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DIRECTORY

MADISON COUNTY. Established by the legislature session 1850-51. Population, 20,132. County seat, Marshall. 1500 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. J. E. Lineback, Senator, 35th District, Elk Park. Hon. Plato Ebbs, Representative, Hot Springs, N. C. W. A. West, Clerk of Superior Court, Marshall. Caney Ramsey, Sheriff, Marshall. James Smart, Register of Deeds, Marshall. C. F. Rummel, Treasurer, Marshall N. C., R. F. D. No. 4. A. T. Chandley, Surveyor, Marshall N. C. Dr. J. H. Baird, Coroner, Mars Hill N. C. W. J. Bolding, Janitor, Marshall. Dr. Frank Roberts, County Physician, Marshall. Garfield Davis, Supt. county home, Marshall.

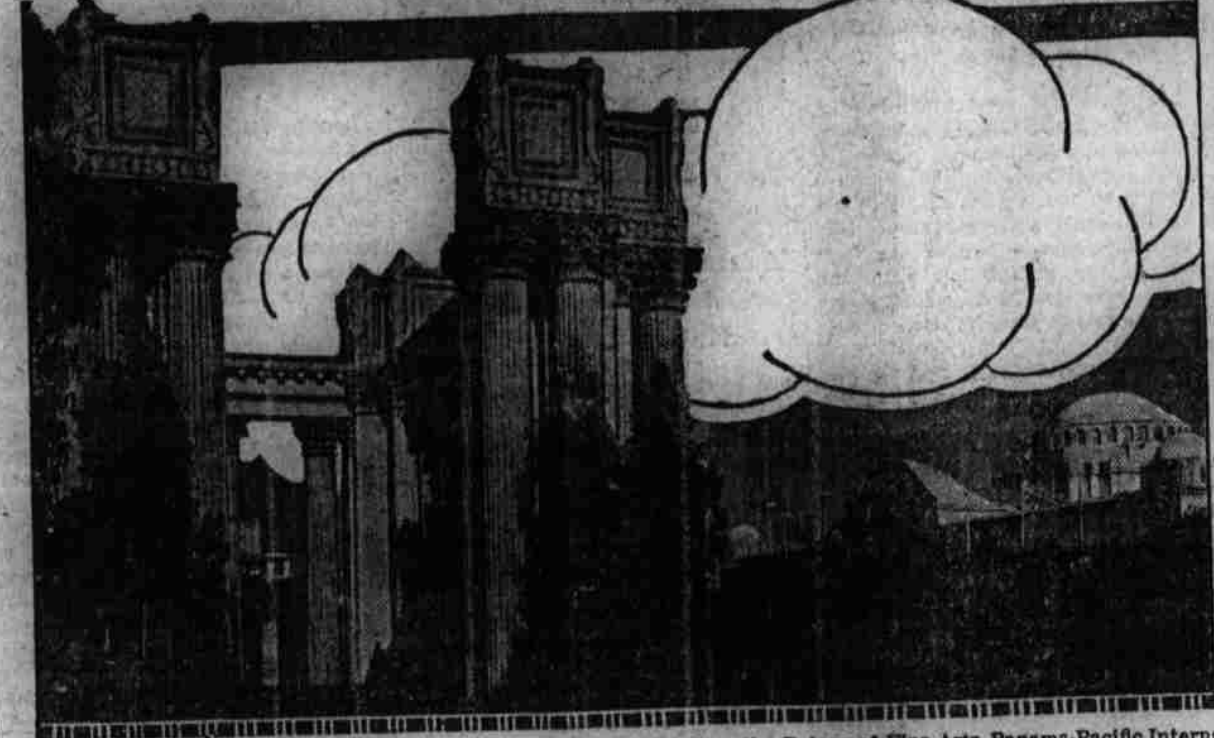
Courts as follows: September 1st, 1915 (2) November 10th, 1915 (2). March 2nd, 1915, (2). June 1st, 1915, (2). Sept. 7th, 1915, (2). J. Ed. Swain, Solicitor, Asheville N. C. 1915, Fall Term—Judge Frank Carter, Asheville. 1914, Spring Term—Judge M. H. Justice, Rutherfordton, N. C. Fall Term—Judge E. B. Cline, of Hickory, N. C. County commissioners N. B. McDevitt chairman, Marshall J. E. Rector, member, Marshall, R. D. No. 1. Anderson, Silver, member, Marshall, Route 3 W. L. George, member, Mars Hill, J. C. Chandley, White Rock. P. A. McElroy Co. Atty., Marshall. Highway commission F. Shelton, President, Marshall. G. V. Russell, Bluff, N. C. A. F. Sprinkle, Mars Hill, N. C.

Board of Education. Jasper Ebbs, Chairman, Spring Creek, N. C. John Robert Sams, mem. Mars Hill, N. C. W. R. Sams, mem. Marshall. 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. E. L. Moore, President. Fall Term begins August 17th, 1913, and Spring Term begins January 2nd 1914. Spring Creek High School, Prof. E. L. Pleasants, 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 31.

Notary Publics. J. C. Ramsey, Marshall, Term expires January 6th, 1916. Jasper Ebbs, Spring Creek, N. C. Term expires January 6th 1915. J. H. Hunter, Marshall, Route 2. Term expires April 1st, 1915. J. W. Nelson, Marshall—Term expires May 11, 1915. T. B. Ebbs, Hot Springs—Term expires February 4th 1915. Craig Ramsey, Bevere. Term expires March 19, 1915. N. W. Anderson, Paint Fork, Term expires May 19, 1915. W. T. Davis, Hot Springs. term expires January 22nd 1915. Steve Rice, Marshall. Term expires Dec. 10th, 1915. Ben W. Gabagan, Stackhouse, N. C. Term expires Dec. 20, 1915. J. F. Tilson, Marshall, Route 2. Term expires Nov. 14th 1915. O. J. Ebbs, Marshall. Term expires April 25th, 1915. D. M. Harshburger, Stackhouse. Term expires January 16th, 1915. D. P. Miles, Barnard. Term expires December, 23, 1915. W. B. Ramsey, Marshall. Term expires Oct. 4th 1915. J. A. Wallin, Big Laurel. Term expires Aug. 5th, 1915. C. C. Brown, Bluff. Term expires January 9th 1917.

ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST BEAUTIFUL ARCHITECTURAL SIGHTS



End view of Graeco-Roman colonnade extending 1,100 feet before the Palace of Fine Arts, Panama-Pacific International Exposition, at San Francisco, and curving in a graceful sweep along the shores of the Fine Arts lagoon. Surmounting these pillars are beautiful figures of women gazing into an urn, expressive of Art and Beauty. Eric Ellerman is the designer of these groups. Over the foliage and forestation of the Fine Arts lagoon can be seen the Half Dome of Philosophy and the grand central dome of the Palace of Education.

Legal Weights in N. C.

IN WHICH EVERY CITIZEN IN THE STATE IS INTERESTED. VALUABLE FOR REFERENCE.

Established by the Recent General Assembly—Children as well as Grown People Should Learn it—Not One Person in a Dozen Conversant With Legal Weights.

W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture, gives the legal weights of the various agricultural products of the State.

The following weights and measures were established by the last General Assembly and will be in force from the date of ratification of the bill:

Table listing various agricultural products and their legal weights and measures, such as Apples, Beans, Corn, etc.

Table listing various agricultural products and their prices, such as Grass seed, Turnips, Wheat, etc.

Governors of North Carolina

Below is List of Governors Appointed by the King of England from 1663 to 1725 and from 1729 to 1777 Under the Lord's Proprietors.

Governors Elected by the People 1777 to 1913.

Table listing the names and terms of the Governors of North Carolina from 1663 to 1913.

Table listing names and terms of individuals, possibly related to the legal or political section.

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To the Penitentiary for Life

The Houston's--Father & Son Withdraw Appeal and go to Pen for Life.

The Greenville Sun writes the final chapter in the famous Houston case.

The friends of Mr. W. A. Houston, and son, Rankin Houston, convicted at the last session of the circuit court of murder in the first degree, with mitigating circumstances, were here yesterday to bid the father and son farewell.

After the sentence of life imprisonment was passed upon Mr. Houston and his son by Judge Harmon, and after motion for a new trial was argued and denied them, an appeal to the Supreme Court was prayed for. It seems, however, that since this step was taken Houston and his son have decided to accept the sentence, and they left yesterday afternoon with the State Warden for the main prison at Nashville.

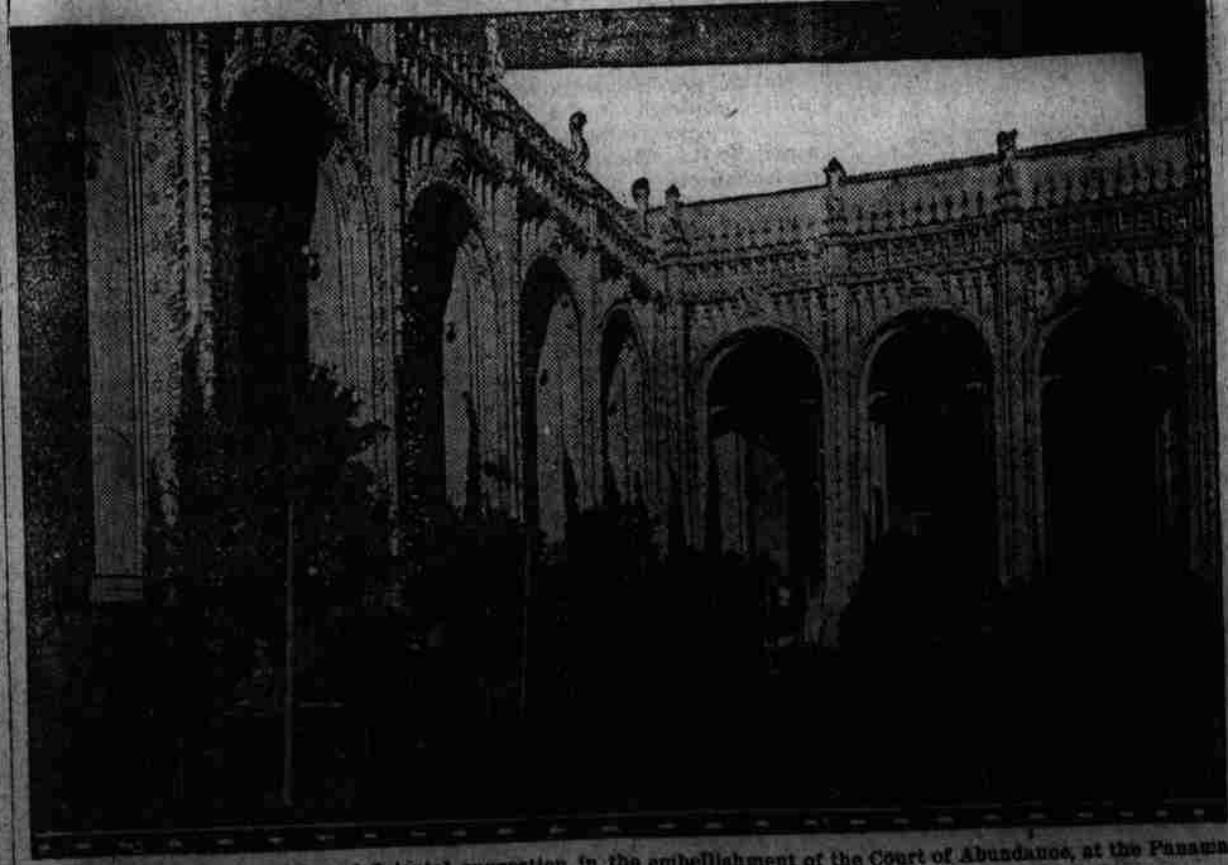
No case that was ever tried in Greenville in which there was greater interest manifested than was manifested in the Houston trial, the details of which are yet clear in the minds of our readers. All the participants in the unfortunate difficulty were prominent citizens, and such troubles are to be deplored in any community.

E. ZEPH RAY ATTORNEY-T-LAW Marshall, N. C.

Criminal Law and Law of Damages a Specialty.

Practice in all the Courts.

TYPICAL SCENE IN ONE OF THE FOUR INNER COURTS



Detail showing the rich and Oriental suggestion in the embellishment of the Court of Abundance, at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco. In this court are orange trees in full bearing and rare flowers.