

Grant's Road Bill

Wash., June 6.—Following is the text of the road bill recently introduced by Congressman G. Grant:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that a bureau to be known as the Bureau of Public Roads is hereby established in the Department of Agriculture.

SEC. 2. That the objects of said bureau shall be to cooperate with the various states and territories, and with the counties, townships, and other subdivisions of said states and territories in the construction and improvement of public roads according to the provisions of this act; to make investigations and experiments in regard to road making; to publish and distribute reports and bulletins in regard to the making and improvement of roads, including statistics as to the relative saving in the cost of transporting products and merchandise to and from markets by reason of improved roads; and to do any and all such other things as may be lawfully done under the provisions of this act looking to the general improvement of public roads throughout the United States.

SEC. 3. That to carry out the provisions of this act there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-five million dollars, five million dollars of which appropriation to be available during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and eleven, and five million dollars to be available during each

succeeding year thereafter to and including the year nineteen hundred and fifteen. If less than five million dollars shall be expended in any one year the surplus shall be available during the succeeding year or years; but no state or territory shall receive during any one year more than one-half of its pro rata share of said twenty-five million dollars based upon the proportion which the population of said state or territory bears to the population of the United States.

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Weather Report

for week ending 6 p. m. June 7

Date	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Set Max.	Precip'n	Wind	Character of Day
June 1	68	40	54	58		w	clr
2	74	36	55	59		s	clr
3	73	52	62	60	0.25	w	clr
4	78	46	62	59		w	clr
5	68	57	62	64	0.64	s	ody
6	72	55	64	63		w	clr
7	78	58	68	64		w	clr
Max	78		Mean	Min	48		
Min	36		Mean		61		
Mean max.	73		Precip'n		0.89		

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Shepherd Sells Shoes

Hendersonville Welcomes the Cotton Mill Men

The cotton Manufacturers association of South Carolina will hold its annual meeting Friday, June 10, at the Gates hotel in Hendersonville. The program is as follows:

FRIDAY

- 1 p. m. Reception committee meets train.
- 3 p. m. Reception at Gates hotel to members of association by citizens of Hendersonville.
- 4 p. m. Trip to Laurel Park under auspices of Retail Merchants association and Pres. Smith of Laurel Park Railway. Refreshments served at Park.

SATURDAY

- 9:30 p. m. Reception to visiting ladies in parlors of Gates hotel, followed by informal musicale and refreshments at F. E. Curtis' home.
- 10 a. m. Business session.
- 3 p. m. Drive around city and to Lakes Osceola and Kanuga; refreshments at Lake View hotel, and smoker at Kanuga.

Hendersonville extends a most cordial welcome to the visitors. We want them to have a good time and enjoy themselves. The town is yours, brethren; help yourselves to anything you like. Come early and often.

New Board Organizes

The newly elected members of the town council were sworn in last Thursday night, and officers and committees were appointed as follows:

- Clerk, J. D. Davis.
- Treasurer, F. Z. Morris.
- Vice-Mayor, W. C. Rector.
- Tax Collector, A. J. Williams.
- Police, J. H. Maxwell, chief, W. A. Garren, No. 1.
- Street Overseer, T. M. Israel.
- City Plumber, M. A. Cagle.
- Keeper of Reservoir, J. M. Guice.

COMMITTEES:

- Street, W. C. Rector, chairman, F. Z. Morris, J. M. Stepp.
- Water and Sewer, J. W. McIntyre, chairman, J. D. Davis, J. Mack Raodes.
- Public Buildings and Grounds, J. D. Davis, chairman, W. C. Rector, J. M. Stepp.
- Lights, J. M. Stepp, chairman, J. W. McIntyre, J. D. Davis.
- Finance, J. M. Rhodes, chairman, F. Z. Morris, W. C. Rector.

Memorial Day

June 3, the birthday of Jefferson Davis, was observed as Memorial day in Hendersonville with appropriate exercises, under the auspices of the Daughters of Confederacy. A large assembly gathered in the court house where an eloquent address was delivered by Judge M. H. Justus. At the close of the exercises in the court house, the assembly repaired to the monument which was then solemnly decorated in the name of the dead. Afterwards a lunch was served to the veterans by the local chapter of the U. D. C.

The proceedings were deeply impressive. A pleasant feature of the occasion was the fact that several Union veterans, by invitation, joined in the exercises.

New lot of Chattel Mortgages on good bond paper for sale at Times Printing Co.

Rev. G. S. Jones

Rev. G. S. Jones died at 2:20 o'clock Monday afternoon, June 6, at the residence of his nephew C. F. Toms, in Hendersonville. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the residence, Rev. A. I. Justice officiating and the pastors of all the Hendersonville churches being present. The interment took place at Oakdale Cemetery in Wilmington.

Mr. Jones was born in Pasquotank county in 1837, and was in his seventy-third year at the time of his death. He came to Hendersonville fifty years ago and engaged in the work of teaching and preaching. A few years after he came here he married Miss Margaret G. French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. French of Wilmington, who died about six years ago. For the past forty years Mr. Jones had been employed by the American Sunday School Union of Philadelphia in the work of establishing and organizing Sunday schools in this neighborhood,—a congenial work to which he devoted himself with unremitting industry and enthusiasm.

Kindly in disposition, courteous in manner, upright in life, Mr. Jones was a citizen of whom the community might well be proud. Not only in Hendersonville but throughout the county he was well known and held in the highest esteem, and on countless occasions was called upon to share in the joys and sympathize with the sorrows of the people among whom the last fifty years of his life were spent. This death will be felt as a great loss not only by the Baptist denomination but by all who knew him. A genial, cultured Christian gentleman has been taken from us, and the community has lost a valued citizen whose place will be hard indeed to fill.

By his will Mr. Jones leaves nearly \$15,000 to the American Sunday School Union to be used in its mission work.

Raleigh Letter

Raleigh, June 6.—Friday afternoon Governor Kitchen issued his proclamation calling the general assembly of North Carolina to meet in extraordinary session on Tuesday June 14, for the purpose of considering the emergency resulting from the inability of the state treasurer to sell the \$3,430,000 4 per cent forty year bonds issued to redeem the bonds of the state falling due July first, and enacting legislation to secure the needed funds. The governor has written personal letters to all the banks in the state asking that a conference of bankers be held in Raleigh June 8, and the state treasurer for the third time has advertised for bids to be filed by June 18. If this conference of bankers and the bids made June 10 result in floating the balance of the bond issue, then the call for an extra session of the legislature will be revoked.

The extra session of the legislature will cost the taxpayers of the state at least \$25,000. When the session opens the governor will recommend some means of meeting the crisis. The rate of interest may be increased to 5 per cent, but it is by no means certain that the bonds can even then be floated. The country has been flooded with circulars from a New York syndicate representing the old special tax repudiated bonds and these circulars are designed to prevent banks outside of the state from bidding on the bonds and are having a serious effect. The extra session may provide that the council of state borrow money and attempt to float the remaining part of the issue in this way. The state might pledge its North Carolina railroad stock to secure a temporary loan. If the republican party was in power and failed to meet the bonded indebtedness of the state and had to call

a special session of the legislature there would be a howl from the democratic press all over the state. The situation is indeed critical and the credit of North Carolina is at stake.]

The democratic politicians will strive to restrict the session to the bond question, it is believed, but it is not certain that this can be done.

A. J. Maxwell who was formerly clerk in the state senate, has been appointed clerk to the North Carolina corporation commission to succeed Henry Clay Brown, who was appointed to the vacancy on the corporation commission.

The Wake county republican executive committee met here Saturday and set the date for republican primaries and county convention. The primaries will be held in the various precincts July 30, and the county convention, which will name delegates to the state, congressional and judicial conventions and nominate the county and legislative tickets, will be held Saturday, August 6. The republican party in Wake county is in splendid condition. Wake county holds the banner for the greatest republican gains in the last election and the republicans are preparing to take every advantage of the split in the democratic ranks.

List Your Taxes!

W. C. Lyda, list taker for Hendersonville township will be at the following places at the times named:
At Hendersonville, June 7-11.
At Horse Shoe, June 13.
At Flat Rock, June 14.
At Hendersonville, June 15-30.
List your taxes and give in your poll, as required by law.

A woman's mirror tells her the truth; she interprets it falsely.

When you make your Spring Cleaning

Don't Forget

That we carry all kinds of purifying, cleaning, and disinfecting articles.

Formaldehyde Fumigators	25c
Bed Bug Poisoed	15 & 25c
Bon Ami	10c
Sal Soda, per lb	05c
Box Potosh	05c
Household Ammonia	10c
Furniture Polish	25c
International Lice Killer	25c

HUNTER'S PHARMACY

Near POSTOFFICE

W. H. Justus Pays \$5.00 for Largest WATERMELON

Grown in Henderson County in 1910--Decided by weight--to be weighed on scales selected by him.

Johnston's new Goods Just Rec'd.

OFFERED AT SPECIAL BARGAINS

Ladies & Misses White and col. Linon skirts latest style 75 to \$1.25
Ladies and Misses Middy waists and Blouses latest styles 75c to \$1
Ladies Linen and Lawn shirt-waists of latest styles 50c to \$1.25
Ladies long and short Commonas great variety latest style 35c to \$1.25.

- Ladies Embroidered Skirts 50c to \$1.25
- Fancy Waist and dress silks 15c & 20c
- Shantung Waist and dress silks 30c
- Infants Shoes and Slippers 15c to 50c
- Misses strap slippers Black and Tan 55c to \$1.00
- Ladies strap Slippers Black and Tan 75c \$1.00
- Ladies soft comfort shoes \$1 and \$1.25
- Ladies and Mens Bedroom slippers 25c to 50c
- Infants and childrens Barefoot sandles 15c to 50c
- Ladies and Mens Barefoot sandles \$1
- R. & G. Corsets new Styles 50c & 75c

S. JOHNSTON
321 Main St.

Saturday and Monday BARGAINS

Do not fail to take advantage of the bargains we are offering for SATURDAY and MONDAY
10 yards Calico all colors for 39c. 10 yards figured lawn for 39c
10 yards Canton flannel for 39c. Good apron gingham al col. 4 1/2
Yard wide percales for 9c. 44 inch white lawn at 10c.
28 inch percales in good colors for 5c. Pillow cases 42x36 at 10c
Sheets full size 72x90 at 48c. Lace curtains 2 1-2 yds. long 39c.
Good size bed spreads for 69c. Ladies shirtwaists from 25c up.

We are offering numerous other bargains for SATURDAY and MONDAY

Good for 10c with one dollar purchase or over
LEWIS & SON
"The Undeselling Store"
Agents for Standard Fashions