

VICTORY!



Crow! Crow! Crow!!!

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative, DR. J. B. PHILLIPS.

For Clerk, J. B. TODD.

For Sheriff, D. F. BAIRD.

For Register of Deeds, C. J. COTTRELL.

For Treasurer, W. E. GREENE.

For Surveyor, C. M. HODGES.

For Coroner, A. L. WELBORN.

Below we give the official count of votes cast for the different offices in Watauga county.

Table listing election results for Supreme Court Judge, Congress, Senate, Representative, Sheriff, Clerk Superior Court, and Treasurer.

At our mast-head is the sign of VICTORY. We have elected our entire county ticket. In this we rejoice, not that we have anything personal against a single man on the republican ticket.

ever been the friend of the poor and toiling millions. They have endorsed that party whose watch-word is 'Equal and exact justice to all, and especial privileges to none.'

Our election throughout the county has been orderly and quiet. Generally a full vote in all the townships have been polled except Beaver Dams, where some of the Democrats failed to vote. We want to say something complimentary of the judges of Boone township. They were four of our best citizens and conducted the election fairly.

We hope it will not be egotistical in us to say that the DEMOCRAT did good service in the campaign. Our object was to teach the voter the importance of downing the party which is legislating against the interest of every man, woman and child in Watauga.

The battle is now over and the victory is ours. This is due from various causes. Our people are reading more than ever before—men are informing themselves on political affairs. Prejudice, which heretofore, had deep hold on many of our citizens, growing out of the war has been abandoned to some extent.

We congratulate the readers of the DEMOCRAT to-day, on the great victory for the Democratic ticket all along the line.

Last week we told our readers that we would rejoice over a victory, if every Democrat would do his duty. Our predictions have been verified. Our democratic voters, with some of the conservative Republicans, have united on principles of just government which is set forth by the Democratic and Alliance principles. These principles must and will prevail if the American Republic stands.

The expediency of having a remedy at hand for croup, pneumonia, sore throat, and sudden colds, is now becoming a matter of fact. A bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is always on hand.

Wake Forest, N. C., Nov. 1st.

Editor Democrat:

Jack frost visited us for the first time this fall on the morning of the 27th.

Prof. Bechelt, of the National school of oratory, has been instructing the students for the past week in the art of oratory. His teaching has produced quite an effect on the students, some of whom are making the old college building fairly shake while I am writing this letter; others have become disgusted and declare that orators are born and not made, which is the true solution of the whole problem.

Rev. H. C. Moore spent a day and night with us on his way to Morehead City. He was very sorry to leave his school at Sugar Grove, but thought his work was more in the gospel ministry than in the school room.

Four hundred choice, new books have just been put in the library. This may seem to be quite a large number of books. It would take one a year to read them all, if it were possible to read one each day, but when they were read there would be four hundred more to read, besides the great number of newspapers and magazines.

Among the well known literary women of New York is Margaret Sangster, the poet, who also reads for the Harpers and helps in the conduct of Harper's Young Folks. She is an extremely pretty woman, above medium height, gentle mannered, smooth browed, unruddied and pleasant to look upon.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion & Debility.

NOTICE Pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of Watauga County obtained at all term, 1890, in the case of James H. Gwynn against Thos. E. reagan, I will on the third day of Nov., 1890, at the court house in the town of Boone, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash in hand all the mineral interest in a certain tract or parcel of land on the waters of Elk River on the west side of the Beach Mountains adjoining the lands of C. H. P. Eaton, Henry Pulk, Solomon Horny and James Whitehead, and containing 20 acres more or less. Sold to satisfy a judgment in favor of James H. Gwynn and against Thos. E. reagan for the sum of \$300 and cost of action. E. F. LOVELL, Cox.

far better than the usual treatment of medicine which is so often given. It is a simple and safe remedy for all cases of croup, pneumonia, sore throat, and sudden colds.

DAUGHTERS OF EVE.

Women Who Are More or Less Famous in the World's Newspapers.

The ex-Empress Eugenie will again be the queen's guest at Osborne this summer.

One of the newly elected pages of the Iowa house of representatives is a 10-year-old girl.

Miss Mollie Garfield is said to be an exceptionally well informed girl, and takes an especial interest in scientific matters.

The belle of Baton Rouge, La., a lady of graceful and attractive manners, owns and personally conducts a job printing office.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, Professor Maria Mitchell and Mr. T. D. Aldrich will be among the summer residents of Lynn, Mass.

The "Madge" of "Giris Gossip" in Mr. Labouchere's "Truth" is Mrs. G. J. Humphrey, a middle aged Irish woman who also writes much for various other papers.

Mrs. Ruth McEnery Stuart, the latest writer of negro dialect stories, lives in New Orleans. She is a young woman, tall, dark haired and fine looking. She has only recently taken up literary work.

Joseph Davis, of Wayne county, W. Va., has a daughter aged 6 years who weighs 230 pounds. This is believed to be the largest child of its age in the world.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who was recently presented to Queen Victoria, received several lessons from a professional teacher of deportment in regard to backing from "the presence" and bowing to majesty.

Mrs. D'Oryl Carte was formerly for many years Mr. Carte's private secretary, and he attributes to her clever business management much of the financial success with which he has produced the comic operas of Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan.

Gertrude Cunningham, of Bangor, caught her hand in the mangle at the Bangor laundry, and the hand and wrist were stripped of skin and flesh. The hand has been saved by skin grafting, three young women friends of the girl having allowed 108 pieces of skin to be taken from their persons for her benefit.

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Mrs. Lizzie W. Champney, of New York, the author of "Three Vassar Girls" and the wife of Champney, the artist, is as pleasant to the eye as her books are bright. She is brown haired, slender and rather delicate looking, with a grave face. She has a wonderful talent as a teller of dialect stories.

Some one made a remark to Mrs. Julia Ward Howe the other day about the literary talents of her daughters. "Yes," she replied, "Col. Higginson said to me once, 'Imagine the confusion of proof sheets in a family where there are four or five writers!' But as we do not all live together the proof sheets have luckily never yet been mixed."

Miss Minnie Freeman, the brave young Nebraska school teacher whom the blizzard made famous, has decided to make California her home for the future. She has received \$2,700 in cash from the subscription raised for her benefit, besides two costly gold watches, three diamond pins and many pieces of jewelry.

Ros Bonheur does not always wear male attire, as the popular idea has it. She is seen on the streets of Paris dressed quite as the average well-to-do matron of France is accustomed to dress, distinguished only by the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor pinned at her breast. When she is at work, however, she does wear trousers and a broad brimmed hat.

Miss Grace Frances Digelow, a western girl, who can whistle with remarkable skill and sweetness, is winning fame and fortune through her peculiar talent. She is described as a very pretty girl, about 23 years of age, a blonde, with a profusion of golden hair and blue eyes. She discovered her talent for whistling some years ago while living with her parents in Colorado.

Margaret Andrews Oldham, the new southern poet, is an attractive little woman, whose years are not much beyond a score and a quarter. She has a pretty, intelligent face, with a shapely nose, large blue eyes, expressive mouth, and a shell pink complexion. She inherits her literary inclination from her father, who was a college president, while her mother is at the head of an educational institution. Her husband is a journalist and writer, and her brother is a lawyer-editor.

Laura C. Holloway, who has been visiting in Hartford, describes a call made upon Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe as something delightful to remember. Mrs. Stowe had been out walking and met her guest at the door, her cheeks flushed from exercise and her beautiful eyes sparkling with expression. "I could but note with surprise the animation of the whole countenance," says Mrs. Holloway. "She looked so young and handsome that it seemed hard to believe the record of her years. In appearance she was fifty instead of seventy-six, and quite as active and pleasing in manner as she ever was. Her expression is beautiful. I think her not to be called beautiful. I think her greatly improved in this respect, and found her after ten years to be quite the handsomest of all her family. She spoke of her illustrious brother, and as she was speaking and looking at his portrait, which stood against an oval looking glass, I could not resist the following effect of sorrow on her very strong face. For a time she gazed at me in a speechless and beautiful way, taking much interest in telling me how I should for and speaking with strong approval of a book which one of her neighbors, Mr. Howe, was writing. I was fortunate in my visit and had the honor to see her when her name seemed as wonderful as it was to me."

BRONCHITIS

In an inflammation of the bronchial tubes—the air-passages leading into the lungs. Few other complaints are so prevalent, or call for more prompt and energetic action. As a remedy it is nearly always successful. Effective remedies should always be at hand. Apply at once a mustard plaster to the upper part of the chest, and for internal treatment, take frequent doses of

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

C. O. Linn, Druggist, Fort Wayne, Ind., writes: "My little sister, four years of age, was so ill from bronchitis that we had almost given up hope of her recovery. Our family physician, a skilled man, and of long experience, pronounced it useless to give her any more medicine, saying he had done all it was possible to do, and we must prepare for the worst. As a last resort, we determined to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and I can truly say, with most happy results. After taking a few doses she seemed to breathe easier, and within a week was out of danger. We continued giving the Pectoral until satisfied she was entirely well. This indisputable evidence of the great merit of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has given me unlimited confidence in the preparation, and I recommend it to my customers, knowing it cannot disappoint them."

Young Children

so that the medicine is known among them as "the cougher" of the children. Rufus Vidal, San Francisco, writes: "A short time ago, I was taken with a severe attack of bronchitis. The remedies ordinarily used in such cases failed to give me relief. About the middle of the evening, I bought a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was helped from the first dose. I had not finished one bottle before the disease left me, and my throat and lungs were as sound as ever." Geo. B. Hunter, Altoona, Pa.

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