By bringing the Toxaway tannery, the Brevard Tannin plant, a larger influx of summer visitors and a home market for everything the county produces, it has brought prosperity—and the Dingley tariff has had nothing whatever to do with it save as it increases the price of clothing and other necessities which we buy. If anybody can show that paying more money for what we purchase can make a county prosperous we may be induced to believe that the republican party is in some way responsible.

A correspondent in the Charlotte Daily Observer, Oct. 9, says:

Crawford knows all the prominent men and workers in this district, calls their names at sight and gives them an enthusiastic handshake and sometimes stops by the roadside to visit an aged and infirm friend. Britt looks dignified in his black clerical suit and gold spectacles; is an unimpassioned speaker, and as a campaigner is as cold as a north wind to an icicle. Of course he is not a vote-winner like the magnetic Crawford. Crawford is a ruddy-faced, typical mountain athlete with broad shoulders, six feet high and weighing 190 pounds avoirdupois. Britt is smaller, with a sallow complexion, aggressive nose and five feet ten inches high, and 44 years of age, or six years younger than Crawford.

It appears strange to many voters that a revenue man, skilled in the art of cutting up "stills," should be the standard bearer of this tenth congressional district, yet the revenue men and postmasters dominate the republican party. Did the revenue men have a hand in nominating Britt?

One of the most beautifying and pleasing incidents of the speaking here was the shower of bouquets of roses which fell to Mr. Crawford as he closed the debate, and his pleased facial expression as he returned thanks to the ladies from whose hands they were received. In this display of appreciation Mr. Britt was not remembered.

A failure of the schedule on the Murphy branch left the candidates to make their way from Hendersonville to Brevard by private conveyance. They claim that Southern officials in Asheville promised to hold the Toxaway train for them but failed to do so. This made them more than an hour late, but the crowd was good natured and waited without grumbling. According to the Citizen report about 400 were present at the speaking—and it was a Crawford crowd by a large majority.

It does not take a fortune teller to predict that the name of the next Governor of New York will begin with H.

Now that the Spanish Court of Claims is getting short of work it can change its name to the Cuban Court of Claims and the work will last it another century.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Great restorative medicine on the globe. Sets stomach, liver and kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures malaria, biliousness and weakness. Wonderful nerve tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by Z. W. Nichols' drug store.

G. W. Wilson Withdraws

Harmony Reigns in the Ranks of Transylvania Democracy, and Increased Majorities Are Certain to Result.

To the Voters of Transylvania County:

At the solicitation of many citizens of both political parties I had agreed to make an independent race for representative in the next General Assembly.

My purpose in doing so was because I saw at the time that there was great danger of what is known as the Zachary stock law being repealed by the next General Assembly which in my opinion would have been very destructive to the interests of the citizens of many sections of the county.

I have been assured by written agreement by the Executive Committee of the democratic party of Transylvania county (a copy of which appears in this paper) that they will use every effort in their power to prevent any legislation which will in any way modify or repeal the Zachary law. I therefore do not deem it necessary in order to protect my fellow citizens from the hardships which the repeal of the said law would have brought upon them, to pursue the fight any further.

Upon the faith I have in the written agreement I withdraw as a candidate for the next General Assembly.

I wish to thank the voters of Transylvania county for the many favors I have received in the past at their hands and the many pledges of support in my present candidacy. My motives in announcing myself as an independent candidate have been in good faith and solely for the purpose of protecting many of my friends from what I thought would be a great disaster.

This 15th of Oct., 1906.

Respectfully yours,
G. W. WILSON.

Quoted from T. H. Galloway's letter to the voters of Transylvania county, published in the News of August 17:

"I will say here and now that I will not enact nor pass any law changing the present stock law of Transylvania county, and I hereby authorize and request my friends in the county to positively contradict any and all reports circulated by any one contrary to the foregoing truthful statement of my position on this subject."

Basing their action on the above statement of the regular nominee of the party the County Executive Committee has authorized the publication of the following pledge:

Headquarters Dem. Ex. Com.
Transylvania County.

We, the undersigned Executive Committee of the democratic party of Transylvania county, pledge ourselves to G. W. Wilson and the people of Transylvania county that we will each use every effort in our power and any influence that we may have to prevent the Legislature of 1907 from repealing, modifying or in any way changing chapter 445, which is known as the Zachary stock law. We further agree that should there be a general stock law for the whole state, we would use our every effort to prevent the same from applying to Transylvania county. This Oct. 15th, 1906.

T. W. WHITMIRE,
Chairman Dem. Ex. Com.
W. W. ZACHARY, Sec'y.

From the size of the fleet which has been sent to Cuba the world is undecided whether the president wants to wipe the Island off of the map or tow it up to New York harbor.

Congressmen who are looking after their fences in their political districts may be in favor of labor organizations but they think nothing of working more than eight hours a day themselves.

One man has accused candidate Hughes of looking like a Russian general. Yes, and candidate Hearst is beginning to look like Field Marshall Oyama. You know what Oyama did to 'em.

This is the season of decay and weakened vitality. Nature is being shorn of its beauty and bloom. If you would retain yours, fortify your system with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.
—Z. W. Nichols and Brevard Drug Company.

The man down South who petitioned the courts to change his name from Smith to something else, evidently never heard of the Mighty Hoke, of Georgia.

Abdul Aziz, Sultan of Morocco stands in mortal dread of assassination. In other words, Abdul Aziz fears that he may soon be known to fame, as Abdul Aziz't.

President Palma left fifteen million dollars in the Cuban treasury. Thus, in another respect, we find that the Cuban revolution is not of the South American variety.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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"After Rockefeller, who?" demands a contemporary. Well, about this time last year, it was the sheriff.

Mr. Hughes must feel envious every time he thinks of the Taft method of just proclaiming yourself governor.

San Marino, the smallest republic in the world, has two presidents. Perhaps that plan might satisfy Cuba.

The King of Spain must rather congratulate himself that the "Pearl of the Antilles" no longer has a place in his jewel box.

Many men give lavishly of gold, to build bridges and castles and towers of old; if you want everlasting fame, a benefactor be, give the poor and needy Rocky Mountain Tea.

—Z. W. Nichols and Brevard Drug Co.

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