

The Weekly Star.

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Writing to change your address always give former direction as well as full particulars as to new one...

Have you received a bill for subscription to the WEEKLY STAR recently? If so, is it correct? If correct, why not pay it?

WHERE THE PROFIT IS.

There is very little profit made in the production of crude materials whether of the mine or of the field.

Price of crude iron, of timber in the forest and of other things in daily demand also runs low.

MINOR MENTION.

With the partial report of the bribery investigating committee submitted to the Senate Tuesday, the business of that committee is practically ended.

There is wealth, however, in the products of the earth, but it is not the first producer, if we may so phrase it, who secures the wealth.

King's Mountain is the center of one of the richest mining sections on this continent, nearly every known useful mineral being found in it.

New England is the richest section of this country. It is naturally the poorest. It is comparatively so small that you might put it down in the center of the country and ride from the Atlantic to the Pacific on either side of it without touching it.

FURIOUS FREIGHT FIGHT.

An Interesting Summary of the Origin and Existing Conditions of the War—The Atlantic Coast Line and the Clyde in It Up to the Week.

The Charleston News and Courier of yesterday gives the following account of the great rate war now on between the rival transportation lines:

AN ADDITIONAL CUT

in the rates to the interior will be made on the 2d of June, and will be in effect before the present week is out.

THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Was the first to begin operations under the new schedule. On the 25th of May it began to haul freight into Charleston, via Norfolk and the Old Dominion Steamship Company.

THE CLYDE LINE

Subsequently met the rates to all inland points. Then the cutting began to be general, and one line after another came down to meet the lowest figures that had been made.

A FURTHER CUT.

Railroad men say that rates will go down again soon, and that there is no telling when the war will be over.

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THAT SMALL INDUSTRY.

It is a Broom Factory—It Will Be in Operation About June 1st.

The STAR has found that "small industry" referred to in a recent issue. It is to be a broom factory, and it will begin operations about June 1st.

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CRIMINAL COURT.

East Day of the Term—John White-Murderer Remanded to Jail—Thirly Imprisonment—Other Cases Tried—Indictment Against City Officials—Grand Jury's Report.

THE BROCK MURDER CASE.

Col. Waddell, the Solicitor, said that he understood that the attorneys for John Brock, the white man convicted of murder in the second degree, desired to withdraw the motion made by them last Saturday for a new trial, and he prayed the judgment of the Court upon the prisoner.

OTHER CASES DISPOSED OF.

Nancy Stallings et al, charged with keeping a bawdy house. Verdict, not guilty.

NAVAL STORES.

Great Activity in the Savannah Market Recently—Large Orders Coming In.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

Buying being this morning before the first call was had at the Board of Trade.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

Excellent Work by the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry—A Score of 24 Out of a Possible 25.

SALEM COLLEGE.

Senior First Evening—Rev. Dr. Pritchard's Sermon.

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The Richmond and Danville and the Seaboard Air Line Take a Hand—The Fight Getting Hot.

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