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BUNCOMBE'S PRIMARIES

HOW THE DEMOCRATS VOTED SATURDAY.

Full Returns Not In—List of Delegates To The County Convention Which Meets Next Saturday.

Buncombe's primaries and township conventions were held Saturday and there is a lively interest among politicians in the result. Up to this afternoon the full returns had not been received, but a footing up of those precincts heard from where primaries were held shows that for sheriff, Brookshire has received 365 votes and McDowell 374. For register of deeds, Mackey's total is 437 and Brevard 374. Cashier clerk, has received 459 votes and Robertson 268. The vote:

First and Second Wards.

House—Stedman, 169; Reel, 160; Martin, 21.
Senate—Craig, 146; Reeves, 3.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 94; Brevard, 79; Howell, 32; Dubose, 5; Shelton, 1; Luther, 2.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 123; Reynolds, 26; Crowell, 19.
Clerk Superior Court—Robertson, 92; Cathay, 55; Atkinson, 29; Gwyn, 21.
Sheriff—McDowell, 109; Brookshire, 81; Corpening, 20.
Clerk Superior Court—Hillard, 1.
Surveyor—McCoy, 24; Patton, 1; Rogan, 1.
Constable—Noland, 90; Young, 40; McCarty, 40; Bostic, 21.

Third and Fourth Wards.

House—C. M. Stedman, 274; M. L. Reel, 272; J. G. Martin, 8.
Senate—Locke, Craig, 271; T. F. Reeves, 9.
Sheriff—W. G. McDowell, 142; J. A. Brookshire, 122; W. G. Corpening, 54.
Treasurer—H. H. Courtney, 206; J. H. Reynolds, 23; W. W. Crowell, 7.
Clerk Superior Court—L. L. Cathay, 107; B. Atkinson, 21; M. W. Robertson, 50; W. B. Gwyn, 26.
Register—J. Mackey, 161; J. D. Brevard, 123; J. R. Howell, 4; T. W. Shelton, 17; J. W. Hill, 28.
Clerk Superior Court—Hillard, 1.
Surveyor—J. M. McCoy, 29; Rogan, 1; B. F. Patton, 1.
Constable—J. J. Noland, 116; J. C. McCarty, 97; P. L. Bostic, 38; W. H. Young, 25.

Delegates to county convention—

H. Penland, R. F. Carter, J. H. Carter, J. M. Gardner, J. M. Hume, J. J. Jordan, J. H. Brooks, C. T. Hawks, H. A. Powell, D. W. Newell, D. W. Benton, R. B. Hill, Sam Kennell, T. A. Yarbrough, W. C. Penland, J. M. Ingle, L. E. O'Connell, Charles Davis, J. W. Shuler, Jas. J. Sawyer, H. W. Hill, William Brown, W. W. Lowe, C. D. Blanton, J. M. Campbell, M. W. Doggett, S. Lipinsky, John McDowell, Duff McCollum, W. L. Hough, W. A. Boyce.

House—

House—Stedman, 33; Reel, 30; Martin, 1.
Sheriff—Brookshire, 12; McDowell, 30; Corpening, 3.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 16; Atkinson, 12; Robertson, 13.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 49; Brevard, 11; Shelton, 1.
Treasurer—Courtney, 39; Crowell, 1.
Clerk Superior Court—McCoy, 3.
Constable—Noland, 7; McCarty, 5; Bostic, 14; Young, 8.
Delegates—J. C. Cowan, Berry Spivey, Geo. Collins, Jas. Carland, C. H. Atkinson.

Delegates to county convention—

House—Reel, 83; Stedman, 70; Martin, 9.
Sheriff—Brookshire, 62; McDowell, 46; Corpening, 3.
Treasurer—Courtney, 72; Reynolds, 10.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 61; Atkinson, 5; Robertson, 3.
Register of Deeds—Brevard, 90; Mackey, 18; Dubose, 1; Howell, 1.
Constable—Noland, 37; Young, 10; McCarty, 8.
Surveyor—McCoy, 34.
Clerk Superior Court—H. H. Penland, 43; Dr. McBrayer, 14; Dr. A. S. Whitaker, 2.
Delegates—Jas. Reese, J. C. Lipe, Jesse Shickellord, E. W. Patton, J. A. Sorrells, P. H. Webb, J. H. Murphy, S. Badger, T. P. Wilson.

Swannanoa Precinct.

House—Reel, 46; Stedman, 45.
Sheriff—McDowell, 21; Brookshire, 20; Corpening, 2.
Treasurer—Courtney, 22; Reynolds, 21.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 11; Robertson, 25; Gwyn, 10; Atkinson, 4.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 33; Brevard, 14; Dubose, 1.
Senate—Locke, Craig, 35; Reeves, 1.
Delegates—H. B. Smith, Locke Craig, R. V. Wolfe, J. C. Reynolds.

Haw Creek Precinct.

House—Reel and Stedman.
Sheriff—Brookshire.
Treasurer—Courtney.
Clerk Superior Court—Robertson.
Register of Deeds—Brevard, 7; Mackey, 1; Dubose, 1.
Constable—C. C. McCarty.
Delegates—G. H. Bell, F. J. Sumner.

Swannanoa Township.

The meeting of the Democrats of Swannanoa was called to order by Dr. Geo. W. Whitson, chairman. Dr. Whitson was afterward chosen permanent chairman, and Wm. Linnell Kimmel secretary.

The following delegates were chosen:

Geo. N. Alexander, Wm. R. Alexander, T. J. Corbell, Samuel W. Davidson, Jr., Jas. W. Garren, Wm. M. Guder, M. F. Hawkins, Thomas J. Ingle, Wm. Linnell Kimmel, Geo. A. Pickens, Marion Roberts, D. V. Shope, Chas. H. Sh. p., Samuel F. Strone, Dr. Geo. W. Whitson, Dr. R. I. Wilson and Robt. H. Young.

Mr. Kimmel introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, Other political assemblies in various parts of our State have given expression to their preferences for United States Senatorial candidates, it cannot be regarded as irregular in us, to

note the end, that he may be called to fill the vacancy made in the United States Senate, by the death of that noble son of Buncombe, Zebulon B. Vance."

Leicester.

The meeting of Leicester township was large and entirely harmonious. The vote was as follows:
House—Stedman, 80; Reel, 36; Martin, 30.
Sheriff—Brookshire, 70; McDowell, 4.
Treasurer—Courtney, 29; Reynolds, 34; Wright, 3; Crowell, 6.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 49; Robertson, 19; Gwyn, 3.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 36; Brevard, 27; Howell, 17.
Surveyor—McCoy, 80.
Coroner—J. M. Stevens, 80.

Leicester.

House—Merrimon, 20; Stedman, 10; Reel, 10; Martin, 1.
Sheriff—Brookshire, 16; McDowell, 4.
Treasurer—Courtney, 17; Crowell, 2; Reynolds, 24.
Clerk Superior Court—Cathay, 24.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 12; Shelton, 4; Brevard, 8.
Delegates—J. C. Ducker, J. A. Frady, W. R. Powers, T. O. Lambert, J. A. Lamer, P. A. Lane, T. L. Rickman, M. L. Shuford, J. S. Pender, N. Lanning, Wm. Nettles, J. R. Garren.

Fairview.

The delegates from Fairview came unopposed, and the list is as follows: J. A. Wray, J. S. Williams, Jas. Tweed, O. D. Owenby, R. C. Clayton, J. Will Jones, Jason Ashworth.

Black Mountain.

The delegates from Black Mountain township are unopposed, the delegates being: Chas. N. Vance, J. D. Hemphill, Geo. Adams and S. Brown.

French Broad.

House—Stedman and Reel, by acclamation.
Sheriff—Brookshire, 26; McDowell, 5; Corpening, 11.
Treasurer—Courtney, 37; Reynolds, 3; W. W. Crowell, 3.
Clerk Superior Court, Robertson, 31; J. L. Cathay, 3; E. B. Atkinson, 1.
Register of Deeds—Mackey, 33; Dubose, 4; Brevard, 6.
Delegates—D. A. Blackwell, W. J. Clontz, C. N. Parker, J. N. W. Rogers, J. B. Hunter, J. A. Gwaltney, Geo. E. Lewis, T. A. Clark, J. R. Bynum, J. N. Vance, W. H. Hunter, W. F. Paris, W. H. Rutherford, J. P. Rector, J. W. Lee and Z. Vance.

Lower Hovely.

Dr. D. M. Guder was chairman and Jesse W. Morgan secretary of the Lower Hovely convention. The delegates appointed are: John Holdman, A. L. Bright, Marion Cole, Merritt Roberts, H. N. Alexander, T. D. Brittain, Jesse W. Morgan, D. M. Lee, Thrash, J. L. Whitaker, L. L. Childs, Patton Starnes and Dr. D. M. Guder. The delegates are instructed to vote the strength of the township solid for Dr. L. B. McBrayer for coroner, and for Prof. Weaver for surveyor. They are further instructed to vote as follows on the candidates for various county and other offices:

Upper Hovely.

House—Merrimon, 17; Chapman, 30; Reel, 15; Stedman, 8; Blackwell, 1.
Senate—Joe. Davis, 35; Craig, 26; Reeves, 22. The number of votes the township is entitled to are to be divided in proportion as the votes above indicate between the various candidates.

Mr. Fox's Readings.

A Good Audience and a Successful Entertainment.

The reading for the benefit of the Flower Mission by John Fox, jr., from his story "A Cumberland Vendetta," took place in the ballroom of the Battery Park hotel on Saturday night. Considering the short time in which the event was advertised the audience was large. Mr. Fox easily fulfills all Mr. Thos. Nelson Page promised for him. Assuming simply the manner of a reader, with no effort at theatrical effect, he at once attracts and puts his audience at ease and they heard him with unabated interest till the close.

His productions have already disclosed the appreciation he has of that grandeur of character or has heard his rendition of that peculiar dialect, the conclusion is irresistible that you see Mr. Fox, not as a reader studying sheets, but Mr. Fox moved as he was by the peculiarity in character and speech of the people he reproduces and the grandeur of their mountains, before he ever put pen to paper for a "Cumberland Vendetta."

As Thomas Nelson Page and others are preserving for posterity the true insight into the character and conditions of the people, so John Fox, jr., and others are performing the duties of the same office in relation to a people who as a whole are honest, courageous and noble, if, sometimes, because of their environments misguided.

Working Double Time.

HOLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 3.—All the departments of the Portage Iron works at Duncaneville are operating after an eight month's strike. The puddlers have accepted the terms of their employers in imposing a wage scale of \$2.75 per day. The mills will work on double turn with a force of 500 men.

TERRIBLE FOREST FIRES

THREE HUNDRED & TWELVE DEAD BODIES FOUND.

Six Towns in Minnesota Reported To Be Completely Destroyed—Duluth Cut Off From The Outside World For 24 Hours—Dreadful Fate Of Settlers

DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 3.—So far as heard from, the forest fires which have shut Duluth out of communication with the outside world for over 24 hours, both by wire and rail, have almost completely wiped out six towns: Hinckley, Minn., population 1200; Sandstone, 15 miles north of the Eastern road; Quarrytown, population 1000; Partridge and Mansfield, small stations farther north, near the Wisconsin border, population 300 each; Shell Lake and Baromette, Wis., population 2000 each, both lumber towns. Besides these, Bayfield and Washburn, Wis., on Lake Superior, from which nothing can be heard, have probably suffered considerably, as well as numerous little settlements all through the northern parts of Wisconsin.

Special correspondents investigating the result of the fire in towns burned on the St. Paul and Duluth road counted 312 dead bodies. There are 217 dead at Hinckley, 17 at Sandstone, 22 at Pine City, 56 between Sandstone and Miller with the interior yet to be heard from.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Sept. 3.—Railroad officials here say the worst is over from forest fires along the line of the Duluth, Southshore and Atlantic. They are already pushing the work of reconstruction of track and bridges burned. The wires beyond Nestoria are again broken and no definite news of the actual state of affairs this morning can be obtained.

HINCKLEY, Minn., Sept. 3.—A gentle rain is falling today and quenching the burning embers of the immense forest fire that did so much damage in this city Saturday afternoon and night. The blackened ruins of two or three brick buildings is all that remains standing of the once prosperous town of Hinckley with its 1700 people and its busy railroad and lumbering interest.

CHIPPewa FALLS, Wis., Sept. 3.—The heaviest loser by the forest fires in this city is Cornell University of New York, which had nearly \$1,000,000 invested in pine lands located chiefly around Long Lake, 30 miles from this city. Their lands have completely been divested of the pine.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 3.—Conductor Sullivan of the train that was caught by the fire near Hinckley and backed to Skunk Lake, became a raving maniac before reaching comparative safety. He was heroically cool while his burning train was making its fearful run, but at Skunk Lake his mind gave way. Engineer Root of the same train is so badly burned that he may not live. There is no doubt that the train would have got through safely if the engineer had not stopped to pick up 200 or 300 refugees who lined the track.

THE MAZY ATMOSPHERE.

The Dark And Yellow Days Of The Past.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The peculiar haze that has been noticeable in the sky all over the country for the last week or so, has been a matter of great interest to meteorologists, and many experiments have been going on to determine its cause and nature.

Prof. Henry A. Hazen says: "This is what may be called the Indian summer haze. Just what is the cause of it, it is a little difficult to determine. Similar conditions have been noticed in the past, notably on the 'dark day' in 1781, which was due to a condensed condition of the atmosphere, probably caused by smoke. In 1881 there was another dark day known as 'yellow day' which extended from New England to Virginia on the Atlantic coast. The murky atmosphere has been noticed west of the Mississippi, but is of a different character from that of the eastward, as that is much lighter in color and is caused every year by a settlement of dust or smoke particles. The air is generally quiet and there is no condition which would precipitate the particles causing the haze or carry them to other regions."

A CARD.

Polk Miller's Recital at the Grand Opera House.

We, the undersigned, take pleasure in announcing that Polk Miller will give his direct recital of "The Old Virginia Plantation Negro" on Wednesday evening, September 5, at 8:30 o'clock in the Grand opera house. Mr. Miller comes to us with the highest order of endorsement as an entertainer and the people of Asheville will doubtless give him a hearty reception in keeping with his already established reputation in the Old North State.

Swannanoa County Club.

An attractive fair is proposed to be held for the benefit of the Swannanoa Country club kennels at Kenilworth Inn on or about Tuesday, September 11, under the auspices of the club's ladies members. The hearty cooperation of all ladies interested in the welfare of the hunting club is requested, and they are cordially invited to attend a meeting to be held at the residence of Mrs. T. Wilson Sharpless, North French Broad avenue, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 5.

Labor Day at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The first celebration of Labor Day as a national holiday was fittingly observed in the National Capital. The local labor organizations paraded in four great divisions, each averaging about 2,000 men in line. Nearly every organization was headed by its own band, and the din of conflicting strains of music was deafening.

THIS MORNING'S GAMES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Today's celebration of Labor Day was the finest ever held in this city. Over 30,000 men were in line.

National League—Boston 5, Chicago 4; New York 16, Cincinnati 2.

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In the fall blocks expected Saturday, Sept. 1st. A full line of fall shapes of other makes of hats now in stock.

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A Month Ago

Hardly a dozen residents of the city had heard of Shamrock Irish linen writing paper—now every one speaks of it with the familiarity of an old acquaintance—hundreds of satisfied customers are using it—just one has kicked at the quality—he wasn't sincere as he bought a lot of it—\$2c. paper for 10c, quite ought to sell.

This Week

And for many weeks to come you can buy books cheaper here than any place in the State—25c. readable novels 5c. Heavenly Twins 40c. Ideal 10c. Shyris That Pass in the Night, Yellow Aster, Dodo, etc., 10c.

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