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Date, May 15'81	Daily	Daily Daily	Daily
Ly. Charlotte,	4.05 AM	6.15 AM	4.15 PM
" A-L. Depot		6.20 AM	4.80 PH
" June't	4.11 AM	7.50 AM	
" Salisbury,	5.56 AM		
Arr.Greensboro	8.03 AM	9.80 AM	8.18 PM
Lv.Greensboro	8.25 AM	9.50 AM	for Rich-
Arr. Raleigh	1.40 PM	********	notwed only
Lv. "	1.45 PM	********	m'ad only
ATT. Goldsboro	4.00 PM		
Lv. Greensbero	100000000000000000000000000000000000000		
for Richmond	8.25 PM		
Lv. Danville	10.21 AM	11.81 AM	
" N. Danville	10.27 AM	11.83 AM	
" Barksdale	10 58 AM	12.01 PM	
" Drak'sBr'ch	12.87 PM		
" Jetersville	2.24 PM	2.50	3.4.4.4.5.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.4.
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	4.05 PM		
Arr. Belle Isle	4.00 PM	2000	
Lv. " "	4.10 PM		
Arr. Manchester	4.18 PM	4.88 PM	" # 90 LW
Arr. Richmond	4.18 PM	4.43 AM	7.28 AM

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.						
Date, May 15 '80	No. 42 Daily.	No. 48 Daily.	No. 50 Daily			
Lv. Richmond "Burkeville Arr. N. Danville Lv. " Danville Arr. Greensboro Lv. " "Salisbury Arr. A L. Junction "Charlotte	12.45 PM	12.00 M 2.43 PM 6.05 PM 6.18 PM 8.17 PM 8.87 PM 10.38 PM 12.15 AM 12.20 AM				
Lv. Richmond " Jetersville " Drak's Br'ch Barksdale " Danville " Benaja " Greensboro			2.55 4.41 6.07 7.25 7.51 8.55 9.27			

Salisbury Arr. A-L. Junction Lv. Arr. Charlotte		11.05 PM 12.26 AM		
SALEM BRANCH.				
NO. 48-	Daily, excep	t Sunday.		
Leave Greensboro Arrive Salem		9.40 PM		
	Daily, excep			
Leave Salem Arrives Greensbore		7.80 AM		
	Daily, excep			
Leave Greensboro		11.80 AM		

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"Into all lives some rain must fall." The poet would respectfully state, however, that this is no weather prediction for 1881. Very good men often do very bad things from very good motives.—Graphic. You needn't call attention to that crowd. They are very well knewn. They are the fellows who get all the hell pave-ment contracts.—Courier-Journal.

Delesseps is positive that his panema canal scheme will triumph over all difficulties. Confidence in a seeming impossibility was Chris Columbus's great and heroic failing, it will be re-

New Haven folks think it nice to snore. Then when they are accused of being out at night committing murder, they can bring in the neighbors to swear they were at home asleep and disturbing other folks.—Beston Post.

OBSERVATIONS.

The King of Siam has a new white elephant, for which he has provided a service of gold. This species of idolatry has its counterpart in the Saratoga belie who refused to have her favorite pug dog eat off of anything but a aliver plate. Hanging Guiteau in effigy is a smooth and peaceful manner in which to prolong his life. A man can stand that sort of thing a dezen years and still have a good appetite.

Sullivan says he likes to see a plees of sourt plaster on a girl's lip or cheek. It has such an at-traction for him he always wants to kiss her right on the spot. – Lowell Citizen.

A MYSTERIOUS STRANGER.

He Steam a Girl, Excites the People and Retires to a Caye.

Week before last a tall, thin man, "wearing an old flax coat and dirty breeches," with the two middle fingers of his left hand off and a bullet wound of his left hand off and a bullet wound in the calf of one of his legs, called on old Will Howell, living half way up Hibriten, and announced himself as Anderson Howell, son of Will's long lost brother, David Howell, Taking into consideration the fact that Will never had a brother David, there would have been some reason for his believing that his would-be nephew was mistaken, but old Will, as usual averse to contradiction, let him have it his own way, but inwardly repudiated the relacontradiction, let him have it his own way, but inwardly repudiated the relationship. Not so with Will's fair daughter, Jane, for the stranger found favor in her sight, and when he left the Howell domicile, having stolen the proprietor's pocket knife, and his a way after him. He had a rest surfactly to investigate the wealth of the country and asked who were the wealth est people around Lender. He carried a bundle of papers describing all the phases of the Thompson murder in Alexander,

the Thompson murder in Alexander, and seemed to think that "hanging and burning were too good" for the perpe-

burning were too good" for the perpetrators.

WHAT HAS HE DONE?

Various surmises gradually took shape in the neighborhood as to what crime this wandering vagabond was guilty of. The most general opinion was that he was one of the gang that killed Miss Thompson in Alexander. Whether there is any foundation for this be lief, we are unable to say, but it is based upon the following; In dealing with John Adams, one of the supposed accessories, great caution was observed in order, it was said, "not to scare off."

this same article is sold at 15 cents per drink, bringing \$8.55 per gallon. In the majority of saloons the 10-cent whiskey is manufactured from French spirits or raw alcohol, and costs, when 'smooth' and ready for customers, \$1.25 to \$1.75 per gallon. Good honest whiskey, costing \$3 to \$8.75 per gallon by the barrel, is sold at 15 cents to 20 cents per drink or \$8.55 to \$11.40 per gallon.

Mr. Fred Wolfe, the great railroad manager of the Erlanger syndicate, was a financial clerk in Montgomery, Ala., less than ten years ago. Now he is at the head of one of the most powin order, it was said, "not to scare off others thought to be implicated," and it has been stated in some of the papers that there was one man yet loose, supposed to be in Texas, who held Miss Thompson while Church committed the murder. It is believed

THAT THIS IS THE MAN

by many living around Hibriten, and considerable excitement prevails. Many of the women are afraid to stay at home alone in the day time. When these suspicions were whispered about, parties began to watch the stranger and even to hunt for him. Then his visits to the houses ceased, and he was never appropriate over two occasions. seen except upon one or two occasions, when he ran and made his escape to the laurel. Certain circumstances led to the conclusion that Jane Howell was carrying food to the outlaw, and

JULUSKA CAVE, on Hibriten, was fixed upon as his lair. Several expeditions have scoured the mountain, but with no success, and last

mountain, but with no success, and last week the cave was closely watched to see if the woman could not be surprised in the act of furnishing food to her friend. If he were found to be hiding in the cave, he would have to be starved out, as an inmate of the cave could kill all assailants who tried to enter one by one. The suspicious conduct of this man render it probable that he is a fugitive from justice, but whether or not he is guilty of this or that crime, is all surmise. is all surmise.

More Southern Enterprise. New York Banker and Broker.

The third annual Trade Issue of the Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle and Constitutionalist, is a most commendable specimen of enterprise. We can safely remen of enterprise. We can safely recommend it to everyone interested in the progress and growth of the South, and particularly of Georgia. The information which it contains is most exhaustive, and touches every industry that is thriving in the South. The railroads that are tapping Georgia and are bringing every section of the State into close communication with the outside world, are carefully reviewed, and the importance that they are assuming in the march of Southern progress cannot fail to be appreciated. Of the resources of the State and of Augusta the review gives a better idea than anything else we have yet seen published, and the information is all the more valuable, because it has been obtained from the most trustworthy sources, and is plainly free from all bias or prejudice. Our contemporary has performed a task that deserves the fullest recognition on the part of Georgia and all its friends. commend it to everyone interested in

Cold Water. The editor of the London Spectator says he fears that the inexplicable superstitution about the danger of drinking cold water in hot weather still lin-

He says: "There is, as every Indian knows, no better safeguard against heat apoplexy. A gallon a day would not burt a man laboring with the thermometer above 80 degrees."

The theory so ably set forth and dwelt on at such length by many physi-

cians that cold water received into the stomach on a hot day when the person was warm is liable to produce sickness and death must fall to the ground. During the past extremely hot weather scientific men, and men unscientific, have stood for hours round the free los water fountain at the postoffice waiting to see fatal results; but of all the thousands who drank there, men, women boys and girls, there was not one single case of sickness or trouble from the use of cold water. pot text ad to a

ANOTHER CANDIDATE ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

By a large majority the people of the United States have declared their faith in Kidney-Wort as a semedy for all the diseases of the kidneys and liver. Some, however, have disliked the trouble of preparing it from the dry form. For such, a new candidate appears in the shape of Kidney Wort in liquid form. It is very concentrated, is easily taken and its equally efficient as the dry. Try it.—Louisville Post.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

King Louis, of Bavaria, is a "crank" of the most harmless description. He shuns human society as he would a fast horse. Perhaps he is right after

The use of domestic champagnes is increasing in the United States. American port wine is beginning to take an excellent position. The vintage in California has been good in quality and quantity. One hundred thousand gallons more will be gained this way. ons more will be gained this year.

Sir Stafford Nothcote believes in the virtues of political songs. "There was a wise man of old," he wrote the other day, "who said 'Give me the making of the people's songs, and I will give you the making of their laws.' I certainly accept the doctrine so far as to believe that good songs will do a great deal more than speeches.

Miss Anna Ella Carroll, of Maryland, was stricken with paralysis some days ago near Baltimore. Miss Carroll was about sixty years old, and a committee of Congress had reported a bill placing her on the pension roll for her services in planning the expedition that opened the mouth of the Mississippi in the war of 1861-5.

Conkling's home rival, who defeated him in his own town for delegate to the Republican convention, is Samuel Lowery, an ex-Senator of the commonwealth. He has a knit underclothing factory. He is described as not a sour man, and so little of a bigot that, al-though a Presbyterian or Baptist, the Irish Catholics make him chairman of their Land League and St. Patrick's Day gatherings. He is an Ulster man.

A well-known employe of a brewery in Fifth street, New York, has worked there nineteen years, and by the esti-mate of his employers during that peri-od he has drank fifty-one truck-loads of beer, containing forty-one kegs each, i. e., 2,091 kegs or—481,200 glasses. During this time he has taken no other intoxicating beverage, and in appearance is in perfect health, not having lost a day's time during the nineteen years nor having been once intoxicated. Yet many a man has become drunk upon a single glass.

There are fifty-seven drinks of whiskey to the galion, at 10 cents a drink \$5.70. Whiskey sold at 10 cents never costs ever \$2 to \$2.80 per gallon. Often this same article is sold at 15 cents per

Mr. Fred Wolfe, the great railroad manager of the Erlanger syndicate, was a financial clerk in Montgomery, Ala, less than ten years ago. Now he is at the head of one of the most powerful railroad syndicates in the world, and continues to add mileage to the vast system of roads under his management. He was the highest and best bidder for the Cincinnati Southern, on Thursday, and is likely to get it. This will add 336 miles to his system, and give him unbroken communication from New Orleans and from Shrevefrom New Orleans and from Shreveport to Cincinnati.

What Men Say When they Drink, · New York—"My regards." California—"How!" Indiana—"Here's to us."

Washington—"Here we go." Spain—"A la salad de U."—(Your Illinois-"Another nail in the coffin." Ohio—"I hope I see you well, sir." Kentucky—"Time."

Maine-"Take it sly." Boston—"To the club."
Wisconsin—"Here's looking at you."
Virginia—"Here's hoping."
Pennsylvania—"Here's to the old

grudge."
North Carolina—"Here's all the hair of your head."

New Jersey—"Let's try it sometime when we're seber."

When playing for drinks—"Better luck next time." Miscellaneous - "Boys-what-l-you-

"Let's go and take a ball."
"Name yer pizen."
"Gentlemen, please name your bever-

"Gentlemen, will you join me."
"Welf, how will you take it."
"Gimme some of the stuff."
"A gin fizz if you please."
"Whiskey (if you can spare it.)"
"Let's go and shed a tear."
"Here's another lack." "Here's another luck."
"Beer all the time, nothing but beer.'
"Give it to me straight."

How to Detect Adulteration in

"Good bye,"

Ground Coffees Take a little of the coffee and press it between the fingers, or give it a squeeze in the paper in which it is bought; if genuine it will not form a coherent mass, as coffee grains are hard and do not readily adhere to each other; but if the grains stick to each other and form a sort of "eake," we may be pretty sure of adulteration in the shape of chicory, for the grains of chicory are softer and more open, and adhere without difficulty when squeezed.

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Again, if we place a few grains in a
saucer and moisten them with a little
cold water, chicory will very quickly
become soft like bread crumbs, while
coffee will take a long time to soften.

A third test: Take a wineglass or a
tumblerfull of water, and gently drop a pinch of the ground coffee on the surface of the water without stirring or agitation; genuine coffee will float for some time, while chicory or any other soft root will seen sink; and chicory or caramel will cause a yellowish or browning color to diffuse rapidly through the water, while pure coffee will give no sensible tint under such circumstances for a considerable length of time.

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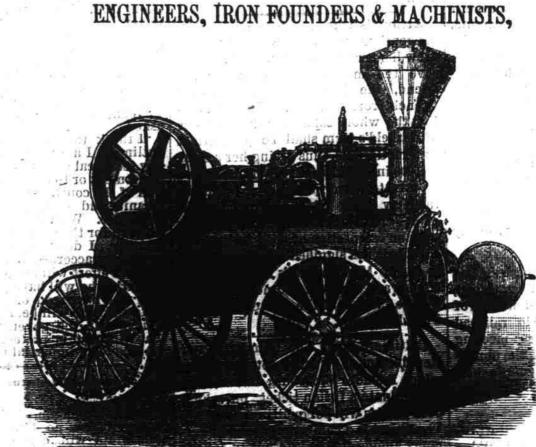
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