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Population with suburbs 6,017.  
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**INDUCEMENT**  
Remarkably fine climate being located on a high ridge 1164 feet above sea-level in sight of the Blue Ridge Southern Railway and Carolina and North Western. 18 hours from New York. Water from a pure mountain stream. Excellent schools and churches. Two colleges.

**INDUSTRIES.**  
Wagon factory, three cotton mills, two furniture factories, three building material factories, pump factory, two knitting mills, two tanneries, collar factory, harness factory, canner factory, foundry and machine shop, ice plant, picker-stick factory, two roller mills. Money value of factories \$1,850,000.00. Annual output \$2,250,000.00.

**NO REASONABLE COMBINATIONS?**

We hardly know what position to take in regard to the dissenting opinion of Justice Harlan in the Standard Oil case. He brands as mischievous the modification made by the court in the decree of the lower court, permitting subsidiary corporations of the Standard Oil after dissolution of the combination, to make "normal and lawful agreements" among themselves. Chief Justice White, all the justices concurring, except Justice Harlan, held that there may be a reasonable restraint of trade by combination, although that which had been effected by the Standard Oil was not of this nature. In this ruling the court reversed all previous decisions which the court had made when the Sherman Anti-Trust law was affected. Justice Harlan holds that every restraint of trade violates the law. He declares he is convinced the Supreme Court's decision "will throw the business of the country into confusion and invite widely extended and harassing litigation, the injurious effects of which will be felt for many years to come."

There is doubtless a large degree of truth in this prophecy. Big combines are going to contend that they are "reasonable" when they are wilfully unjust. They are built that way. Nevertheless, Judge Harlan's contention makes the combination of two country stores a violation of the Sherman law.

The Democrat belongs to a little printers publishers association in which it agreed with Clay, Gwin and Mace, of Hickory; Rufe Clark, Brady and Sronce, of Statesville; Williams and Mebane, of Newton; Moore, Martin and Grist, of Lenoir, and a whole lot of others, to maintain a minimum price for printing and advertising. It was a mighty reasonable minimum. But wouldn't Justice Harlan's contention make it an agreement in restraint of trade?

**THE POSTAL SABBATH.**

The Democrat published last week a statement from Postmaster Hamrick to the effect that the post office will hereafter keep Sunday more strictly. The general delivery will be open only half an hour, and the carriers window not at all.

The Democrat believes that this is right. It believes in keeping the Lord's day as a day for rest. Artificial conditions of modern life have made us believe that Sunday mail and its delivery is a necessity but it isn't. Time was when our ancestors thought they were fortunate if they got mail once a week.

The mail carrier has a hard weeks work, especially in the blistering days of summer. Lets not complain on his getting a whole day's rest on Sunday.

It's worse than useless to take any medicines internally for muscular or chronic rheumatism. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

The Democrat has a corking good correspondent at Boone who signs his name "A. M.," but whose identity the present editor of the paper has never been able to run down. Chiefly for the purpose throwing him a bouquet, the democrat would like to know who "A. M." am.

**The Kidneys and Their Boss.**

Dr. J. N. Hurty, Secretary Indiana State Board of Health.

One time two kidneys, which had been working like dray horses for years, suddenly slowed up. Kidney No. 1 said: "I just can't absorb these enormous quantities of salt and saltpeper the blood is loaded with nowadays; and I notice you, too, are growing weak."

"Yes," said No. 2, "the man we are working for is a regular glutton on ham and bacon. and since Dr. Wiley forbade borax as a meat preservative, the saltpeper has been increased, and that's what makes us so tired. Yesterday the saltpeper was so strong it tore one of my tubules, and it bled horribly. The boss was awfully scared, and went to see a doctor. The doctor never said a word about letting up on the ham with its embalming chemicals, but gave a prescription which I heard the old man ay cost 35 cents. It was acetate of potash and an infusion of digitalis, and when it struck me I rembled like a leaf."

"I, too, felt the blow of that infernal stuff when it came along," said No. 1. "I already had a good jag of salt and saltpeper, and was trying my best to pass them on when the acetate and digitalis hit me. I grew dizzy, and just to let a little light into the boss's mind, I sent a pain impulse to his brain."

"So did I," said No. 2. Didn't help much, though, because he sent down a dose of morphine to quiet the pain. When the blood brought the cussed stuff, I could see the white corpuscles were staggering and were very weak like. One of them said, "I feel like I had been hit with a club. I couldn't whip a sick typhoid when it were to come along, and if it were a husky one, good-bye me."

"Good-bye for the boss, too," said kidney No. 1. The two poor overworked kidneys again conscientiously took up their functions, but it was no use; they just could not catch up. The blood now began to kick. "I have carried this load of salt and saltpeper around the course three times now, and a new lot came into the stomach about ten minutes ago, and also a lot of catsup with vinegar and spices. If you don't take this old charge from me, as is your duty, I can't relieve the stomach."

"Let the stomach go hang," said kidney No. 1. "If it hasn't sense enough to puke the infernal stuff out, let it suffer." "What can it do?" said kidney No. 2. "The creosote which got into the ham when it was smoked has paralyzed the poor thing." So the kidneys said: "Well, just send a joint wire up to headquarters and see if the old boss won't then let up a bit with his gormandizing."

So they sent the wire and threw a fit. The boss, sick as a dog, had to go to bed, and again sent for the doctor. "I have an awful pain in my kidneys," said the boss. "My kidney pills will cure it," said the doctor; and he administered the pills.

When they dropped into the stomach the old tired thing said: "Heavens and earth! what's this? Nevertheless, it bent to the job, and when the hard sugar coating was dissolved and the buchu, juniper oil, and more saltpeper dropped out, it called down the tube to the kidneys what was coming. The poor things groaned and said, "How long, O Lord, how long?" Before the stuff in the first dose of pills reached the kidneys, another dose dropped into the stomach. "Here comes some more!" yelled the stomach, staggering kidneys agreed they had reached the end of their string and Bright's disease was inevitable. They just couldn't help it, and the trouble began.

Gradually the boss wasted away in great pain, and died. He never did know why his kidneys gave out, and why he had Bright's disease.

Moral: Eat constipating, irritating spices; eat embalmed meat; eat inordinately of salt; eat, eat, eat for pleasure; but don't be cranky and eat to live in strength and happiness.

**We Have Them All Beat.**  
When it comes to satisfactory merchandising. Two thousand traveling salesmen are carrying out eighty different products to over two million farmers every year. This is the fairest, squarest and most satisfactory plan of merchandise ever devised; We need a reliable energetic young man right now to travel in Catawba county.

**Watauga News.**

Boone Democrat.  
Prof. D. D. Dougherty has been suffering intensely for several days with a large abscess in his throat and at this time he is still unrelieved.

Friend Calvin Trivett, of Limestone, Tenn., is again a citizen of Watauga after an absence of two years from his native county. He sold his farm in Tennessee and purchased the Willie Adams property on Brushy Fork, and moved his family there.

Minneapolis, Elk Park and the Old Fields of Toe, in our sister county of Avery, have been put in nomination for the county site of Avery, and the same will be voted upon July 1. The town of Elk Park is making and will make a strong fight for the prize, out to a disinterested outsider, it seems to be near the edge of the county to be a convenient location for a majority of the people interested. The unfortunate location of the county seat of Mitchell, made Avery possible.

The Summer Term of the Appalachian Training School will open June 1 and close July 26. The following educators will compose the faculty: B. B. Dougherty, Superintendent, J. M. Downum, Lenoir, N. C.; E. E. Randolph, Miss Jean Witherspoon, Miss Alice Wilson, I. G. Greer, Miss Wilze Spainour, Mrs. Mary G. Reitze, Mr. E. E. Randolph, and Mrs. Fuller. This is said to be one of the best, if not the best, faculty ever employed for the Summer School, and this term promises to be the most successful yet taught.

The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has made it a favorite everywhere. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Prof. C. M. Staley left Friday to visit his father, Mr. J. W. Staley, at Staley, N. C., for three or four days.

**"MY BLOOD IN FINE CONDITION"**

Every sufferer from Blood Poison should read what Mrs. M. Madeline, of Weidon, N. C., says of her experience: "I was a terrible sufferer from blood poisoning. My blood would be broken, the flesh would become inflamed, itchy and burn, and develop into sores. Before the blood was purified, my whole body became fearfully swollen, and I was in a serious condition generally. I used Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, and it cured me. My blood is in fine condition. I believe if it had not been for Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy I would have died. Its value is priceless."

Away back in the days of Moses it was said "in the blood thereof is the life; and never were truer words spoken. This vital fluid is the essence of life and health, and when it becomes impure, impoverished or poisoned the result is debility, weakness, loss of vitality, energy and life itself. Without good blood, good health is impossible."

**MRS. JOE PERSON'S REMEDY**  
Is a sure specific for all troubles due to impure, impoverished and poisoned blood, such as Eczema, Old Sores, Itch, Scald Head, and the long train of attendant ailments, including Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Stomach Troubles, Nervousness, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Female Troubles, and general "run-down" conditions of the body when weak. It feeds the blood, drives out every vestige of poison, tones up the nervous system, induces sound sleep, refreshing sleep, and brings the entire body back to its natural healthy condition.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy is scientifically prepared from purely vegetable ingredients. It positively contains no opiate or narcotic of any kind, no iodide of long duration, and is free from all mineral salts of any kind. It is a pure, healthful, nature's own remedy for human ills.

As a Tonic, Alterative, Blood purifier or Nervine, it has no equal. It quickly conquers Nervous Prostration and Insomnia. We don't care how many doctors have said you couldn't be cured. Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy will cure you if you will only give it a chance. Write us for testimonials from people who expected long ago to be dead, but are living today and glad to tell how this Remedy cured them. In cases of extreme trouble, inflammation, ulceration or itching humor, our Wash should be used with the Remedy. For sale by druggists, or supplied direct on receipt of price. \$1.00 per bottle; 6 bottles for \$5.00; 1 dozen by express prepaid for \$10.00.

**MRS. JOE PERSON'S REMEDY CO., Mitchell, N. C.**

**Seaboard Air Line Railway.**  
Schedule Effective April 9th, 1911

East Bound		
Train No.	46, 850 a. m., daily	" 132, 5:48 p. m., "
West Bound		
Train No.	133, 11:14 a. m., daily	" 47, 5:48 p. m., "

For further information apply: JAS KER, Jr., H. S. LEARD, T. P. A., D. P. A., Charlotte, N. C., Raleigh, N. C.

**Special Offer by the Observer.**

The readers of The Democrat will be interested in a splendid proposition being made by The Observer Company, Charlotte, N. C. Just at this time the Daily and Sunday Observer—seven days in the week—will be sent until October 15th, 1911 to all new subscribers for \$2.00. This is a considerable reduction from the regular price and is made for the purpose of introducing this paper to new readers.

The only rule is that cash must accompany all orders. Send name and address and check for \$2.00 to The Observer Company, Charlotte, N. C. and let this splendid paper be sent to you until October 15th.

**Catawba County News.**

Enterprise, May 25th.  
Col. A. H. Williams was married at 10 o'clock today in St. Peter's Episcopal church, Washington, N. C., to Miss Lilian Machette Bonner, an accomplished and prominent young lady of that historic old town.

Mr. R. R. Williams, of Asheville, went down Sunday evening to be with his uncle on this happy occasion, and Miss May Williams, who is teaching in Tarboro, was one of the guests of the bride from Tuesday until after the marriage.

Evidence accumulates that Mr. E. L. Justice, of Greensboro, pitched Judge Clark overboard to find out how deep the progressive water is in North Carolina. He is thinking of trying it himself when Senator Overman's term draws near an end.

**MY DAUGHTER WAS CURED**

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Baltimore, Md.—"I send you here with the picture of my fifteen year old daughter Alice, who was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She was pale, with dark circles under her eyes, weak and irritable. Two different doctors treated her and called it Green Sickness, but she grew worse all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and after taking three bottles she has regained her health, thanks to your medicine. I can recommend it for all female troubles."—Mrs. L. A. COOKMAN, 1103 Rutland Street, Baltimore, Md.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

**Young Girls, Heed This Advice.**  
Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take immediate action and be restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by its use.

Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, free.

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Hot and Cold Baths

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Face Massages and Shampooing at your homes.  
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Proprietor.

**Mrs. Taft Sister to Wed.**

Charlotte Chronicle.  
Some days ago it was made public that Major Archibald Butt, President Taft's military aide, wanted for his newly-fitted patch, work for his newly-fitted home. This set gossips to work. They now figure it out that Major Butt is soon to be married to Mrs. Lucy Hayes Herron Laughlin, in Pittsburg. Her husband returned from a trip abroad, in March 1911, found Mrs. Laughlin at the White House in Washington instead of in Pittsburg to greet him, whereupon, he killed himself with a pistol. Mrs. Laughlin has two children and is quiet wealthy.

**SPECIAL EXCURSIONS**

Jacksonville and Tampa, Florida, June 6th, 1911.  
via Seaboard Air Line R. R.  
Seaboard is the shortest line to Florida and offers the quickest and most convenient service.  
Tickets on sale for all trains June 6th good returning on day train within 7 days.  
Special train leaves Hamlet, night of June 6th, with high back seats vestibule coaches and Pullman sleeping cars.  
Do not fail to take advantage of this low rate and visit the land of flowers.  
For further information regarding rates and Pullman reservation call on your agent or write the undersigned.  
H. S. LEARD, D. P. A.  
Raleigh, N. C.

**NOTICE!**

**Sale of Valuable Property.**  
J. W. Benfield and wife, N. I. Benfield, having on the 30th day of December, 1909, executed to Geo. R. Wootton, Trustee, a Deed of Trust on the premises hereinafter described to secure a loan of Five Hundred (500.00) Dollars, from the First Building and Loan Association of Hickory, N. C., which said Deed of Trust is registered in book 96 at page 7, in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Catawba County,—And the said J. W. Benfield and wife, N. I. Benfield, having made default in the payment of said loan as required by the conditions expressed in said Deed of Trust and the bond running therewith, the undersigned, Trustee, under and in accordance with the powers of sale contained in said Deed of Trust, will on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, at the steps of the First National Bank, in the city of Hickory, Hickory, N. C., this being the point designated by said Trustee, for the sale of said property, sell a public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, namely:

Beginning at a stone, the South West corner of R. F. Huffmans and others, and runs North 84 degrees East 666 to a stake; Thence South 3 degrees West 77 feet to a stake; Thence South 85 1/2 degrees West 668 feet to a stake or stone; Thence North 3 1/2 degrees East 80 feet to the beginning, and lying in the Eastern part of the City of Hickory on the East side of Eighth Street. This the 10th day of May, 1911.  
Geo. R. Wootton, Trustee.  
A. A. Whitener, Atty. 5 11 41

**BUILDING MATERIALS.**

DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOULDINGS, MANTELS, FLOORING, CEILING, SIDINGS, FRAMING, FINISHED LUMBER, PINE SHINGLES, CYPRESS SHINGLES, PLASTERING LATHS, SASH WEIGHTS, GLASS.

Estimates made from Plans. Good supply of Manufacturing Material in stock.

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**HICKORY, - N. C.**

**STOMACH LIVER LUNGS**  
Each of the chief organs of the body is a link in the Chain of Life. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link, the body no stronger than its weakest organ. If there is weakness of stomach, liver or lungs, there is a weak link in the chain of life which may snap at any time. Often this so-called "weakness" is caused by lack of nutrition, the result of weakness or disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. Diseases and weaknesses of the stomach and its allied organs are cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the weak or diseased stomach is cured, diseases of other organs which seem remote from the stomach but which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, are cured also.  
**The strong man has a strong stomach. Take the above recommended "Discovery" and you may have a strong stomach and a strong body.**  
GIVEN AWAY.—Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, new revised Edition, is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

**One-Fifth of all the Motor Cars Built in America in 1911 will be Ford Model T's**  
IT has been estimated from the reports of Motor Car Manufacturers that 150,000 automobiles will be built in America in 1911. Out of this immense quantity, 30,000 will be Ford Model T's, built by the Ford Motor Company. There is a reason for this exceptionally large number of Ford cars, for this Ford popularity. The demand for a car of Ford design and Ford quality has been so great that a yearly output of 30,000 Model T's has been required to supply the demands of buyers. Ford design and construction, Ford quality in material, strength, durability and service, economy in up-keep and low purchase price are features that have caused Ford to manufacture this season one-fifth of all the cars built in America. Write for our Model T descriptive catalog.  
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