

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1871.

NO REASON FOR DEFENDENCY.

The situation of North Carolina, though deplorable, can be borne, for the people did not bring it on themselves...

The days of the dispoilers are numbered. Their lines were broken in the great battle of August, 1870. The recruits they add to their number will not be volunteers...

It was the boast of Demosthenes that he conquered Philip by refusing his money and bribes. It remains to be seen how many conservatives and democrats will resist the gold offered by the Office-holders...

This gentleman is traveling among the beaten Japanese. He tells about the remarkable people among the most remarkable facts he records of them, is that they throw every straw into the compost heap to make manure...

Two strong batteries of artillery have been ordered to Raleigh. The Philadelphia Aegis commenting on this movement says, this 'gives color to the suspicion that the administration is about to make arbitrary and unfounded arrests of prominent citizens in the hope of inciting a conflict...

New York Kekule. A case like the following occurring in North Carolina would be sent for Pat Carrow & Co. FOLKMAN'S FUNERAL. A night or two ago a mob of, as yet, unknown men surrounded John Teacher's house in Stinging Mountain, Dutchess county, and ordered him to come out. He refused, and they took to his dwelling and feeling him behind a chimney, dragged him forth and stripping his clothes off threw a bar over his head. They then beat his body with a stick and emptied a bag of feathers on him and beat Teacher in the face with a long wooden staff...

WHAT HE KNOWS ABOUT FARMING.

The National Agriculturist, in imitation of Greeley, tells what he knows about farming, and especially about wheat culture. It is so well said it may be of service to many of our readers who will soon be engaged in seeding their lands to wheat.

Underdraining will do more to promote the growth of wheat, on most soils, than any one thing. It not only contains the food for the wheat plant, but it is also the most retentive of water, and an excess of water is death to the winter wheat. After drainage of a heavy clay soil a few hundred bushels per acre of seed completes the work of improvement, and such a soil can be made almost to yield remunerative crops. A pure sand cannot be made a remunerative wheat soil. Clay can always be made so by the application of sand, lime, wood ashes and barnyard manure...

It is a great enemy of the wheat crop, and the only help for it is bringing seed. Rust is one of the most destructive diseases of the wheat. It is caused by a fungus which attacks the grain in the condition of the soil, and damp, warm weather. The disease occurs to the greatest extent on soils deficient in silica, which are needed to give stiffness and strength to the straw, and which prevent the growth of the fungus and pull out all foreign stuff. It should be well ripened when cut, and not threshed with a machine nor allowed to lie in the bin.

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REWARD. I have to pay the sum of Twenty five dollars for any person who will furnish information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the person who stole from me on the 21st day of August, 1871, a pair of white trousers, a pair of white shoes, a pair of white socks, a pair of white stockings, a pair of white drawers, and a pair of white shirts.