

The Charlotte Observer.

CHAS. E. JONES, Editor and Proprietor. Free from the odious scruples that fetter our free-born reason.

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1879.

COTTON MANUFACTURING IN THE SOUTH.

There is a certain limit to which an inland town like Charlotte, depending upon commerce alone for its subsistence, may go, and beyond which it cannot pass. Places of this sort early acquire their growth, then they come to a stand still and there remain until retrogression sets in.

There are but two mediums available to us by which we can attain the position which we hope to reach and which it has been wildly predicted we would reach without any special effort of our own: these are mining and manufactures.

The outlook for cotton manufacturing in the South is more encouraging than it has been since 1872. There is a demand for cotton goods beyond the past, and even present rate of production, and at prices which leave a large profit to the manufacturer.

As to the section of country where cotton manufacturing can be conducted with greatest profits, there can be no two opinions. The South, the place where the cotton is raised, is undoubtedly the place where it should be manufactured.

Cost of 1,000 lbs. of cotton at 12 1/2 cts. per lb. \$125.00. Cost of labor, 25.00. Interest on capital invested (\$40,000), 10.25. Incidental expenses, 5.00. Total expenses, \$175.25.

The amenities of the campaign of 1880 have already begun. The Louisville Courier-Journal last week called Vice-President Hendricks a fool and a conspirator, and urged that "all men disown him."

In the railroad cases before Associate Justice Bradley, of the Supreme Court of the United States, presiding over the Western North Carolina Railroad case, the solicitor for the railroad commenced his argument Monday.

THE FISHERMEN OF THE EAST.

It has become rather fashionable of late, among some writers who have occasion to refer to marine disasters off the coast of Carolina, to speak of the "lone fisherman who lives near Hatteras and Kitty Hawk as a born robber—birds of prey who look upon a wreck as a God-send and whose highest pleasure it is to rob the bodies which are washed ashore even before the warmth has left them.

But, however ignorant the people and God-forsaken the land, the native is not only full of manly spirit, but of the milk of human kindness. They will put themselves out to do anything for the voyager. They rarely make criminals. They are often heroic.

WARNING TO SECRETARY SHERMAN. The New York Tribune has lifted up its warning voice and conjured the Secretary of the Treasury to go slow.

Secretary Sherman may wisely take into consideration, without a day's delay, the fact that great throngs of men, women, and children, who besiege all day long the offices for the sale of \$10 certificates, are violently contracting the currency.

Dr. J. T. McLean, of Harnett county, a prominent and esteemed citizen, died Monday, aged 40.

It is stated that arrangements are being made for raising the Huron, which was wrecked off Hatteras about two years ago.

The Raleigh News contains this: In S. Edward Rogers is in this State, he hereby notified to appear at Jersey City and claim a vessel which he says he owned.

A protracted meeting at Person Street, M. E. church, Raleigh, has just closed, resulting in the conversion of 88 persons.

It is said that there are 26 applications for the position of route agent on the Charlotte and Yadon Valley Railroad, now held by a colored man.

A colored tramp meeting has just been closed at Garden Hall, near W. Hatteras, at which, it is alleged, seventy or eighty persons were converted.

THE MONEY OF THE PEOPLE.

THE SENATE MARKS BY EXCHANGE. THE SENATE MARKS BY EXCHANGE. A BILL DAY IN THE HOUSE—Interesting Committee Reports.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—SENATE.—The Senate took up the bill to make subsidiary coin exchangeable for lawful money, and making such coin legal tender, and the bill was passed.

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INDIGNATION OVER AN EXODUS FALSEHOOD. WASHINGTON, May 28.—The declared intention of Conway to proceed with the migration of the colored people from the Mississippi Valley under the alleged advice and promised protection of the President, creates much indignation among the members of the Mississippi Louisiana delegations.

Wm. Lloyd Garrison's Funeral. BOSTON, May 28.—The funeral of Wm. Lloyd Garrison took place at Roxbury this afternoon.

Result of the Derby Race. LONDON, May 28.—The race for the Derby stake was won by the New York brown colt, Sir Bevis; John Trotter's chestnut colt, Palm Beach; second, and Lord Roseberry's bay colt, Visconti, third.

BRIEF FOREIGN ITEMS. The English Parliament has adjourned for the Whitsunday holidays.

A Bad Accident. A little child, the daughter of Arthur Banks, Esq., of Hillsboro, was badly scalded by the immediate application of Henry's Carbolic Balm, which was erroneously used for the purpose of relieving the pain, and the little sufferer is now out of danger.

THE BUCKEYE REPUBLICANS.

Chas. Foster nominated for Governor. The Other Nominations and the Campaign.

CINCINNATI, May 28.—The Republican State Convention met this morning with Allen T. Brismore, of Cleveland, Ohio, as chairman, and S. M. Fields, of Columbus, temporary secretary.

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REMARKABLE CIRCUMSTANCE.—A Deer Hunt Regains Its Voice. (Petersburg Index-Appeal, 27th.) A circumstance of somewhat remarkable character is reported to have occurred Sunday, during the migration of the colored people from the Mississippi Valley.

DECREASED PRODUCTION OF GOLD. (Washington Republican.) The statistics obtainable at the present time indicate a large falling off in the production of gold in the United States, as compared with the production of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. (Chestor (S. C.) Bulletin.) We have been reliably informed that the meeting of the stockholders of the Chester and Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad will be held on or about the 31st of July, at Dallas, N. C.

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A Word with Practical People.

The climate of some portions of the South seems to be peculiarly favorable to the growth of the general health; these are not new, periodically recurring, but permanent, and are the result of the climate of the South.

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FASHIONS. For May, 1879, just received at TIDDY & BROS.

FOR SALE. That valuable property in this city known as the Tanney of Alexander, Allen & McCreck, this Tanney is conveniently located, and has all the latest improved machinery.