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Corn acreage was 82,108,387, producing ,078,143,933 bushels, the value being \$692,210,110, the average yield per acre being 25.3 bushels and the average price

Acreage in cats was 26 341,380, the production was 786,177,713 bushels and the value \$198,167,975, the average yield per acre 30.2 bushels and the average price

The barley crop is estimated at 73,381,-563 bushels, the rye crop at 123,961,741 bushels, the potato crop at 228,783,232 bushels and the hay crop at 156,653,756

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In the south of Italy the first artistic wigs were made for the Gapiniens, who lived in Apulia, and were known for the luxuries of their toilet. These people their faces; this they did with the juice of strawberries.

Xenophon relates that little Cyrus when he visited Astyages, his grandpaint, and who wore an enormous wig, threw himself on his knees and cried: "Oh, mother, what a beautiful grandfather I have!"

Phoenician women, who were proud of their hair, having been ordered by t....r priests to offer it up on the artars dedicated to Venus after the death of furnish inferior goods, who do poor work, Adonis, obeyed, but with murmuring. Soon they were consoled by a Greek merchant, who tald them that he would "I had bronchivis every winter for pates under luxuriant curls. In his a consideration, and if the professional

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to maintain peace. That is the opinion of the wisest statesmen. It is equally true that to be prepared for spring is the best way to avoid the peculiar dangers of the season. This is a lesson multitudes are learning, and at this time, when the blood is sure to be loaded with impurities and to be weak and sluggish, the millions begin to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, expels all disease germs, cheates a good appetite, gives strength and energy and puts the whole system in a healthy condition, preventgering pneumonus, fevers, and other dangering pneumonus, fevers, and other dangering pneumonus, fevers, and other dangering pneumonus places and property which are lightly considered by all considered by a place of the property of t

The cadet battalion of the A. & M. college will parade on the afternon of the 22d, Washington's birthday, and will have dress parade in front of the governor's mansion in Raleigh.

Next Tuesday, the 20th, the E. L. synod of North Carolina will meet in Salisbury to consiler any and all propositions placed in the committee's hands for the removal of the North Carolina college.

The concentrating mill at the Union copper mine has been set in motion and the first ore was put brough the mill last Saturday and it worked aumirably. It is expected that the mill will be regularly in operation in a short time.-Salisbury Truth-Index.

The corn and grist mill at Double Shoals was washed away last Monday night by the swollen stream. The mills belonged to the Double shoals cotton mills and the loss is probably about \$800. The river was higher than it has been for some time.-Shelby

For the first time the throttle of the new engine at the oil mill was turned Tuesday afternoon and the machinery started upon its work. No seed were put into the mill that afternoon, but it is now busy at its work. They have an abundance of seed piled back waiting for the mill .- Concord Standard.

On Tuesday night the safe in the store of Max & Brown, at Davidson, was blown open, and the money amounting to about \$400 was stolen. The news first came here to Policeman Harris. From the looks of the explosion it is thought to have been the work of experts. There is no clue whatever at this time as to who the

The Durham correspondent of the Charlotte Observer says the victims of the explosion are all doing well and physicians hope for the recovery of all of them. He adds by way of peculiar incidence that while the heavy machinery was twisted, mashed and ruined the power house clock was blown across the house and left without injury. Mr. Dickson's watch, too, was gatherned out of the debris ticking ahead and none the worse for what had

The disappearance of Solomon Pool, the old negro who lived near Wake Forest, remains a mystery. There has been another hearing in the case of his wife and son, who are charged with murder. The evidence is entirely circumstantial, and is that he was killed in the house by blows on the head; that efforts were made to get the blood stains from the floor; that the bouy was sunk in the river, and that a letter was forged purporting to come from the old man, and dated at Richmond, Va., saying he was there and well. The son is still in jail, without privilege of bail.

A sad affair occurred a mile south of town this afternoon, when Charles Hammer, in defending his own life, shot and mortally wounded his 19-yearold son. Hamner is proprietor of a dairy and his son has been driving one of the milk wagons for some time. After making his delivery this morning he became intoxicated and remained in town until shortly after 12 o'clock taking dinner at a restaurant. When he reached home the boy's father and mother made an effort to get him to go into the house and eat dinner, but he was in an ugly mood and started to leave, telling them he was going to a near-by distillery. His father began to remonstrate with his son, when the latter drew a revolver and would have fired had it not been for the entreaties of his mother. Hamner got hold of the revolver and in the scuffle that ensued he was severely beaten and choked by his son. Recognizing the superior strength of his son, and believing his life to be in danger, the father fired a ball into the body of his boy, following it with a second shot before he could release himself. Both balls entered the stomach and will prove fatal. Hamner carried the limp and bleeding form of his son into the house and sent for a physician, after which he walked into town and surrendered himself to the sheriff. The preliminary hearing has been postponed until the grief-stricken wife and mother, who was the only eye were, they say, the first who painted witness to the tragedy can attend. Mr. Hamner is a plain, honest and industrious man and is crazed with grief over the sad occurrence which caused him to stain his hands with the blood father, whose eyes were framed in blue of his offspring.-Greensboro Despatch Charlote Observer, 14th.

The Waturbury American notes a new profession for women, that of "professional scold." "Women," it says, 'who are too timid to face the tradesmen'who charge exorbitant prices, who or the landlords who will not attend to making needed repairs, or servants who are impertinent or incompetent, can give them the means of hiding their bald have their scolding done for them for chariot he had hundreds of wigs of all soold knows just how to talk to these delinquents she can accomplish what any amount of reasoning and mild remonstrance have failed to do.

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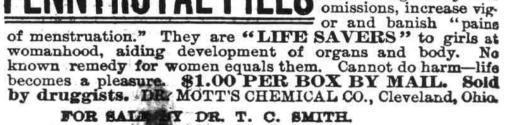
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