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Methodist Church Directory. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.

Professional cards

- B. MASSENBURG, ATTORNEY AT LAW. M. COOKE & SON, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. D. R. W. H. NICHOLSON, PRACTICING PHYSICIAN. F. S. SPRULL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. THOMAS B. WILDER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. T. W. BICKETT, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW. W. M. PERSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. W. H. YARBOROUGH, JR., ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Dr. J. R. Palmer, PRACTICING PHYSICIAN. FRANKLINTON, N. C. King & Smithwick, DENTISTS. LOUISBURG, N. C.

Dentistry, W. H. EDWARDS, OF WAKE FOREST, N. C. Will visit Louisburg on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday following the first Sunday in each month.

HOTEL'S. HOTEL WOODARD, W. C. WOODARD, Prop., Rocky Mount, N. C.

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DO YOU WANT A HOUSE? If so you will do well to write, or see J. Levister, at Louisburg, N. C., before contracting.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

The House Grab Bill—Tillman and the Senatorial Traditions—Direct Vote For Senators.

Were it not for the dilatory senate, congress could have adjourned several days ago. But it has always been the last to conclude its labors.

The grab of \$100 per month by members of the house for clerk hire during recess is something wholly unjustifiable. No one believes that 25 per cent of the members will use this money in good faith.

If the clerks were put on the public rolls and the money paid to them in person, there would not be much scandal. In that case \$75 or \$80 a month would be ample compensation.

It seems to be considered by close observers that Senator Tillman is in many respects the most remarkable man we have had in the senate in recent years.

The idea of electing the United States senators by direct vote of the people is steadily gaining ground. It may not become a law this session, but it is likely to do so next.

In her "Introduction to Folk Lore" Miss Rolfe thus accounts for trephining as found in the skulls of prehistoric people.

Senator Hill has come to the front very fast during this session. Before he took his seat in the senate some of the wisecracks predicted he would be a sorry figure there, but he is now considered one of the most useful if not the most influential members.

CURRENT MISCELLANY.

Different writers on longevity and miscellaneous oddities concerning the human family have at various times made out "authentic lists" of persons known to have lived more than 100 years.

Why the Colonel Was There. Senator Waltham tells us of himself which is none the less good by reason of the fact that the scene is laid during the late civil war.

The Prolific Smith Family. When I was a very little boy, I remember having a vague idea that people by the name of Smith must all be related.

He Still Smokes. There is one postmaster in Ohio who does not fear the inspector. Recently an old maid informed the postmaster general that there was smoking in the post-office at ———.

Having Fun With the Postoffice. Yesterday afternoon a letter was dropped in the postoffice with an address that none of the clerks was able to decipher.

Fride and Vanity. I would much rather fight pride than vanity because pride has a stand up way of fighting.

SHORT NEWS STORIES.

He Was Up on Moses Also—Why the Colonel Was There—The Girl Who Knewed Washington State.

A prominent actor, who is stopping at a Broad street hotel, told a rather clever story on himself. Says he: "I have served my time as a telegrapher and can read the Morse alphabet as easily by sound as I can a newspaper by sight."

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She Named a State. The state of Washington is indebted to a Zanesville (O.) girl for the name it now bears.

A Shrewd Candidate. "I suppose you know all about the financial question?" said the intimate friend.

His Trademark. "Wouldn't you think that the milkman would forget so many odd pints and quarts?"

His Sole Offense. "I never could do that," said a son of nature. "A calf tried to hook me, and I hit her with my umbrella and said, 'Shoo, you heifer!'"

Secretary Morton in his annual report figures that the farm property of the United States is worth \$13,000,000,000, there being 4,564,644 farms, averaging in value \$2,830.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR.

She had taken two lessons on the wheel and wanted to try it without an instructor. So she rented a bicycle, took it up on a back street of San Rafael, headed it down a hill so she would not have to work too hard and had a lady friend hold it until she got on.

A Helpful Son. "Papa," said Georgie, "I'm so sorry sometimes about all the trouble I give mamma."

Uncle Abner's Conclusion. "Must be a awful lot of birds used on the wimmern's hats nowadays," said Uncle Abner as he removed his best suit of clothes.

An Absentia. "You'll miss me when I'm gone," he faltered. "That was all he could say.

A Horrid Thing. She—Oh, I am surely going to have a bicycle this summer, but I can't decide on the color of the frame.

She Knows Him. "Say, Miss Flyfinger, if you wanted a man's credentials as a gentleman, where would you go to get them?"

An Alphabet Puzzle. I know a woman good and true; Her name is Sister Thayer. She uses up the alphabet Each time she makes a prayer.

The cause of foreign missions She asks the Lord to bless, The story is Sister Thayer. And the W. F. M. S.

Build up Home.

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"OLD CHUNK" CHEROKEES, 5 for 10 cents. The finest smoke for the money.

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Cheroot, 3 for 5 cents, a sure winner that always pleases.

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Where can you get Old home made corn whiskey? at D. H. Taylor & Co. From one week to three years old, cheaper than ever before.

Who keeps old R. A.

STUART'S ROCK BRIDGE RYE

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Signature: J. E. MALONE, Signed: E. S. FOSTER, J. B. CLIFTON.

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R. R. CROSSEN, FIRST CLASS PAINTER.

I wish to offer my services to the public, and will say that I am prepared to do all kinds of house painting, grain painting, etc.

Notice!!!

The Democratic County Convention will be held in Louisburg on Saturday the 20th day of June 1896, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions.

By order of the County Executive Committee. W. M. PERSON, Ch'm.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1896.

TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH, N. C. 100 A. M. Connects at Greensboro for all points for North and South and Winston-Salem and points on the North Carolina Railroad.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT RALEIGH, N. C. 7:14 P. M. From Atlanta, Charlotte, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Durham, Raleigh, and all points.

SEABOARD AIR LINE. SHORTEST AND QUICKEST ROUTE TO Atlanta, New Orleans, Norfolk, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, New York.

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TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH 1:30 A. M. DAILY. "Atlanta Special," Pullman Vestibule, for Henderson, Weldon, Petersburg, Richmond, Washington, Norfolk, and all intermediate stations.

TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH 1:53 A. M. DAILY. "Atlanta Special," Pullman Vestibule, for Henderson, Weldon, Suffolk, Portsmouth, Norfolk, and all intermediate stations.

TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH 3:40 P. M. DAILY. "Atlantic Special," Pullman Vestibule, for Atlanta and other points.

TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH 5:30 P. M. DAILY. "Atlanta Special," Pullman Vestibule, for Henderson, Weldon, Suffolk, Portsmouth, Norfolk, and all intermediate stations.

TRAINS LEAVE RALEIGH 8:20 P. M. DAILY. "Atlanta Special," Pullman Vestibule, for Henderson, Weldon, Suffolk, Portsmouth, Norfolk, and all intermediate stations.