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THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 1891.

EX-SENATOR Joseph E. McDonald died at his home in Indianapolis, Indiana, Monday night at 11:35 o'clock.

HE was born in Butler county, Ohio, August 29, 1819. With him there passes away one of the most notable figures in national politics.

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REV. BAYLUS CADE.

As heretofore announced was his purpose to do, Rev. Baylus Cade retired from the editorial conduct of the Progressive Farmer with the last issue of that paper.

With the present issue of the Progressive Farmer my connection with it as editor terminates.

After a careful and patient study of the Sub-Treasury bill, I am convinced that its enactment into law would be disastrous to the country.

It is due to Col. Polk and to all the other officers of the Alliance that I should distinctly say, that no pressure of any kind has ever been brought to bear upon me to induce me to take any position that I could not occupy with a conscience void of offense.

Seven months ago I took up the pen as editor with many doubts and misgivings. During this time I have used it to write a personal attack upon any one to write no sentence that can bring a blush of shame to the face of a gentleman.

DOES NOT CARE FOR THE STATE. We hear of a certain paper outside of the State that has 9,000 weekly subscribers in the State, and this is to the neglect of faithful home papers.

HOW TO BUILD TOWNS. This is a day of booms. Booms are a Western invention, and have been worked more or less throughout the West where they have built more imaginary towns than one could shake a stick at in thirty days.

In the death of Benson J. Lossing the country loses an useful author who has published two or three historical works possessing a certain value.

blocks, run streets through it, build an imposing hotel with an imposing name, lay off parks, avenues, drives, etc., on paper, divide the blocks up into lots, advertise liberally, then get up cheap excursions, give a big barbecue, put the lots up at auction and knock them down at money enough to pay for four or five acres at original purchase price.

This is beginning at the wrong end. If these syndicates had control of money enough to erect factories, machine shops, etc., to give work to the people whom they invite to buy their lots, they would be beginning at the right end and laying the foundation for continued growth and prosperity.

Greensboro started out on the right track when she organized the steel and iron works which will give employment to a large number of skilled workmen, and will doubtless lead to the establishment of numerous other kindred industries.

WM. MCKINLEY, Jr., of tariff bill fame, has been nominated for governor by the Republicans of Ohio. He's as good a man for James E. Campbell to beat as any other.

EDITOR GOLD LEAF.—In tracing the history of our country we find many distinguished men with dispositions and talents adapted to the important part they acted.

Col. A. B. Andrews Promoted. The Raleigh State Chronicle says: Col. A. B. Andrews, so we see it stated in the papers, will shortly be permitted to hold the position of Richmond and Danville railroad.

Special Coaches for White People. Special Coaches for Colored People. Special Coaches for Ladies & Attendants. Every comfort and convenience will be furnished.



TURNIP SEEDS

A fresh lot of Turnip Seeds just received. Come early and supply yourself.

The canning season is at hand; at DORSEY'S DRUG STORE you will find the correct thing in

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MELVILLE DORSEY, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, HENDERSON, N. C.

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I have for sale the GENUINE CONFEDERATE STATES NAVY BUTTONS, as follows: viz: Coat size, (for sleeve buttons), 75 cents a piece; vest size, 50 cents each.

Land for Sale. I have for sale a small tract of land, 9 1/2 acres, heavily timbered with large pine, adjoining the lands of Ned Wortham and Sandy Basket.

Notice. On MONDAY, 6TH DAY OF JULY, 1891, there will be sold, on the grounds of the Henderson Cemetery Association, some fourteen (14) or more beautiful building lots.

Bonanza Xursion

FROM RALEIGH TO PORTSMOUTH AND RETURN TUESDAY, JUNE 30TH, '91.

Make your arrangements to take a delightful trip and enjoy the GRAND OCEAN BREEZES!

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Fare. From Raleigh to Portsmouth, \$2.50; Portsmouth to Raleigh, \$2.50; Return, \$5.00.

SCHEDULE & ROUND TRIP FARE: From Raleigh, 8:05 A. M., \$2.50; Millbrook, 8:30, 2.50; Newse, 8:40, 2.50; Wyatt, 8:46, 2.50; Forestville, 8:56, 2.50; Wake, 9:00, 2.50; Yonngsville, 9:11, 2.50; Franklinton, 9:29, 2.50; Kirtland's, 9:50, 2.50; Henderson, 10:16, 2.00; Greystone, 10:28, 2.00; Middleburg, 10:43, 2.00; Manson, 10:54, 2.00; Ridgeway, 11:03, 2.00; Warrenton, 11:25, 2.00; Macon, 11:36, 2.00; Vaughan, 11:51, 2.00; Littleton, 12:07 P. M., 2.00; Gaston, 12:40, 1.50; Weldon, 1:10, 1.00.

This is Your Greatest Opportunity! Remember train arrives at Portsmouth about 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and does not leave until Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock, thus giving all an excellent opportunity to enjoy a trip to Baltimore, Old Point, Virginia Beach, Ocean View, and other points of interest.

Capt. T. H. Chavasse will be Conductor in charge of this Excursion Train, which fact is a guarantee that perfect order will prevail and every attention be shown.

THE FALL TERM OF VANCE SEMINARY, MRS. M. PARRAM, MRS. W. D. HORNER, Principals.

The curriculum of this School embraces the studies usually taught in Female Colleges. Special attention given to the departments of English Literature and Mathematics.

Under and by virtue of a decree made at April Term, 1891, of Wake Superior Court in the cause wherein C. Dowd, receiver, and others, are plaintiffs, and J. W. Telfair and others are defendants, the undersigned commissioners appointed in the decree will, on MONDAY, JULY 6TH, 1891, at the court house door in Henderson, Vance county, N. C., expose to public sale for cash, the property near Kirtland in Vance county, conveyed to the Trustees of Johnson School, and now held and used for the purposes of a school for colored pupils, Kirtland Normal and Industrial Institute, containing about sixty acres.

See! See! See! WHAT! WHAT! WHAT! Why the New Beautiful DRESS GOODS GRAND DISPLAY MILLINERY!

We have the Largest Stock of Ladies' Goods we have carried for years; have moved them to the FRONT OF THE STORE; Our prices are right, and OUR SALES THIS SEASON SURPASS ALL PREVIOUS ONES. We will make it to your interest to trade with us.

Mr. NORWOOD THOMAS, Mrs. J. L. H. MISSILLIER, MISS ROSA THOMAS and MISS MATTIE STALLINGS will wait on you in this department and will be glad to see their friends.

Faithfully Yours, S. & C. WATKINS. The Burgwyn Bros. Tob. Co., MANUFACTURERS OF TOBACCO, HENDERSON, N. C.

SOME OF OUR BRANDS: NEVER FAIL, LOST CHORD, OLD CONFED, OLE DINAH, PRAIRIE BELLE.

The following merchants in Henderson sell our goods: W. S. Parker & Co., Wholesale Agents. LASSITER, STAINBACK & CO., J. W. BUREFOY, J. J. LOUGHLIN, W. W. REAVIS, DAVIS & ROSE, D. C. LOUGHLIN, W. H. WESTER, ASA FARRAR, MELVILLE DORSEY, COOPER & MITCHELL.

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Valuable Farm for Sale. A valuable farm, containing 267 acres, lying on main road, 5 miles from Henderson, is offered for sale.

Racket Store. Greatest Bargain Store. Henderson and the World.

Compare Quality and Prices. Paper plus 1 c, good note paper 2 c a quire, paper needles 1 c, good envelopes 3 c a dozen.

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W. W. PARKER, Druggist. NOTICE. Having heretofore become the sole owner of the Brands, Trade Marks, and other properties of the Henderson Tobacco Company, I am prepared to supply the trade with those CELEBRATED BRANDS OF SMOKING TOBACCO so favorably known as

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO OF NEW YORK. RICHARD A. McCURDY, President. Assets, \$117,154,961.20. Liabilities, 157,175,727.82. Surplus, \$9,981,233.38.

HOWARD & TAYLOR. (Successors to E. F. Wyatt & Son.) HARNESS, SADDLES, ETC., HENDERSON, N. C. (Lassiter's Old Stand, Corner Main and Montgomery Streets.)

CLAUDE HUNTER, Agent, HENDERSON, N. CAROLINA.

