

General Directory.

COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

Superior Court Clerk—Jas. C. Gibson.
 Sheriff—L. M. Morrison.
 Register of Deeds—Jno. K. Patterson.
 Treasurer—Jno. A. Sims.
 Surveyor—Jno. H. Long.
 Coroner—M. C. Walter.
 Cotton Weigher—R. S. Harris.
 Commissioners—J. Dove, Chm'n
 C. D. Barringer, M. F. Nesbit,
 W. M. Widenhouse and J. H. Earnhardt.

TOWN.

Mayor—William G. Means.
 Clerk and Treasurer—Jas. C. Fink.
 Chief Police—J. L. Boger.
 Commissioners—Wm. Propst,
 H. I. Woodhouse, M. L. Brown,
 J. C. Lippard, Chas. McDonald
 and W. R. Odell.

CHURCHES.

Baptist—Rev. Alderman.
 Episcopal—Rev. B. S. McKensie.
 Lutheran—Rev. W. G. Campbell.
 Methodist—Rev. H. W. Bays.
 Methodist (Forest Hill) Rev. H. M. Blair.
 Presbyterian—Rev. C. M. Payne.
 Reform—Rev. Paul Barringer.

LODGES.

Stokes Lodge, No. 32, A. F. & A. M., meets on or before every full moon. Rev. W. G. Campbell, W. M.
 Concord Lodge, No. 896, K. of H., meets first Friday night in each month. J. W. Burkhead, Dictator.
 Cold Water Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets first and second Thursday nights in each month. Rev. W. G. Campbell, N. G.
 Cabarrus Council, No. 1105, Royal Arcanum, meets first and second Tuesday nights in each month. J. A. Sims, Regent.

POST OFFICE.

Office hours from 8 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. Money order hours 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. Sunday hours 8 a. m. to 9:30 a. m., and 15 minutes at noon.

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J. P. ALLISON, Pres't.
 H. I. WOODHOUSE, Sec. and Treas.

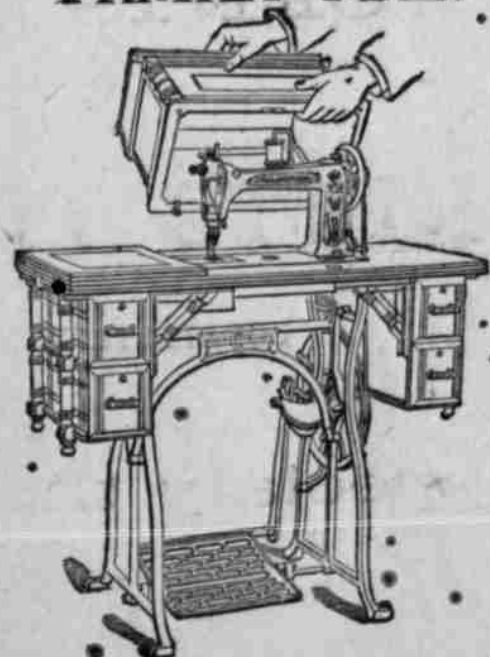
A man named O'Dell jumped from the top of the North Augusta bridge into the river Saturday afternoon, a distance of 107 feet. He collected \$7 from the crowd which had assembled to see the performance.

The will of President James K. Polk has been annulled. The heirs at law get the property valued at \$300,000. The old mansion and its extensive enclosures are in the heart of Nashville, and will soon be improved. The will was broken because it attempted to enforce entail. A president of the United States appeared to be ignorant of his country's laws, or attempted to evade them.

Mr. A. G. McGahee, a prominent citizen of Dearing, Ga., was shot and killed by a negro Saturday afternoon.

This government is fast becoming "furrinized." 90,959, immigrants arrived here during the month of April.

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Ready for Business.

The Covenant Building & Loan Association will loan in Concord in the next thirty days \$2500 and agree to loan \$100 for every 100 shares kept in force costing \$60 for every 100 shares. And for every 500 shares of stock taken the Covenant Building & Loan Association will loan \$2500 and 100 for every 100 shares kept in force; loans to be made within 30 days from date of Certificates.

Twenty cents a day or 6.00 per month will carry 10 shares of stock netting you \$1,000 at a cost of \$508 in seven years.

Do you own your own home? If not why not? Get a prospectus at once. The Covenant Building & Loan Association refer to City National Bank; Knoxville Saving & Trust Co.; East Tennessee National Bank and Dun Mercantile agency.

Paid up stock is sold at \$50 a share paying 6 per cent interest per annum and the share doubles in seven years when you receive \$100 the face value of your certificate.

SECURITY.

Only first mortgages on real estate in town can be accepted as security under the laws of Tennessee. Don't put it off. Call at once and see

J. C. LAMBERT,
 State Agent,
 St. Cloud Hotel, Concord, N. C.

BOTANIC BLOOD BALM

Help in Time of Need.

When a man is drowning he will grasp at straws, but straws will not save him. Extend to him a life-boat and his rescue is certain.

Mr. James A. Greer, of Athens, Ga., (endorsed by the editor of the Athens Banner-Watchman) makes the following statement:

"I am first cousin of the late ex-Governor Alexander H. Stephens and have been postal clerk on different railroads since 1868. For ten years I have been a sufferer from a cancer on my face which grew worse until the discharge of matter became profuse and very offensive. I became thoroughly disgusted with blood purifiers and pronounced them humbugs, as I had tried many without relief.

Finally I was induced to use Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). The offensive discharge decreased at once and the hardness disappeared. It became less and less in size until nothing remains except a scar. I gained flesh and strength, and all who have seen me bear testimony. I cannot say too much in its praise.

WHY THE AMERICAN RAMBLER BECAUSE



Storehouse for Sale. I will be glad to have offers for the storehouse and lot now occupied by Dr. Johnson.

SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT.

This is the season for white goods, Embroideries, Lace, Handkerchiefs, Towels, Napkins, Table Linen, etc. This department is complete and prices to suit all buyers.

HOOVER & LORE.

DRESS DEPARTMENT.

All shades in Woolen Goods, Henriettas, Serges, new style Satteens, Hair Line, Ploka Dot, Crescent, Gingham 84 cents, fast colors. Full line of prints.

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SHOE DEPARTMENT FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Men's Bay State shoes, \$2.00
 Men's Bay State shoes, \$3.00
 Men's Bay State shoes, \$5.00.

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LADIES' SHOE DEPARTMENT.

You will always find with us a complete line of Stribley's celebrated shoes, the most comfortable shoes worn by anyone. \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.

HOOVER & LORE.

We keep on hand always a full line of heavy groceries, sold at the lowest cash prices.

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Sample Carpets and Rugs a specialty.

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