

DIRECTOR Y.

MADISON COUNTY.

Established by the legislature session 1850-51.

Population, 20,132.

County seat, Marshall.

1656 feet above sea level.

New and modern court house, cost \$33,000.00.

New and modern jail, cost \$15,000.

New county home, cost \$10,000.00.

County Officers.

Hon. C. B. Maaburn, Senator, 36th District, Marshall.

Hon. J. E. Rector, Representative, Hot Springs, N. C.

N. B. McDevitt, Clerk Superior Court, Marshall.

W. M. Buckner, Sheriff, Marshall.

Z. G. Sprinkle, Register of Deeds, Marshall.

C. F. Runkion, Treasurer, Marshall.

N. C., R. F. D. No. 4.

R. L. Tweed, Surveyor, White Rock N. C.

Dr. J. H. Baird, Coroner, Mars Hill N. C.

Mrs. Eliza Henderson, jailer, Marshall.

John Honeycutt, Janitor, Marshall.

Dr. C. N. Sprinkle, County Physician, Marshall.

James Haynie, Supt. county home, Marshall.

Courts as follows:

September 1st, 1913 (2) November 10th, 1913 (2)

March 2nd, 1914, (2) June 1st, 1914 (2) Sept. 7th, 1914, (2)

R. R. Reynolds, Solicitor, Asheville N. C., 1913, Fall Term—Judge Frank Carter, Asheville.

1914, Spring Term—Judge M. H. Justice, Rutherfordton, N. C.

Fall Term—Judge E. B. Cline, of Hickory, N. C.

County Commissioners.

W. C. Sprinkle, chairman, Marshall.

R. A. Edwards, member, Marshall, R. F. D. No. 2, Reubinsville, N. C.

J. Coleman Ramsey, atty., Marshall.

Road Commissioners.

Frank Roberts, chairman, Marshall.

J. K. Wilson, secretary, route 2, Marshall.

Highway Commission.

F. Shelton, President, Marshall.

Guy V. Roberts, " "

Geo. W. Wild, Big Pine, N. C.

S. W. Brown, Hot Springs, " "

Joe S. Brown, Waverly, " "

A. F. Sprinkle, Mars Hill, N. C.

Board of Education.

Jasper Ebbs, Chairman, Spring Creek, N. C.

N. C. John Robert Sams, mem. Mars Hill, N. C.

W. R. Sams, mem. Marshall, N. C.

Prof. R. G. Anders, Superintendent of Schools, Marshall.

Board meets first Monday in January, April, July, and October each year.

Schools and Colleges.

Mars Hill College, Prof. R. L. Moore, President, Fall Term begins August 17th, 1914, and Spring Term begins January 2nd, 1915.

Spring Creek High School, Prof. R. G. Edwards, Principal, Spring Creek, 8 mos. school, opens Aug. 1st.

Madison Seminary High School, Prof. G. C. Brown, principal, 7 mos. school.

Bell Institute, Margaret E. Griffith, principal, Walnut, N. C.

Marshall Academy, Prof. S. Roland Williams, principal, 8 mos. school. Opens August 4th.

Notary Publics.

J. C. Ramsey, Marshall, Term expires January 1st, 1914.

W. O. Connor, Mars Hill, Term expires Nov. 27th 1914.

D. P. Miles, Barnard, Term expires March 14th, 1914.

J. A. Wallin, Big Laurel, Term expires Jan. 24th, 1914.

J. G. Ramsey, Marshall, Route 4, Term expires March 16th, 1914.

J. E. Gregory, Joe, N. C. Term expires January 7th, 1914.

Jasper Ebbs, Spring Creek, N. C. Term expires September 24th 1914.

J. H. Hunter, Marshall, Route 3, Term expires April 1st 1915.

J. W. Nelson, Marshall—Term expires May 14, 1915.

T. B. Ebbs, Hot Springs—Term expires February 7th 1915.

Craig Ramsey, Revere, Term expires March 19, 1915.

N. W. Anderson, Paint Fork, Term expires May 19, 1915.

C. O. Brown, Bluff, Term expires December 9th, 1914.

W. T. Davis, Hot Springs, Term expires January 2nd 1915.

Post.

George W. Galiani Post, No. 33, G. A. R. T. J. Rice, Commander, M. A. Chaudley, Adjutant, Meets at the Court House Saturday before the second Sunday in each month at 11 a m.

Start Your Liver,
Don't Stop
Work.Dodson's Liver Tonic Acts Mildly,
but Surely. Livers Up the
Liver and You Stay on
Your Feet.

It is the experience of calomel users that if they take enough of the drug to have the desired effect, it seriously interferes with their work the day after. But this is the important item for calomel is often a dangerous drug and acts on the system violently.

Don't take chances with calomel. Get a bottle of the pleasant, safe and perfectly harmless Dodson's Liver Tonic, guaranteed to take the place of calomel. Instead of making you feel worse the next day it makes you feel better—and you actually are better, for no remedy in the whole world lives up the liver, regulates the bowels and really rejuvenates the system any better than this dose.

You are the sole judge of its merits. Marshall Pharmacy is authorized to hand you back your money without question if it fails to please you—and relieve you.

Remember, if you feel constipated and bilious, what you need is Dodson's Liver Tonic. A large bottle and a good guarantee for 50 cents from Marshall Pharmacy.

He Couldn't Stand
Dixie.

The maine man who thinks he has grown tired of hearing "Dixie" played by restaurant bands takes his place in the chronicles of the day. He has found a new grievance and is welcomed because he increased the visible supply of the spice of life. No body has ever complained of "Dixie" before. The tune was sung and whistled in the north all though the war between the sections. Nearly all other large popular tunes have grown wearisome. "Annie Laurie," "The Old Folks at Home," and "The Last Rose of Summer," fall upon us. But "Dixie" has been found by official investigators to be the best-liked tune in the country. It stirs all hearts. Wherefore, the man from Maine is an oddity unless, as is more than likely, he does not know one tune from another and has confused "Dixie" with the contemporary "rag" in some of its developments.

In any case, we can sympathize with his demand for a restaurant where there is no music and since folks began to dance between the courses of the table d'hôte, there are very few such left in these parts. People who like to aid digestion with quiet conversation must dine at home these days. But of all the music we may hear in the popular eating places, "Dixie" is generally accounted the least objectionable. People who were born in the south or have agreeable memories of that part of the country may have a deeper affection for the tune than others have, but it is such a good American tune as to inspire enthusiasm whenever it is heard without regard to regional or neighborhood prejudices. No Maine man in his

normal frame of mind could dislike "Dixie" unless he is so unhappily constituted as to dislike all tunes. We must infer that this one was out of harmony, temporarily.

Judge Clark on Woman
Suffrage

Richmond, Va., Jan. 30.—Principles for which the Revolutionary and Civil Wars were fought were invoked in the cause of woman suffrage here tonight by Walter Clark, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, addressing the equal Suffrage League of Virginia.

TAXATION PRINCIPLE.

"We fought the Revolution upon the ground of 'no taxation without representation,'" said the speaker, "yet a large part of the property of this country, probably a third, is now held by women. They are heavily taxed, yet they are denied all voice in fixing the amount of taxation and in the disposition of the vast sums which they pay into the public treasury.

"More than 60 years ago it was declared that this country cannot live half slave and half free. It is equally true now that our civilization cannot progress to its ultimate triumph with half our population denied all share and control in the direction of the Government."

Opponents to equal suffrage were grouped by Chief Justice Clark into three classes:

"Those allied with financial interests which back the whiskey trust and the vice trust, and the men who are allied with conditions created by these interests. Those who are always opposed to any change of any kind in the existing order of things and those who usually believe that women are incompetent."

Declaring that civilization always has been measured by the status of women, the speaker outlined the evolution of man's relations to the opposite sex and pictured as its culmination a state in which man and woman should enjoy jointly all the rights and privileges of political and social organization.

NOW IN 10 STATES.

It has been well said," continued Justice Clark. "That a single fact is worth a shipload of argument. Against all the theoretical arguments as to the unfitness and incompetence of woman and the evil effects upon the ballot, we may point to the fact that country after country has adopted equal suffrage and in this Union 10 States and one Territory have conferred full suffrage upon them."

Southern States have fallen behind in this movement, said the speaker. "We have boasted of our chivalrous regard for women but we have not been sincere."

We men had better do like Captain Scott's coon and 'come down.' Women know they are as much entitled to the ballot as we are. They have set out to get it, and we will have no rest until they get it. Men and brethren, we might as well come down."

Colds, Constipation and headache are three common afflictions and relieving the constipation helps the cold and stops the headache. Use Foley Cathartic Tablets because they are very prompt and thoroughly cleansing, with absolutely no unpleasant effects. A whole bottle full for 25 cents. I. E. Burnett, Mars Hill, N. C.

From Carteret
County.

Wit, Carteret Co., N. C.

Feb. 1, 1914.

Editor News-Record:—At six a. m., January 24th, I left Marshall on train number 36. At Asheville I waited about two hours for train number 22, which carried me safely on to Goldsboro by ten o'clock that night. The following morning I resumed my journey by rail and arrived at Beaufort by 11 a. m. As the mail boat does not run on Sundays I had to wait over at Beaufort for it 'till the next day. The twenty five miles between Beaufort and Wit were safely traveled by boat, and I reached my destination by noon of the 26th.

On Tuesday morning Mrs. Maud Hill and I opened school. Mrs. Hill has the first and second grades and I have the others up to and including the seventh. We had only 36 pupils the first day, but have now enrolled 48. We had school Saturday to make up for Monday. So far I have found this a very good place in which to teach.

The gentleman with whom I am boarding, Mr. Maltby Taylor, is one of the leading citizens of this county. He owns a fine residence and he and his brother run a large store and also own an oyster factory. Mr. Taylor is one of the county commissioners, too.

I have a real nice place to board. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor try to make everything pleasant for me. I have a nice room all to myself, furnished with table, chair, bed, bureau, stove, washstand, bowl and pitcher, comb, lamp, etc. To this may be added my trunk.

I was somewhat surprised to learn on reaching this place that Miss Dovie Rector of Marshall had taught here some years ago. I did not think of any Madison teacher ever having visited this place before. But I am glad to hear Miss Rector's former patrons and pupils speak in praise of her as a teacher, as I have heard them do quite often since coming here. May I make as good an impression as she has left. If no poorer, I shall be satisfied.

But little farming is done in this immediate section except the growing of sweet potatoes. The yield is about 400 bushels per acre, and a thousand bushels is about an average crop for one man. The price is about 50c. per bushel.

Now, dear reader, if you are my "sure enough" friend, as I know many of you are, and will write to me I shall certainly appreciate it. I am something like 500 miles from home.

Respectfully yours,
WILLIAM WORLEY, Jr.

Horrible Blotches of Eczema

Quickly cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, C. P. Caldwell, of New Orleans, L. states: "My doctor advised me to try 'Dr. Hobson's Eczema Salve.' I used three boxes of Ointment and three cakes of Dr. Hobson's Derma Zema Soap. Today I have not a spot anywhere on my body and can say I am cured." It will do the same for you. Its soothing, healing, antiseptic action will rid you of all skin humors, blackheads, pimples, Eczema blotches, red unsightly sores, and leaves your skin clean and healthy. Get a box to-day. Guaranteed. All Druggists, 50c., or by mail—Pfleiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia & St. Louis.

MICHIGAN MAN PRESENT WHEN
G. O. P. WAS BORN.A. A. Dorrance Only Survivor of
Founders of the Republican
Party.

GRAND RAPIDS, Jan. 30.—Of all the men who stood under the Oaks at Jackson, Mich., on July 6, 1854, and who were instrumental in the founding of the present republican party, but one survives. He is A. A. Dorrance, of Coldwater, Mich., and he is now living in his eighty-seventh year. Mr. Dorrance feels proud of his notable political experience, and relates the details with child-like enjoyment.

"The place of the birth of the modern republican party, like that of Homer, is claimed by several communities" said Mr. Dorrance recently, "but Jackson, Mich., is the real location. I believe I am in a position to swear to that fact, because I was there."

"At that time I was the editor and publisher of the Jackson State Gazette, and in that capacity was interested more or less with the politics of the state."

TELLS OF THE MEETING.

"I remember that a number of us younger fellows got together shortly before the historic gathering and by effecting a unity of the anti slavery whigs, the free soil democrats and the old time abolitionists we were able to elect William B. Sprague, of Kalamazoo, to congress."

"This gave us some idea of what we could do. So a call was issued for a mass meeting to be held in Jackson on July 6, 1854. Fully two thousand persons interested in state politics attended that convention. I remember, and there was a magnificent display of patriotic enthusiasm. Jacob M. Howard, afterward a United States senator, drew up the platform. In this platform the extension of slavery was opposed and its abolition in the District of Columbia was favored. The name 'republican' also was then adopted for the party."

"I believe that on July 12, a week after we held our organization mass meeting, similar meetings were held in Ohio, Wisconsin and Vermont, and because these gatherings came so close together the real birthplace of the party has become confused."

Mr. Dorrance was born in Orleans county, New York, September, 8, 1827, and was the youngest of eleven children. After obtaining a fair education in much the same manner that Lincoln did, he went to New York city, where he secured a position "cubbing" on the New York Tribune. It was in the capacity of western correspondent that he came to Michigan in 1848. Shortly after his arrival he acquired the Jackson State Gazette and became interested in the affairs of the nation. After the organization of the republican party he became identified with Detroit newspapers and he edited and controlled nearly a dozen dailies and weeklies up to the time of his retirement from active life several years ago.

Mr. Dorrance has always lived up to the philosophy that "We pass this way but once, and we should do all we are capable of while trudging along." Always temperate in his habits, he has preserved himself so well that when he is reminded of his

age on birthday anniversaries he laughs and remarks: "I'm good for twelve years yet at least. Watch me. I'll make the century mark easily."

Items From Mars
Hill.

A meeting of a little more than a week at Mars Hill has resulted in a revival of interest in the things of the Kingdom. Rev. J. R. Owen, of Canton, preached faithfully twice each day a full Gospel, and it proved to be "the power of God unto salvation" for many. Twenty-four have been received for baptism, and others will yet present themselves. There were several restorations, and many young men and women dedicated themselves to a life of service. It was a season of calm, deliberate decision on the part of these fine strong young people to make their lives under God count for the most, and a fuller richer life is theirs. There are fifteen young ministers in school, young men of decided promise. Every girl in school is a professing Christian, and very few of the young men have not at least in name received Christ into their lives.

The attendance at the College passes all records, the enrollment for the year passing the four hundred mark. Some thirty of the young men are boarding themselves in clubs, and living on about \$7.00 a month. This includes room rent, table board, lights and fuel. The total for literary tuition and fees has increased less than one dollar a term during a period of more than ten years, while the teaching force has been doubled. A boy who wants to do so can spend a year of nine months in school here for less than \$90.00 and many of our finest fellows by working get along on much less than this amount. The prices at Mars Hill school have not gone up in proportion to the rising cost of living elsewhere. The doors still swing open to the poor boy and poor girl who are hungry for an education and willing to make sacrifices to get it. And they are here by the score.

R. L. MOORE.

The King of All Laxatives

For constipation, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says they are the "king of all laxatives. They are a blessing to all my family and I always keep a box at home." Get a box and get well again. Price 25c. At Druggists or by mail.—H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Bids on Bonds

Chairman Sprinkle, of the County Commissioners informed us that the Commissioners had received one bid on a hundred thousand dollars worth of our road bonds running twelve hundred fifty dollars above par; some at par while one gentleman bid seventeen cents below par. "There's nothin' doin'" on our Madison County Road Bonds for those who do not bid higher than the last mentioned gentleman. We haven't any bonds to hand out to either charity or otherwise than for the pure hard cash, at least, dollar for dollar. The Commissioners will not entertain bids for less than par. The bond market is getting better all the time now and our bonds are quite edge.