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SHOES SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN AT PRICES THAT ARE RIGHT W. J. GUDGER & SON

A Magazine Thirty Years Old... The Christmas [December] Number of The Delineator is also the Thirtieth Anniversary Number.

TEAMS WANTED WANTED teams to haul lumber from Laurel to Marshall, distance 12 to 18 miles, east end of each load Good teams making from two to three dollars per day.

TOURIST RATES. ATLANTA, KNOXVILLE AND NORTHERN RAILWAY

Will place on sale Round Trip Tickets to Georgia, Florida, Cuban and South American Winter Tourist Points a greatly reduced rate.

A STARTLING SURPRISE Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoady, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live.

NOTICE All who may be concerned, will take notice that the undersigned has qualified as administrator of the estate of H. F. Merrill deceased.

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ATLANTA, KNOXVILLE AND NORTHERN RAILWAY. Will for the above occasion sell round trip tickets from all Agency Stations to Atlanta and return at the following rates:

KNOXVILLE, TENN., \$6.80 Above rates include one admission to the Fair. Tickets to be sold from all Georgia stations daily Oct. 7th to 24th, except Sundays.

WANTED 1000 Cords good Hickory for Ax Handles 8 feet and 2 inches long with 4 1/2 inches or more white.

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NOTICE Notice is hereby given that an executor of the estate of the late John G. Harris, deceased, has been appointed.

SURVEYING Advertisers who have had to do with surveying, will be interested in the following notice.

WHISKEY BEANS. Sometimes, absolutely new and with which we have experimented for years, the bean makes one glass Artificial Whiskey.

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OFFICE IN 3RD FLOOR REDMON BRICK BLDG

We extend you a cordial invitation to visit our office whenever you are in town.

WE CHALLENGE the Eagle the official organ of the Court-House Ring and the claim speculators of the county, to point out a single instance in which we have made a mis-statement of facts, or have mis-quoted the records of the county.

Since the election is over the people have gotten down to business as only the American people can drop from intense political excitement to the every day affairs of life.

As the people are erected most now in whatever is for the building of the county, we think that the county paper ought to lay aside political matters for awhile at least and talk about the various enterprises that are most likely to aid in building up the county from a business standpoint.

The Eagle seems to want to keep slashing over the election and over the men who were candidates before the people as though the election was not over. It makes statements so utterly false as to facts that this paper feels called on to correct the same lest there would be those who would take these statements as being fact.

We have been aware of the fact for some time that the best people of the county are tired of the endless clash between the two county papers and we have tried time and again to get the discussion of public questions above personal cash and it seems almost impossible to get the other paper persists in doing only in personal attacks.

But we state again that we are here to stay and we hope to build a paper in this county as a real newspaper such as no other paper has ever done and to do so we will make every effort to give our readers all the news in reference to such matters as will interest them most in the way of enterprises in the county. We will also endeavor to give them all matters of local interest in the way of personals and will continue to make the columns set apart to our correspondents of interest to our readers and at the same time will continue our policy of giving all county records as they are made by the officers.

We hope that our readers will at the same time appreciate the difficulties under which we labor to give them a good county paper. The Record has cause to feel proud of what it has accomplished in a little over a year. It is true that it has made some enemies but there is no paper or person that is worth a cent to the community that does not make enemies but our enemies, we presume, will concede us the right to our opinion, while we concede to them the right to criticize us as much as they like, and will think none the less of them so as exercising their right.

STARTLING BUT TRUE "If everybody knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Duncas town, Pa. "you'd sell it you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me. Intestines for constipation, stomach and liver troubles 25c at Redmon & Roberts drug store."

No Bogus Tickets

Swann's fraudulent tickets didn't work. The boys got "onto them" the day before the election and what they did with them was all that was necessary. The fellows who had them were caught and it didn't take many moments to tear them [the tickets] to pieces.

The man who wrote the above article is a wit and malicious liar, and I defy him or any other man to prove that I or any of my friends did anything whatever to do with any bogus ticket of any kind.

My information about the tickets that were said to be bogus were tickets sent here by David M. Ray, of Yancy county the independent republican candidate for state Senator and they were the straight republican tickets with Ray for senator instead of Wilson. Now where would this kind of a ticket benefit me in the least, but to make it look plausible the Ring Crowd pasted my name over Coles on a few of these tickets and sent them out over the country as a bogus ticket. The first of these tickets that I heard of was shown at Hot Springs by Cococant Ira and the next one was at Putnam in the hand of Van Davis I then and there denounced it as a fraud perpetrated on me by Van and Ira and the balance of their Ring lies and they as well as the writer of the Eagle knew that they were perpetrating and circulating an infamous and untrue lie out of the whole cloth. Mr. Ray might find a case against this gang for the destruction of his tickets, I have spoken plainly and hope that I am thoroughly understood.

Very Respectfully, J. R. Swann.

Card of Thanks. I take this opportunity to thank all of my friends who have stood by me in my recent race and I assure each and every one that I duly appreciate all that they did for me as well as for the whole ticket. The fight was a great odds but it was a manly effort and we shall face the enemy again two years hence with renewed energy and shall continue to fight until victory is ours.

To the enemies who circulated lies and insinuations I wish to say that I shall not live them, and those who circulated these things will have to answer to a higher power than either I or the public.

Yours truly, J. R. Swann.

ASLEEP AMID FLAMES. Breaking into a blazing home, some freeman lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death reared its that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives perfect protection against all throat, chest and lung troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death, and doctor bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting. It's guaranteed to satisfy by Redmon & Roberts Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Col. J. C. L. Harris, a prominent Republican of this State, says that the proper course for the Republican organization to pursue in North Carolina now is to disband. A meeting of the Executive Committee should be called, he thinks, and all the Republicans turned loose so that some former Democrats can take charge. Colonel Harris says that two years hence there will be a contest for delegates to the national convention between the present organization and the negro, led by a few white men and that this contest will embarrass the national organization and disgrace the party. He thinks unless a change in methods is made the party in Eastern North Carolina is annihilated for this generation. News & Observer.

The Trade and Professional

editor of the Eagle over loaded the thing this last week. He fed in so much rot and misrepresentation that it broke or choked the press and it would not grind.

The democrats of Cratham County made a clear sweep this year electing their entire ticket for the first time in ten years.

Pol. County went democratic this election for the first time in twenty-five years one by one they are getting right.

A part of the independents were elected in McDowell county and Maj. Conley independent democrat defeated Judge Avery for the Senate.

Even unto Mitchell county's 1500 republican majority fell down to 600 this time, and Yancy went straight democratic.

The "Peoples Friend" and the "Record" are both going business at the old stand while the Eagle and its Ring cohorts are hunting somebody to take the elephant off their backs. Don't all speak at once.

The next General assembly will be composed of 99 democrats 20 republicans and one independent, while the senate will have 15 democrats 4 republicans and one independent. This gives the democrats 144 votes in a joint ballot and the republicans only 21 with the two independents as doubtful.

North Carolina will furnish ten democratic Congressmen and two Senators after the 4th of March, with Moody trying to steal one seat.

We hear it rumored that Moody has bought Dr. Roberts "primary medicine" to work his contest for Guider's seat in congress. With a liberal use of "corn tucker" it will no doubt work well as it's already heavily loaded with wind.

The Georgia Jack and Tennessee jete also ran. And both got beat. (To be continued.)

Now, since it's all over and you sit down and consider the matter quietly and without prejudice did you vote according to your better judgment or did you allow party prejudice to get the best of you?

EXCURSION RATES UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY. NEW ORLEANS, LA. November 12-15, 1902.

For the above occasion the Atlanta, Knoxville and Northern Railway will sell from all coupon stations round trip tickets to New Orleans, La., at a rate of one fare. Tickets to be sold November 8th, 9th and 10th, final limit ten days from date of sale.

For rates, schedules and other information inquire of your nearest agent, or write to J. H. McWILLIAMS, G. P. A. Knoxville, Tenn.

FOR SALE.

One Eagle in a badly dilapidated condition, mentally, physically, financially and otherwise. Will be sold cheap for cash or on a credit. Must be disposed of at once. Rather than miss a sale will throw in one "TRADE AND PROFESSIONAL" editor. Apply at once to Court House Ring, Marshall, N. C.

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