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JONESBORO DIRECTORY.

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JONESBORO CIRCUIT.
Rev. J. E. Thompson, Pastor. Charges—Jonesboro, 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.; Prayer meeting every Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.; Morris Chapel, 1st Sunday at 11 a.m., and Saturday before at 9 p.m.; Lemon Springs, 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.; Poplar Springs, 2nd Sunday at 11 a.m., and Saturday before at 9:30 p.m.; Sanford 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m.; Prayer meeting every other Wednesday night.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. D. N. McLaughlin, Pastor.—Charges—Jonesboro, 1st Sunday 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.; Prayer meeting every other Wednesday night, at 7:30.

BAPTIST.

Rev. W. T. Jones, Pastor.—Jonesboro, services every 3d Sunday at 11 o'clock, a.m., and 8 p.m.; Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

CHRISTIAN.

Rev. P. T. Way, pastor. Charges—Poplar Branch, 1st Sunday, at 11 a.m.; Grace Chapel, 2d Sunday at 11 a.m.; Winder, 3d Sunday at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.

Rev. G. B. Underwood, Pastor. Charges—Christian Light, 1st Sunday at 11 a.m.; Egypt 2d Sunday at 11 a.m.; Mount Pleasant 3d Sunday at 11 a.m.; Shallow Well, 4th, Sunday at 11 a.m.

BUFFALO LODGE, No. 172, A. F. & A. M. Regular meeting, 3d Monday night, and the Festival of St. John the Baptist, and St. John the Evangelist.

JONESBORO LODGE, No. 127, I. O. O. F. Regular meeting, every Friday night.

TOWN OFFICERS.

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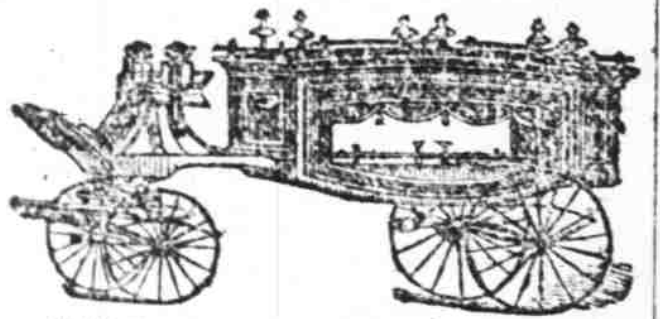
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Announcement.

THANKFUL to my many friends in Moore and adjoining counties for their confidence and liberal patronage in the past, I wish to say that I am located in the rooms next door to W. A. Sloan & Co., in Jonesboro, where I can be found when not called off on professional or other important matters.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

CARTHAGE.

W. T. Jones and wife, left for Cincinnati Ohio, last Friday, to attend the annual meeting The Carriage Makers Association.

Rev. W. M. Elderidge, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, has been unwell for several days, so much so, he was unable to fill his pulpit Sunday.

Rev. W. F. Watson preached two good sermons on last Sunday. There were three candidates baptized, and admitted to his church at the morning service.

Mr. T. A. Watson will move into his new dwelling in "Brooklyn" next week.

The Tyson & Jones Buggy Co. have moved into their new paint shop. They will add 30 feet more on to their wood shop, and build a new saw mill and boiler shed at once. More anon.

"HENRY WILSON."

Sam Jones Said It.

When I was in Little Rock, Ark, I got a letter from a brother preacher saying, "Brother Jones, give me your help and give it to me by return mail; I am in the most deplorable condition any minister of the Gospel you ever saw; brother, my wife is drinking, drinking, drinking to debauchery, and she is bringing reproach upon me and my work. Brother Jones write me what must I do and write me quick." I just sat down and wrote, "Say to your wife if she can't stop drinking and stay sober, she must leave your house, that she may not bring reproach upon you." I read the answer to Brother Stuart, and he said, "You are not going to send that?" I said, "yes." Said he, "don't do it; every God blessed woman in the world just sticks to her husband, old drunken husband and does everything in the world for him, and now you are going to tell that fellow to quit his wife because she is getting drunk." I just threw that letter in the grate, and sat down and wrote: "Stick to your wife, old man, till your heels fly up." (Laughter.) They will absolutely stay with us until we get to where we don't buy them bread; then they will stay with us until absolutely they sew with a needle to make bread for a drunken husband to eat. God bless you I never will again advise a man to quit his wife, because she is drunk. No sir, not as long as the women stick to us like they do, I never will. But your wife needs grit old fellow. I like the blue hen's chicken. I like them. That is the reason why I call you old gal; because you don't have spunk like a true woman ought to have, that was just my nick-name for you, sis. (Laughter.) A true, brave, courageous woman, is a woman in the highest sense of the word. There was a great big old rascal who lived in a big house out in the country. Every Saturday he went to town and got drunk. He would come back and break up the dishes and kick the table over. Well, sir, his wife had to go to town every Monday morning and buy dishes; they had plenty of money, and she just bought new dishes. There was an old poor tenant lived there, and one Saturday evening, the man came home drunk and because he was drunk he invited the poor old fellow to come in and eat with him; they went in and when they got in the dining room, the old fellow just kicked the table over and broke the dishes and played the mischief; this poor old white dog thought that was the finest trick he had ever seen; so the next Saturday night he came home drunk; his wife met him at the door, and she said, you ain't sober sir; and because she said that, he walked into the poor little dining room, and saw the plain table with the tin plates and pewter spoons, and he just kicked the table over and smashed things, and his wife ran to the table, snatched off one of the legs, and just wore him out. (Laughter.) Beat him up. Sister, give him a carrying he won't forget for a hundred years.—Extract from a sermon in Wilmington.

State and General News.

The unveiling of the Henry W. Grady Monument takes place in Atlanta to-day.

The Ecumenical Conference, which has been in session the past two weeks, in Washington City, has adjourned.

The Piedmont Exposition at Atlanta, opened on Monday. Gov. Northen and Mayor Hemphill made speeches and the oration of the day was delivered by Col. Pleasant A. Stovall, of Augusta.

The New river oysters now brought to this market are scarce and poor in quality, but it is said the garden oysters are not being taken as yet. New rivers at present are offering at thirty cents per quart.—Wil. Messenger.

A movement is on foot to hold a convention of temperance people in the city of Raleigh some time during the Exposition. There is no political significance attached to this meeting. It is to be only a social gathering of those favoring the cause of temperance.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 19.—Dr. Francis Rivers and Signor Carlos Del Rio, late of the military staff of President Balmaceda, of Chili, arrived here yesterday en route for New York. Neither could speak a word of English. They had with them Louis Blach, of California, an interpreter. Through him they said that Balmaceda was not dead, all reports of his suicide to the contrary notwithstanding, and that they expected to meet him either in New York or Europe.

Office-Holders' Organ.

The Greensboro North State is to be moved to Raleigh and published as an organ of the Republican office-holders. They have all been assessed to buy the paper and carry it on in the interest of the administration. Mr. Rufus Amis was sent for to come to Raleigh and act as editor of the sheet. He was anxious to do so, and came to Raleigh this week to hold a conference with the office-holders with a view to becoming editor of the paper. But he told them that he could not move here and do the work for less than \$1,200. This they said, they could not be assessed to pay, and Mr. Amis went away sorrowfully for, since leaving the Democratic party, he has greatly desired to express the reasons for his change of faith. But while desirable as an editor Republicans always prefer a renegade Democrat to a straight-ought narrow-back Republican.—Mr. Amis came too high, and the office-holders turned elsewhere to get an editor. It is learned that the services of Mr. T. R. Purnell have been secured and that he will be the editor of the organ. It is presumed that he will give only a portion of his time to the business and that he will work cheaper than Mr. Amis. This will make the assessment upon the office-holders lighter.

Under Messrs. Keogh & Boyd the North State has been an able Republican newspaper and in the main it has been an independent speaking journal, and its friends will regret to see it made the organ of office-holders and pap-suckers of the party.—State Chronicle.

When the hair shows signs of falling, begin at once to use Ayer's Hair Vigor. This preparation strengthens the scalp, promotes the growth of new hair, restores the natural color to gray and faded hair, and renders it soft, pliant, and glossy.

"Not all is gold that glitters" is a true saying; it is equally true that not all is sarsaparilla that is so labelled. If you would be sure of the genuine article, ask for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and take no other. Health is too precious to be trifled with.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16, 1891.

"Representative Mills", said an Alliance man who strongly believes in the free coinage of silver, has, whether intentionally or not I cannot say, practically made the question of whether a free coinage bill shall be passed by the coming House of Representatives an issue in the Speakership campaign.

"How" he was asked.
"Why, by stating that he had become convinced that nothing practical in the way of silver legislation could be accomplished by the next Congress. That statement I take to mean that Mr. Mills has made up his mind that in the event of his being elected Speaker of the House he will so make up the membership of the House Coinage Committee that no free coinage bill can be reported to the House. This statement may gain Mr. Mills some votes, but, mark my words, unless repudiated it before the democratic caucus is held he will certainly be defeated for the Speakership nomination."

The impression here seems to be that the result of the Ohio election will determine the position of all the Speakership candidates on the free coinage question, the belief being that if Campbell is elected it will mean a triumph for free coinage and that all of the candidates will promise to assist in having a free coinage bill passed by the House. On the other hand should Campbell be defeated free coinage is to be put aside by them all for the time being, on the ground that it can wait. Mr. Mills, who has just returned from Ohio, where he made speeches for his party, which is running on a free coinage platform, is now preparing to go to Massachusetts to speak for his party, which is there running on an anti-free coinage platform. Verily politics is a queer trade.

Fred. Douglass, ex-Minister to Hayti, has given the politicians something to talk about. It had been assumed ever since Douglass retired from the diplomatic service under circumstances which made it fair to infer that he did so under compulsion, that he was against Harrison, and some people had gone so far as to say that he was to lead the negro opposition which was to frighten the republican national convention into dropping Harrison, if he did not voluntarily retire from the race before the convention met. Now Douglass has, in the course of a lecture on Hayti, taken occasion to announce that he is for Harrison's re-nomination, and in the same lecture he hinted that it was in his power to show the Mole St. Nicholas affair in a light that would reflect no credit upon Mr. Blaine. The politicians are asking what this means.

Although the committee which passed upon the credentials of the delegates to the Methodist Ecumenical Conference now in session here did not admit a single woman, it was made evident in a discussion of the subject—"Woman's Work in the Church," that the almost unanimous sentiment of that body is in favor of letting woman occupy whatever field in the Church, even to the pulpit itself, that she may prove herself capable of filling. As the conference has no legislative functions this sentiment will not effect the present status of women in the Methodist Church, although its moral effect may become apparent in this country later on.

Reciprocity is enjoying another big boom, it being stated here that an agreement has been reached with the government of Germany whereby American wheat is to be given free entry into that country in return for our receiving Germany's best sugar free of duty. This sugar already comes in free, but under the reciprocity clause of the McKinley tariff act the President is given authority to restore the

duty which existed before the passage of that act upon the products free of duty. It was to escape this danger that Germany has agreed to admit our wheat free, although the failure of her own grain crop and the desire to make American wheat as cheap as possible to the consumers of that country doubtless also had great weight with the German officials. However, the important thing is that it opens an immediate market for one hundred million bushels of American wheat, and that we have the wheat to sell.

The Italian government has not resumed diplomatic relations with us, but it has had the good sense to see that the restrictions which it placed upon the importation of American pork are, in view of the fact that every carcass now bears the guarantee of this Government as to its purity, entirely needless, and it has decided to remove them. Score another point for "Uncle Jerry" Rusk and his meat inspection law.

Three Men Bit by a Mad Dog.

There was a mad dog sensation night before last down about the cotton platform. A dog rushed into the store of Mr. Conn, showing unmistakable signs of rabies, and bit a clerk, and then bit Mr. Horton, the watchman at the cotton platform. The next victim of the frenzied animal's fangs was a colored train hand. The dog was soon afterwards killed with a crow bar after creating quite a scare on all sides.—News and Observer.

An Alabama Horror.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 20.—Near Lime Rock, Alabama, last night, John Long, a farmer, and his wife went to visit a sick neighbor, leaving their 4 children at home asleep. The hall lamp was left burning. Returning at two o'clock this morning the Longs found the house in ruins and three of the children, aged 12, 6 and 2 years burned to death. The fourth child, a boy, aged 4 years, was fatally burned. It is supposed that the lamp exploded.—State Chronicle.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me, and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman. Trial bottles free at Melver & Dalrymple's. Regular sizes, 50c. and \$1.00.

Eupepsy.

This is what you ought to have; in fact you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in hopes that they may attain this boon. Yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you good digestion, banish the demon dyspepsia and install instead eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for dyspepsia and all diseases of liver, stomach and kidneys. 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle by Melver & Dalrymple.

Executor's Notice!

THE undersigned having this day qualified as the executor of the estate of Altha V. Luther, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them on or before, September 23d, 1892. All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment.
A. H. M. LUTHER,
Executor.
This, Sept. 23d, 1891.