

The Charlotte Observer. CHAS. R. JONES, Editor and Prop'r.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1883.

Much of the young fruit in Georgia is dead. Wiggins predicts another great storm in 1898. Let it come, Wig.

New York is threatened with a milk famine, the wells are giving out.

"Butler, the Bouncer," is what they call Ben now in Boston.

Senator Plumb, of Kansas, has made large investments in Alabama mineral lands.

Florida seems to be a favorite recruiting ground for exhausted Congressmen.

There is talk of resuscitating R. B. Hayes and running him as the Republican candidate for Governor of Ohio.

The value of real estate in Augusta, Ga., has increased \$280,000 within the past twelve months.

Seven States already trot out candidates for dookie of the next House of Representatives.

The Chattanooga Democrat says the indications are that the fruit crop in that section is going to be a failure.

According to the Petersburg (Va.) Index-appeal about the worst thing most legislatures do is when they adjourn sine die.

The first car load of fresh meat in a refrigerator car from Chicago to New Orleans, arrived Monday, in good condition.

Wives are not beaten so much in Maryland since the whipping post has been erected for husbands who amuse themselves in that way.

The British authorities claim to have discovered another "Number One." The "Number Ones" are becoming quite numerous.

The captain of the steamship Eastbourne, from Glasgow to Philadelphia, arrived last Tuesday, counted twenty towering icebergs on the way.

Ohio has two candidates for sergeant-at-arms of the next House of Representatives. Ohio is not given to lagging in the rear when offices are in question.

Washington Critic: The government has invested, up to the present time, \$85,000,000 in court houses, custom houses and postoffices, and yet there are several cross roads in Ohio that have neither.

A shortage of thirty or forty million bushels of corn for May delivery in Chicago. There are three million bushels of corn on hand with little to meet the demand for thirty or forty million bushels in May.

They have discovered a new and effective preventive of smallpox, or profuse to have, in New Orleans. It is by inoculation with the virus after passing it through cow's milk; and it is said to have proved efficacious in many cases.

New locks and keys are being supplied by the Department to postmasters throughout the country. There are 200,000 locks in use, and 60,000 keys. The present locks have been in use twelve years, and the new ones are expected to last twenty years.

Atlanta Constitution: Georgia is having an era of suicides. Quite a number of cases have been reported this week, a curious one being that of a southwest Georgian who perched himself up in a tree in order to peek the bullet in his brain. Last week death by burning was epidemic, as many as six such cases having occurred in one day.

A cremation society is to be formed in Chicago with a capital of \$100,000. It is intended to start a regular crematory in that city, as it is thought there are a large number of people in the Northwest who believe that the best, and most economical method of disposing of the dead is by incineration.

Pensioners who are entitled to increased pay under the act making further provision for persons who have lost a hand or foot in the military or naval service, or who have suffered an equal bodily disability, can get the increase they are entitled to without the intervention of a lawyer or a claim agent by application direct to the Pension Office.

Macon Telegraph: The government professes to be greatly troubled to know what to do with the accumulating tons of silver dollars. The Southern farmers, who were robbed after the war by cotton taxes, would be willing to take them, at their face value, in return for the greenbacks that were illegally extorted from them by the unconstitutional tax law in question. Here is a chance to get rid of the silver by making restitution.

Dukes, who murdered Mr Nutt, at Uniontown, Pa., last December, is a cold-blooded villain. After writing Mr Nutt a letter confessing his criminal intercourse with Nutt's daughter, and justifying himself on the ground that he was in love with her, he enjoyed her favors, he wound up his villainy by killing the father, who insisted on his marrying the girl whom he had ruined.

OUR MINERALS. The middle and western portion of North Carolina, abundant in a variety of minerals in greater number than can be found anywhere in the world within the same area, and new discoveries are being constantly added to those already made.

Within the past few years there has been a considerable interest manifested by capitalists in the lands of this State, and there is scarcely a day that some party does not visit the State on a prospecting tour and in consequence a considerable amount of property has changed hands.

The people of other sections have learned more of North Carolina's mineral resources within the past two years than for any dozen years previous to that, owing to the efforts made by individuals, the Department of Agriculture and especially to the exhibit it made at the Atlanta Exposition, by the Agricultural Department and the Richmond & Danville railroad, to the latter of which, however, belongs the most credit, for through its efforts the best part of that exhibit was made.

The advantages accruing to our State from the Atlanta Exposition should inspire continued effort to keep our resources before the world, and wherever there is an industrial exposition there North Carolina should be represented, not insignificantly, but magnificently, not with a few specimens picked up at random, here and there, but with a complete list embracing as wide an area and as many counties as possible.

A splendid place for such an exhibition will be the Industrial Exposition, which opens in Boston in the fall, and which will be visited by thousands of capitalists ready to invest their money when there is a prospect of profit.

Let some active, enterprising citizen of each county take this matter in hand, invite the people to send to him such specimens of minerals, woods, farm products, &c., as might be worth exhibiting, and arrangements could be easily made with the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company to have them shipped in time and put on exhibition.

The tonnage of the Pacific coast is rapidly passing from American to foreign built vessels. During the past year the tonnage of British vessels in the San Francisco trade has doubled, and that of German vessels has nearly doubled, while the American ships have hardly held their own.

PARIS, March 15.—The government will prosecute the anarchist organ the Citizen. Fifteen anarchists visited the office of the Intransigent and attempted to compel Henri Rochefort, the editor, to insert a note in his paper denouncing its report of the riot last Friday as slanderous. The police have since protected the premises, although Rochefort declined their services when they were offered. Explosives have been found in the house of a man named Pouget, who has been arrested. It is expected that information touching the doings of the anarchists will flow in this way. They are mostly Germans.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Gen Crook, commanding the department of Arizona, telegraphed the Indian Bureau to-day that 15 Indians are sick with smallpox at Rock Springs, Hualapai Reservation, near Atlantic and Pacific Railroad. He advises that they be cared for at once, as they are likely to spread the disease over the entire northern part of the territory. Commissioned Price has directed the physician at San Carlos to send specimens of the Hualapai Reservation with medicines and a good supply of vaccine virus.

The Baltimore M. E. Conference CHARLESTOWN, W. VA., March 15.—The Baltimore department of the M. E. Church, South, to-day appointed a board of Church extension to serve for four years, with Rev S. K. Cox, of Washington, as president. Four preachers were admitted on trial. Rev Dr Martin speaking of church extension, said that great work was accomplished in that direction by the Catholics, because of their organization. They built more school houses than churches. Not receipts of the Wesleyan Female Institute at Staunton for the past year were \$7,386.

A Horse Thief Commits Suicide and Makes a Dying Statement. ST. LOUIS, March 15.—H. F. Crocker, a notorious horse thief, committed suicide a day or two ago in the Granbury, Texas, jail. He left a written statement which related that he was born in Georgia, and was well connected there. In Texas in 1873 he killed three men and one woman, and he regretted that he had not killed two more men who had injured him. Being without money or friends, he preferred death to life in prison.

The River Falling. HELENA, ARK, March 15.—The gauge this morning registers 45 feet, a decline of 3 inches during the past 14 hours. A negro man was drowned on Bob Neal's place, opposite here last evening. There is no decline in the overflow back in the bottoms.

Two Anarchists Sentenced. PARIS, March 15.—Two anarchists, having been sentenced to two years imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 8,000 francs, for delivering seditious speeches. The great success of the season—the celebrated "One of the Finest 5 Cent Cigar, for sale by G. H. Nazarene & Co., Sole Agents.

A Terrific Explosion and a Big Score. LONDON, March 15.—A terrific explosion occurred in the local government board offices in Westminster at 9 o'clock to-night and destroyed much property. The explosion was caused by dynamite and that a deliberate attempt was made to blow up the government offices.

A Collision and a Fire. EVANSVILLE, IND., March 15.—At 8 o'clock last night about a mile above Lewisport, the steamer "Enquirer" going up the river collided with the Dory Cabler coming down, striking the latter just forward of the fire doors. She sank to the boiler deck in about four minutes, with the boiler fire in the ladies cabin and her upper works burned to the water's edge.

The Cotton Market. WASHINGTON, March 15.—Returns to the Department of Agriculture of cotton sent to market from plantations aggregate of 5,800,000 bales going forward up to March 15. This is about 85% per cent of the crop as indicated by the last returns of the product.

Preparing for the gubernatorial Campaign. ATLANTA, March 15.—The Republican State Central Committee met to-day and appointed a special committee of ten, with A. E. Buck as chairman, to deliberate on the campaign for governor. They will hold no convention.

Weather. WASHINGTON, March 15.—Middle Atlantic, colder, fair weather, northwesterly winds, clear pressure.

Burned in their House. HARTFORD, CONN., March 15.—The house of two maiden ladies named Judson, in East Hartford, was burned this morning. Both ladies perished in the flames.

Gillilan's Successor. WASHINGTON, March 15.—Assistant Treasurer A. V. Wyman was to-day appointed Treasurer of the United States, vice Gillilan, resigned. His appointment takes effect April 1st.

A CARD. To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of memory, etc., we will send you our "LIVER REGULATOR," which will cure you. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Sent by mail on receipt of the enclosed self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. McKim, Station D, New York City.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH MARCH 15, 1883.

DOMESTIC. CHARLESTOWN—Spirits Turpentine dull and no stock. Molasses quiet, strained and good strained \$1.80@2.10. WASHINGTON—Spirits Turpentine dull, sales at 45¢. Boston steady, at \$1.80 for strained; \$1.95 for good strained. Turpentine, at \$1.90. Crude Turpentine steady, at \$1.80 for hard; \$2.75 for yellow dip.

COTTON. New York—Steady; middling 9 1/2; low middling 9; good ordinary 8 1/2; net receipts 820; exports 8,000; shipments 1,555; sales 8,100; stock 62,088. New Orleans—Steady; sales 815 bales; middling 10 1/2; good ordinary 9 1/2; net receipts 1,000; exports 1,800; to Great Britain 1,500; to continent 1,000.

CITY COTTON MARKET. OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER. CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 15, 1883.

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Exports coastwise 1,051; to Great Britain 938; to continent 7; to France 1; to channel 1. New York—Steady; sales 815 bales; middling 10 1/2; good ordinary 9 1/2; net receipts 1,000; exports 1,800; to Great Britain 1,500; to continent 1,000.

Future. New York—Net receipts 1,055; gross 11,027. Future closed dull; sales 47,000 bales.

FINANCIAL. NEW YORK. Exchange, 4.80. Government-Irregular. New York, 1.08 1/4. Four and a half per cent, 1.12 1/2. Four per cent, 1.20 1/4. Money, 116 1/2.

STOCKS—Heavy and lower. Alabama—Class A, 2 to 5, \$1 1/4. Alabama—Class A, small, \$1 03 1/4. Alabama—Class C, 4 1/2, \$1.00. Chicago and Northwestern, preferred, \$1.47. East Tennessee, 9 1/4. Illinois Central, 1.48. Lake Shore, 1.50. Louisville and Nashville, 5.48. Chicago and Great Western, 1.48. Nashville and Chattanooga, 8 1/4. New York Central, 11 3/8. Erie, 10 1/8. Richmond and Allegheny, 10 1/8. Rock Island, 1.23 1/4. South Carolina Brown Consols, 1.02 1/2. West Florida, 2 1/4. Washash, St. Louis and Pacific, preferred, 4.92. Western Union, 10 1/2. Georgia gold, 1.14. Louisiana Consols, .98. North Carolina, new, .15. North Carolina, old, .15. North Carolina, spec. ad. tax, .75. Tennessee 6's, 4 1/4. Virginia 6's, .80. Florida, consols, .43. Virginia, deferred, .18. Adams' Express, \$1.20. American Express, 2.88. Chesapeake and Ohio, 2.14. Chesapeake and Ohio, 2.14. Chesapeake and Ohio, 2.14.

FOREIGN. LIVERPOOL—NOON—Fair demand freely met at previous prices; middling uplands 5 1/2; middling 5 1/4; low 5 1/4; good ordinary 5 1/4; net receipts 12,700; exports 12,700; to Great Britain 12,700; to continent 12,700; to Great Britain 12,700; to continent 12,700.

Hams, N. C., 16 1/2. Hams, S. C., 16 1/2. Bacon, 16 1/2. Lard, 16 1/2. Sugar, 16 1/2. Coffee, 16 1/2. Tea, 16 1/2. Spices, 16 1/2. Cabbages, per pound, 16 1/2.

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Chills and Fever. A BIVALVE Planter at Baton Rouge, La., says: My plantation is in a malarial district. For several years I have been afflicted with a fever which has caused me to lose much of my time and money. I have tried many remedies, but have never been cured. I have since used TUTT'S PILLS, and the result was marvellous. My fever became healthy and robust, and I have had no further trouble.

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