

Heroism of a Child.

She sacrificed her own life to save her brother and sister.

Rev. Edwin Clay, M. D. writes from Pughsville, Canada, as follows:

On Friday night last Mr Cornelius Crowley retired with his family to rest, a little after dark. About two o'clock they were aroused by the sound of fire somewhere in the building.

On springing from his bed he found the whole body of the house in flames. His first thought was to get help, to be run at once to the barn where two of his sons were sleeping.

He found it impossible to get up stairs, where five of his family were sleeping, or to his father's room, where the old man and a little son were sleeping together.

LIVE BEEF FROM TEXAS TO ENGLAND.—The Ariadne, a steam vessel of 1400 tons and 200 horse power, is the pioneer of live cattle from Texas to England.

FOR LIBERIA.—In a few days the ship Gecunia will sail from Norfolk for the Republic of Liberia with two or three hundred colored emigrants—men, women and children—to build up their own fortunes and the fortunes of that new rising State on the Western coast of Africa.

HORRIBLE DISASTER IN OHIO.—Ten human beings perished to death—Granville, Ohio, Oct. 30.—At 2 o'clock yesterday morning a fire occurred at the Licking County Infirmary, situated two miles south of this place.

The cotton crop of the Southern States this year is estimated to be worth \$420,000,000, while the total value of the exports of the South is set down at \$328,000,000.

The Condition of the South.

Almost everywhere the South seems to be waking up to the importance of its interests, in and out of Congress, manufacturers, and of its large crops of cotton, corn, sugar and rice.

The Southern States are good times ahead, and we rejoice at all the reports taken by her to exhibit her wealth and promote its increase.

Washington Items.

Several prominent members of Congress are endeavoring to induce the President, in his message to Congress, to express his disapproval of the proposed removal of the Capital.

Wasted Money.

It is demonstrated that the people of the United States, even with all its debt and all the cost of war, are taxed more than any other people upon the face of the globe.

The ship "Golconda," belonging to the American Colonization Society, sailed on the 31st inst. from Baltimore to Liberia.

News Items.

ALABAMA.—A destructive fire occurred in Greenville, on the Montgomery and Mobile Railroad, totally destroying 17 business houses.

TENNESSEE.—A resolution was introduced in the Legislature declaring Cooper's election as U. S. Senator void.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Six cars loaded with cotton and tobacco were burned, roasting one man.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 3.—The Superior Court has issued an injunction against the Board of Education for excluding the Bible and sacred music from the public schools.

UTAH.—Beadle, the editor of the Utah Reporter, was beaten to death. It is alleged his articles against polygamy was the cause of the attack.

RECEIPTS.—His Excellency Governor Holden has commissioned Hon. J. L. Henry to hold special terms of the Superior Courts as follows:

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For the county of Cleveland, third Monday, February, 1870.

These courts will be held until business is disposed of. Only civil cases will be tried.—Raleigh Standard.

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A SENSIBLE CELESTIAL.—A reporter of the New York Telegram recently had an interview with the Chinese giant, and asked him what his fellow-citizens of the Celestial Empire thought of female suffrage.

North Carolina News.

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THE POWER OF CONSCIENCE.—The total amount of money received by the treasury department at Washington up to date, and credited to the conscience fund, is \$113,991.81.

By Request.

To the Stockholders of the North Carolina Railroad Company.

GENTLEMEN:—A few facts and figures are necessary to refute the false charges, assertions and statements of various editors and others in relation to the proposed lease of the North Carolina Railroad.

First, The Sentinel asserts that the Directors had executed and delivered a certain contract to the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Company, leasing the N. C. Railroad, not subject to the ratification of the stockholders. This is the substance. The statement is utterly untrue.

We will notice Mr Turner's administration, which I leave to you to compare with any other successful than any previous one had been, and a disposition on his part to parade it is really pardonable.

I will now notice briefly the remarks of my friend Pike, the editor of the Standard, who is a contemporary to lease the North Carolina Railroad.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of December next, at noon, at the Court House in Charlotte, I will sell a tract of Land, lying one mile East of the City of Charlotte, containing 1600 Acres, one-half of which is under cultivation, and the rest heavily timbered.

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was only worth an average of about seventy cents in the dollar, or less than five per cent was really the dividend.

But the cry is raised that others will give more. The following telegram will explain itself: COMPANY SHOPS, October 29, 1869.

R. R. Bridgers, Pres't W. & W. R. R., Wilmington, N. C.—I am informed that you have authorized certain editors of the State to say that your company would pay for the lease of the North Carolina Railroad three hundred thousand dollars per annum, and that you had the authority under your charter to make the contract.

At my request, Mr Stagg, Secretary and Bookkeeper of this Company, gives from his books a statement showing the Income and Expense of your Road for the last four years, which speaks for itself:

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Vaccination and the Danger of Introducing Other Diseases. The question of the merits of vaccination seems much to agitate the public mind both here and abroad, and it certainly is to be regretted that an agent productive of so much good, as a preventative of the direful pestilence of the small pox, should be accompanied, more or less, by the danger of introducing into the system other diseases of a severe type.

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THE OLD NORTH STATE MINING COMPANY having settled their affairs and suspended operations for the present, notice is hereby given that from this date no person or persons are authorized to contract any debts on account of said Company.