

TEMPERANCE.

Step and Think My lot, when they ask you to drink, Stop and think...

Why the Drinker is Tired in the Morning. Dr. R. W. Richardson, of London, the well known physician...

How He Gave Up Whisky. The New York Tribune, in quoting some of the Judge of the Criminal Court...

A Righteous Verdict. We rejoice that a Chicago jury has at last taken the part of the widow and the fatherless...

Murdered His Father. Saturday afternoon, in Alamance county, N. C., a young white man named Rippley shot and instantly killed his father...

The New York Produce Market. BUTTER AND EGGS—Dairy Butter, 23 to 25c; Factory, 12 to 14c; Eggs, 17 to 19c.

MEATS AND POULTRY—Live Veal Calves, 7 to 8c; Live Calves (country dressed), 5 to 6c; Sheep, 4 to 5c; Hogs, 9 to 10c; Spring Chickens, 10 to 12c; Poultry, Southern, 13 to 14c; Turkey, 15 to 16c.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES—Apples, \$2 00 to \$2 50; Peaches, 2 00 to \$4 00; Potatoes, 5 to 6c; Watermelons (b-l), \$7 00 to \$8 00; Beans, \$1 75 to \$2 00; Peas (green) per bu., 1 87.

CHARLOTTE COTTON MARKET. Middling Fair, 8 3/4; Good Middling, 9 1/8; Strict Middling, 9 1/2; Middling, 9 1/2; Tinges, 7 a S; Steams, 7 a S.

During the Prince of Wales's recent visit to Homburg he initiated some wheelbarrow races, with ladies in the barrows, trundled along by the highest English nobility.

RANDALL'S CHARM.

The Superstition of a South Carolina Negro.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—[Special.]—An extraordinary case of negro superstition is reported from Aiken county, furnishes a striking example of the strange hallucinations that still hold sway in the mind of the negro...

Telegraphic News. Mr Powerly, of the K. of L., was studying law and will ask for admission to the bar.

The Southern Association of Homeopaths, in Louisville, has adopted resolutions protesting against the alleged efforts of the allopathic school to gain possession of the practice of all medicine.

Clara Dickson, colored, was run over and killed by a freight train on the Mineral railroad, Alabama, Wednesday afternoon, at Smith mine.

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HOUSE AND SENATE.

OUR BUSY LEGISLATORS.

Many Laws Introduced, But Few Passed. MONDAY—In the House to-day, Mr Dougherty, of Florida, made an effort to secure consideration of the yellow fever bill, but Mr E B Taylor, of Ohio, objected and stated that no more legislation should be enacted during this session.

Mr Wheeler offered a resolution reciting that the Senate tariff bill is oppressive to the mass of the people and in the interest of the monopolists. The resolutions, though objected to, were referred to the Committee on Rules.

Mr Oates, of Alabama, offered a resolution adjourning Congress sine die on Wednesday, October 17th. The resolution went over.

Mr Dougherty, of Florida, withdrew his point of no quorum upon reconsideration of the vote by which the House passed the Presidential count bill, and the motion to table the motion to reconsider was carried, thus settling the passage of the bill, which now goes to the President.

TUESDAY—The only feature of the House proceedings to-day was the failure to agree upon a date for final adjournment of Congress.

The SENATE devoted the entire day to the discussion of the tariff question. Mr Cockrell first took the floor in opposition to the Senate substitute.

Mr Spooner next spoke. He confined his remarks almost entirely to arguments on extracts from testimony taken before an English preliminary committee, proving that the results of free trade in its home not satisfactory.

Mary Griffin, fifty-seven years old, died at the almshouse at Meriden, Conn, after fifty-five days of voluntary starvation. She took nothing but water during that time, and she could not be forced to do otherwise. She was insane on this subject.

Mr Kilgore offered a resolution to adjourn on October 20th; but it was referred to the committee on ways and means, and the House at 2:15 adjourned until tomorrow.

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TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

In Pennsylvania—A Young Lady's Leg Amputated with an Axe. WILKESBARRE, Pa.—The Father Mathew celebration at Hazleton, Pa., Wednesday, ended in a most frightful disaster, the like of which has never been before on the Lehigh Valley road, or, indeed, in the country.

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A Gold Stiletto on a Texas Prairie. A Mexican sheep herder on Peraldeas Creek, between Kern and Gillespie Counties, northwest of San Antonio, Texas, has made a find which would prove a treasure to the curiosity seeker. Some days ago while tending his flock he felt a sharp substance pierce the sole of his heavy shoe and stab his foot.

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Piedmont Air-Line Route.

Richmond & Danville Railroad.

Condensed Schedule in Effect June 21, 1888.

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General Superintendent. J. W. FRY.