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TO OUR NEWSPAPER FRIENDS.

The "boys" during our temporary absence from the city published quite a list of notices from our exchanges showing their good opinion of the proprietor of THE OBSERVER called forth by the recent change in its management, which affords us an opportunity to make our most profound bow of acknowledgement thus publicly. We hope we have merited, and hope still to merit, the good will

THE GROWTH OF THE SOUTH The New Orleans Times-Democrat is doing a valuable work in writing up the resources of the South and printing in a full and comprehensive manner what these resources are and at the same time showing the astonishing progress the South is making. Last Saturday's edition was a mammoth publication containing full interviews with all the governors of all the Southern States, giving a complete review of the South from the Ohio and Potomac to the Gulf and Rio Grande. The gist of these interviews is condensed in the following which we clip from its editorial columns and commend to the attention of our readers as an evidence of the marvellous progress the South is making. And yet it is but the beginning. Read and ponder upon the following facts

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This is an increase of \$640,707,028 in four years, an average of \$160,176,-

Can any section of the country Can any section of the country make a better showing than is—even the great West? A comparison with 1876 when the Southern States first secured possession of their own governments, would make an even better showing. How rapid is the growth of the South evidenced by the fact that the increased assessments, over 1882, amount to take \$253,000,000-

nearly the value of the cotton crop.
In every respect the South has im proved, but in no more so than railroads, fully \$300,000,000 being invested in the construction of new railroads. During the past four years, four Southern States-Arkansas, Florfollowing table will show:

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l	Arkansas	1,574	78
	Florida	1,038	48
١	Georgia	2,912	2,44
	Kentucky	2,000	1,52
	Louisiana	1,140	46
	Mississippi	1,762	1,12
	North Carolina	1,600	1,48
	South Carolina	1,517	1,4
	Tennessee	2,091	1,66
	Texas	5,760	2,45
	Virginia	2,560	1,64
	Total	26,049	17,20
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crease for the whole country.

Our interviews with Govs. Thompson, of South Carolina, Jarvis, of North Carolina, and McDaniel, of Georgia, give a full history of the development of cotton manufacturing in the South; such a perfect picture of this new Southern industry, placing the facts before the world, the increase in mills, the large dividends paid, that all the arguments of the New England millmen will be as nothing against these overwhelming arguments of facts and figures. And here, again, the ceusus figures are out of date, so rapid has been the development of the Southern States, although they showed wonderful growth in cotton mills from 1870, the period of the most extraordinary progress, particular and prepare God's people for the coming together of the brotherhood of Christ than the commemoration of the great reformer He did not hestate to grasp the hand of any true follower of Jesus. In his mighty struggle he welcomed all into the state of the southern states are out of the southern states, particular and prepare God's people for the coming millennium, when all shall "dwell together in unity."

Surely no more fit occasion could be found for this coming together of the brotherhood of Christ than the commemoration of the great reformer He did not hestate to grasp the hand of any true follower of Jesus. In his mighty struggle he welcomed all into the most extraordinary progress, par-ticularly in cotton manufactures, fol-lowed the Atlanta Exposition, and came after the census was taken.

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This is an increase of over 60 per cent in barely three years. The fur-ther facts elicited about the cheapness of manfacturing cotton goods in the South and the dividends paid ranging from 15 to 20 per cent must bring about an even greater growth of this industry in the South in the next few years than that it has wit-

nessed since 1880. With nearly 60 columns of these interviews, sufficient to fill a very large actavo volume, before us, all concisely written and full of interesting facts, it is almost impossible to say which are the most salient features. All of them show the growth and improvement of the South, and the birth and development of new industries.

Ex-Senator A. G. Thurman says he is not a candidate for U.S. Senator or any other place, except a place to rest and enjoy himself.

Ferdinand C. Latrobe, Democratic candidate for Mayor of Baltimore, is having a lively time these days. He is without a doubt the most "cussed" and discussed denizen of that burg.

The increase of postoffices in the South during the past year was 725. while in the West it was 580. A straw which shows that the South is up and | each in the penitentiary.

The "Catholic Directory" says the Catholics in the United States in 1874 numbered 5,760,000 and in 82 6,880, 000, an increase of nearly 20 per cent.

is to be tried at Silver Lake, Orange county, Florida. Three pairs of os-

cordially hates Pendleton, hopes to beat him for the U.S. Senate with Thurman, whose election it advo- guilty.

The anti-Butler men say that Butler is running the registry mill in that State now. Registration in Boston is now 3,000 in excess of last year, and most of it of the Butler kind.

An unparalleled drought prevails in Alabama. In the section around Tuscaloosa there has been but one good rain since the 1st of July. As a consequence the crops are an entire

Hon. S. S. Cox in a speech at Baltimore the other day, speaking about factions, warned his hearers not to forget general issues in these "little insectiverous questions of local government." But sometimes these insectiverous questions become elephantine in proportions.

The Trade Review just issued by the Augusta Chronicle is a valuable and a splendid production, thirtytwo pages, handsomely printed and beautifully illustrated. It is full of statistical information of the progress and growth of Augusta, and is quite as much a credit to the city where it is published as to the enterprising publishers.

The Hon. George H. Barger, chairman of the Ohio Democratic State committee, denies the report started by the Republicans that the Democrats carried the State by the use of money from the East. Mr. Barger says that not one dollar came from the East or any point of the compass, except from Ohio Democrats and candidates for legitimate campaign purposes. They had no corruption

The Luther Anniversary.

All good people are rejoiced to see the efforts making almost every-where in christian lands to commemo ate the 400th anniversar of the birth of the immortal Luther. We are particularly gratified that the united Lutheran Synod of North Carolina have resolved to commemorate this grand event in a becoming, liberal spirit. The exercises are to be under the direction of the Lutherans, ida, Louisiana and Texes—have doubled their railroad mileage, as the following table will show:

dider the direction of the Editerals, but all Evangelical churches are invited to participate. This is as it should be. While the universal world

should se. While the universal world is gradually coming together in the spread of knowledge, p litical freedom and broad ideas of trade and commerce, it is meet and proper that the true followers of Christ should move and then unite together in the glorious brotherhood of Him who came as the Prince of Peace and proclaimed light and liberty to all the earth.

Yet this is just what the sectarians of modern christians are loath to of modern christians are loath to do. While all classes of society and all occupations of life can occasionally unite and mingle agreeably together in the various festivities of our time,

it remains for the church of the one This is not as it should be.

diversity of creeds and churches is

mighty struggle he welcomed all into the fold, and it was his clarion voice that roused the nations, and still carries the christian banner aloft. Cram-Here is a picture of four years of cotton manufacturing in the South: ers of sects and creeds may all and each have their followers numbered by millions. But after all it was the heroic fight of the peasant preacher and his sturdy arm that made the and his sturdy arm that made the princes and powers of Roman Catholicism tremble. Well may the historian, Froude, declare the appearance of Luther before the Imperial Diet at Worms "the finest, if not the very finest, scene in human history."

Let, therefore, all the Protestant churches of this whole region cordially unite in the proposed Lutheran celebration at Concord on the 10th of November next.

MANY CHRISTIANS.

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FROM SPARTANBURG.

Proceedings of the Court of General Sessions.

SPARTANBURG, Oct. 2', 1883.—The Court of General Sessions for Spartanburg county adjourned to-day. Judge Hudson presided. The calendar was very heavy, and affords the following information:

James Davis, assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. Found guilty and sentenced to a fine of \$20 or two months in jail.

Henry Linder, carrying slung shot concealed. Guilty. Sealed sentence.

Thos. W. Keeler, rape, and assault

with attempt to ravish. Mistrial. Defended by Bobo & Carlisle. Robert Liles, assault with intent to ravish, and assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. A nolle prosequi entered. J. S. R. Thompson

for defendant. Joseph W. King, selling spirituous and intoxicating liquor. Defendant's attorneys, Bobo & Carlisle. Con-

Nelson Moss, murder. Defendant's attorneys, Bobo & Carlise and Wilson. Verdict, not guilty. Ransom Brown, Cleveland Brewster and Nicey Calvert, attempt to poison. Defended by Mr. Thomason. Found guilty and sentenced to ten years

Dean Bryant, charged with ma-licious mischief. Found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary for six

Alice Williams, Ella Moore, Salena Glenn, grand larceny. Defended by W. S. Thomason. Not guilty as to The experiment of ostrich farming

Alice Williams; continued as to Ella Moore, and guilty as to Salena Glenn.
Sentenced to eighteen months in the

penitentiary. Warren R. Swinson, L. Brewton county, Florida. Three pairs of ostriches were shipped from New York last week to begin with.

The Cincinnati Enquirer, which

Warren R. Swinson, E. Brewton Moody, forgery. Swinson defended by Bobo & Carlisle; Moody defended by Evans, Bomar & Simpson. Nolle prosequi as to Moody; guilty as to Swinson. Sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Alvin McAbee, bastardy. Defended by Calvert & Jones. Verdict, not John Berry, house breaking in the day time. Found guilty and sen-

tenced to one year in the penitentiary, Thos Horn, carrying pistol concealed. Found guilty and sentenced to a line of \$10 or two months in Jail Davis Mitchell, charged with horse stealing. Calvert & Jones for defendant. Nolle prosequi entered. Richard Miller, grand larceny. De-fended by Calvert & Jones. Found guilty and sentenced to three years

in the penitentiary.

Jacob Childers, Caroline Chapman,
adultery. Jacob Childers found guilty and sentenced to a fine of \$100 or six months in the penitentiary. Peter Abercrombie, assault with intent to kill, and assault and battery

of a high and aggravated nature. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to the pententiary for two years. Albury Hammet, assault with intent to kill, and assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature. Continued. J. S. R. Thompson for

defen ant. Jerry Harrison, burglary and lar-ceny. Plea of guilty of grand larceny accepted, and sentence of three years in the penitentiary imposed.
Rufus G. Ray, charged with oppression in office. Continued.
Preston Thompson, burglary and

larceny. Found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. William Smith, carrying pistol con-cealed. Represented by Calvert & Jones. Pleaded guilty and sentenced to \$20 fine or two months imprisonment and forfeiture of the pistol. Columbus Johnson, house breaking

in the day time. Pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the penitentiary for Elias King, hog stealing. Defended by Wofford & Jennings. Verdict,

not guilty. The Court of Common Pleas was called. Its calendars are very much crowded, but it cannot last longer than Friday next. Judge Hudson has consented to return and hold court here during the last week in November.

A Wife's Soft Answer.

New York Life. Twas past twelve at midnight when he rolled home and prepared to concoct some story for the lateness of his return. She, however, was awake, and with sharp scented was awake, and with sharp scented nose detected an odor of gin. "What smell is that, my dear?" she remarked. "Cloves, my love." "But the other odor, sir?" "Allspice, my sweet." "But I smell something else." "Oh, that's cinnamon." "But I am certain I smell something that isn't spice at all." "Oh that's an apple I ate before I came in." "Well, I should think." she replied, "that if you'd just take a good drink of brandy before you came in and eaten a ham sandwich you would have had all the ingrediyou would have had all the ingredient necessary for a good mince pie."
He sighed as he dropped to sleep and murmured that he'd have done so if

Effect of the Civil Rights Decision. The first public action since the Supreme court decided against the constitutionality of the civil rights law is that taken by Senator Brown, of Georgia, as President of the State road of Georgia and head of the Georgia syndicate. He has announced that the policy he proposes to pursue in respect to persons of both races traveling on the Western and Atlantic Railroad is to provide separate cars for the whites and blacks, with as comfortable accommodation for the colored people paying the same price as that provided for the white. But while making this arrangement, he states that he will be more careful than ever to see that the colored people have their full rights on the trains. The conductors will be ordered neither to permit white people to intrude upon colored nor the latter upon the white. In all other respects they are to be treated alike.

he hadn't been afraid of bad dreams.

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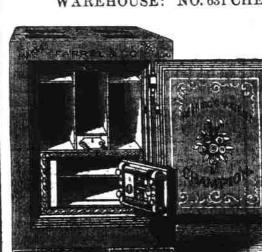
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