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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 3 p.m.; Lemon Springs, 1st Sunday at 11 a.m., and Saturday before at 3:30 p.m.; Poplar Springs, 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m., and Saturday before at 3:30 p.m.; Sanford 3rd Sunday at 3:30 p.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. H. 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.

BEYFALO LODGE, No. 172, A. F. & A. M. Regular meeting, 3d Monday night, and the Festivals 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.
 Mayor:—J. R. Watson, Esq.
 Commissioners:—Dr. E. P. Snipes, S. H. Buchanan, J. L. Godfrey, J. A. Bellentine, James Dalrymple.
 Street Commissioner:—J. A. Melver.
 Clerk:—W. E. Murchison.
 Treasurer:—Redin Bryan.
 Town Marshal:—John W. Macmore.

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 Nos. 7 and 9 Hay Street,
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which is the Largest, Handsomest and Best Equipped Dry Goods House
SOUTH OF BALTIMORE,
 the Largest and Most Magnificent Stock of Fall and Winter Goods ever shown in this section of the South.
DRESS GOODS.
 The buyer in this department has made an unusually nice selection of the latest and most stylish fabrics for autumn and winter wear, consisting of full lines of plain materials of the most approved colorings and newest weaves. Prominent among these are Cheviots, Bedford Cord, Crepon Diagonals, Camel's Hair and All-Wool and Silk Warp Henriettes. In mixtures and small effect suitings the latest are Relief Stripes, Zig Zag Suitings Cheveron Mixtures, Serpentine effects and Scotch Tweeds and Cheviots.

A nice line of Plaids and Stripes in subdued and refined combination.
 I also show a splendid selection of all-wool domestic Dress Goods in Plaids, Stripes and Mixtures. These goods were selected with the greatest care, and I have made prices so low they will astonish you. Come and see.

BLACK SILKS.
 I carry the largest and most elegant line of Silks of any Merchant in the State, and my stock this Fall surpasses any of my previous purchases. I offer the following Specials bargains:
 ALL SILK round cord FAILLE FRANCAISE at 75c.
 ALL SILK extra fine FAILLE FRANCAISE at 95c.
 ALL SILK very heavy AMERICAN GROS GRAIN at 90c.
 ALL SILK Catechuir finish, AMERICAN GROS GRAIN at \$1.25.
 25 pieces Black Silk very fine quality, worth everywhere \$1.25, I offer at 95c.

COLORED SILKS.
 I also show a very liberal assortment of Colored Silks, consisting of Surahs, China Silks, Foulards, Colored Brocades, all in the latest styles and at prices at which the customer is surprised.

Dress Trimmings.
 Nothing adds more to the appearance of a lady's dress than nice and suitable trimmings. I am prepared to meet the wants of the fair ones in this line. I have the nicest and most stylish line of trimmings ever shown in this market. I will not attempt to describe them, but simply say,
"Come and See."
Carpets.
 My Carpet Department occupies a large portion of the third floor and here you will see the most magnificent display of

Floor Coverings
 Ever exhibited in North Carolina. They consist of Velvets, Brussels, Three Ply and Ingrain Carpets in new and handsome designs.

Look at these Prices.
 40 Pieces Velvet Carpet, regular price \$1.25 per yard at only \$1.
 40 Pieces Brussels Carpet, regular price \$1 per yard at only 40c.
 In addition to above I offer a large lot of Floor Oil Cloth at astonishingly low prices.

KID GLOVES.
 I am sole agent for Foster's celebrated Kid Gloves and have just received a large invoice of these goods in all styles and colors, every pair warranted.

Cloaks and Wraps.
 The largest line of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Cloaks and Wraps ever exhibited in the Cape Fear section. Seal Plushes in long lengths, short cuts and jackets, Tailor-made Stockinet Jackets, All-wool Flannel Blazers, Carded Jackets, Reckers, Capes, in Cloth, Astrachan and Fur. Imported Stockinet New markets with and without capes and with vests, three quarter cut wraps in new, nobby and attractive styles. If you desire a Wrap of any kind see this stock before purchasing.

Mail Orders.
 This department, under the management of a very efficient young man who will take pleasure in waiting on those living at a distance who will drop us a postal card, stating quality and price of goods desired from the samples thus sent out customers can make as good selections as though they were in the store. On all cash orders by mail amounting to \$5 and upwards I prepay express charges.

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 Are always welcome, and for the benefit of ladies, and especially those living at a distance, I have a nicely furnished ladies waiting room, a luxury which cannot be enjoyed in any other store in the city.

My Sincere Thanks
 Are tendered to my friends and customers for the cordial support they have given me in my effort to build up and maintain a dry goods trade that would be a credit to the community. Your efforts have so far aided me that it now requires the assistance of thirty-six persons to carry on the business, and in conclusion I would ask a continuance of those favors which have been so boundedly bestowed in the past.

Frank Thornton,
 Fayetteville, N. C.
 October 22, 1891.

The Teachers Association.

The second regular meeting of the Moore Co. Teacher's Association was held in Carthage, Saturday, Dec. 5th, '91. Several of the leading teachers of the county and quite a number of the citizens of the town were present. The programme was very successfully carried out.

The President, Mr. Melver, in his inaugural address mentioned several great improvements that have been made in educational affairs, and also many that are yet to be made. He said that the duties of the teacher's of to-day are very great; that they must wake up and "get a move on" if they accomplish the great work which is before them.

Prof. W. E. Evans delivered an interesting speech on "How to get parents interested in school work."

The discussion on "School government" was very interesting and instructive. It was generally agreed that the "rod" is a friend of education and should be allowed a place in the school room, though a noble example and high moral principles should be the first thing in guiding pupils with the switch nearly as an auxiliary.

This discussion was followed by music on guitar by Prof. Evans, which was very much enjoyed by all.

The meeting was then adjourned till 2 o'clock, p.m.

At the appointed time the teachers again assembled, adopted a code of strong by laws, arranged a program, and exchanged ideas as to what would be the best plan for getting the teachers interested in the work. It was suggested by some that a banquet be given and during the festivities, enroll the guests as members of the Association. It was decided that a question box should be a part of each program, in the future.

We think this will be a source of great benefit to the inexperienced teacher, who by this means can get the assistance of members of experience on difficult sentences and knotty problems by having them discussed in meeting.

The programme for next meeting promises to be very interesting. We hope the attendance will be large.

Though the membership is not so large as we think it should be, considering the number of high, and public school teachers in the County, yet we are assured, by the zeal with which the members have gone to work, that this new organization has come to stay and will do much for the advancement of the cause of education. We hope that the friends of education, who are not members, will come, join in the work and help to make it the grand success it deserves. X. Y. Z.

WASHINGTON LETTER.
 [From our Regular Correspondent.]
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 11, 1891.

President Harrison's message to Congress is, in spite of its length, a well written and interesting document and no man interested in national affairs can afford to skip a single paragraph therein. There is, of course, the usual difference of opinion as to those portions of the message treating of subjects which are in dispute between the political parties. That portion of the message dealing with foreign affairs, which may be supplemented soon by a special message on Chilean affairs, is generally commended by Congressmen of all parties for its dignified language and conservative stand. The message recommends the message of a bill lending the Government endorsement to the bonds of the Nicaragua canal company, and expresses the opinion that the canal is of sufficient importance to justify the direct appropriation by Congress of money sufficient to build it, if it can be built in no other way. This recommendation has opponents in all parties, particularly in the House of Representatives, and it is extremely doubt-

ful whether such a bill can be passed. It reiterates the statements in the last message against free coinage at this time, and asks that the present silver law be let alone. This is also a suggestion that will be warmly opposed in both House and Senate, by some of all parties. It repeats for the third time Mr. Harrison's recommendations for the protection of railroad employees and presents a startling array of statistics showing the necessity for such a law. That is a recommendation which should be speedily acted upon, and it will be if the Labor organizations will bring a little pressure to bear upon Congressmen. It recommends the adoption of a Constitutional amendment for a uniform system for the election of Congressmen and members of the electoral college, and the appointment by the supreme Court of a non-partisan Commission to inquire into and recommend a remedy for the evils of our present election system.

Young Sherman Hoar, who is a democratic member of the House as well as a nephew of Senator Hoar, who is about as radical a republican as could be found, is said to have cried like a child when Mills was defeated. If he remains in political life long, he will get bravely over that sort of thing.

Representative Jerry Simpson drew a first-class prize in the lottery for choice of seats, and selected a seat in the front row, where he cannot fail to attract the Speakers attention every time he says "Mr. Speaker", and unless he changes his mind, he will say it very often during the session.

No business of any importance except organizing, is ever done during the first week of a new Congress, and this Congress is no innovation in that respect; the House adjourned on Wednesday to Saturday, when it will adjourn to next Wednesday; and owing to the nearness of Xmas holiday season and the doubt about whether Speaker Crisp will get the chairmanships of committees announced before the recess, it is safe to assume that the serious work of the session will not begin until January. It is just as well perhaps for the majority in the House that this is so, as the soothing effect of time will be beneficial to the soreness which now exists among those who fought so hard to make Mr. Mills Speaker.

The eight members of the Farmer's Alliance who supported Representative Watson, of Georgia, for Speaker deny that they were disappointed because more Alliance members did not vote together, and claim that they will surprise some people when any bill endorsing any of the Alliance principles shall come to a vote in the House by the strength they will be able to display.

It is stated here that the old fight against Dr. Macune, who is a member of the executive committee of the National Farmer's Alliance and the editor of the National economist, the National organ of the Alliance, is to be opened again at the meeting of the executive committee which is to be held here in January.

Again the air is full of rumors about Mr. Blaine's intention to write a letter formally announcing that he will not be a candidate, and declaring in favor of Mr. Harrison. It may be true, but it cannot be vouched for by your correspondent, because he has been unable to find anyone authorized by Mr. Blaine to make such a statement.

The election of Speaker Crisp, whether justly or not, is generally regarded here as a blackeye for the Presidential aspirations of Mr. Cleveland. The democratic members of the House made by Mr. Cleveland's nomination the principal issue of the Speakership campaign, with Mr. Mills as the Cleveland candidate.

Speaker Crisp refused, after his nomination by the caucus and previ-

ous to his formal election by the House to promise that he would so make up the Committee on Coinage, Heights and Measures, as to ensure the smothering of the free coinage legislation. This may mean much, or it may mean nothing.

Nearly all colds are slight at first, but their tendency is to so lower the system that the sufferer becomes a ready victim to any prevalent disease. The use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, in the beginning of a cold, would guard against the danger.

Did you ever buy a horse and not have misgivings as to his points till they were fully tested? Not so with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; you may be sure of it at the start. It never disappoints those who give it a fair and persistent trial.

Electric Bitters.
 This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist; it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters cures all diseases of the liver and kidneys, removes pimples, boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive malaria from the system and prevent and cure all malarial fevers.—For headache, constipation and indigestion try Electric Bitters—entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 at Melver & Dalrymple's. 5

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
 The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melver & Dalrymple. 49-ly

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, oust 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. 4

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. 4

Specimen Cases.
 S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.
 Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight year standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by Melver & Dalrymple, Jonesboro. 3

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Announcement.
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