

LOCAL AND OTHER NEWS

Cholera, or no cholera, it pays to keep clean.

Don't fool with indigestion. Take Beecham's pills.

The darkey will soon sing his last song to the watermelon this season.

Fall will soon fall on us. Now is the time to fall-in with your advertisements.

The first three months of 1892 show an exportation of almost six million bushels of corn to Germany in place of but a little over one million in the corresponding period of 1891.

All the schools will soon open. The teachers and pupils have had a pretty hot dose of summer vacation; and unless it rains soon they will not be braced up much for business in the head work line.

This is the season of the year when the girl who is too broken down to assist her mother can walk up and down a board walk at a sea shore resort for nine hours at a stretch, with nothing to lean against but a broken-down duds.

Whole bones contain much valuable fertilizer, chiefly phosphoric acid, but it is some trouble to reduce them so as to make this available for plant food. Bury the bones about the roots of vines and trees, and you may utilize them freely without any labor.

"Hit 'em agin," the Massachusetts Ploughman says, were men governed by reason and common sense, stock breeding would advance with wonderful strides. One of the first things to do would be to exterminate about nine-tenths of the dogs of the country and thus to promote sheep breeding. But for the dog raising ten sheep might be raised in New England where now only one is found.

Strikes and lockouts all over the country just as the administration is drawing to a close which made such great promises for the working people before it came into power are not a very encouraging sign for the continuation of that party in office. We regret the business conditions as they are, but we are glad that the work of education is still going on. Our schools were never better in Durham.

An extract from Mr. White-law Reid's speech delivered at Springfield, Ill., last Thursday. He said: "Neither am I here to utter one word against the gentlemen whom the opposing party presents for the popular suffrage. I come from the State of one of them, and am, at this moment, a guest in the State of the other. It gives pleasure to know that both of them are tried, able and sincere men—too sincere and too honorable to take a nomination without incurring its full party obligations or to stand on a platform without accepting and maintaining its doctrine.

No man who minds his own business, obeys the laws and keeps the peace need not be afraid to call things by their right names; but there is a young Durhamite, who is said to be a good marksman, when in the presence of ladies, and they happen to refer to his marksmanship, he tells them about his good shots at the ox's eye—leaving the bull's eye out of the question! How the mark that people shoot at, called the bull's eye ever got into an ox's head, we don't understand. We would go miles to see him shoot at an ox's eye. Such blunders as this causes many who are thrown in the company of the fair sex to become a positive burden.

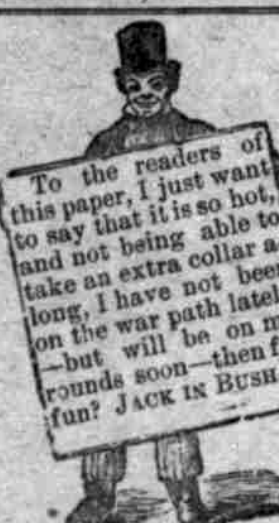
Witherspoon Ervin, in September Fetter's Southern Magazine, contributes a most interesting story, "The Fiddler of Linnville Cave," the scenes of which are laid in the mountains of Western North Carolina, showing in his most graphic style how common occurrences are weaved into legends by the simple folks of that country. In point of interest it rivals the famous legend, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," while the style is peculiar to the author. This story is beautifully illustrated by F. W. Cawein, and Carolyn Brenner, and the work painting of the beauties of this beautiful section is the best which has appeared in a long time. Living among these mountains Mr. Ervin seems to have caught with his pen the drip of the fountain, the color of the foliage and the purity of the air.

1893. "Oh, hear dem bells a-ringing. It will be sweet, I do declare; Oh, hear dem Democrats singing, Grover is in the chair."

Here's Your Mule.



The Durham RECORDER attempted to crow a little over the news from Alabama, and by mistake put the cut of a hen in the paper instead of a rooster. Bro. Hackney should know that the crowing of a hen is an ill omen.—Progressive Farmer Maud S. so long the queen of the trotting turf has dropped out of the race—has been beaten and Nancy Hanks is now the centre of attraction. But our readers will say that the above cut doesn't represent either! That's a mule! That is so; but the editor of the Progressive Farmer won't know the difference, because he don't know the difference between a hen and a rooster! Now that's straight! Running a paper in the interest of the farmers, too! But it don't make much difference brother, you won't need any to crow next November. We will now tell what Nancy did. Today one week ago, at Washington Park, Chicago, in the presence of 10,000 spectators, this mare beat her record, of 2.09. She not only accomplished her task, but lowered the world's trotting record from 2.081, the time of Maud S., to 2.071.



To the readers of this paper, I just want to say that it is so hot, and not being able to take an extra collar a- take an extra collar a- take an extra collar a- but will be on my rounds soon—then for fun? JACK IN BUSH.

Sam's Earnings.

Sam Jones is preaching in Urbana, Ohio. Among other things he said: "The first year they put me on a \$65 circuit for the whole year. That was getting it down pretty 'econ o-nickle. I can say before God, who judges me, I never worked more faithfully or more persistently on \$25,000 a year than I worked when I worked for \$500. I have gotten where I could afford to preach for less money, but it is best for you stingy devils that you have to pay something for it. [Laughter.] "The laborer is worthy of his hire. They say he is preaching for money. If I did not sacrifice \$500 to come here out of my own pocket I am not here. If a lect're bureau did not offer me \$200 a night for my services, my name is not Sam Jones. I have been paid \$500 an hour, and some of you can't get ten cents, and if you did you would have to give it back to them. [Laughter.] I will tell you one thing: It is nobody's business about Sam Jones preaching and lecturing, but it is God's business what he does with the money after he gets it. If I didn't give more money away since last Christmas than your daddy and granddaddy, and all your folk clear back to Adam, I will eat the whole lot. [Laughter.] It would be a dirty job, but I would do it."

Convict Labor on Roads.

Wherever an expression is given on the question of labor for public roads, the sentiment is in favor of the plan, yet the convicts are kept at labor that comes into competition with trades and honest toil, put at farm work, etc. The Roanoke Herald voices the sentiment of the people when it says:

For years this writer has been convinced that the public roads afforded the only field where the convict could benefit the community and do injury to no one. Even when employed in building railroads the convicts crowd out honest labor desirous of employment, but work on the public highways is a bete noir, shunned and disliked by all, and here the convict can perform labor which will add millions to the value of real estate and aid largely in attracting the capital and immigration needed to develop our wonderful resources.

Our Exports and Imports.

The exports of leaf tobacco from the United States for the year ending June 30, 1892, was 255,423,077 pounds, as against 249,232,605 pounds for the fiscal year 1890-91, showing a slight increase for the fiscal year lately ended, yet the exports of late years have not been as much as for years previously. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 1886, the exports were 292,767,890 pounds, in 1887, 394,920,123 pounds, and in 1888, 262,682,821 pounds. While the exports of leaf show a slight increase for the fiscal year lately passed, cigarettes show a slight decrease, as but 306,545,000 were exported as against 319,013,000 in the previous year, yet the total was very satisfactory and contrasts remarkably with cigars, only 3,017,000 of which were exported in the past year, against 3,875,000 in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1891.

The proportion of our total crops of leaf tobacco exported seems to be growing less each year. Early in the eighties nearly 60 per cent. of the crop was exported, and now not 45 per cent. of it is shipped abroad, notwithstanding the large increase in production.

The home consumption in the past ten years has increased at least 135,000,000 pounds, while our exports have fallen off. Few realize the steady growth in home demand, and its significance on our production. In the year past the increased consumption by home manufacturers was above 14,000,000 pounds. It points to but one conclusion—relatively more attention to types used by the domestic trade.

Durham Sun Locals.

Capt. Kitchin spoke last night. The Democratic club had a good meeting in the court house last evening. To their surprise and pleasure it was found that Capt. "Buck" Kitchin, of Scotland Neck, was in town en route to Roxboro. A committee waited on him at the Hopkins House and escorted him to the Court House, where he addressed the club for more than an hour in one of his inimitable speeches. He spoke many words of encouragement to the Democracy assembled and his speech was full of good, hard sense, sarcasm and enthusiasm. It was not generally known that he was here yet he had a good crowd to hear him. Many a Democrat misses a good thing by not attending the Monday night meeting.

Maj. W. A. Guthrie has written a letter to the Progressive Farmer declining the People's Party nomination for Associate Justice.

For a sluggish liver, nothing can surpass Ayer's Pills. They contain no calomel, nor any mineral drug, but are composed of the active principles of the best vegetable cathartics, and their use always results in marked benefit to the patient.

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Barlow Minstrels.

Barlow Brothers' Minstrels opened their season at the Lee Avenue Academy, Brooklyn, August 3, and at noon on the same day made their inaugural parade. There had been much promised, but it more than satisfied great expectations. It was a very finely equipped parade, and left an impression that was strongly felt at the box office all day. The evening performance was greeted by an audience that packed the Opera House to the doors. Standing room was at a premium, and hundreds were turned away. The show in its entirety was fresh and catchy, each feature being loudly applauded and encores being unusually frequent. The stage setting, curtains and costumes were new and rich. The first part disclosed the fun-makers and vocalist in the foreground and the orchestra on the raised platform in the rear, arranged in costumes of light green silk plush, trimmed in lilac and gold satin. The singers were in blue plush, pearl and silver satin, and the ten end men wore red plush and gold. This brilliant picture was masked in with draperies of old gold satin with scarlet swags, edged with silk tassels, fringed gracefully and artistically festooned. The decorations were very pretentious, and created considerable comment during the evening, as the colors were blended beautifully, and the contrast striking, novel and picturesque. The strong performance through the first part was refreshingly new and full of spirit, as it allowed the comedians full scope, while the vocalists sang several ballads of elevated character and more than ordinary merit. This was followed by an olio rich in variety and extraordinarily good. The entire entertainment was received with demonstrations of pleasure.

The entertainment was brought to a close by a new, bright and catchy burlesque written especially for this company, and which there was displayed some very costly and elaborate wardrobe. Manager Joseph A. L. Dalsen can certainly feel proud of the success he has had in organizing such a strong company.—N. Y. Clipper, Aug. 15.

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EXECUTORS NOTICE.

We the undersigned having this day qualified as Executors of the last will and testament of Robt. J. Jeffreys, hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement and all persons having claims against said estate to present them to us properly verified within time prescribed by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. July 15, 1892. ETHA C. JEFFREYS, G. C. FARTHING, Executors.

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