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## SOUTHERN DEVELOPMENT

Four Years Growth Along Line of M. J. and K. C.

Under the heading of "Practical Interest of Railroads in Developing Southern Natural Resources," the Manufacturers' Record says:

L. L. Lawrence, manager of Immigration and Industrial department Mobile, Jackson and Kansas City railroad company, Laurel, Miss., says:

"The Mobile, Jackson and Kansas City railroad has been completed from Mobile, Ala., to Middleton, Tenn., a distance of 403 miles. It is now operating a double daily passenger service over the entire line passing through the second tier of counties living within the eastern boundaries of Mississippi and bisecting the fertile territory lying between the Illinois Central railroad to the west, and the Mobile and Ohio railroad, to the east. The line has established connections with the Southern, the Louisville and Nashville, the Mobile and Ohio, Queen and Crescent and the Frisco railroads, thus affording every advantage for the distribution of freight.

Along the line are the thriving towns of Mobile, Wilmer, At., Lapeale, Richter, Hattiesburg, Ellisville, Laurel, Bay Springs, Newton, Union, Philadelphia, Louisville, Houston, Pontotoc and New Albany, Miss. Four years ago the line was native forces over almost the entire way. On the property now are located 193 saw mills having a combined capacity of more than 3,000,000 feet of lumber per day. The soils along the entire line are very productive and well adapted to general farming and trucking, as well as to stock raising and fruit growing. As the forests are being cut away agriculture is assuming good proportions, with highly satisfactory results. Lands are reasonable in price, ranging from \$5 to 12.50 per acre, with terms on payments if desired.

The climate is good; the water is excellent and easily obtained by artesian methods; the opportunities offered to the farmer and the manufacturer could hardly be better. During the last two years notwithstanding depression, 933 new farms have been opened up; 51 new cotton gins, 14 bonded cotton warehouses, 3 cotton seed oil mills, 13 commercial warehouses, 72 saw mills, 6 planting mills and 14 woodworking establishments have been erected to say nothing of orchards, trucking farms, stove plants and commercial enterprise. Financial plans are now under way for extending the line to the Ohio river at the north, and to the coal fields of Alabama at the east.

### New Store to Open

Mr. Maurice Meyer has leased the building on Main street formerly occupied by the postoffice and will shortly open a first class dry goods and gent's furnishing store. Mr. Meyer has had large experience in the dry goods and clothing business and is an excellent salesman. He is popular and progressive and will doubtless make a success of his new undertaking.

### A Remarkable Cure.

Hattiesburg, Miss. Feb. 3, 1909. Mr. M. W. Hyde, Ellisville, Miss.

Friend Hyde: Please send me another bottle of your rheumatism cure either by express or mail. You will remember my wife suffered with rheumatism for over three years, the greater portion of her time confined to her bed. At the same time trying all kinds of so called cures without the slightest relief or benefit. And she is just finishing up the third bottle of your medicine and she has not felt the very slightest touch of the disease in three or four weeks. I think she is cured, at the same time I thought it would be good idea for her to take at least one more bottle to make sure of it. My wife is certainly a believer in your rheumatism cure and would willingly give you testimonial should you desire same. You certainly have a wonderful remedy and we feel that we have been very fortunate in finding it. With best wishes, I am your friend. L. B. HOLLAND

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## VENERABLE CITIZEN DEAD.

Rev. M. G. Turner Passes to His Final Reward.

Rev. M. G. Turner, aged 71 years died at his home in this city at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning, after an illness of several weeks.

The funeral took place from the family residence, Sunday morning, at 9:30 o'clock, the sermon being preached by Rev. W. A. Koper, of Kosciusko, a life-long friend of the deceased, who paid touching tribute to his memory.

The interment took place at Bynum cemetery, immediately following the funeral, and the impressive rites of the Masonic fraternity were rendered by the Hittsville Lodge, of which the deceased was a member.

Mr. Turner was born in Alabama in 1831, but moved to Mississippi in early life, remaining a true and loyal son of his adopted State until death.

At the age of 15 years he was converted to the Baptist faith and was baptised in Newton county, and immediately took an active part in advancing the cause of Christ. On May 28, 1851, he enlisted as a member of the famous military company, known as the Jasper Grays, under the command of Col. J. J. Shannon (then Captain Shannon) and fought for the Confederate cause throughout the Civil War. His wife and five children, Dr. R. L. Turner, of Meridian; W. A. Turner and Eugene L. Turner, of Forest; Mrs. C. S. Street, of Hittsville, and Mrs. J. W. Rogers, of Moss Point, survive him and were present at the end.

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### WHO CAN BEAT IT?

Jones County Farmer Sends in Agricultural Curiosity

Jones county is famed far and near for the fertility of her soil and the heavy, prolific yield of the varied products thereof.

The latest evidence of this fertility of soil was received at the Chronicle office at the hands of Mr. Fynt, carrier on Rural Route No. 3, in the shape of a cluster of about fifteen small, but perfectly formed ears of corn on one stalk. The productiveness of this particular stalk must have been very great not to be able to expend itself in two or three average ears in the ordinary way, but must need pass them and force itself out at the top, where the tassel usually develops. Instead of the ordinary tassel, there grew a cluster of small, but well defined ears, cob and grain, as before stated, from which grew long silk, the whole making a pretty silken bunch. This freak of nature was found in the crop of J. S. King, who lives on a good farm eight miles north from Laurel, and is evidently a successful farmer, if he can make fifteen ears of corn grow on one stalk, where ordinarily two ears only grow.—Laurel Chronicle.

See King's improved Weeder, on exhibit at Ruffin Mercantile Co.

### PAPER FROM COTTON STALKS.

There is considerable interest in the announcement that the contract has been let for the erection at Cordela of the first plant in the world to manufacture paper from cotton stalks.

The contract calls for the completion of the plant by the middle of October, at which time the work of manufacturing the new product will begin.

It is estimated that a ton and a half of cotton stalks will produce a ton of paper and that the use of this by product of the cotton crop will ultimately pay fifty million dollars in the hands of the farmers of the south.

The new mill will employ fifty or seventy-five high class operatives and the payroll will amount to about seven hundred and fifty dollars a week.

The capacity of the plant will be about forty tons per day. Two machines will be installed, one for the manufacture of wax, toilet, tissue and blotting paper, and the other will make wrapping, hardware and big paper.

The economic feasibility of making paper from cotton stalks has already been demonstrated and the progress of this new industry will be watched with great interest.—Atlanta Journal.

## BAPTIST REVIVAL CLOSED

Resulted in Thirty-Six Additions to the Church.

The Baptist revival, conducted by Rev. W. A. McComb, closed Sunday evening, thirty-six members having been added to the church rolls.

The meeting lasted for two weeks and is regarded as one of the most successful religious revivals in the history of the city.

Evangelist McComb is a strong preacher, possessing rare gifts of speech and a most magnetic personality. He drew large crowds from day to day until the spacious church auditorium was taxed to its full capacity. At the closing service Sunday night the axes were filled with chairs and still dozens of those who came stood in the vestibules throughout the long service, unable to find standing room inside the church proper.

Rev. J. L. Low, the beloved pastor, was unable to attend through out the greater part of the revival, being detained in New Orleans under treatment of specialists for an inflamed eye. He returned for the final service, however, and assisted in receiving eight new members, four of whom are yet to be baptised.

Rev. and Mrs. McComb left Monday for the coast, where they will spend several days before Mr. McComb is ready for another revival.

### Child's Perfect Development.

San Francisco July 1st.—Miss Margaret Edwards, of Oakland, has been awarded the medal of the New York Physical Culture Society for the most perfect physical culture development of a girl under 12 years of age in all the world. The announcement was made to the child's mother, Mrs. L. Edith Edwards, three days ago, and the medal will be forwarded within a few days.

The child's mother is a teacher physical culture.

Miss Margaret is 11 years and 9 months old, is 5 feet, 11 8 inches tall and weighs 106 pounds. Her physical measurements are as follows: Neck, 11 1/2 inches; arm 9 inches; forearm, 8 3/4 inches; wrist 6 inches; elbow, 8 3/4 inches; chest, normal 31 inches, contracted 27 inches, expanded 32 1/2 inches; bust, 33 inches; thigh, 19 inches; calf, 13 inches; ankle, 8 inches.

### Chemical Company Organized.

A special from Gulfport says that the charter of incorporation of the Gulfport Chemical Company is being published with J. Z. Jones and W. K. Smith incorporators. The capital stock is \$10,000, the value of shares being \$105. The business will be the manufacturing and compounding of chemicals, drugs, paints, and proprietary articles.

Mr. Smith was reared in Ellisville being a son of Dr. S. O. Smith, and has many friends here who wish him success.

### GOES TO CLARK MEMORIAL COLLEGE

Millard P. Bush has been elected to the chair of mathematics in the Clark Memorial College at Newton. This is a good school with a future that is encouraging to those who approve of Christian education. The management is to be congratulated on securing the services of Mr. Bush, and his friends are pleased to know of his acceptance of the place.

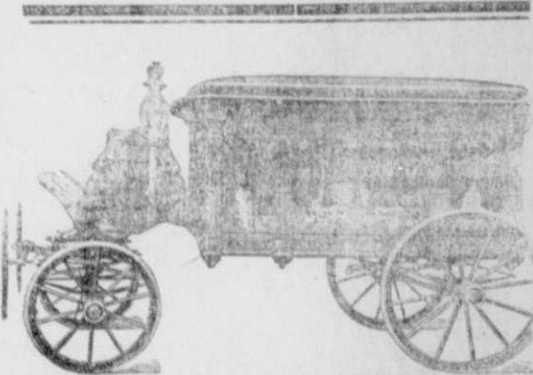
For four years Mr. Bush was principal of the high school here where he has done a good work. Before going there he served, with credit to himself and satisfaction to the management, in some of the best high schools in the state. He is peculiarly suited for the work of Clark Memorial College from his long experience in a similar line of work and also from a thorough knowledge of the people from whom this school will draw a greater percent of its pupils.—Sandersville Progressive Era.

Mr. Bush is well known in Ellisville and throughout this section of the county and his numerous friends will be glad to know of his promotion.

## Tutt's Pills

After eating, persons of a bilious habit will derive great benefit by taking one of these pills. If you have been DRINKING TOO MUCH, they will promptly relieve the nausea, SICK HEADACHE and nervousness which follows, restore the appetite and remove gloomy feelings. Elegantly sugar coated. Take No Substitute.

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Lv Jackson 6:00 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Lv H'burg 9:43 a.m.	7:13 p.m.
Ar Gulfport 12:50 a.m.	10:00 p.m.
Daily No 4	Daily No 6
Lv Gulfport 7:45 a.m.	4:15 p.m.
Lv H'burg 10:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Ar Jackson 1:05 p.m.	10:50 p.m.
Daily	Daily

COLUMBIA DIVISION	
Via Silver Creek and Columbia.	
No. 101 Daily	No. 102 Daily
7:20 a.m. Lv. Meridian Ar. 9:25 p.m.	2:45 a.m. Lv. Gulfport Ar. 2:45 a.m.
No. 103 Daily	No. 110 Daily
6:25 p.m. Lv. Jackson Ar. 11:05 a.m.	6:25 p.m. Ar. Columbia 6:00 a.m.

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For further information apply or write, Effective Sunday Mar 29, 1909. S. D. BOLLING, Gen. Passenger Agt.

### Time Table

N. O. & N. E. Schedule.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT ELLISVILLE

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1. No. 5. No. 3. No. 7

4:45 a.m. 10:12 a.m. 4:23 p.m. 8:24 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 6. No. 4. No. 2. No. 8

11:12 a.m. 12:02 p.m. 11:44 p.m. 10:16 p.m.

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### N. O. & N. E. RAILROAD.

Time Table.

North Bound—From New Orleans to Cincinnati, St. Louis and New York. 11:44 p.m.

To Cincinnati and St. Louis. 3:33 a.m.

To Meridian and Local. 11:21 a.m.

To " " " " 10:15 p.m.

South Bound—To New Orleans from Cincinnati, St. Louis and New York. 4:45 a.m.

From Cincinnati and St. Louis. 4:23 p.m.

From Meridian and Local. 10:12 a.m.

From Meridian to Hattiesburg. 8:21 p.m.

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