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WILSON AND CRAIG BY A BIG MAJORITY

Democrats Carry Over Forty States and Get Control of the United States Senate. Simmons Majority About Twenty Thousand.

The election of Tuesday was a general Democratic landslide in nation, state and district, but when it come to the county—well, that's another story.

From the latest returns it seems that Governor Wilson of New Jersey has carried 36 states, Roosevelt 5 and Taft 3—giving Wilson 389 electoral votes, Roosevelt 99 and Taft 12, with 33 electoral votes still in doubt.

Senator F. M. Simmons has been re-elected by a majority of 20,000 or 25,000 over his opponents, Governor Kitchin and Walter Clark.

Locke Craig's majority over his two opponents will reach 60,000. His plurality over Iredell Mears, the progressive candidate for governor, is 100,000, over Thomas Settle, the republican candidate, 120,000.

Congressman Gudger's majority will possibly reach 1,800, while W. J. Hannah is elected to the state senate by a majority of about 500.

About 37 democratic congressmen have been elected in districts heretofore republican, and all indications point to a good democratic working majority in the senate, which will give President Wilson a fair show.

As to the county matters we have nothing to say just here. Look at the table found in this issue. It tells the whole story.

W. W. HARKINS SHOT

William W. Harkins, son of Isaac Harkins, of this county, was shot by C. B. Boyd in the Eagles' club room in Asheville early last Saturday morning. He died at the Mission hospital Sunday afternoon.

According to the evidence brought out at the coroner's inquest, the two men had had a disagreement about an automobile fare some time on Friday and when they met at the club rooms they again took up the matter with the result that Mr. Harkins was shot. The bullet entered the forehead just a little to the right of the center, and although an operation was performed he never regained consciousness.

The body was brought to Brevard Monday night and was taken in charge by the Masons of Dunn's Rock Lodge No. 267, and carried to the home of the father, about two miles from town.

The funeral took place at Cathey's Creek church Wednesday afternoon, and in spite of the heavy downpour of rain the church was crowded with relatives and friends of the deceased. The services at the church were conducted by Rev. R. D. Cross, pastor of the Brevard Baptist church, while the Masons had charge of the services at the grave.

The deceased was forty-one years old and was a native of this county. He has been employed in the revenue service about two years. He is survived by a wife, who was Miss Jessie Allen of Candler, and an eight months child. Two brothers and two sisters survive—John and James Harkins of Easley, S. C., and Mrs. R. H. McCall of Brevard and Mrs. Ida Young of Lake Toxaway. His father, Isaac Harkins, lives near Brevard.

Don't waste your money buying strengthening plasters. Chamberlain's Liniment is cheaper and better. Dampen a piece of flannel with it and bind it over the affected parts and it will relieve the pain and soreness. For sale by all dealers. adv

ROSMAN NEWS

Mr. Drayton Randolph attended the quarterly meeting of the Methodist church at Piney Grove last Saturday. He reports good attendance and an able sermon by Presiding Elder Cordell.

The republican candidate for congress in this district, Mr. Staton, made an address at the school building Thursday night.

The Hallowe'en entertainment Friday night, which was given through the efforts of the Betterment Association, was a grand success. The proceeds amounted to \$20.67, which will help defray some of the expenses of the school. The order was good and the people of Rosman responded liberally to a worthy cause. Several out of town visitors were present.

It was suggested several days ago that a singing school be started in the community. But since it is evident that it would interfere with the work of the school, as all the children would want to attend both day and night, the people kindly consented to put it off until the Christmas holidays.

The national election is creating a lot of interest, and I suppose by the time this letter is printed we will be cognizant of the true results. ELMER.

HORSE SHOE NOTES

We are having some very cold weather at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reese returned Saturday from a few days visit to Asheville.

Mrs. Lila Ledbetter was visiting at Rev. T. C. Holtsclaw's last Sunday.

Carl Orr has bought a pair of mules.

Will Simpson is the proud father of a baby girl.

Capt. C. T. Rankin passed through this vicinity Tuesday.

Rev. W. H. Davis filled his appointment at Preston last Sunday afternoon.

There was a candy breaking at Jasper Bannin's Saturday evening. GYPSY.

U. D. C. BUYS BUNGALOW

At a sheriff's sale at the court house door on Monday morning, November 4, at 12 m., there was exposed at auction, among the other effects of the Appalachian Club Estates, their beautiful office known as the "Bureau of Information," which was bought for cash down by the Transylvania Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, they being the highest bidders.

The office, which is now the new home of the chapter, has a charming bungalow character. The roof is a high-peaked one, extending down and over the wide nine-foot piazza which encircles it on all sides. The pillars of the piazza are native rustic columns, joined together by festooned massive iron chains in place of a balustrade.

All of the inside furniture is of handsome Mission order, while rustic porch chairs give comfort on the piazza. The approach from Main street is terraced and has columns at the entrance that will bear the chapter's name. In the rear there is a large lawn, with fountain and rustic benches. The latter can serve for for out-of-door fetes and lawn parties as contemplated.

The chapter will install and transfer at once their library of about 500 volumes, which library will be open to the reading public three afternoons in the week, and books can be rented out by the week at five cents a volume.

The chapter holds ever in mind the glory of the story of their fathers, and with their enlarged opportunities the question of a Confederate monument has already been hinted, and with a site for it in the centre of the square, preferably, or between the chapter house and the court house, all that will be needed is the co-operation of the Sons of Veterans and a generous public.

Chapter House and Library of Transylvania Chapter No. 1353, U. D. C., Brevard, N. C., November 4, 1912.

At an informal meeting of the chapter, held immediately after the purchase of the "information bureau" of the late Appalachian Club Estates and the delivery of the keys to us through the courtesy of Mr. Branch Paxton, deputy sheriff, it was resolved that our thanks are due to the men who so chivalrously stood aside and made our way easy to the purchase of the property.

Where there were so many acts of courtesy and kindness shown, it is almost invidious to specialize, but yet there are some who particularly deserve our gratitude.

To Mrs. John F. Henry and Mrs. M. A. E. Woodbridge we are especially indebted for their handsome aid in supplementing our own funds by loans to the extent of over one-half of the purchase money. Their co-operation made it possible for us to pay all cash down.

We will always remember our county commissioners, Messrs. L. W. Brooks, George Lyday and Arthur Miller, who met us more than half way, giving their consent to our purchase, thereby insuring our possession in perpetuity.

To Robert L. Gasb, Esq., we owe much, his active interest and quick efficiency in arranging and mastering the details and bringing all to a happy conclusion will always be remembered with gratitude.

To the whole community at large, women and men, who by their sympathetic encouragement and countenance of our chapter have given strength to our aims and objects, we are indebted.

DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY.

Is your husband cross? An irritable, fault finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently cured of stomach trouble by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. For sale by all dealers. adv

MISS WILSON WINS TEN DOLLARS GOLD

MRS. CHAS. JOLLAY STANDS IN SECOND PLACE

Read About the Extra Bonus Offer for the Next Thirty Days and Then Get Busy.

The first count in the Sylvan Valley News popular voting contest occurred on Wednesday evening. The judges worked very fast and made short work of the immense pile of the little pasteboards.

And before we go any further let us state that Miss Gertrude Wilson won the ten dollars in gold, and probably Miss Wilson is one of the happiest young ladies in Transylvania county this week. Mrs. Chas. Jollay ran second in the contest.

It is practically certain that all those ladies who do any work at all in the contest will be accommodated with prizes. It is not too late to start as many a girl has won the elegant Obermeyer & Sons piano by starting rather late in the contests that have been conducted over parts of the country. Start today and try for one of the valuable merchants prizes or the beautiful upright piano, for these prizes are worthy of your best efforts.

The second count in the News popular ladies voting contest will be held on Tuesday, December 3rd. On this date the contestant making the greatest gain in votes from the date of the first count to the date of the second count on December 3rd will receive a prize of ten dollars in gold as a gift from the editor. Remember this prize will not be given to that contestant who has the greatest vote standing at the date of the second count, but only to that young lady contestant who succeeds in making the greatest gain in votes from the first count to the second count on December 3rd.

Now kindly read the following carefully, as the new bonus offers are worth your time and a little study. Memorize the following new bonus offers as this is the most rapid method of obtaining a good vote standing. Bring your subscriptions to the office of the publisher in clubs of seven, and take advantage of these new bonus.

For every seven new subscriptions 10,000 extra votes, making a total of 14,200 votes.

For every seven renewal subscriptions 8,000 extra votes, making a total of 11,560 votes.

For every bunch of forty merchants coupons that are brought to the office of the publisher and counted an additional bonus of 500 votes will be allowed, making a total of 1,500 votes.

Now girls it is strictly up to you as to whether you will own one of these valuable prizes or not. Decide right now and start in today. Those who desire any further information in regard to the contest will kindly call in person at the News office.

The standing of the contestants at the first count is as follows:

Miss Gertrude Wilson, Rosman	21,650
Mrs. Charles Jollay, Brevard	11,725
Miss Agnes Kilpatrick	4,250
Miss Emma Osteen	2,100
Miss Maria Inez Loftis	2,000
Miss Daisy Holcom	1,950
Miss Florence Hawkins	1,675
Miss Helen Hamilton	1,375
Miss Lelia Brooks	1,225
Miss Maggie Deaver	1,200
Miss Nolia Bryson	1,150
Miss Margaret Breese	1,100
Miss Grace Calhoun	1,075
Miss Ollie Perry	1,075
Miss Vera House	1,050
Mrs. C. R. Sharp	1,050
Miss Adeline Patton	1,025
Miss Dora Nicholson	1,025
Miss Rena Harwood	1,025
Miss Florence Aiken	1,000
Miss Beulah Whitmire	1,000

Brevard.

Margaret W. Breese Daisy Holcom

Agnes Kilpatrick	Daisy Orr
Florence Aiken	Grace Whitmire
Flora Duckworth	Grace Calhoun
Mrs. Charles Jollay	Olivia Hancock
Dora Nicholson	Frankie Kilpatrick
Mariah Inez Loftis	Hattie Aiken
Allie Belle Cloud	Ava Ashworth

Brevard Routes 1 and 2.

Bessie Hayes	Irene Ashworth
Annie Allison	Maud Case
Bertha McCall	Sallie Osborne
Geneva Orr	Nancy Clark
Flora Tinsley	Florence Hawkins
Lelia Surret	Bessie Lyda
Annie Davenport	Jim Neil
Julia Deaver	Maggie Deaver
Cora England	Cleo Morris
Ethel Boggs	

Horse Shoe.

Dovie Shipman	Alice Banks
Emma Reece	Lou Byrd

Etowah.

Effie Shipman, R. 1	Annie Blythe
Annie Lance	Bessie Orr
Nannie Lou Moffitt	Annie Duncan
Minnie Sitton	Neta Allen

Selica.

Pearl Alexander	Emma Osteen
May Bryson	Esther Grey
Nolia Bryson	

Rosman.

Clessie Whitmire	Annie Patton
Georgia Burrell	Lenora Lanning
Mamie Justus	Beulah Whitmire
Gertrude Wilson	Mabel Carpenter

Penrose.

Maud Shuford	Ina Talley
Lena Harwood	

Blantyre.

Beulah Shipman	Emma Justus
Dovie Banning	

Davidson River.

Bertha Hudson	Adeline Patton
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Cherryfield.

Bertha Batson	Ida McCall
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Pisgah Forest.

Mrs. Thomas Wilson	Bessie Patton
Mary Maxwell	Anna Gash
Addie Wilson	Pearlie Baynard
Jeva Pickelsimer	Lula McCall

Balsam Grove.

Vera House

Lake Toxaway.

Leila Brooks	Mrs. J. C. Wike
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Calvert.

Mrs. C. R. Sharp	Ollie Perry
Mrs. Wade Garren	Anna Jordan

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

An interesting program will be rendered at Penrose, November 23rd, at seven o'clock p. m., by the pupils of Penrose high school. The Sunbeams will play an important part.

Following the program at eight o'clock will be given a box supper. All boxes will be well filled with delicious food, such as the Penrose ladies always provide.

Cake for sale. Every one invited. Entertainment free. Funds will go for betterment work in the school.

Only a woman can understand the prostrating effect of disorders in the female organism; the misery of it and its depressing influence on the mind. Many women who formerly suffered from those disorders owe their present health to DR. SIMMONS' SQUAW VINE COMPOUND. It exercises a powerful restorative influence on the female generative system, builds up a strong body, restores healthy regularity and promotes cheerfulness and a clear, rosy complexion. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by S. M. Macfie. adv

Notice to Tax Payers

To the Taxpayers of Transylvania Co.: I will be at the following places on the dates mentioned, for the collection of taxes:

Gloucester, Macedonia church, Nov. 18.
Hogback, Quebec, Nov. 19.
Catheys Creek, Erwin's Store, Rosman, Nov. 20.
Eastataoe, East Fork Baptist Church, Nov. 21.
Dunns Rock, Garren's Store, Nov. 22.
Cedar Mountain, Burns Bros. Store, Nov. 25.
Little River, Williamson's Store, Nov. 26.
Boyd, Talley's Store, Nov. 27.
Brevard, Court House, Nov. 28.

I will be at the above named places from 11 o'clock a. m. to 2 o'clock p. m. Respectfully,
F. E. SHUFORD,
Tax Collector.