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## JONESBORO DIRECTORY.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
**JONESBORO CIRCUIT.**  
 Rev. J. E. Thompson, Pastor. Charges—Jonesboro, 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a.m., and 5:30 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.; 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. R. 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.; Shadow 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.**  
 Mayor—J. R. Watson, Esq.  
 Commissioners—Dr. E. P. Snipes, S. H. Buchanan, J. E. Godfrey, J. A. Ballentine, James Dalrymple.  
 Street Commissioner—J. A. Melver.  
 Clerk—W. E. Murchison.  
 Treasurer—Redin Bryan.  
 Town Marshal—John W. Masemore.

**W. E. MURCHISON,**  
 Lawyer and Notary Public.

Will attend to business in the Superior and Supreme Courts of the State upon invitation properly reported and backed.  
 Will not attend Justice's courts (except in Jonesboro and Sanford), without CASH in advance.

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 Attorneys-at-Law.

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 Practice in the Federal, Superior and Supreme Courts of the State.

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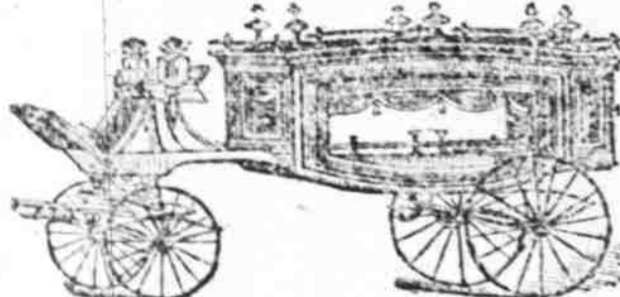
Will practice in any of the Courts of the State. All business entrusted to him will receive prompt and careful attention.  
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**LILLINGTON, N. C.**

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**THE MOSELEY HOUSE**  
 has been removed to Corner of Wilmington & Hargett Streets,  
**N. S. MOSELEY, prop.**  
**Raleigh, N. C.**

**W. H. HUMBER,**



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 Keeps a fine line of Burial Cases in solid white and imitation, glass, white, and imitation. Also keeps glass face-plates, highly mounted and trimmed. Common coffins also. Professional services rendered when desired.  
 Calls Promptly Attended To, night or day.

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 Wilmington, North Carolina.

This Hotel is located in the Business Centre of the City, convenient to all the Boats and Street Railways.

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SPECIAL RATES GIVEN COUNTRY MERCHANTS. Excursionists in parties of ten or over—meals 25 cents, lodging 25 cents.

Porters and Hacks meet all Trains and Boats.

J. H. WM. BONITZ, Proprietor.  
 Formerly of Goldsboro.

## News and Comments.

Coal is mined in 31 out of the 44 states in the Union.

There is much excitement in Colorado, over rich mine finds.

Canadian ministers are trying to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the United States.

An Illinois representative has introduced a bill in the House to put farming implements on the free list.

Grover Cleveland is a platform himself. The party leaders in Minnesota say he is the only logical candidate.

The legislature of Mississippi has passed an act appropriating the sum of \$64,200 to pension Confederate soldiers.

The political cauldron in National politics is beginning to simmer, and in a short while it will come to a boil. Let 'er boil.

A four year-old stallion was sold in Lexington, Ky., on the 2nd for the small sum of \$27,000. How's that for horse flesh.

Governor McKinley, of Ohio, thinks since Blaine's withdrawal card has appeared, the republicans will unite on President Harrison.

The press has been vindicated, and hereafter newspaper men can attend and write up and publish details of electrocutions in New York.

James G. Blaine, the man from Maine, has written a letter declining to be a candidate for the Presidency. He is the strongest and ablest man of his party.

A monopoly is on foot to control the rice mills of Louisiana; also one to control the manufacture of cotton presses. Everything possible is being done to keep the masses poor.

George A. Shuford, of Asheville, has been appointed by Governor Holt to fill the unexpired term of Judge J. H. Merrimon, resigned. He is said to be a lawyer of much ability, and will make, no doubt, a good Judge.

Mrs. Effie Conoly, the mother of Simeon Conoly, who was so brutally murdered last summer in Blue Springs township, died on Thursday of last week and was buried on the following day at Antioch cemetery.—Farmer and Scottish Chief.

The Hotel Royal at the corner of 40th street and 6th avenue in New York City, was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 7th inst. Several sleeping guests were burned to death, and others jumped from the windows and were killed. There were at least thirty killed and a large number were very badly injured.

It is claimed that Cleveland's strength in New York is increasing with the moments. His forces are growing with astonishing rapidity, and the men at the head confidently expect that the ranks of the Hill men will be badly shattered before the State Convention meets February 22. Cleveland is the best man at present, for the presidency in the United States.

The great inventor, Edison, is still at work. He is trying to perfect a plan for defending forts by sending out by hydraulic pressure, a stream of water charged with electricity. He says it is a dead sure thing. He also claims that telegraphic messages can be sent long distances without the use of the conveying wire.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]  
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 5, 1892.

President making is always one of the favorite occupations in Washington, and recent events have added a special zest to it. Senator Hill is given the credit, whether rightly or not I do not pretend to say, of having made a combination with Senators Gorman and Brice to control the democratic nomination, which Mr. Hill wants himself if he can get it, but failing in that he wants a hand in naming the man, and his second choice is understood to be Gorman, and his third "some good Western man." Senator Hill found a genial atmosphere from the first among the democratic Senators, most of whom are bitterly anti-Cleveland in their sentiments, and until his recent New York coup he appeared to be rapidly growing in popularity, but now fears are expressed by those friendly to him that he has gone too far in so openly showing his hand as the manipulator of the democratic machine in that State. No one can deny that he is one of the shrewdest political wire pullers that this country has produced, but that very fact may prevent securing the nomination of his party, as has often been the case with wire-pullers of the past.

Evidently the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations think the present Chinese laws sufficient for all practical purposes, as it has reported adversely all of the bills introduced providing new and more stringent laws, and presented a substitute in the shape of a bill to continue the present anti-Chinese laws for a period of ten years. Senator Kyle made his debut as a Senatorial orator in a set speech in favor of his joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving Congress authority to enact uniform marriage and divorce laws for the whole country.

The Farmers' Alliance members of Congress are wielding considerable influence in that body. They have aided by a rapidly growing public sentiment in favor of the change, caused the House committee on the Election of President and Vice-President to decide to report favorably a bill for a Constitutional amendment providing for the election of Senators by popular vote, but their greatest triumph in which they were ably aided by the influence of all of the labor organizations, was to compel Representative Oates of Alabama, chairman of the sub-committee of the Judiciary committee which recently adversely reported Representative Watson's resolution for an investigation of the Pinkerton Detective Agencies, to ask the full committee to recommit the resolution to the sub-committee for further consideration as to the jurisdiction of Congress.

Lobbyists representing the great corporations of the country here are much exercised over the decision of the House Judiciary committee to favorably report the bill which makes a corporation a citizen of the State in which it carries on business, for all judicial purposes.

The House having adopted an amendment to the rules compelling the several committees to report all of the appropriation bills within eighty days after the announcement of the committees at the long session, and within forty days after the opening of the short session, the committees will have to do some lively hustling to comply therewith, as they have hardly begun work on any of them yet, and the time within which they should be reported will expire on the 13, of March.

So many democratic members of Congress refused to be bound by the decision of the caucus which was to have been held to-night on the silver question, that the caucus was given up, and with it the idea of making the free coinage of silver a party question

was abandoned, for the present, at any rate. As announced some time ago the House Coinage committee will next week authorize a free coinage bill to be favorably reported to the House. Next week the Senate Finance committee will also act on Senator Stewart's free coinage bill, and the action will probably be unfavorable.

The democrats of the House have at last succeeded in getting their code of rules adopted, after the debate which seemed to be aimlessly stretched out had become so tiresome to the members that most of them kept off the floor to escape it. The question now is, what next? And nobody seems to be in a position to make an authoritative answer. If there be men of commanding power in the democratic ranks in the House they will have a great opportunity to make reputation in the near future by assuming the leadership and showing the country that the majority of the House is no longer adrift.

## A Graphic Illustration.



The above picture illustrates how we clubbed the Maxton Union. Those who saw the fight say that the picture is a good one.

## Don'ts for Grammarians.

Do not say "He speaks bad grammar," but "He uses poor English."  
 Not "I am read ill," but "I am really ill."  
 Not "I feel bad," but "I feel badly."  
 Not "Hadn't ought," but "Shouldn't have."  
 Do not begin all remarks with an exclamation such as "Well!" "Say!" "Oh!"  
 Do not say "I'm going, I don't believe," but "I'm not going, I believe."  
 Not a "free pass," but a "pass;" not "New Beginners," but "beginners;" not "Elevated up," but "Elevated."  
 Not "I am through dinner," but "I have finished dinner."  
 Not "It is too salty," but "It is too salt."  
 Not "It is tasty" but "It is tasteful."  
 Not "Light complected," but "Light complexioned."  
 Not "He don't come to see me" but "He doesn't come to see me."  
 Not "Who are you going with?" but "Whom are you going with?"  
 Not incorrectly "She wrote to Nell and I," when you say correctly "She wrote to me.—City and Country.

## The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at Melver & Dalrymple's. 6

The beard may be colored brown or black by Buckingham's Dye.

## "Like Master, Like Man."

"Look heah, Sambo—has you got dat ar dollar 'n a ha' you owes me?"  
 "Goodness gracious, Caesar, I hasn't, dat's a fac!"  
 "Now look heah, I s'pec's you's gwine to swindle me out ob dat ar money."  
 "No, I a'n't, Caesar—I sw'ar I a'n't."  
 "Den why ha'n't you paid it? Why isn't ye got it now, eh?"  
 "Well, ole man, de fac' is, dar's been a mighty big corer in gold, an de bulls an de b'ars hab been cuttin up so dat de money's all locked up."  
 "Locked up whar?"  
 "Why—in de banks, ob course."  
 "Now jus' hole on, ole Gibbertefib. What, in de name ob goodness grashus hab you got to do wid de banks, an wid gold, and wid bulls an b'ars in a corner? Tell me dat."  
 "Look a heah Caesar, I s' heerd mas'f tell more'n forty men 'at wanted money dat same t'ing what I tole you, an dar wa'n't one ob 'em treated him like you do me. By golly, 'pears to me you might act like a gempl'nan.—New York Ledger.

## Notice!

THERE will be a call meeting of the Board of Road Supervisors for Jonesboro Township at the Jonesboro LEADER office on Saturday, March 5, 1892. All road overseers are expected to report to the chairman before or at the board at that time.  
 R. M. PHILLIPS,  
 Chairman.

## 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

## The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any throat, lung or chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottle free at Melver & Dalrymple's. 6

## 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

## Administrator's Notice!

THE undersigned having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of D. J. Shields, deceased, general notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them, duly authenticated, for payment, on or before the 25th day of January 1893, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.  
 This January 25th, 1892.  
 J. L. GODFREY,  
 Adm'r. of D. J. Shields.

Black & Adams, Attos. 41-Sw.  
 W. E. Murchison, }