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CROP OF THIS YEAR.

recent meeting of the ver's Convention, at , Ala., it was decided to acreage in cotton, and wing resolution was adolved, That the honest opinthis convention, as practical growers, is that the estimates re being sent out by the cotton anges in reference to the crop excessive, and it is the belief convention, based upon practi observation and the best statistical formation, that the present crop will not exceed eight and a half million bales."

It is clear that if the present crop does not exceed eight and a half million bales, the price will go up when that fact is demonstrated. This resolution was introduced by Gov. Stone, of Mississippi, a wise man and well posted. It was adopted unanimously by representative men.

It is to be hoped that the prediction "based upon practical observation and the best statistical information" is correct. But we fear that their estimate is too low. If so, it can hardly be expected that the price will be higher this season. Mr. H M Niel, a veteran statistician of New Orleans, believes the crop will reach 10,250,000 bales, and gives the reasons for his predictions. 1. There has been no loss of land on rivers by overflow. 2. No land planted in cotton has been abandoned to weeds, as is often the case. 3. There have been good stands from Texas to Virginia. 4. Little or no damage this year has been reported from worms, rust, shedding, etc. 5. There has been practically no frost. 6. Texas alone will make 530,000 more bales than last year. Concluding, Mr. Neill says:

"I am, therefore, compelled by my convictions to adopt this large estimate of the actual growth. Whether [illegible] supply so largely exceeds any possible requirements of the year from consumption, is a question which only the future can settle. If prices grow very low much may remain in the country, but any important advantage would not only bring it out but encourage continued and extended planting, with still more disastrously low prices another year.

LITTLE SNAPS.

Now grip is in the country.

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Many a person is wondering who he will have for a pastor and many a preacher is now wondering where his home will be.

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It is now asserted that the late Czar is entirely buried. Those people certainly hang on a long time to spoilt meat.

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Grover Cleveland is the most hated man and, at the same time, the most admired man living today.

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Fusion fused, the best thing the Democrats can do is to fuse, fuse now, with themselves. Pull yourselves together and gather in the parts everywhere.

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Zeb Vance Walser, of Lexington, claims that he was the cause of the landslide. "Hevings!"

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The cotton crop estimate goes up and the price comes down.

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Raleigh Observer: "If Vance could know he was to be succeeded in the Senate by a Republican or Populist, he would turn over in his grave, if such a thing were possible.

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What about Adlai? No such a waterloo could have followed him.

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A prominent gentleman of Concord, and a good man too, thinks the trouble in the last campaign was due more to the press having quarrelled at President Cleveland in the early part of his term. There may be much truth in it.

KOLB'S BIG BLUFF.

Of all the fussy and pestiferous political frauds in the land Reuben F Kolb, of Alabama, is one of the most disgusting.

His latest manifesto shows that he has either lost what sense he had or [illegible] bluff. He [illegible] there and see that he gets his rights.

Governor Jones probably made a mistake in taking any notice of Kolb's foolish talk, but in an interview he says very plainly that he will see that William C Oates, the duly elected Governor, is installed in the office to which he has been called.

Governor Jones can be relied upon to suppress Kolb and any mob he may be able to raise, but we have no idea that any considerable number of men in Alabama will be fools enough to follow Kolb in open defiance of law and authority.

Should he, however, collect a crowd and attempt to carry out his threat to take possession of the government there will be but one course to pursue, and that, we are quite certain, will be promptly and effectually followed.

We do not, however, apprehend any serious trouble from Kolb. If he wants to go through the mockery of being sworn in as governor, nobody will object. He may afford some amusement by seting himself up as the rightful executive of Alabama.

It would be a scene similar to that Sancho Panza made in the exercise of supposed authority, and the results would be harmless. If Kolb attempts anything beyond such an exhibition of himself, he will of course be taken in hands by the police and chucked in to the calabooze.—Atlanta Journal.

GRIPS AND ENDS.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union is nearly twenty years old. The fact that it attains voting age on the 23d day of December next probably inspired President Frances Willard in her opening address at Cleveland yesterday when she said, "we shall always have a double standard of morals while we have a double standard of voting."

Miss Elia Cooney, who mysteriously disappeared from Weedsport, N. Y., about three weeks ago, has returned home, but it is [illegible] able to [illegible] of what happened to her except to say that a gang of negroes captured her and imprisoned her in a cave. It is supposed that her mind has been unbalanced by reading novels.

Mr. Coff, who ran for Recorder in New York and was elected spent 75 cents. Another man who was running spent 20 cents and was beaten but he cheered up when another fellow who spent $14,980.40 was laid out. Mr. Morton, whose salary as Governor will be $10,000, he spent $19-790.

A thrifty citizen of Hulmsville, Pa, struck a big bargian the other day and bought coffins enough for the whole family, at an auction sale, at 10 cents apiece. There is one thing about coffins, they will keep, but in this case some of the young folks may outgrow them.

General Nelson A Miles [illegible] every campaign against the Indians in the last 14 years. He is described as being quick, decisive and a stern diciplinarian; but courteous and gallant withal. He was born in Massachusetts fifty-five years ago.

The Woods Full of 'Em.

A young woman from the treeless plains of the West had gone to Boston to a music school on her first East, and among the first persons she met at her boarding house was a youth from Bangor. As their acquaintance ripened she told him of what had interested her on the journey.

"Why," she said with an exultant spirit, "I saw at one place in Pennsylvania a hundred sawlogs in one pile."

"A hundred?" he asked, with a tinge of a smile.

"That's what they told me. You know we don't have sawlogs where I come from."

"Is that so? You ought to come to Maine once."

"Do you have them there?"

"Do we?" he replied magnificently. "Do we? Why, my dear young [illegible] logs grew on trees in Maine," [illegible] ly," she a[illegible]ed in open-eyed [illegible] ment, [illegible] literal fact," he asserted [illegible] rely.—Detroit Free Press.

If the U. S. had as great a relative population as Japan, it would [illegible] 500,000 people.

GROVER SPRAINS HIS ANKLE.

Slipped on a Small Round Stone Which Suddenly Rolled Away from His Foot.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The regular cabinet meeting did not take place owing to the absence of the President. When returning to his home at Woodley last evening, from a walk, the President trod on a small round stone which rolled away causing the sprain of one of his ankles. The sprain was slight, but because it was sustained by a foot which had been afflicted with gout, it was so painful that walking was not easy. Mrs. Cleveland drove in this morning and informed members of the cabinet. The President is getting along nicely, but his walking being still painful, he would not make the trip.

[There are anarchists and cutthroats all over the country that will be sorry if it is not his neck broken instead of an ankle sprained]

Useful Paragraphs.

Make yourself necessary.

Truth is stranger than fiction and more scarce.

Ceremonies differ, but politeness is ever the same.

The error of a moment may become the sorrow of a life.

A woman is most a heroine when she has her hero by her side.

The alter of misfortune separates true friendship from the scum.

Man or woman has no natural gift more captivating than a sweet smile.

The competition of vanity has done much to swell many a fund for charity.

The same woman who laughed at you with riches, will smile with you at poverty.

It is the first step that costs; and sometimes it costs so much that we can't afford to take a second one.

From absolute penury one day to enormous wealth the next is an uncommon revolution of the wheel of fortune, but that is what happened to William Atwater, of Montreal He was out of work and without a penny in the world, hungry and alone, and found himself compelled to go to the Army Refuge and beg food and shelter. The next morning, after breakfasting on bread and water, he dragged himself wearily to the postoffice, hoping for what he knew not, and found a letter which informed him that his mother's uncle in Switzerland had died and left him sole heir to $1,000,000.

Tom Watson Accepts

Atlanta, Nov. 20.—Tom Watson, the Populist candidate from the Tenth Georgia district, has accepted Representative J C Black's offer to settle the controversy whether the Populist or the Democrat was elected on November 6th last, by trying the thing over again. Black, in the returns had 7,000 majority, but the same counties in the election for Governor a few weeks previously, gave a decided majority for the Populist candidate. Mr. Black will take the commission as member-elect but will resign on the 4th of next March when his term commences, and it is understood the Governor will order a new election at which Black and Watson will be the only candidates.

They'll Wish They're Back in Dixie.

Those few of our colored fellow citizens of the South who are bound for Liberia, in Africa, will miss old America when they get there. Sure as preaching they will miss it, and sigh for it, and cry for it. We advise them to take their banjos along to the Dark Continent. What can they get there that is better than hoecake with 'possum meat? More melodious than any songs ever sung in the torrid fires of Grand Bassa are those of the Suwanee by moonlight. —N. Y. Sun.

The Lottery President Dead.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 20—Paul Conrad, President of the old Louisiana Lottery and the head of that concern since it moved away from here, died this morning.

Look Out!

A cold wave is coming and if you want to keep warm, buy your coal of Brown & Kimmons; they have the best in the market. Leave your orders at Kimmons store and they will be filled promptly. We also keep shop coal on hand constantly, feb3dw BROWN & KIMMONS.

London, November 18.—Princess Claudine, of Teck, sister of the Duke of Teck and aunt of the Duchess of York, died suddenly today at Gratz, Austria. The Duke of Teck has gone to Gratz to attend the funeral. Princess Claudine was born February 11, 1838.

Reduced Railroad Rates.

North Carolina State Fair, colored Raleigh, N. C. Tickets on sale November 12 to 15, inclusive. Limit November 19, 1894. Fare for round trip including one admisson to fair grounds $5 50.

Wilmington gala week, Wilmington, N. C. Tickets on sale Nov. 26 to 30th inclusive, limit Dec. 3 1894. Fare for round trip via Goldsboro $7.80, via Greensboro $7.05.

North Carolina Baptist State convention, Charlotte, N. C. Tickets on sale Dec. 4, 5, 6 and 7th. Limit Dec. 15th 1894. Fare for round trip $1.05.

North Carolina Annual Conference C. M. E. Church, Apex, N. C. Tickets on sale to Cary or Raleigh, Nov. 17, 18, 19 and 20. Limit Nov. 30th, 1894. Fare for round trip to Cary $6.35, to Raleigh, $6.70.

Western North Carolina Conference M. E. Church, South, Statesville, N. C. Tickets on sale Nov. 26, 27 and 28. Limit Dec. 4, 1894. Fare for round trip $2.50.

Meeting Grand Lodge of Masons (colored), Newberne, N. C. Tickets on sale to Goldsboro Dec. 9, 10, 11 and 12. Limit, Dec. 20, 1894. Fare for round trip $8.20.

Annual Conference Methodis Protestant church, Asheboro, N. C. Tickets on sale Nov. 19th to 23rd inclusive. Limit December 1st 1894. Fare for round trip $4.[illegible].

W. N. C. Conference, A. M. E. Zion church, Winston-Salem, N. C. Tickets on sale Dec. 3rd to 10th inclusive, limit Dec. 13th, 1894. Fare for round tsip $4.65.

North Carolina Conference M. E. Church (South), Durham, N. C Tickets on sale Dec. 4, 5 and 6, limit Dec. 14, 1894. Fare for round is $5,85.

Concert Thursday night.

Thursday night at Mr. J P Allison's the following interesting programme will be rendered:

Quartette—"And the Glory Shone Around," Miss Lou Stuart, Mrs Woodhouse, Messrs Lentz and Keistler.

Piano—"Last Rose of Summer," Master Robert Young.

Vocal Solo—Miss Willie Richmond.

Reading—Miss Essie Marshall.

Vocal Trio—"Gather Flowers," Messrs Lentz and Keistler and Mrs. Woodhouse.

Piano—"Consolation," Miss Emily Gibson.

Vocal Solo—Mr. John Smithdeal

Piano—"Grand Russian March," Miss Mary Young.

Vocal Solo—"Say 'Au Revoir,' But not Goodbye," Mr. A E Lentz.

Piano Duett—Misses Agnes Moss and Emily Gibson.

Vocal Solo—"Serenade," Miss Fannie Rogers.

Piano—"The Cascade" Miss Fannie Stricker.

Recitation—Mr. Williamson Morris.

Vocal Duett—"Ah, Could I Teach the Nightingale," Misses Lillie and Addie Patterson.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be gled to tell you more of them. Sold at Fetzer's Drug store.

Plumbing and Pipe-Fitting.

Buildings heated with low pressure steam, hot water and hot

Later closets, bath tubs, lavatories, vent stors, sinks, sewer pipes, radiators, boilers, heaters, valves, pipes and fittings furnished.

All work is done on scientific principles, such as would pass inspection in our large cities: New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, and all work is guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.

☞ Shop on east corner of Main and Corbin street.

CHAPMAN & SATTERFIELD.

CONCORD MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET.

Corrected by Cannons & Fetzer.

Good middling	5 50
Middlings	5 35
Low middling	5 12½
Stains	4½ to 5

PRODUCE MARKET.

Corrected by C. W Swink.

Bacon	10
Sugar-cured hams	11 to 14
Bulk meats, sides	8 to 9
Beeswax	
Butter	15 to 20
Chickens	10 to 20
Corn	60
Eggs	12½
Lard	10 to 11
Flour (North Carolina	1.75
Meal	70
Oats	40
Tallow	3to4

COURT NOTICE.

In the Superior Court, Cabarrus County. } PAUL B. MEANS, Plff against J. S. COTES, Deft.

The defendant above named will take notice that the plaintiff above named has issued a summon, returnable to the next term of this court to be held for the county of Cabarrus, at the court house in Concord, on the 6th Monday before the 1st Monday in March, 1895, against the defendant above named and that the plaintiff has applied for and obtained a warrant of attachment, against the property of the defendant, in said action, returnable at said time and place.

In said action and warrant of attachment the plaintiff above named claims that the defendant above named is indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of Three Hundred and Seventy-Five Dollars ($375), with interest, for legal advice and services and other considerations rendered the defendant. The defendant above named is hereby notified that, unless he appear at said time and place and plead, answer or demur to the plaintiff's complaint, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court within the first three days of said term, the plaintiff will apply to this court for the relief demanded in the complaint and warrant of attachment in this action.

This, October the 16th, 1894.

JAS. C. GIBSON, Clerk Superior Court.

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me, W H Kerr, by J F Irwin, on the 23rd day of March, 1891 and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for Cabarrus County, in Record of Mortgages No 5, pages 282 and 283, I will sell for cash at the Court House door in Concord, at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Monday the 5th day of November next, that tract of land situate in number one township, said county, adjoining what are known as the C H Irwin lands, the C A Alexander lands and the Nicholson lands and containing two hundred and thirty seven acres, more or less, for the metes and boundsrics of which reference is made to said recorded deed of trust. This 29th of Sept. 1894 W H Kerr, Trustee.

By W G Means, Attorney.

The above sale is postponed until 1 o'clock p. m., November 26, 1894.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the administrator, with the will annexed, of D A Sides, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make immediate payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 12th day of November, 1895, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

A. W. MOOSE, Adm'r.

By W. M. SMITH, Attorney.

This, 29th day of August, 1894

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Mrs. Ruann Stowe, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make immediate payment, or suit will be brought; and all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned duly authenticated on or before the 20th day of November, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Nov. 20, 1894. ELAM KING, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Martin A. Lipe, deceased, all persons indebeted to said estate, must make prompt payment; and all persons holding claims against said estate, must present the same for payment on or before the 14th day of November, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar for their recovery. MARTHA M. LIPE, Administratrix.

This, the 14th of Nov. 1894.

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE.

Under a mortgage executed by John W. Jones and wife, E. P. Jones, on the 5th day of February, 1894, registered in book No. 7, page 282, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cabarrus county, I, as trustee in said mortgage, will sell on Monday, the 5th day of November, 1894, at the Court House in Concord, the tract of land adjoining the School House lot, John Johnston, and others, being the dower lot of said E. P. Jones, in No. 3 township in said county of Cabarrus, containing thirty (30) acres more or less. J. A. RANKIN Trustee.

Oct. 5, 1894.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the administrator of Mrs. Lucy A Eudy, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make immediate payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 12th day of Nov. 1895, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

L. J. FOIL, Adm'r.

This, 12th day of November, 1894

Administrators Sale.

At the home of the late Lawson Misenheimer, I will, on Tuesday, the 4th day of December, 1894, sell at public auction corn, wheat, cotton seed, farming implements, etc, etc. Terms made known on day of sale.

W. J. HILL, Administrator.

This, Nov. 1, 1894.

—Mr. Adolphus Thies, wife and child, have gone to Haile Gold Mine to visit Capt. A Thies.