

ENGLISH TO REFORM BALING

PLAN BUY TEXAS PLANTATION.

Visit of Lancashire Cotton Men to United States... Purchase and Management of Large Plantation...

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Washington, Nov. 2.—The recent visit of several cotton mill men of Lancashire, England, to the United States is apparently about to bear fruit...

A sequel to the Washington cotton conference and the visit of the Lancashire manufacturers to this country last spring is the proposed investment of Lancashire capital, in the raising of American cotton...

It is to be hoped, it is said in England, that this venture by English manufacturers will be entirely successful...

The existing combine of ginners that blocks all attempts by planters and manufacturers to improve conditions might for a time resist even the influence of good example...

The influence of such a plantation on the other evils that afflict the cotton trade are not equally evident...

The commission that is coming here to make purchases will in all probability go over much of the same ground as that covered by the former commission when it toured the

South and Southwest in quest of good cotton lands. Their route will probably take them through North and South Carolina...

While the object of the commission will primarily be to secure land for cotton growing, it is said that there is a possibility of some large mills being erected by them...

MARK ALL-STEEL CARS

Adviser received at the Postoffice Department would indicate that the all-steel car has come to stay...

Railway postal clerks assert that this ought to be an object lesson to Congress, and that inasmuch as the government pays unusually high rates for the transportation of the mails...

It is interesting to note that whereas the volume of express business is very much larger than the mail business, and more frequently delays passenger trains...

SURETY COMPANIES AND DISTILLERS' BONDS

Commissioner Yerkes of the bureau of internal revenue, in reply to several communications from distillers in different parts of the country asking to what extent surety companies may be accepted on bonds of distillers...

1. Where a distiller or distilling company operates more than one distillery, a surety company may be ac-

cepted on the warehousing bonds of that distiller for the spirits in warehouse at each distillery to an amount not exceeding the assets of the surety company liable to execution...

2. Transportation or export bonds may be accepted from the surety company even though the total amount of its warehousing bonds of any one distiller owned by the distiller for whom it is furnishing the transportation or export bond is equal to the amount of its assets...

In determining the amount of the warehousing bonds which may be given by a surety company for any one distiller or distilling company, the basis of such determination should be the assets of the surety company as shown by the regular quarterly report of such company required by law to be made to the Attorney-General of the United States...

ANNA HELD RECOVERS GEMS

Suit Case With \$280,000 Worth of Jewels Mysteriously Returned.

Anna Held, the actress, has recovered that \$280,000 worth of jewels which she lost in so mysterious a manner last week. The recovery was quite as mysterious as the disappearance of the jewels...

Night Policeman J. Hennessy, of Painesville, picked up the suit case. The detectives, their prisoners, and the suit case went on the Lake Shore train that was the last seen of the quartet and the valise in Painesville...

"This is Detective Myers, of Toledo. The suit case contained the Anna Held jewels. They are all recovered."

If all dyspepsia sufferers knew what Dr. Shoop's Restorative would do for them, Dyspepsia would practically be a disease of the past...

TAINTED MONEY.

John Bull Does Not Cope With the Question as Well as His American Cousins.

Providence Tribune. Though some things may be done better in England than in this country, there is reason to believe that some things are not done so well in dealing with the somewhat perplexing subject of tainted money...

There passed away recently in London an estimable woman, a woman well worth being remembered to her by her first husband, a noted money lender...

It has been said of Americans that they lack the polish and refinement of the old world civilization; that they are avaricious and grasping; that their sensibilities and powers of nice discernment have not reached the time necessary to that full development which denotes complete mastery over what is crude and barbarous...

The mere asking of the question constitutes an offense, because on this side of the water conduct of which the Scots Guards are proudly and complacently guilty would be as impossible as it is incomprehensible to the money lender...

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This Day in History.

Name day: Theophilus. Sun rises at 6:53. Sets at 5:7.

1493.—Columbus, on his second voyage to the new world, discovered land, which, in honor of the day, he called Dominica.

1560.—Sir Francis Drake returned from his voyage around the world.

1741.—Behring wrecked on the island which bears his name.

1771.—First newspaper printed in Albany, N. Y.

1775.—St. Johns surrendered to the American General Carleton, in attempting to cross the St. Lawrence with 500 men...

1812.—Col. Coffee attacked 200 of the Creek Indians and killed every one of them in retaliation for what they had done at Fort Mims...

1820.—The treaty of St. Louis, by which the Indians ceded to the United States lands north and east of the Mississippi river, concluded.

1830.—Carter Berkeley, an eminent Virginia physician, aged 72, died, while feeling the pulse of a dying patient...

1854.—Louis Napoleon withdrew his interdiction to the journey through France of Mr. Soule, the American Minister.

1864.—The battle of Franklin, Tenn., resulted in a Union victory—General Hood commanding the Confederate and General Stanley the Union army...

1868.—Gen. Ulysses S. Grant and Schuyler Colfax elected for President and Vice President of the United States by 507,721 majority of the popular vote...

1905.—George B. McClellan elected mayor of Greater New York by a plurality of more than 60,000, defeating Mayor Seth Low.

1905.—The independence of the Isthmus of Panama declared.

1905.—Prince Louis, of Battenberg and staff received by President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House.

A YEAR OF BLOOD.

The year 1862 will long be remembered in the home of F. N. Tackett, of Alliance, Ky., as a year of blood...

Heavy Repairs

1st Cotton Mill Man: "We ought to have a machine shop in the South to do our heavy repairs."

2nd Cotton Mill Man: "What do you call heavy repairs?"

1st C. M. M.: "My Corliss engine isn't working right. I hate to spend the money to bring a man all the way from Providence, R. I., to overhaul it."

2nd C. M. M.: "You don't have to. The D. A. Tompkins Co. has been overhauling Corliss engines for a long time, and they do it well. They've got all the tools and small engines to drive the boring bars and everything."

1st C. M. M.: "Is that so? If the Tompkins Co. are doing such work I'll have them send a man to the mill at once to look the engine over and see what it needs and make a price on doing the job."

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