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OUR FIVE-YEAR CONTEST.

The magnitude and broad liberality of our unparalleled Exposition content...

Don't wait another moment. See if you can get one new subscriber...

As North Carolina has just been through an exciting campaign on State aid to institutions of higher learning...

After a debate of two days and one night that body reached last Monday night a vote on an amendment...

It is a step in the line of progress, it is democratic. The State has a right to provide the necessities of education for all its citizens...

For our part, we would have been willing to leave the entire higher educational system of the State to denominational and private enterprise...

It takes an acute mind to discern and expound the intricacies of the law. The line which divides the lawful from the unlawful is often hard to see and harder to show...

Sparking of the character and value of the education provided by the denominational institutions of that State...

The denominational institutions have done wonderful work while there were so others to do it and in the face of the most discouraging circumstances...

In the main this is a clear, calm, and fervid presentation of facts that obtain as truly in North Carolina as in South Carolina...

A Raleigh correspondent writes the Wilmington Messenger that the thinking in futures has been exceedingly large...

Mr. A. J. Stone, Kingston, Ga., says, May 21st, 1895: "I was troubled with dyspepsia for nearly five years...

SLAUGHTER OF CHRISTIANS.

THEY WERE KILLED BY THE THOUSAND.

The Kurds Have Assaulted Among the Armenians and Turkish Troops Assaulted in the Mountains-The Armenians Protest.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The latest advice received from the representative of the United Press in Constantinople says that the Sultan continues to be greatly alarmed over the state of affairs in Asia Minor...

Further details of the recent massacre at Kharpuz have been received in Constantinople, showing that the Kurds first made an attack upon one part of the town and were repulsed by the Armenians...

The authorities succeeded in protecting the missionaries, who took refuge in places of safety, but were powerless, even if they had the desire, to protect the other Christians.

The massacre took place on November 15. The Kurdish raiders report says, were joined by the Turkish soldiers, who assisted them throughout the massacre...

A Canadian missionary named Martin was terribly beaten and afterwards imprisoned at Feikeh, near Fadin, where he was detained 16 hours before he was released.

MISSIONARY COTTON. How the Young People of Clover Reared a Big Amount of Cash.

CLOVER, Nov. 13.—At the beginning of the season, the young people of Clover, Fryeburgian in spirit, decided to take a certain amount of cotton seed...

Between 45 and 90 quarts of seed were distributed, giving from one to two quarts to each person.

Twenty-four hundred pounds of seed cotton was brought in, and on being ginned it yielded 977 pounds of lint.

This was a very gratifying result, together with the general good will and cheer of all present, and the bounteous picnic dinner, made the occasion one of unusual pleasure and gratification.

A tired stomach is very much like a sprained ankle. If you suffer from any of the symptoms of dyspepsia, your stomach is tired. It needs a rest.

Tried Friends Best.

Forty-three years Tutt's Pills have proven a blessing to the invalid. Arc truly the sick man's friend.

A Known Fact For bilious headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation and all kindred diseases.

TUTT'S Liver PILLS AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

A Frightened Cow. Our Dumb Animals.

No man who owns a cow can afford to have her afraid of him. It is a loss to the owner every time she is frightened.

The Agricultural Bulletin says that tobacco is now cultivated in fifty counties in the State.

TAX NOTICE!

This is My Last Round.

All persons failing to meet me at the below appointed places and pay their taxes, will have to come to my office in Dallas, N. C., or I shall proceed to collect the same according to law...

- Carpetor's Store, Nov. 18. Cherryville, " 19. Hoy's Store, " 21. King's Mountain, " 22. Baker's Mill, " 23. Bessemer City, " 25. Patterson School House, " 26. Crowder's Creek, " 27. Gastonia, " 28. Gullett's Store, " 30. Belknap's Church, Dec. 3. Wilson's Factory, " 4. McAdenville, " 5. Belmont, " 6. Tuckasee, " 7. Mount Holly, " 9. Bernethy's Store, " 10. Mountain Island, " 11. Locust, " 12. Stanley Creek, " 13. Hardin Factory, " 14. Dallas, " 16.

Remember the Dead.

The Gastonia Steam Marble and Granite Works.

Having bought the interest of J. B. Beard in the above named business, we take pleasure in announcing that we shall remain at the same stand and intend to run a

FIRST CLASS MARBLE YARD.

We shall be able to fill all orders, and meet all demands of the trade in our line, and at reasonably short notice.

MAC BRADLEY FRANK HAPPERFIELD Proprietors.

Sale of Valuable Land

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Gaston county, N. C., made on the 26th day of November, 1895, the following property is for sale...

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R-I-P-A-N-S The modern standard Family Medicine: Cures the common every-day ills of humanity.

STOP LYING

awake at nights on account of bad bread you ate for supper. May-be it was the fault of the cook, may-be again it was the fault of the flour. If you want your flour made right, bring your wheat to the City Miller Mills.

STOP SWEARING

about the price of cotton. Whether it goes up or whether it goes down, now is as good a time as any to have it ginned. And whether it goes up or whether it goes down, your staple, if prepared for market at my gin, will be in as good fix as it can be put in for realizing the top of the market.

G. F. McLaughen, Proprietor.

Mortgage Sale of Land.

Pursuant to powers conferred upon the undersigned in a mortgage from H. C. Pearson and dated the 12th March, 1894...

Land Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Gaston county, N. C., made in the special proceeding entitled "Mary Allison et al. vs. James H. Allison et al."...

REDUCED RATES.

Cotton States & International Exposition ATLANTA, GA., September 18-December, 31, 1895.

For the above season the Southern Railway Co. will sell low-rate round-trip tickets to Atlanta, Va., Ga., and return on the following basis:

Table with columns: FROM, TO, RATE. Lists various cities and their corresponding rates.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

is the only line entering the Exposition Grounds, having a double-track main-line connecting with the center of the city of Atlanta to the Exposition Grounds.

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Fire in a Furniture Store.

No smoke—no flame—little damage—we're just firing out our big stock of furniture with popular prices, that's all.

If you will see our elegant stock and get our low prices we feel sure you'll carry back with you something to make your home prettier and yourself more comfortable.

ARMSTRONG FURNITURE Co.

THANKSGIVING DAY, NOV. 28.

The Proclamation reads as follows: Go to Gallant & Whitesides for

Fresh Fruits. FIGS, DATES, GRAPES, CITRUS, ORANGES, BANANAS, APPLES.

Fresh Meats. HAMS (the finest in the land), SMOKED PORK SAUSAGE, BOLOGNA SAUSAGE.

Fresh Confectioneries. CRACKERS, CAKES, NUTS, CANDIES, and so on.

Gallant & Whitesides.

CRANBERRIES, BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, JELLIES and PRESERVES in great variety.

Figs, Prunes and all kinds of dried fruits at low prices.

Send us your orders. R. C. G. LOVE & SON.

The Cold Weather

is here and now is the time for you to buy your DRY GOODS, SHOES, etc.

My entire stock having been bought before the Advance in Prices

I will sell all goods in my line at Old Prices and Small Profits.

Respectfully, J. E. DOUGLASS,

BEAL MANUFACTURING CO.

DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MANTELS, BUILDING and DECORATIVE MATERIALS of EVERY DESCRIPTION.

With our skilled workmen and great care in selecting and buying material, we turn out work of a high quality that is its own best advertisement.

Our business in outside contracts and building is an extensive one. It is a part of our work in which we always give our best attention.

Beal Manufacturing Co.

Now is Your Time TO BUY FURNITURE.

The Acme of Low Prices is To-Day—Goods Never will be Cheaper.

The factories have all agreed to advance their prices, but before they put up their prices I had been into the market and the

GRANDEST and CHEAPEST

Stock | ever | seen | in | this | section | of | the | country. Every | one | who | sees | my | stock | says | it | is—

Wonderful in Variety of Style, Cheapness and Beauty.

I CAN SAVE YOU MONEY!

WRITE ME BEFORE BUYING.

E. M. ANDREWS, Leading Dealer in Furniture, Pianos and Organs, 16 and 18 W. Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Executors Notice. Administrator Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of the late J. H. Brown, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of the said J. H. Brown to present the same to the undersigned on or before

October 27, 1896.

or this notice will be placed in the hands of any responsible person, and if no person is named, the same will be placed in the hands of the Sheriff of the county.

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