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SYLVA, N. C., MAY. 9, 1913

\$1.00 THE YEAR IN ADVANCE

The Blue Ridge Fair Association of Blue Ridge township and vicinity was or anized at Dana last Satururday with the following officers:

P. T. Ward, president; T. E. Renshaw, vice president; E. B. Freeman

Board of Directors: R. H. Scadin, Jonathan Case, Samuel Rau, E. G. Edney, J. T. Staton.

Will reference to the prospects of successful fair and the cooffered the Greater Henthe club in its movement for a lar Secretary Freeman had wing to say to a representathe Democrat:

her meeting will be called for any afternoon, May 9, to ...ther arrangements for the every one seems to be taking est and the indications are will have an excellent fair. We note the Greater Hendersonville club expects to ask us to set aside one day as Hendersonville day." Thir is an excellent idea and we will be slad to do this and we will put an every effort to make it the "seatest" Hendersonville day." -Western Carolina Democrat.

You will look a good while before you ma a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chambergives relief-it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt oure which it will effect. For see by ALL DEAlers.



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Webster, N. C. While Mr. Alley has moved to Waynesville, he will continue to take active part in the practice of law at Webster.

# ASS'N ORGANIZED. Overwhelming Majority for Removal of County Seat

### WEBSTER TO SYLVA, N. C.

Election Conceeded to Removalist by '10 O'clock."

### Majority is From 700 to 800

The People Make Sylva the County Seat of Jackson.

ing majority of from 700 to 800 River yet to hear from. with six of the fifteen townships yet to report, out of these Caney er was Fork and Canada are conceded to Sylva by large majorities and the lain's Cough Remedy. It not only other four, hamburg, Mountain, River Cashiers are doubtful. The Remov ausis have carried every township heard from with the exception of Webster. Scott's Creek, Qualla and barker's Creek were almost unanimous in favor of removal while the vote at Lilisboro was three to one tor removal. The majority for removal in Sylva was 290 Early in the day reports began to come in from the townships on the railroad and voting at Sylva was heavy, so by nine o'clock it was seen that a victory for removal was assured and it was only a question of how large the majority would be. In the nine townships reported the county seat.

This landslide eliminates any possibility of a contest on account of the dispute as to whether a majority of the votes cast or of the registered vote was required. There were very tew stay-at-home votes and the strength of the county was polled, giving the removalists an overwhelming majority of the yotes qualified voters.

This has been the most interesting and most hotly contested campaign in the history of the county. The vote in the nine townships reported was:

For removal		Against removal		
Scott' Creek		,		
Addie	55		4	
Willets	66		2	
Balsam	77		2	
Barkers C	138		7	
Cullowhee	91	10	78	
Dillsboro	101		27	
Greens Creek	48		30	
Qualla	192		15	
Savanna	63	dia.	57	
Sylva	302	1406	12	
Webster	28		93	
	1161	7	326	
Majority for removal			835	

In Thursday's election on the re- Later returns from Caney Fork moval of the county seat from and River increase the majority for Webster to Sylva the Removalists removal to 867 with four precincts

The vote in Caney Fork and Riv-

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)	For remark	val	Against	remova
e	Caney Fork	105	N.	42
r	River	37	and a	68
		142,		110
p	- Total	1303	76.	436
f	Majority	867		

#### WOMEN ON SCHOOL BOARD.

(Special to News and Observer.) Henders inville, May 7 .- The Henswept the county by the overwhelm- Cashiers, Mountain, Hamburg and derson county board of education in session here Monday announced the first appointment of ladies to serve on school committees, expressing the hope that sufficient store here. She was 45 years of applications would be made for the age. appointment of women to half the vacancies on school committees in this county.

pointment of Mrs. Harry M. Roberts at the Fines Creek cemetery. and Mrs. J. P. Fletcher to succeed Frank Smith, and R. W. Fletcher, resigned, on the committee of the Fletcher graded school.

### TELEGRAM

Received at 9:30 a.m.

Aasheville, N. C. 5-9-1913

M. Buchanan, Sylva, N. C.

majority is 835. Sylva is now the I congratulate you on your wonderful victory. Watch Sylva grow. S. H. COHEN.

> Traveling in their own special car and carrying band and orchestra. The Duel Bro's Vaudeville Show will exhibit here under can The show this year is brighter and his home at Schoma near this city. brighter and better than ever and Capt. Terrill was about 74 years it is one of the best attractions they at the time of his death. have ever put out, and as they are The Sonoma Masonic Lodge will comment is unnecssary.

Deul Bro's Vaudevil Show Band and Orchestra will exhibit here under their waterproof canvas for two nights May 14th and 15th. This Show is to well known to this part of the country to need much comment only to say it is better than ever this year as the dogs and ponies have been taught many new tricks this winter, and first class vaudeville has been added to 'it in the line of comedians sketch teams. singers, dancers, etcand the show will please the most fastidious as Deul Bro's reputation is to well known as always giving just what they promise that the public is assured of a fine moral show.

Don't forget to bring the ladies and children.

#### CAPT. W. S. TERRILL DEAD

Just as the Enterprise goes to press news reached us of the sudvas on May 14 and 15 two nights. den death of Capt. W, S. Terrill at cast and a large majority of the the Deul Bro's assure their patrons old and in apparently good health

> so well known througe the south lay his remains to rest in the Sonofor their square dealing farther ma cemetery Friday morning at 10 o,clock. Waynesville Masons have been asked to attend the funeral. Waynesville Enterprise.

> > Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets. Sold by All DEALERS.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts freely at each ALERS.

# EVIDENCE OF SUICIDE

Special to The Gazette News.

Waynesville, May 7.-When the children of Mrs. Newt. Leatherwood returned from their work in the field to their home at White Oak yesterday about noon, they found that their mother had disappeared. They instituted search and several hours later her body was found just below a dam in Richland creek-Her shoes were on the bank, evidence that the woman had come mitted suicide. Mrs. Leatherwood had long been in bad health and had suffered mental aberation, but was thought to be of sound mind just before her death.

The children went to their work early in the morning and did not return until noon. When they found that their mother was not at home they began to search for her. Below the dam of the Warnesville Power and Light company on Richland creek, not far from the home, they found her shoes. Later, the pool below the dam was dragged and her body almost naked, was brought to the surface. The deceased leaves a husband and several children. Her father, Frank Messer, lives here, and her brother has a

The funeral takes place tomorrow at 3 p. m. at the White Oak Baptist The board announced the ap-church; and the interment will be

## CAPTURE STILL

Dorothy Moore and Janie Coward, two little girls, discovered a distilery within a half mile of their homes at Webster, Sunday afternoon. They were out walking in the woods near Webster when a dog fell in an old mining shaft. The girls went in in search of their dog and found a complete distillery, covered with leaves and brush. they fished it out and carried it to Webster, where they turned it over: to the authorities. Each of the little girls received a reward of \$10.00 for their discovery.

We recommend these girls to the Revenue Deprartment.

### TWO BOYS SHOT

While carelessly playing with a pistol Sunday afternoon in the Tuxdo section, two boys about thirteens years old were accidentally shot.

Unless complications set in the wounds will not likely prove serious;

Dr. A. B. Drafts and Dr. J. Frank Cranford attended the young men and dressed the wounds. The Capps boy who was holding the gun suffered a shot wound in one hand and the same shot glazed the left side of the son of J. L. Pace.

Although the wounds were not considered dangerous by the physicians they were quite painful and the youngsters were very much frightened over the accident.-Western Carolina Democrat.

### ICE CREAM SUPPER

The Woman's Home Mission Society of Dillsboro, will give an ice application. For sale by ALL DE- cream supper at Dillsboro Wednesday night.