

City Schools and Books.

SCHOOLS IN CITY AND COUNTRY OUGHT TO TEACH HISTORY CORRECTLY.

Special Cor. State Chronicle.

PITTSBORO, N. C., March 5, 1890.—I send you for publication a wise and timely letter from Maj. Finger. I think the time has come for an earnest protest against a growing evil.

A. H. MERRITT.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 20, 1890.

SUP'T. A. H. MERRITT,

DEAR SIR: I have your favor of 18th inst. I reply as follows:

1. Nearly all of the city public schools have special acts of the Assembly which put them solely under the Local Boards. The State Superintendent has no supervision of them as to courses of study, text-books, nor in any other particular.

2. There are many school histories now used in the State which, in my judgment, are not proper books to be used in our schools. I have examined many school histories written by northern authors since the war and before the war, and I have not found even one that did not do injustice to the South either by positively false statements or by omissions.

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WHAT CONGRESS WILL DO.

The Program of the Republican Party Outlined.

HON. JOHN S. HENDERSON INTERVIEWED.—THE PLANS TO DEPLETE THE TREASURY AND OPPRESS THE PEOPLE.

From State Chronicle, March 6.

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There are \$119,000,000 of 4 1/2 per cent. bonds to become due Sept. 1, 1891. If the ordinary expenditures are not increased, the Treasury will barely be able to pay these bonds when due.

THE FEDERAL ELECTION LAW. "I hope that the fears entertained at the South in regard to a Federal Election law will not be realized," Mr. Henderson said.

- (1) Direct tax bill, already passed Senate, \$18,000,000
(2) Prison pension bill, 15,500,000
(3) Dependent pension bill, 30,000,000
(4) Bill repealing limitation of pension arrears, 471,000,000
(5) Service pension bills, 144,000,000
(6) Fortification bill, 50,000,000
(7) French spoliation claims, 35,000,000
(8) Blair Educational bill, 77,000,000
(9) Eight hour claims of employees once paid in full, 30,000,000
(10) Subsidies to steamships, 20,000,000
(11) Increase of Navy, 20,000,000
(12) War claims, 30,000,000
(13) Indian deprecation claims, 15,000,000
(14) River and Harbor appropriations, increase, 10,000,000
(15) Miscellaneous, for public buildings, militia, etc., 50,000,000

Total, \$1,021,500,000. And this list is not complete by any means, but the estimates are under-drawn. Of course not even the Republican party will dare pass all these bills in any one session.

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