

# The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1881.

## LOCAL RECORDS.

**Only one more day of Winter!**

**The woods are full of robins.**

**Don't let your chimneys catch on fire in March.**

**Be sure to attend the Exposition meeting here on Monday.**

**The jury of inquest in the Gunter murder have not yet rendered a verdict.**

**We hear that the cotton-gin of Mr. J. W. Carr, of Chapel Hill, was burned last Friday.**

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**Almanac Observer. The shock prices of super-phosphate and bone-ash carried in Morris Franklin's store, are very difficult to determine, considerably. Pleasant Grove township does not know. We shall, therefore, give the following figures as reasonably approximate, in calculating these relative valuations during 1884:**

**Available phosphoric acid 9cts per lb.**

**Ammmonia ..... 20cts per lb.**

**Dolite ..... 9cts per lb.**

**The figures before the names are the numbers of the analyses.**

**2574. Sea Ford Grapes, manufactured by Bradley Fertilizing Co., Boston, Mass., sampled in the C. C. R. R. warehouse, Wilmington, January 9th. Contains Moisture 15.83, available phosphoric acid 9.68, ammonia 2.03, potash 1.89 per cent. Relative value \$1.45 per 2,000 pounds.**

**2575. Farmers' Friend, Read & Co., 34 Beaver street, New York, sampled in the C. C. R. R. warehouse, Wilmington, January 9th. Contains Moisture 15.83, available phosphoric acid 9.68, ammonia 2.03, potash 1.89 per cent. Relative value \$1.45 per 2,000 pounds.**

**2576. Ammonium-Dissolved Bone, Jno. Merriman & Co., Baltimore, Md., sampled in the C. C. R. R. warehouse, Wilmington, January 9th. Contains Moisture 14.53, available phosphoric acid 8.51, ammonia 2.08 per cent. Relative value \$1.45 per 2,000 pounds.**

**2577. Kister's Ammonium-Dissolved Bone Phosphate, Lester Bros., Newark, N. J., sampled at Raleigh, Jan. 24, let in hands of Read & Barbee.**

**Contains Moisture 14.98, available phosphoric acid 11.62, ammonia 5.72, potash 2.34 per cent. Relative value per 2,000 pounds \$1.42.**

**2578. "Fay's" Ammonium-Superphosphate, Wm. Davidson & Co., Box 129, Baltimore, Md., sampled at Goldsboro, with B. M. Pritchett & Co., Jan. 14th. Contains Moisture 14.98, available phosphoric acid 11.62, ammonia 5.72, potash 2.33 per cent. Relative value per 2,000 pounds \$1.42.**

**2579. "Fay's" Ammonium-Phosphate, St. Louis Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 14.60, available phosphoric acid 10.57, potash 1.82 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.41.**

**2580. High-Acid Phosphates, Lehigh Acid-Phosphate, St. Louis Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 14.22, available phosphoric acid 10.11, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.39.**

**2581. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 14.00, available phosphoric acid 9.51, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.38.**

**2582. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 13.80, available phosphoric acid 9.01, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.37.**

**2583. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 13.60, available phosphoric acid 8.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.36.**

**2584. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 13.40, available phosphoric acid 8.00, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.35.**

**2585. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 13.20, available phosphoric acid 7.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.34.**

**2586. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 13.00, available phosphoric acid 7.00, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.33.**

**2587. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 12.80, available phosphoric acid 6.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.32.**

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**2589. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 12.40, available phosphoric acid 5.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.30.**

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**2592. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 11.80, available phosphoric acid 4.00, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.27.**

**2593. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 11.60, available phosphoric acid 3.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.26.**

**2594. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 11.40, available phosphoric acid 3.00, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.25.**

**2595. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 11.20, available phosphoric acid 2.50, potash 2.43 per cent. Relative value per ton (2,000 pounds) \$1.24.**

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**2597. Limestone Acid-Phosphate, Stone & Webster, Co., Charleston, S. C., sampled with Williamson & Upchurch, Decatur, Jan. 18th. Contains Moisture 10.**