

REASONS WHY THE SOUTH REMAINS POOR.

The last State Agricultural Journal gives several strong reasons in explanation of the impoverished condition of the South. It is true, as the Journal says, that the press is ever ready to commend home enterprise; but as example goes farther than precept, we would ask, how many Editors in North Carolina practice what they preach?

We may write eloquent articles on the subject of developing our resources, and of adding to our wealth and prosperity, yet so long as we set the example of withholding our patronage from our own people, our words of counsel will fall upon listless and unheeding ears.

We referred a day or two since to an able editorial on the subject of Southern manufactures in the Greensboro Patriot, in which the writer stated that if every man and woman in the Southern States would resolve to wear only home fabrics, when such could be procured, it would not be long before factories would spring up along our streams from which would come as fine work as now comes from the looms of Lowell. How true is this remark? And yet how few will practice the lesson it teaches?

We grow the raw material in the South, which is sent North to be manufactured for us, and returned, with heavy profits added, from the looms of New England, for Southern consumption.

We have in North Carolina water-power equal to any in the world, which is idle and unemployed on account of the want of energy and capital.

We have a few cotton factories in this State, but they would be greatly increased in number if we would patronize those we already have. The cotton yarn sent out of our State are frequently purchased by our merchants of the foreign dealers, instead of being bought at home, at factory prices. This is strange but it is true.

The first step towards the commercial independence of North Carolina will be taken when our people make up their minds to purchase the fabrics manufactured in our State—when it is practicable to do so.

The Granite Cotton Mills in Alamance county, the Salem Mills in Forsythe, and the Rock Island in Mecklenburg are said to manufacture cotton goods of as good quality as can be purchased out of the State. During the war, our soldiers were supplied with clothing, to a considerable extent, from these factories. These factories are now at work, and are constantly turning out almost every species of fabrics, such as cassimeres, gingham, cottonades, sheetings, and shirtings, ticks, drills, domestic plaids and stripes, cotton yarns, warps, &c., of the best quality.

Why cannot our people wear these goods, instead of spending their money, as they often do, for inferior articles purchased abroad?

We have two shoe factories in this State—one at Salem and one at Thomasville. If our people will buy their shoes at home, they will find less paper and wood in the soles.

The State Agricultural Journal published a few weeks ago an incident which occurred at Salem, which is a good illustration of the manner we encourage our home manufactures. A leading merchant of Salem, who purchased his Spring stock of goods in New York, was boasting of the excellent bargain he had made in laying in a large supply of clay pipes, which he said were of superior make and finish. When the pipes were opened and examined, his attention was called to the stamp upon them—"H. S., Salem, N. C." and it turned out that these identical pipes, purchased by a North Carolina merchant in New York, were made at the Salem Pottery of Henry Shoffner, and made to within less than one hundred yards of the said merchant's store!

We conclude these remarks with the following extract from the editorial in the Agricultural Journal referred to in the commencement of this article: "We want factories of every kind, but these factories must have patronage, and like charity, this patronage must begin at home. We remain poor because we must have everything from the North. We plow our crops with Northern made plows, hitch our teams with Northern made harness, cut our wood with Northern made axes, dress our lumber with Northern made tools, drive our Northern mills with a Northern made hammer, and paint our houses with a Northern made brush dipped in Northern paint.

"In short, we are rocked in Northern made cradles, wrapped in Northern made swaddling clothes, suck our paps made of corn starch, through a Northern made nipple from a Northern bottle. We are educated from Northern made books, are poisoned with Northern physic, and gently laid in a Northern coffin, our minister clothed in Northern made clothes, takes our funeral text from a Northern made Bible, and loving hands in Northern made gloves, lower us by means of a Northern made rope into a Southern grave, and our last resting place is marked by a tombstone quar-

ried, dressed and carved at the North. This policy is not the true one. We must manufacture and patronize home institutions. Then, and not until then, can we expect to be independent of the Northern States."

THE MODOC BRAVES.

Captain Jack and his braves have again eluded their pursuers. Just as the United States troops imagined they had them cooped up in their rocky fastness in the mountains, to behold they have disappeared in a twinkling!

The dispatches state that the Modocs escaped by three routes, and are now being pursued by Col. Mason's command, and a vague hope is expressed that he will get them this time. Kingsbury's command has gone to reinforce Mason. In the meantime Jack continues his shout of defiance and laughs to scorn his pursuers. He can now sing with impunity:

"I'm General Jack of the Modoc braves, I'm cock 'o' the walk in the lava bed caves; When I catches 'em out their heads I shaves, The heads 'o' the braves of the army."

THE POISONING CASE IN NEW YORK.

A strange poisoning case is reported to-day in our New York dispatches.

Seven persons, among them the father of Judge Blatchford, were taken suddenly and seriously ill, and upon examination by a physician it was found that they had been poisoned with arsenic. The person who was arrested on suspicion of having administered the poison, was subsequently released as he was attacked with the same symptoms that had prostrated the others. No deaths have yet occurred, and it is hoped that all may recover, although some of the victims are still extremely low.

SELF-DESTRUCTION.

Several cases of suicide are reported this morning.

From the number that have recently occurred in Brooklyn, that city must be an unpleasant place to live in.

Suicides in our cities are frequently traceable to fast living and dissipation. Pecuniary embarrassments produced by reckless speculations constitute another source of this great evil.

Suicides are more frequent at the North than at the South, and this can be accounted for from the fact that our people live more temperately and in less excitement than those in the North.

OUR PEARLESS LEE.

The Edinburgh Review for April contains an eloquent eulogy on General Robert E. Lee, which has been looked for with much interest, as the announcement was made several weeks ago that it would appear in the next issue of that periodical. The distinguished leader of their armies so justly estimated for his noble qualities, purity of character, pre-eminent military skill and matchless heroism. Passion and prejudice may obscure for a while the brightness of the fame won by our military chieftains in the war for Southern independence; but the impartial pen of history will yet do justice to their memories and write their names in undying lustre by the side of the heroes of other nations and of other ages, who have earned immortality in story and in song by the exhibition of those qualities that challenge the admiration of mankind.

The extract below gives a description of the interview between General Lee and Stonewall Jackson during the battle of Chickahominy: "A few minutes more and the gallant soldier himself appeared on the scene and rode up to greet Lee, cheered by Longstreet's men, already veterans enough in war to understand what his coming meant. Nothing, it has been said, of this first meeting of these great soldiers on the battle-field could be in more striking contrast than the appearance and manner of the two. Handsome in face and figure, finely mounted, a graceful rider, calm, visaged, and carefully dressed, Lee presented the beau ideal of the commander whose outward bearing captivated the soldier's eye. His famous lieutenant rode, apparently by choice, an ill-groomed, rawboned horse, and sat so short-stirruped as to give his figure the most awkward appearance. An old cadre's cap, evidently a relic of the college professorship he had not long since left, was drawn down over his eyes. His coat was not only thread-bare but ill-brushed; and his words were jerked out in short, abrupt sentences, between which he sucked the lemon which was, as usual, his sole refreshment during his day's work. Yet each already understood the other, and valued him at his true worth. "That is a heavy fire down yonder," said Lee, as the Federal guns opened in reply to Jackson's. "Can you men stand it?" "They can stand almost anything. They can stand that," was the emphatic reply; and after a few words of order and explanation, he left his chief to lead on the attack. This was decisive, as it was by a fresh advance of the troops before engaged. The Federals were turned, overmatched and driven from their position, and before dark the scattered remains of Porter's force were crossing the Chickahominy in hasty retreat. Lee's first battle, in fact, was as striking a success and as well-learned, as any of the more famous victories in after days which have been so widely studied and so often extolled. No word henceforward from his Government of any want of confidence in his powers, or fear of his over-caution. From that hour he became the most trusted, as well as the most noted general of the Confederacy. As to his soldiers, his constant presence near their ranks, completed the influence gained by that power of combining their force to ad-

SUMMER BEVERAGES.

Now that the sultry summer weather is fast coming on, I have prepared to alleviate the wants of the thirsty. At my Saloon, on HARGET STREET, (Pepper's old stand), can be found all the popular drinks of the season.

MINT JULEPS, SHERRY COBBLERS, TRIPLE TONICS, (a new and favorite drink), DASHED SHERBETS, (most excellent when the thermometer is at 90°), CLARET PUNCHES, JACOB SEEGEN'S Lager Beer always on draught, and others too numerous to mention. I keep none but the purest and best liquors, and guarantee satisfaction to customers.

J. T. HARRISON, Pepper's Old Stand, may 15-Drf

BREAKFAST STRIPS.

A few boxes of those nice Breakfast Strips, apl/4t G. T. STRONACH & BRO.

vantage, which they instinctively felt without fully understanding. From man to man few the story of the hour. The subtle influence of sympathy, which wins many hearts for one, was never more rapidly exercised. Like Napoleon, his troops soon learned to believe him equal to every emergency that would bring. Like Hannibal, he could speak lightly and calmly at the gravest moments, being then himself least grave. Like Raglan, he preserved a sweetness of temper that no person or circumstance could ruffle. Like Caesar, he mixed with the crowd of soldierly freely, and never feared that his position would be forgotten. Like Blucher, his one recognized fault was that which the soldier readily forgives—a readiness to expose his life beyond the proper limits permitted by modern war to the commander-in-chief. What wonder, then, if he henceforward commanded an army in which each man would have died for him; an army from which his parting words were more bitter than any of the fall of their cause could extort; an army which followed him, after three years of glorious vicissitudes, into private life without one thought of further resistance against the fate to which their adored chief yielded without a murmur."

Each of the little boys of the Mount Emory, Tenn., Sabbath school plants twelve hills of corn, and each of the little girls sets one hen, and with the proceeds the school is supported in luxury.

A new dish of grape leaves fried in egg batter; it is called a French dish. A contemporary remarks: "We can't think of anything that would be more delicious than dried grape leaves, unless it is a theatrical poster on toast."

Captain Jack, the Modoc chief, is a full-blooded Indian, and about thirty-five years old. He talks good English, and had, until recently, about eight hundred dollars deposited in the Yreka Bank.

The teacher of a private school in the western part of the city, has substituted castor oil for corporal punishment. He thinks it makes the children much more "dose lie" than the old plan.

Prince Bismark is a great consumer of larger beer, introducing it in his dwelling place in small kegs, which are on tap at all hours of the day and night, and on all occasions.

It is thought that the new Legislature of Connecticut will re-enact a usury law with the legal rate of interest at seven per cent, instead of six, as in the old repealed statute.

A western paper item's briefly thus: "Mrs. John Bagg, of Omaha, has left Mr. John Bagg, taking the money-bags, and leaving John to hold the little empty bags."

A single wheat field on a California farm contains 38,000 acres.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED. Some one to contract to BLAST ROCK from a well. Address, R. B. Lonsburg, N. C. may 20-3t

NEW FASHIONABLE DRESS MAKING. Good facilities for giving satisfaction, both in style and price. The ladies are connected with Weed Sewing Machine office, up stairs over Mrs. Gething's Millinery store, Fayetteville street, Raleigh N. C. my 18-t HATTIE A. MARKLAND

ERSONS DESIRING TO VISIT mountains, can procure BOARD by resting Rev. W. N. MORRISON, Asheville, N. C.

LOST. A POCKET BOOK, yesterday, between Mrs. Gething's Millinery Store and the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad office. The book contained valuables. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at THIS OFFICE. may 14-t

NORTH CAROLINA, CABARRUS COUNTY, SUPERIOR COURT. Jacob A. Fisher, et al., Plaintiffs. Against Wm. Morrison and the Concord Gold Mining Company, et al., Defendants. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the parties to the above named cause are necessary parties to this action, and that they reside beyond the limits of the State, and cannot be served with process, it is therefore ordered that publication be made for six weeks successively in the "Raleigh News," a paper published in the City of Raleigh, N. C., notifying the said defendants of the filing of the complaint in the above action, and that unless they appear at the next term of our Superior Court for Cabarrus county, to be held at the Court House in Concord, on the first Monday in July next, and plead, answer or demur to the said complaint, the same will be heard ex parte as to them and judgment granted according to the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Concord, this 14th day, 1873. JOHN A. McDONALD, Clerk Superior Court, Cabarrus county. J. Y. ALLISON, Atty for Plaintiffs, may 16-16w6w Concord N. C.

REMOVAL. BETTS, ALLEN & CO. have moved their Sash, Door and Blind Factory to the lot of the old Bayonet Factory, on the line of the R. & G. Railroad, at the northern terminus of Gaston street, where they will be pleased to see their old friends and customers.

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GILHAM'S "COTTON" FERTILIZER, 1873.



IS STAMPED WITH THIS TRADE MARK FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE PLANTER AGAINST ALL IMITATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Is the only fertilizer, (excepting Peruvian Guano,) in the United States, (to our knowledge,) that is sold STRICTLY ON A CASH BASIS!

This CELEBRATED "COTTON FERTILIZER" has won such a marked and extensive reputation throughout the cotton growing region of North Carolina and Virginia, that the Manufacturers, (the "SOUTHERN FERTILIZING CO." at Richmond, Va.) cannot do more than supply the demand.

ENTIRE CASH DEMAND FOR THE ARTICLE. Planters who will need small quantities, for second application to their crops, would do well to send in their orders AT ONCE, as we have now a very small lot on hand, which is closing out rapidly. THIS FERTILIZER IS SOLD ONLY FOR CASH!

SOLE TERMS: \$30.00 per Ton of 2,000 lbs., cash—at our warehouse in Norfolk, Va. Drayage to a warehouse 50c per Ton, additional. Freight to destination to be paid by party ordering. C. W. GRANDY & SONS, COTTON FACTORS, NORFOLK, VA., May 4-D&W1W

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JOHN H. POWELL, Esq.: DEAR SIR—The Soluble Sea Island Guano purchased of you this season was used by the side of three others, and has given me more satisfaction than any of the others. The Soluble Sea Island Guano was the one used upon the acre of land upon which my son raised the cotton upon which he took his State premium for the greatest amount of cotton to an acre; and I am informed by the Chairman of the Committee that had been entered for the largest amount of cotton to the acre, premiums open to all ages, he would have also taken that premium, beating all 150 lbs. I am better pleased with it than either, and I observed a marked difference in favor of the Sea Island. Shall use the same next season for my cotton crop. A. B. GRANGER.

ALSO EIGHT PREMIUMS AT WAYNE COUNTY FAIR. The Amount of Seed Cotton made on an Acre of Upland by Mr. Granger was Three Thousand Six Hundred and Thirty-three Pounds.

EDGECOMBE COUNTY, N. C., December 12th, 1872. Messrs. R. W. L. RAISIN & Co., Baltimore: I bought of Messrs. Branch, Herbert & Co., last Spring, one ton of your Soluble Sea Island Guano for myself and three tons for other parties, and I find them all well pleased with it, and say it is the best Guano, and paid them better than any they ever used. The ton I used myself was put in cotton by the side of two other guanos, and I am willing to say that I should buy the Soluble Sea Island Guano in preference to any other next season for my cotton crop. Very respectfully, J. R. GREEN.

W. H. AVERA, Esq.: DEAR SIR—The ten bags Soluble Sea Island Guano more than met my expectations. I consider it equal to Peruvian for cotton. It paid me over 50 per cent. I more than doubled the crop. My neighbors who bought it are highly pleased, and will use it in preference to any other when it can be had. Hope you will keep a supply the coming Spring. Truly yours, R. HARE.

LOUISBURG, N. C., December 4th, 1872. Wm. Powell, Esq.: I bought of you Soluble Sea Island Guano for my cotton crop next year. It is the best I have ever used. ELLIS MALONE.

HENDERSON, Granville County, N. C., November 29th 1872. To S. J. PARHAM: The Soluble Sea Island Guano purchased of you was used on tobacco and cotton by me by the side of Peruvian Guano, Stenowall & Co. I like it much better than either, and I observed a marked difference in favor of the Sea Island. Shall use the same next season for my tobacco and cotton crops. S. ROYSTER.

HENDERSON, Granville county.

HENRY BURRELL, Esq., has stated to us that he made a test this present year's tobacco crop, using two other higher-priced guanos, but is convinced that the Soluble Sea Island Guano is the cheapest guano he has ever purchased, and shall use it again.

YANCEYVILLE, Caswell County, N. C. December 6th, 1872. Captain W. P. ROBINSON: DEAR SIR—In reply to your inquiry as to how I liked the Sea Island Guano I got of you, I wish to say that I applied 1,200 pounds to the acre, alongside of Peruvian, Pacific Guano and Gilham's Tobacco Fertilizer in equal quantities; it stands the drought better than either of the above fertilizers. It matted better on the hill and cured better and more yellow than either of the other fertilizers used. I think it is a splendid fertilizer and I expect to use it next season. Yours, respectfully, MARCELLUS MIMMS.

WILSON, N. C., January 11th, 1873. Circular of eight pages of Certificates at WILLIAM C. STRONACH'S, AGENT AT RALEIGH.

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SPRING TRADE, 1873. We take pleasure in inviting the attention of the Merchants of VIRGINIA AND NORTH CAROLINA to our stock of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods and Notions which are now being received, and which will be complete in every department by the 1st of April, by which time we will be prepared to exhibit the LARGEST STOCK IN THE STATE.

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The following statement, from one of the oldest and most respectable merchants in the city of Petersburg, speaks for itself and needs no comment: I have for many years used "Petersburg Bitters" in my family and also in my own case, and I have no hesitation in pronouncing them the most efficacious and pleasant medicine with which I am acquainted. They promptly relieve Dyspepsia and all usual ailments, Constipation, Headache, Loss of Appetite, Cholera, and take pleasure in recommending them to the public. They ward off disease, preserve health. I always keep a full supply on hand and would not willingly be without them. Prepared solely by the proprietor, E. A. Beckwith, Petersburg, Va., and for sale, at all drug stores, and by Joseph Carr, Wholesale Agent, Jan 27-tf

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TO OWNERS OF HORSES.—No one who has ever used Dr. Tobias' Horse-venereal Ointment, will ever be without it; it is a certain cure for Colic, Sore Throat, Croup, Bruises and Old Sores. Warranted superior to any other; in pint bottles, one for a dollar. Sold by all Druggists, Dealers, and Apothecaries, New York.

RISLEY'S BUCHU is a reliable Diuretic Tonic for all derangements of the urinary and genital organs. The genuine is formerly sold by the generally known Dispensary and their branches, is now prepared by Dr. W. Risley, the originator and Proprietor, and the trade supplied by his successors, Morgan & Risley, New York.

THE SECRET OF BEAUTY.—What is it longer asked, for the world of fashion and all ladies know that it is produced by using a delicate and harmless toilet preparation known as G. W. Laird's "Radium Youth." Its beautifying effects are true, wonderful. Sold, 3 Gold Street, New York.

FOR DYSPEPSIA, indigestion, depression of spirits and general debility in their various forms; also, as a preventive against Fever and Ague, and other intermittent fevers, the Ferro-Phosphated Elixir of Galienus, made by Cassell, Hazard & Co., New York, and sold by all Druggists, is the best tonic, and as a tonic for patients recovering from fever or other sickness, is as good as gold.

THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER.—The best article known for cleansing and preserving the teeth and gums. Sold by all druggists and chemists in every bottle. F. C. Wells & Co., New York.

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