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SATURDAY, JAN. 18, 1873.

Local and News Department.

Cotton Market. Up to 4 P. M., to-day there had been 17 bales of cotton brought to this city. Price 18. Price in New York 20.

Public Temperance Lecture. We learn that the Hon. J. J. Hickman, who is at present in our city, will deliver a public Temperance Lecture, on Friday evening of next week.

Sale of City Lots. Mr. Carter Harrison is cutting up the land between his residence and the old Mason parsonage into half acre lots and streets.

Hudson Degree Temple. There will be a meeting of Hudson Degree Temple, I. O. of G. T. on Monday evening January 20th, at 7 o'clock, at the Lodge Room.

THE NORTH WESTERN ROAD. We have intelligence this morning that this road is already finished and the cars running from Greensboro to Kernersville in Forsythe county.

THE WILD MAN. We learnt last night that a wild man was coming here to show. We shall go wild with delight. We hope his programme is interesting.

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MASONIC. HIRAM LODGE No. 40—A. S. Lee, Master. Masonic Hall, corner Dawson and Martin st. Meets third Monday night in each month.

Our State.

FAYETTEVILLE has a white brass band that doesn't play a single colored tune.

MR. M—danced the highland fling at a recent ball at the Howard hotel in Tarboro.

A POPLAR tree on Foddill's mountain in Stokes county is 21 feet in circumference at its base.

A NOTER fire in Wilmington.—Barker & Co's loss 3 thousand; Rob. Henning, \$1,500; and Gas Company \$500.

SEVEN a week or one per day for the past week is the way they've come in the vicinity of Kinston, and only one a girl.

WILLIAM Miller, three months from Scotland, has bought Alex Smith's "Meadows" tract and will settle at Leaksville.

THE Charlotte Observer says that during the severe cold spell a little girl was walking along the street, half blubbering, and complaining that she had "the headache in her toes."

Now! Bob Price has come back. Has leased a plantation near where he sold his farm and is going to raise tobacco. The Leaksville correspondent of the Danville Times says Robert left that section last November.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Wilson to the Rocky Mt. Mail says the accomplished Miss D. L. of Pitt has left that town, and also Miss S. W. has taken her departure.

READ this from the Elizabeth City Carolinian: At a former visit here Maj. F. D. Bunnel became satisfied that our Sand would make a first class glass.

Our City. Still arguing the Western Railroad case in Supreme Court.

We wish the legislature could compel this city to light up the streets.

This editor feels fitter for a warm bed and hot rocks at his feet than for the scissors and pen to-day.

Suppose a man owns a poor teacher tuition for his child, will the homestead be the collection of that debt? It ought not.

It was only some derangement of the flues that caused the alarm last night. A red headed member of the legislature denies indignantly that the Capitol has ever been on fire.

Don't forget in saying your prayers to-morrow to remember every unkind word you have said against your neighbor during the past week, and ask God to forgive you as you would forgive them for talking so about you.

A crazy man raised Old Harry in the rotunda of the Capitol to-day, we don't know whether he had been sent by his constituents to the legislature or not.

Farm-Yard Scraps. The Greensboro Patriot says: There is a little boy who owns a little calf, and this little boy and little calf earn some days as much as \$2 hauling loads from the depot.

The North Carolinian says: We saw a few days ago, some very fine Cashmere goats, imported by Mr. David Murphy of this county.

A striking instance in proof of this fact has just been stated by an extensive farmer. He planted a field of broom corn, and, by way of banter, told the man who assisted him that each should choose a row as nearly alike as possible.

Stirring the soil.—Every observant farmer must have noticed the crust which forms on the surface of newly-stirred soil after lying a few days to the action of the dews.

The Elizabeth City Carolinian has an article headed Come to North Carolina, and tells the young men that the old Bourbons and the old fogies no longer rule here but their wrecks lay along the beach like the hulks of old ships.

The Fayetteville Eagle speaking of the Vance letter calls it "very imprudent and uncalculated," and shows more "rash anger and vindictiveness than it supposed Gov. Vance was capable of."

The Asheville Pioneer in an article, Shall We have a Convention? says that Gov. Caldwell has stopped the building of the rail road from Old Fort and that his chief adviser is W. N. H. Smith, who, that paper styles a yankee lawyer, as if that would hurt Mr. Smith.

Twigs.

In Iowa the husband can own his bed and the wife hers.

An Atlanta liquor merchant heads a special in the Herald: An Affecting Scene at Stokes' Trial.

He bet two dollars he could ride the mule with a pine-bur under the saddle. We notice his death this morning.

A devoted Maine wife sat up all night with a dying husband with no companion but a copy of Jack Sheppard.

A Wisconsin stage-driver committed suicide, a few days since, because he was so short. He could not carry his horses' backs, nor kiss his girl, without standing on a chair.

We will meet in Heaven, husband, dear," is the affectionate inscription which an Arkansas woman has had carved on the tombstone of every one of her five departed husbands.

The St. Louis Democrat says: "Whales are running their noses against that portion of Rhode Island that sticks out into the water, and the inhabitants are troubled with earthquakes."

The Boston Bulletin says: "A newly-married couple started on their wedding trip yesterday noon. The train proceeded less than a half mile when it stuck to a snow bank.

A gentleman was surprised, during the late frosty weather, to see his little daughter grudge home from the Sunday school a grave treatise on "backsliding."

What a blind man did: Mr. Robert Robinson, living with Mr. Standfield, near Royal Oak, was taken with a fit a few days ago, and fell into the fire.

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Don Platt of the Washington Capital says: We had a drunken doctor of the name of Todders, who, from his habits, was known as Toddy.

A man Garrotted Last Night. Look Sharp, Police.

Last night about eight o'clock Edward Dudley, a colored freeman on one of the freight trains of the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, was going from the depot to his house in this city, and as he turned the corner of Edenton and West streets, he was assaulted.

Chapped Hands, face, rough skin, pimples, ringworm, salt-rheum, & other cutaneous affections cured, and the skin made soft and smooth, by using the JUNIPER TAR SOAP, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York.

Personal Intelligence.

Captain Roger Atkinson, Supervisor of the Richmond and North Carolina Road, is at the Yarboro.

Vanderbilt has commenced chewing tobacco, and laments that fifty years of his life were wasted without knowing the goodness of the weed.

Rev. A. W. Mangum, the worthy pastor of the Methodist Church, continues confined to his room, and is threatened with Pneumonia.

Father Burke, the famous Dominican, left New Orleans last evening on the steamer Continental for Memphis, en route to New York.

Mrs. Monitor, the sweet Boston singer, has temporarily lost her voice.

Col. Wagner's Minstrels are in Atlanta, and Joe Jefferson will be there next week.

The Washington Star says: Matilda Heron, formerly a well-known actress who recently arrived at New York from San Francisco, has been suffering from dementia, and became so violent yesterday in the Merchants' Hotel as to make necessary her removal to the Park Hospital.

In addition to looking as beautiful as a picture Miss Kellogg sings as charmingly as possible.

The following is Judge Watt's sentence to-day on Simpson Moseley and Thomas Griffice (colored) for the Hicks robbery in this county. The Judge said:

No reasonable complaints can therefore be made by you or your friends for want of ability learned counsel.

The Court, on account of your poverty, and in obedience to a general provision of the Constitution, assigned you counsel named in the law, and lawfully have they discharged their duty.

It is the Order of the Court, that you, Simpson Moseley and Thomas Griffice, be taken to the Common Jail of this county, and be kept in close confinement therein, until FRIDAY the 28th day of February next, on that day you shall have the day of grace, and shall be taken to the House of Correction, there to be kept in the same manner as the other prisoners in the House of Correction, until the day of your discharge.

An Instructive Lesson to Poor Humanity. A friend in this city has handed us the following: If we assume the population of the earth to be one thousand million, and a generation to last thirty-three years, in that space of time one thousand millions must die, and, consequently, the number of deaths will be, by approximation:

Each year, 30,000,000

Each day, 82,100

Each hour, 3,421

Each minute, 57

Each second, nearly 1

Each day, 68,526

Each hour, 4,088

Each minute, 69

Each second, 12-15

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BY TELEGRAPH.

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Spinal Meningitis. NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—It is stated that spinal meningitis prevails among the horses here. There have been several fatal cases.

Horse Disease. VIRGINIA CITY, NEB., Jan. 18.—The stage horses and the Elks have the horse disease.

Markets. LONDON, Noon, Jan. 16.—Consols 92 1/2; Fives 89 1/2.

LIVERPOOL, Noon, Jan. 18.—Cotton opened dull; Uplands 9 1/2; Orleans 10 1/4 @ 1 1/2.

NEW YORK, Noon, Jan. 18.—Stocks firm; gold strong at 12 1/2; Money firm at 7; Exchange, long 9 1/4; short 10 1/4; governments dull; State bonds dull and steady; Cotton dull; sales 249 bales; Uplands 20 1/2; Orleans 21 1/2; Flour quiet; Wheat firm; corn dull; old western mixed 66; Pork steady, mess 18.75; Lard firm; western steam 8 1/2; Turpentine firm at 64 1/4; Rosin quiet at 3.85, strained; Freights quiet.

RALEIGH MARKETS.

RETAIL PRICES. By Messrs. Maroon & Alford, Grocers and Commission Merchants, Hargett Street.

Bacon—Baltimore smoked, 11 @ 12

—unsmoked, 9 @ 10

—strips, 11 @ 12

—shoulders, 8 @ 9

—N. C. & Canv. Hams, 15 @ 17 1/2

Butter—per lb., 24 @ 25

Beeswax—per lb., 22 @ 23

Bed—per doz., 12 @ 13

Coffee—per lb., 25 @ 26

Cotton Yarn—per Bale, 1 70

Corn—per bushel, 85 @ 1 00

Chicken—per piece, 20 @ 22

Eggs—per dozen, 20 @ 25

Flour—per bbl., 8 00 @ 9 00

Fodder—per 100 lbs., 1 25 @ 1 50

Hay—per 100 lbs., 60 @ 75

Hides—green, per lb., 6 @ 7

—dry, per lb., 12 @ 13

Leather—per lb., 30 @ 40

Lard—per lb., 12 @ 15

Molasses—per gallon, 30 @ 50

—Golden Syrup, 30 @ 50

Meal—per bushel, 90 @ 1 00

Oats—per bushel, 65 @ 70

—Sheep, pr hundred, 1 25 @ 1 50

Pork—

Potatoes—Irish, per bush., 60 @ 75

—sweet, per bush., 40 @ 50

Sugar—crushed, 20 @ 30

—extra C., 15 @ 16

—F. R., 15 @ 16

—common, 12 @ 13

Salt—per sack, 8 @ 10

Yellow—per lb., 4 @ 5

Vinegar—per gallon, 4 @ 5

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10 " C. Yellow.

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