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THE CIRCULATION OF THE MORNING STAR IS LARGER THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN NORTH CAROLINA.

CHICAGO JOURNALISM.

Whatever may be said of the advantageous surroundings of the journalistic profession in other cities, we are quite convinced that Chicago is sui generis in the attractions which it offers to newspaper talent and enterprise.

The Chicago method of putting a case, involving an issue between two or more journals, is in the highest degree transporting and exhilarating.

No sooner does an advertiser send his announcement to its natural channel, the Tribune, than he is forthwith waited upon by the drummer of every other city paper.

He is interrupted and beset by the persistent assaults of a dozen advertisement bummers, led by the raging Times man, who hints that unless the ad is published in that sheet, &c.

The rejoinder of the Times to the mild imputation, though freezing in its irony, is couched in quite as polite English as even the copious vocabulary of Mr. "Brick" Pomeroy could afford.

Mr. Horace White is the responsible editor of the Chicago Tribune. The editor of the Times has hitherto been led to believe Mr. Horace White to be a more decent person than he is esteemed to be by the generality of people.

After reading such fulminations as these, the question naturally suggests itself, "what do these people mean?"

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Miss Eliza, a twelve year old prima donna of Vienna, is coming to America with the celebrated orchestra composed wholly of ladies and conducted by a lady, the whole under engagement to an American impresario.

THE TREATY.

The indications, which, at first promised an early ratification of the treaty, are now not so favorable. If it gets through the Senate at all, it will be only after much discussion and opposition from unexpected quarters.

ANOTHER WHITEFIELD.

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COTTON MANUFACTURE IN THE SOUTH.

The Cost and Profit of a First-Class Mill in Mobile—The South can Underwork the Northern Spinner—The True Policy to Bring the Machinery to the Cotton Field.

COLUMBUS, GA., April 23, 1871. A. J. Ingraham, Esq., Mobile, Alabama.

Dear Sir—Your favor of the 17th inst., with the information requested, was duly received.

I now ask your consideration of the following remarks, in reference to the re-establishment of the cotton manufacture at Mobile, interrupted by the burning of the Dog River Mill.

The same site is well adapted for the business which I am about to propose to you, and to any of your citizens to whom you may think proper to communicate this paper.

It has the advantages of accessibility by land and by water from the city; of salubrity, and of very low cost.

The theoretical capacity of a mill of 200 looms, weaving goods 48 picks per inch, is 3,540,000 yards per annum, but to avoid the objection so frequently made to theoretical estimates the annual production may be taken at half a million yards less.

Cotton is now quoted in Mobile, at 14 1/2c. for Middlings 13 1/2c. for Good Ordinary. From these quotations, I think that a grade of cotton costing 18c. will be good enough for the proposed manufacture.

At this price, the material in one yard of goods will cost 5.36-100 cents, and if the cost of manufacture, and of sale, is taken at 4 cent per yard, the entire cost of the goods sold will be, at present prices, 9.36-100 cents per yard.

Thirty-six inch sheetings are quoted in the last Mobile Price Current, I have seen (April 15th) at 10c. to 18c. If the price be estimated at a medium between these extremes say 11c. in Mobile, the profit per yard will be 11.5c., 9.36c., 2.13c., per yard, and for the annual production of three million yards \$64,200, equivalent to 28 1/2 per cent. on a capital of \$225,000.

To avoid misconception I state the charges which I suppose to be covered by the estimated manufacturing cost of 4c. per yard.

They are: Direction, office rent, fuel, clerical force, superintending, overlookers and operatives' wages, findings (bobbin shuttles, etc.), burlaps for packing, commission 5 per cent. on sales, insurance and taxes; in short every thing except the cost of material, from the opening of the bale to the rendition of account sales.

One more statement in this regard: The Augusta Factory, in this State, pays its stockholders 5 per cent. every three months and has done so much, I believe, since the war, besides retaining a large fund.

The rank of Mobile, as a cotton mart, offers to a vigilant and active manager many opportunities of purchasing material at less than quotation. Samples, pickings, light bales, mixed packed bales, etc., are offered in considerable quantities in large markets, and give the manager great facilities to reduce his average.

For all markets of which Mobile is the receiving and distributing centre, it may be made the manufacturing centre as well.

For instance, a mill at the North or East exactly similar in every respect to the one proposed in Mobile, and making the same annual yield of 3,000 bales, of 1,000 yards each, in order to place the whole of its products in Mobile, would incur a freight charge, at a minimum rate of two dollars per bale—\$6,000 per annum—in order to put its products in competition with those in the home mill, in the market of Mobile, and of its dependencies.

But, moreover, it will have paid at least one cent per pound more for its material. The material for three million yards will be 1,200,000 pounds, costing at one cent per pound, twelve thousand dollars more to the mill in question than to its Mobile competitor.

In these two items alone the home mill has an advantage of eighteen thousand dollars per annum over its Northern rival; at least to the extent of all markets, for which Mobile is economically a distributing point.

If I am right, thus far, has not the home mill an advantage of 8 per cent. on the estimated capital of \$225,000, so far, in the annual cost of its operations for twenty-five years?

NAVASSA GUANO COMPANY

Manufacturers of the Patent Ammoniated SOLUBLE NAVASSA PHOSPHATE, A Complete Manure, Rich in Ammoniacal and Alkaline Salts and Soluble Phosphoric Acid.

It has given entire satisfaction on Corn, Cotton, Tobacco, and all small grain, root crops and vegetables, to which it has been applied.

Price, \$55 00 Per Ton, Cash, or \$65 on Credit.

REAL ESTATE DISTRIBUTION OF MEMPHIS FOR 1871. SHARES, \$5 EACH.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SALE OF \$500,000 WORTH OF SHARES, THE FOLLOWING Real Estate and Personal Property will be drawn at Memphis, Tenn:

- 1. New Memphis Theater.....\$50,000
2. Palatial Residence on Real street.....50,000
3. Business House on Main street.....20,000
4. Handsome Residence on Shelby street.....20,000
5. Business House on Second street.....20,000
6. Beautiful Suburban Home, 2 1/2 miles from Memphis, 15 1/2 acres.....24,000
7. Elegant Residence on Shelby street.....24,000
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