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LOUISBURG, N. C. MAY 27 1887.

MOTHER'S GRAVE. were indicted this morning by the

BY W. A. MATHEWS Now, while o'er thy grave is bending, Mother dear, thy orphan boy, From the distantiskies decending,

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Come, and fill his heart with joy, Tell the kind and gentle Master
Of thy happy home above.
That life's storms some thicker, fast Over him you fondly love.

Tell him that thy son is lonely, Oh! so lonely here to-day, Tell Him, mother dear, just only (th! I feel thy presence near me, Mother, thou hast heard my pray. Thou hast come to comfort—cheer in And to bid me not despair.

Mother, tell me, does the spirit, In thy happy home on high, Aught of eartuly carer inherit— Mother do the angles sigh?

Softly now, methinks, she answers, In that old familiar tone: "Willie, no; all earthly cancers To the angels are unknow."

Theu, dear mother, tell the Master
That I would an angel be;
That to make the year move faster,
For I want to live with thee. Mother, motherl do not leave me, Just a moment longer stay-She has gone; but, oh! believe me.

We shall meet again one day.

Richmond Whig.

IN SIXTY MINUTES ( in a ) Goldsboro Messenger.

In dealing with certain questions the greatest delicacy must be observed by the responsible press, It will not do to encourage the commission of violations of law and order, no matter what the pretext. On the other hand, it reverses all of our received notions -and here we speak plantly to condemn such violations when they are the result of loose or inadequate laws or administration of laws.

Now we confine the latter remark entirely to the class of cases to which the Tar. oro affair belongs. MESSENGER regrets the necessity for this exercise of natural as opposed to official justice, and it well knows that every citizen who assisted in the execuiton of the outrager Hart likewise regrets it. In every other class of offenses the law should take its course. and even in this class there should be no mere display of vengeance; and nothing but the failure of the law or a well settled conviction of such failure should excuse the taking of human life save in self defense or by the verdict and sentence of a court of justice.

With our Southern people, out-side of a few hot-headed communities, the refinements of a high civilizattion and the obligations of a rational and uplifting religion have been always suf ficient to insure respect for human life. And except under peculiar conditions, and when the enlightened class was laboring under unusal excitement, the negroes of the South have been secure in both life and limb. Our humanity would spurn a brutal treatment of our inferior people. So that, whenever swift hand is stretched out and some dark fiend is hurled into eternity for the good of society, it is a slander on our good name to say that the doer was more hated than the deed. The same justice would be meted out, to the whitefaced demon by his own race. It was not because Hart was a negro that he was punished; it was because he was a devil in the guise of a man, and the law failed to provide for his crime a punishment at all adequate to is

But we guit the business of defence and make assault on the statute. W call upon our wise legislators to frame a law which shall not be a mockery of justice in these cases. Make it death to attempt the crime for which Hart was hanged to a tree by an outraged omity. Let it not be said that the law of North Carolina, a State so widely famed for its law, lawyers and law abldingness, fulls so far short of the ends of human law that its citizens are forced, not to vindicate, but to supplement it. Give us swift punishment for all violators of the chasti ty of our girls and women. Nothin less than this is demanded by public save the self respect of our people.

We have said more than we intended, as to space. Our purpose was to direct attention to the speedy manner in which Kentucky courts deal with these criminals. It will be recalled that a few days ago two negroes were arrested in Louisville charged with the outrage and murder of a young white servant. The following telegram states the fsequel:

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 13.-Wil-

grand jury for the murder of the servantigirl Jennie Bowman. The crime was the cause of a formation of the recent mob whose attack upon the jail caused so much excitement and necessitated the calling out of the militia by the Governor. The men were ind cted at half past twelve, and arraigned at one o'clock. Patterson pleaded not guilty and claims he can prove an alibi. Turner pleaded guilty.
His case was given to the jusy, who
brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, after having been out but one minute. He was sentenced to be hanged the 1st of July next. This is the quickest justice ever meted out to a criminal in Ken-

arraigned, found guilty in one hour. MANY SIGNS OF RAIN.

tucky, Turner having been indicted

If moles cast up hills, it wil rain. I U.A.L. U. A.L. If swallows fly lower than usual, expect rain.

If the crickets sing louder than usual, it will min, If frog and toads croak, more than usual, expect rain. If the convolvulus and chick weed close, there will be rain. It cats lick their bodies and wash thir faces, it will rain.

If the cock crows more than ual and earlier, expects rain. If cattle leave off feeding and chase each other in the pastures, it will rain.

If the sea birds fly toward land and the land birds fly toward the sea, there will be no rain. If the maringolds continue shut

expect rain. If bees remain in their hives or fly but a short distance from them. it will rain.

after seven o'clock in the evening

It the crows make a great deal of noise and fly round and round, expect rain.

If water fowls scream more than usual and plunge into the water, expect rain. If the leaves of the trees move

without any preceptible wind, rain may be expected. If fish bite more readily and

gambol near the surface of streams and ponds it will rain. If sheep and goats spring about in the meadows and fight more

than usual, expect rain. If peacock and guinea fowl scream and turkeys gobble, and if qualls make more noise than usual,

there will be rain. If horses stretch out their necks and sniff the air and assemble in the corner of a field with their heads to the leeward it will rain. If smoke from chimneys blow down, or if soot takes fire more readily than usual, or falls down the chimney into the grate, expect

PRESIDENTIAL BREAK FAST.

A standing dish for the White House morning meal, which was inaugurated by President Grant, and of which he was inordinately fond, and which is relished by President Cleveland, is breakfast bacon and fried apples. The method of cooking the bacon and apples is to cut thin strips from moderately lean piece of well cured con of the best quality and fry until brown as a crisp. Take a dozen or more tart hard apples, greenings prefered; peal and slice into eighter fry in some of the fal of the bacon until they are well browned. Place the mass on a flat dish over a strainer, and with a fork lay the strips of bacon comparatively dry upright around the . The lat strains from the apples and bacon. The apples sentiment and nothing short of it will are thus relieved from the excessive richness of the bacon juice.

Many thousands of persons live in regions where Malaria prevails in such quantity every season, that every stranger coming among them will have an attack of chills. The old residents are full of the poison also; they often feel miserable, but don't know the cause. A dose or two of Shallenberger's Antidote for Malaria stroying it. Use Darby's I would lift them into perfect health at Fluid in every sick room.

SENATOR JOHN H. REGAN ON PROHIBITION.

Hon. John H. Reagan, United States Senaior from Texas, recently wrote a letter in relation to the Prohibition Amendment in that State. in which he said:

"While I have heretofore felt constrained to oppose ecause its friends sought t a political issue, anda and overthrow the Demo party, that reason does not exist, and I am not inclined by speech or vote to countenance the evils flowing from the selling of intoxicating liquors, as now practiced, or to give them the moral, support of public opinion or the protection

of the State government. "In every community we find men once houored and respected, reduced to poverty, wretchednes, and dishonor, by spending their time and money in drinking-saloons; wives weighed down with grief and sorrow and want, and heart-broken and helpless chilrden growing up in ignorance, beggary and vice, because husbands and fathers have been daunkards and vagabonds by patrontzing the dainking-saloous. Millions of dollars are invested in this business of making men drunkards and in producing the desolation and ruin of women and children, which, if employed in agricultuae, manufacturing, or commercial pursuits, and directed by the time and talents waisted in these drinkinghouses, would add untold millions to the aggregate wealth of the State, and make as many thousands of happy families as are now made miserable because this money and time are given to the drinking and selling of intexicating liquors.

"I regret that Democrate should seek to identify that great and grand historic party with the fortunes and fate of while shops, drunkards, and criminals.

"I have during all the years of my manhood been a Democrat of the straitest sect, and an earnest and enthusiastic dicipline of Thomas Jefferson, whom I regard as the greatest politician philosopher and statesman this country has ever produced. And I would be as far from desiring to see laws passed that would interfere with the freedom of legitimate commerce, or which would undertake to control the purchase, sale, and use of necessary food, drink, or apparel, as any one could be. But I believe it to be the duty of the people, in a lawful manner, to protect themselves and society against the evils of the improper sale and use of intoxicating liquors. We now have the opportunity to promote sobriety, thrift, and happiness without endangering the success and perpetuation of the principles of the Democratic party, and I am in favor of doing so; and I shall, at the coming election, so vote, not because I believe Prohibition the most effective remedy which could be adopted for these evils, but because in my judgment it favors a policy which will do much for the improvement of the condition of our people pecuniary, socially, and morally, and toward placing them on a higher and better plane of civilization."

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THE COTTON CROP.

Telegrams to Bradstreet's as to the cotton crop shows that the crop of the country, owing to a backward spring and dry weather generally throughout the belt, is late from five days to two weeks. Com ared with recent seasons, however, the disparity as to the planting time is not so great, and in severa is the planting bas been flatshed fully as early, and in some cases earlier than last year. The greatest delay in planting has been in those sections usually showing early progress. In Texas, especially, the dry weather assumed the proportions of a drouth, which delayed planting, and where seed was put in it delayed germination. But the past few days have shown a marked change for the bettet in cotton crop prospects. Rain has been general in many States, and the Texas dronth has been effect ually broken. The present spring shows a sharp contrast with that of 1886, when there was too much rain. Crop conditions are good, and chopping out has begun in several States. The most cheerful reports come from Carolina. In Georgia and Alabama dry, weather has delayed planting and retarded growth where the seed was already in. The weather has been too cool for rapid growth, but a change in this respect is noted. The general crop prespects are reported equal to those of last year at this time,

though it is too early to decide definately. The telegrams show that the supplies at the smaller accounted towns are almost exhausted. Many towns report no stocks at all Nearly all show that where cotton is held now, stocks are vastly less than at the like dates last year As examples of this the following towns are instauced; - Meridian, Miss., has a stock of 200 bules; last year this time, 2,000 bales. Grenada, Miss., has no potton on hand; one year ago 500 bales were held. Fort Smith, Ark., was 400 bates; one year ago 5,000 bales. The stock at Opelika, Ala., is 50 bales; last year it was 400 bales.

It may be of interest to know that where the question of acreage is reported it is generally accompanied by a statement that the area planted is equal to if not exceeding that of last year. This is more manifest in the southwest THE VERDIT UNANIMOUU

te-tifies: "I our recommend ETai tric Bitters as the very best remode Every bottle sold has given relief ne every onae. Oue man took six biv les and was cured of Bheumatism os & years standing." Abraham Hareruggist, Bellville, Obio, affirms-tf dhe best selling medicine I have evachandled in my 26 years experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands ofth hers have added their testimony, soil oat the verdict is unanimous theh ectric Bitters do cure all diseaOuer e Liver, KidneysD or Blood.

A court martial has sentenced to death three Greek officers for treachery having surrendered to the Turks during frontier fighting.

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live in ! N ature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceas, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in per-tect health; but how often do the ma-jority of people feel like giving it hp disheartened, discouraged and were out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make them free from diseare, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-live per cant. of such mala-cles as Billiou ness, Indigestion, Sick headaolie, costiveness, nervous prostration, Dizziness of the head, Palpitation of the heart, and other dis-treesing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonder-fel effect. Sample bottles 10 cents. Trypter and aids and trible our grate

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PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIEN PACTS, THEORIES, AND ADVICE PROM WELL KNOWN AU-THORITIES ON HEALTH.

Notwithstanding the thorough inrestigations during late years of the physiology of digestion, authorities continue to differ on some important points. One tells us that the fishit of chewing gumlis very prejudicial benaturally that when called upon afterward to act in the mastication of food they cannot respond as fully as they should. Again we are informed that perfect rest of all the organs is essential to refreshing sleep, and that if food is taken just before retiring, and we go to sleep with a stomach more or less full, the sleep will be unsatisfactory and disturbed. other hand, authorities of Amhers college, in instructions to students end half an hour of sleep af fer dlaner and supper, and the eating of a few Graham crackers just before retiring, when wakeful from brain work, to draw the excess of blood from the brain to the stomach. They also state that chewing gum daily before eating, aids the digestion of food by increasing the flow of eative and stimpulates indirectly the secretion of the digestive fuices of the stomach. Science, in commenting on these differases of sleeplessness, and believes that many a person has been kept awake from a mistaken whim that he nust not eat at sight It is of opinion that a few Graham cra kers can never do horm; but is coubtful as to the benefits of chewing gum upon the digestion and would healtate to recpurpond it without a guarantee of the composition of the gum used.

A LADIE'S REMARKABLE TESTING

Mrs. Wilson is the wife of R. W. W. son, one of the best known citizens of Hopkinsville, Ky. She had a wanderfu oure of S. S. which she described i the following letter. Mrs Wilson would cheerfully in detail to any sufferer her thrilling experience and joyful covershe is nathusiastic over d. S. S. as a maic for delicate women:

Hopkinaville, Kr., Feb. 24, 1887. Seven years ago, a sere developed my nose from a onger nail scratch. I tried a few simple remedies, but the sore would not yield. I grew worse every year for seven years. Many thought had a cancer. Over a year ago, I began taking 8, 8, 8, and two dozen bottles en tirely cured me. When I began with Swift's Specific I was in very poor health, and could hardly drag about. After I had finished the course of S. S. I. was strong and bourant and had a good appetite. I regard it a most in invaluable medicine medicine for ladies in weak deficate, health. It is a household mediicine with me

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