

THE STATE GUARD ENCAMPMENT.

The Governor in the exercise of his power and discretion as the Commander in Chief of the Militia of this State, has very wisely ordered an encampment of the State Guard for ten days this summer.

THE CAUSE OF SOUTHERN IMPROVEMENT.

The Nashville American and the Louisville Courier-Journal both claim the credit of first attracting attention of capitalists to the South.

The fact is, both are right—and wrong. Our Kentucky contemporary has ever been the friend of the South, and never let slip an opportunity to say a good word for her.

The direct results were soon felt. Home people awakened to the fact, that they might not longer idly dream away the time allowed them by a kind Providence if they would keep pace with the world.

was quickly invested here and there, values increased, fortunes were made and the only thing adverse to general prosperity is a disposition by over zealous speculators to give a fictitious value to securities, or in other words "boom" certain localities.

The following is a short but most excellent lesson in tariff economy, and is worthy of the consideration of every working man:

"Pat," said a mill owner, "don't you vote the Democratic ticket. It is a free trade ticket. If that party wins, your wages will be reduced one-half."

Pressure is being brought upon Governor Perry of Florida to call an extra session of the Legislature for the purpose of creating a State board of health.

When, in the closing hours of last Congress, Mr. Hendryson got a vote on his bill to repeal the tobacco tax, the vote stood: For the resolution, 131 Democrats and 8 Republicans;

The Old Squire Ramsey, of Blue Gap, wrote to a friend in this city last week: "The continued rains and heavy weather has made us all sick with Rheumatism and Nervousness. My wife was not able to walk for a time, and the only thing we could find that would stop it was the Genuine Dr. Hart's Relief."

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SPRINGFIELD, S. C., April 2, 1887. Gentlemen—For twenty years I have had a sore on my left cheek. It had gradually been growing worse. The many physicians whom I had consulted were unable to do me any good.

WISCONSIN, N. C., April 12, 1887. Gentlemen—Two or three years ago a cancerous growth grew on my nose. I was on my feet, and my general health was good. I was told I had a cancer.

Trenton, Tenn., Feb. 22, 1887. Gentlemen—I had a sore on my nose for five years. Several different doctors attended in vain to it. One gave me a certain cure. It is not possible to say that it was a cure. About two years ago it became quite uneasy, as people thought I had a cancer.

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