

HUMAN LIFE KEEL LIGHTLY

JUDGE GAGE DEPLORES CRIME

To Jury in Court of General Sessions at Yorkville Presiding Judge Declares That the Public Looks Upon Murder as a Minor Crime...

Special to the Observer. Yorkville, S. C., July 14.—The summer term of Court of General Sessions convened here yesterday morning with his honor Judge George W. Gage presiding and with Solicitor Henry to look after the State's interests...

Promptly at 10 o'clock court was called and at once got busy. A batch of eight indictments for various crimes was handed to the judge and he forthwith delivered a short, clear, succinct and forcible charge to the grand jury...

These figures do not entirely represent the total production of cotton in the world, as large quantities are grown and consumed in the homes of the people in China, India, Asiatic Russia and in other Eastern countries...

The high prices for cotton resultant from the American civil war greatly stimulated production in British India and all the other cotton producing countries.

The production of 200,000 bales attributed to "other countries" in 1907 was chiefly by Greece, Italy, Indo, Africa (other than Egypt), Hayti, Dutch East Indies, Japan, Korea, West Indies and Argentina.

There are croakers, kickers and knockers in all communities and of course we have them in and around Yorkville. Last fall they learned, through the newspapers, that a panic was on in Wall Street...

It is estimated that there are still about 15,000 bales of cotton in the hands of the producers in this county and that scores of them have about come to the conclusion that they will accept 12 cents, if they can get it.

IF CAN'T BE BEAT. The best of all teachers is experience. Mr. H. H. H. of River City, North Carolina says: "I find Electric Bites does all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it most excellent medicine."

MILLS AND MARKETS

WORLD'S COTTON PRODUCTION

Census Bureau Issues Statement as to the Production of Cotton Last Year—Crop of 1907 16,512,185 Bales For Mill Consumption.

Table showing World's Cotton Production by country for 1907. Includes United States, British India, Egypt, Russia, China, Brazil, Mexico, Peru, Persia, and Other countries.

Table showing the world's commercial production of cotton for the last four years (1904-1907) in bales.

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FOR PIMPLES, TOO

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