

[ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT WILMINGTON, N. C., AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.]

Queen Victoria has promised Prince William, who will be her first married grandson, and his bride, Princess Augusta Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Augustenburg, to be present at their wedding, in February next. It is well known that Princess Augusta Victoria is not a rich princess. Her dowry will be smaller than that of many a city merchant's daughter.

George Bancroft, the historian, was eighty years of age on the 3rd ult. He graduated at the Harvard University at the age of twenty, and subsequently went to Germany, where he made the acquaintance of Goethe. It is reported that a new work will soon be published by Mr. Bancroft entitled "History of the Formation of the Constitution of the United States from the Treaty of Peace with Great Britain to the Inauguration of Washington as President."

On Wednesday the ten electoral votes of North Carolina were cast for Hancock and English. Gen. James Madison Leach was made Chairman of the Board and Mr. D. A. Covington the Secretary. Mr. Busbee will carry the vote to Washington. The following telegram was sent to Gen. Hancock:

RALEIGH, N. C., December 1, 1890. The Board of Electors of North Carolina to Gen. Winfield S. Hancock - Greeting: Though defeated, the heart of our people is with you. Their admiration for your patriotism and devotion to civil liberty is unabated. North Carolina to-day gives you her ten votes for President. (Signed) J. M. Leach, President. D. A. COVINGTON, Secretary.

It is sad to think that at this moment, when change is so scarce, \$47,488,106 are stored away and lying idle in the treasury vaults of the government out of \$72,847,750, coined since February, 1878, or less than three years ago. Only \$25,359,644 have been placed in circulation. The government now owns two thousand tons of silver and the quantity is constantly increasing at the rate of fifty-three tons per month. Why cannot the coin be turned loose for the benefit of the country? The South, at least, could stand a goodly addition to the scanty moiety that has been doled out to her.

Besides this vast amount of hoarded silver, no less than \$85,000,000 of gold bullion is reported to be in the treasury, subject to a monthly coinage of \$10,000,000 of the denomination of five and ten dollars.

In Berlin the average number of horses killed for food this year has been 450 per month, while last year it was 350. All the horses eaten are killed in a central slaughter-house, and each horse, before it is killed, is carefully examined by two veterinary surgeons. At the present time the butcher pays about 42 marks, or \$10.50, for a piece of horseflesh weighing from 250 to 300 pounds, but he retails it at 40 pfennig (or about 10 cents) a pound for the flet, 25 pfennig per pound for other pieces, and 20 pfennig for parts only fit to be made into sausage; and as horseflesh is naturally very dry, largely consumed by persons who are little aware of what they are eating. In one or two other German towns the consumption of horseflesh is, in proportion to their population, even larger than in Berlin.

A gentleman residing in this city who has been dealing in fish for many years past, in commenting on an article published by us a few weeks since on the introduction of the German Carp into North Carolina, tells us that it is a very rapacious fish, and that he does not think their introduction here will prove profitable. He says that they will destroy any and all other fish they can get at and that in a few years, wherever introduced they will be almost the only denizens of the water.

In Germany, he says, these fish are much esteemed. Over there they are bred in ponds especially adapted to the purpose and where no other fish are introduced. He thinks that it will pay better eventually for the Fish Commissioner to devote all of his time and energies to fostering the growth and production of natives of the State.

Habit, if not necessity, makes a Hair Dressing such as Dr. Ayer's laboratory issues indispensable to many. The "Vig" is one of the most delightful we have ever used. It restores not only the color, but gloss and luxuriance, to faded and gray hair.

The New York papers state that the Harpers disposed of their 20,000 fifteenth edition of the Earl of Beaconsfield's "Eudymion" the first day of its publication, and the next day filled orders for 10,000 more. The prospect is that it will be widely distributed over the United States within the next ten days.

It is now thought that the recent severe weather, which seems to have been general throughout the South, will cause a marked decrease in the sum total expected from the cotton crop. In Memphis, the Cotton Exchange seems to have reduced the assertion to figures, and they claim that the decrease in yield will be 28 per cent. A Memphis dispatch says: November is generally the busiest month for picking, but this month the weather has been such that laborers have not been able to work in the fields but five days during the past four weeks. This state of affairs not only exists within the district of the Memphis Cotton Exchange, but throughout the States of Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana and Eastern Texas. Within this vast territory a million bales or more of cotton are annually raised, and the damage will cut short the crop fully 25 per cent. of estimates made in the early part of the season. There is yet more than one-third of the crop in the fields ungathered, and much of this will be lost.

There will, we think, be some loss, but not a heavy one, in North and South Carolina. The fact of repeated rains and damp weather, with but very little of sunshine during the month of November, will be sure to have a disastrous effect.

AMERICAN SHIPPING

The New York Bulletin says the decadence of our commercial marine is not a gradual dry rot; in point of fact, it is rapidly progressive. In this respect there is no mistaking the statistics of the register of the treasury, just submitted in his annual report, covering the operations of the past fiscal year. According to these, the total tonnage of the country exhibits a decrease of 101,566 tons. Steam tonnage has increased 35,386 tons and canal boat tonnage 2,852 tons; while sailing tonnage has decreased 56,555 tons and the barge tonnage 83,250 tons.

During the year, the amount of shipbuilding has been less by 35,620 tons than that of 1879. The increase in steam tonnage is chiefly visible in additions to our coasting vessels. In the foreign trade we are doing nothing worth speaking of. It does not appear that any orders have been executed for the European carrying trade. At this rate, it is clear, American shipbuilding ere long will become one of the lost arts. Congress, at its approaching session, can, if it will, do something to assist this long depressed industry by removing the shackles which obsolete navigation laws have imposed upon it for the special benefit of our European competitors in the carrying trade.

MOONSHINE.

A gentleman saw an old Highlander one day fishing with a bent pin. He said to the man, "Fish will never be caught with that." "Ay, they will," the man replied, "if they'll only take it into their heads."

"Dear sir," said an amateur farmer, just from the country, writing to the secretary of an agricultural society, "put me down on your list of cattle for a calf."

An old lady who has several unmarried daughters feeds them on fish diet, because it is rich in phosphorus, and phosphorus is the essential thing in making matches.

Chicago sailmakers get three dollars a day and six dollars on Sunday. They are anxious to have next year's almanac made with six Sundays in a week and only one week day.

The young woman who had many suitors, and from the time she was sixteen until she was twenty-one rejected them all, referred in her latter life to that period as her "declining years."

The Vermont housewife who read that English nobles have lots of hares in their preserves says she tried it in some blackberry jam and doesn't believe these foreign stories.

A Georgia young man asked his sweetheart whether she had ever read "Romeo and Juliet." She replied that she had read Romeo, but she did not think she had ever read Juliet.

"Why is it your leaves are so much smaller than they used to be?" asked a Galveston man of his taker. "I don't know, unless it is I use less dough than formerly," responded the baker.

An old fellow who seldom draws a sober breath was told that he would ultimately fill a drunkard's grave unless he mended his ways. "Well," said he, "I s'pose it will be all right. Somebody must fill drunkards' graves, or else there wouldn't be any use digging 'em."

Another Candidate.

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Louisville Post.

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County of New Haver. Superior Court. George Davis as surviving executor and trustee of the will of Dr. Louis J. Poisson, plaintiff. Against William H. Green, James D. Flanner, Mary A. Shaw, and others, defendants. IT APPEARING to the satisfaction of the Court that Joseph H. Flanner, Charles Flanner, Bennett Flanner, and A. J. Flanner, (son of John D. Flanner, deceased) are the defendants in the above entitled action, are non residents of this State, that a cause of action exists against them, and that they are proper parties to said action, and that an action brought to foreclose a mortgage executed by the plaintiff by the defendant, William H. Green and H. G. Flanner, deceased, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants, to appear at the next term of the Court to be holden at the Court House in Wilmington, in said County of New Haver, on the first Monday (the 6th day) of December next, and answer or demur to the plaintiff's complaint, or judgment will be taken according to the demand of judgment thereon. S. VAN AMRINGE, Clerk Superior Court. oct 23-law-6w-sat

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