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ITEMS OF INTEREST. A ROMANCE OF THE GALLOWS. A colored man in Newberry, S. C. He Killed the Old Man-Carved up the Children and Left the Faith-

less Old Woman for Dead-He Wanted to Most Thom in Heaven.

He caved in the old man's head. He did it with his little axe. The eld man was in bed. The old man's wife was very fond of him (the carre). She was tired of the old man. Wives some was tired of the old man. Wives some times get that way. (It is a very wicked world). He and the lovely wife of the old man (made a widow in this summary fashion) disposed of the body, and accounted for the old man's absence in the usual ingenious fashion. They had a nice time for awd didn't miss farm and the money, and didn't miss the parts that beat as one" in the old, old fashion, you

But other people did. These "other people" are very annoying. They asked impertinent questions. They had taken it into their uncharitable heads that the old man's wife had seemed to be too fond of the hired man, and they connected that fondness with the old man's disappearance. It was very un-charitable, troublesome, and even annoying. For, if she was, whose business was it anyway? Such things have happened since the world began. Will be to its end. And, he was a very nice

hired man. She had two or three, perhaps half a dozen, children. They were her own unquestionable. The old man had considered them his also.

Annoyed by the impertinent inquiries of the neighbors about the old man whose head had been caved with

an axe, this fond couple determined to leave such inquisitive people and seek to injoy their happiness in some untried field.

They packed their belongings in a wagon, took the old man's money and the proceeds of what the heart-broken widow could sell of the farm and stock, and started.

But if a woman sometimes gets tired of a man, it occasionally happens that a man gets tired of a woman, and even now and then of a woman of this affecnow and then of a woman of this affectionate kind. One evening while the party were camping the hired man, who was now running the family, concluded to diminish his responsibility by killing one or two of the children. He took after them with his axe. He had acquired facility in the use of that instrument by practice on the old man previously, and succeeded in braining two of them. The widow stood this like a heroine. They were possibly responsibilities of the husband—"the old man"—and she was willing to send them after him. She helped bury them, and the lover and the lady moved on. But when the chosen of her affections proposed to thin out the campand lighten the load still more by braining one or two more another night, she objected. She possibly had some tender souvenir connected with these. (Women are so romantic, and so much the creatures of the affections!) Whereupon the charming man she had endowed with her heart, and who had, with his shiny little axe, delivered her from the bad old man, the husband, proceeded to inform her, with expressions usual in so the camping the family, concluded to diminish his responsibilities are unorganized, fully-equipped counties. After Georgia in the table come Kentucky with 117 counties; Missouri, 115; Virginia, 105; Illinois, 102; Iowa, 99; Tennessee and North Carolina each 94; and Indiana 92. As a rule the Southern States have more counties than the Northern States—the difference arising doubtless from the use of township organizations in the use of township organizations in the latter, and the absence of such divisions in the former States.

The Man Who Eats Men Raw.

Wm. Manning, who seems a genuine maneater, created quite a sensation in disturbance that the Judge had him ejected. Manning resisted violently, and bit a man who had seized him. After some trouble he was put out, but immediately went to Foller's saloon in the basement. where he refused to pay tionate kind. One evening while the

proceeded to inform her, with expressions usual in such cases, that if she interfered he would brain her, too. She couldn't believe him; for had they not "confessed their love?" She did interfere. He mashed one or two. Then as she continued to make a fuss

The "Hub Punch" has lately been introduced, and meets with marked popular tavor.

It is Warranted to Contain only the Best of Liquors, United with Choice Fruit Juices and he "chased her around the wagon," and at last cracked in her own lovely head.
Then, like a shrewd fellow, he took
the money and his legs and left the It is ready on opening, and will be found an agreeable addition to the choice things which undeniably enlarge the pleasures of life and encourage good fellowship and good nature if rightly enjoyed. lady of his love for dead.

But she wasn't dead. The axe had glanced. One or two of the young ones were killed, but she lived to call

down vengence on the head of her "be-

He was caught, to shorten the story.
He was tried and convicted, and a blood-thirsty judge sentenced him to be hanged. This wicked judge had probably not read the sermon on the Mount, or he would have told him, "Go and sin no more." But a condemnation and a sentence

But a condemnation and a sentence is now-a-days only the beginning. Our murderer gets "a change of venue," something the dear lawyers keep bottled up for the emergencies of tender hearted murderers and such. It didn't do him any good. He is found guilty again. Then they try a "new trial on exceptions," another remedy for murderers. He is still condemned. Then appeal is, as usual, made to the Governor. He won't do anything. It is clear this affectionate fellow, whose heart was too much for him, must hang.

On the fixed day the sheriff takes him out before several thousand people to hang him. He is prayed with. He prays himself. He preaches a sermon an hour long. He warns everybody to repent, and follow him. He pleads He pities their sad condition, and begs

with them to "meet him in Heaven." them to flee, as he has done, to the Do all murderers go express to Heav-

en? Is that the one certain road for us poor sinners?

Southern Progress. New York Herald.

A letter which we publish to-day un-der the head of "King Cotton" will show the North what immense strides show the North what immense strides the South is making toward greatness in manufacturing. A few years ago a cotton mill in the South was a curiosity; the staple went North, its travelling expenses being nearly two cents per pound, and whatever cotton goods the planters wanted had to pay heavy treights to reach their destination. TION WANTED,

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has invented a machine intended to plough on both sides of a cotton row and also chop out the cotton at the same

An Indiana rattlesnake crawled into a canary's cage, swallowed the bird, and then couldn't get out. He will never stop the music again.

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A Vienna chemist has invented a powerful soporific, by which a person may be instantaneously and helplessly stupefied. It is called "baudiger," and the chemist invented it in order to defend himself against a dog which was in the habit of attacking him. Afterward he offered it to the police as an ward he offered it to the police as an instrument for overpowering desperate men. He has invented an antidote. The Tagblatt says: "Woe to Vienna and many other cities when the rogues come into possession of this novel wea-pon which science has prepared for the service of their craft.

Quite a revival is going on among the fallen women of Chicago, that real-ly promises to do some good. The movement began in the house of Minnie Brooks, the proprietress of which declared her intention to cease her sinful life, dismissed her boarders and commenced holding daily prayer meetings. This religious fervor spread to other houses in the neighborhood, and quite a number of women have announced their determination to reform. The Chicago papers believe that the movement is really a serious and earnest one, and that much good

will come of it. The thirty-eight States of the Union contain 2,299 counties. Texas leads off, having 151 counties, followed closely by Georgia's 137; but as many of the

Wm. Manning, who seems a genuine maneater, created quite a sensation in Jersey City yesterday afternoon, says a Gazette special. He was in Justice Lane's court room, and created such a disturbance that the Judge had him ejected. Manning resisted violently, and bit a man who had seized him. After some trouble he was put out, but immediately went to Foller's saloon in the basement, where he refused to pay for a drink. Foller and his father undertook to put him out, but Manning for a drink. Foller and his father undertook to put him out, but Manning struggled desperately, and, getting Foller's arm in his mouth, bit it until he drew the blood. Finally, with the assistance of some others, they got him on the sidewalk and there the struggle was renewed. A young man named George McCabe went to Foller's aid and Manning attempted to bite him. By this time a large crowd had collected, and on learning the cause of the disturbance and Manning's biting exploits, steed and watched him from a safe distance. Manning stood on a corner for a few moments like a wild beast at bay, and then ran across the street and seized a boy named Thomas Murphy, who was standing on the corner, and bending him backward, commenced gnawing at his breast. Several persons ran to the boy's assistance and seized Manning, and forced him to release him. Manning struggled and fought, and four men had all they could do to hold him. They endeavored to take hold him. They endeavored to take him to the station-house. Manning gave one named Hough a violent kick and knocked him against a door. Hough returned and renewed his hold, when Manning made a bite at him, and catching the rim of Hongh's hat in catching the rim of Hough's hat in his mouth bit a semi-circular piece out as clean as if cut with a knife. When

or. He won't do anything. It is clear this affectionate fellow, whose heart was too much for him, must hang.

So he prepares to hang. A year or more has passed. The widow's soft heart may have yielded several times in the interval, and the knowledge that this loyely woman had cast him off may have overcome our unfortunate friend, as only such a thing can overcome a sensitive nature.

At all events he can't get out to kill her, so he "prepares to meet her in Heaven." Here is the moral of the story.

The State is Tennessee. No better place going to start for Paradise. Our friend starts. He repents. He turns plous, as they always do when convicted, and the Governor won't pardon. He has "spiritual advisers"—a variety of preacher-men. They read and pray with him. He is very penitent. He studies his Bible—old version.

On the fixed day the sheriff takes him out before several thousand people to

Returning Colored Emigrants. Portsmouth Enterprise.

Yesterday morning a colored family, consisting of a woman and five children, arrived here from Washington on way to North Carolina. arms of mercy. He pardons every-body. He blesses the crowd, and the sheriff pulls the trigger, and he begins kicking with the blessing on his lips, and keeps it up for ten minutes—the kicking, not the blessing.

The all many to record to the many of the many many red to the many red to the many man their old home. The man managed to raise money enough to send his wife and children as far as Norfolk on their way back, and he remained for the purpose of trying to raise enough to pay his own way on. As the family were entirely destitute Mayor Lamb sent them across the river to Portsmouth, with a request to Mr. E. G. Chio, superintendent of the Seaboard railroad, to pass them over his line to North Caro-

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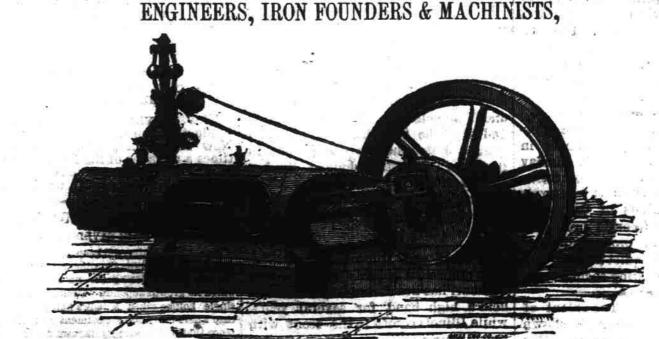
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