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At this season of the year trade becomes dull—the circulating medium is weak and business languishes. The whole system is out of order and needs toning up. Some invigorating tonic must be resorted to. The intelligent business man should know what to do in such cases. Use Printers' Ink.

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HENDERSON, N. C., THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1891.

THIS PAPER Is read every week in the best homes in this section. An advertisement in its column will bring you returns. Bear this fact in mind if you wish to advertise anything at any time. Success inevitably comes to those who persistently and intelligently practice the art of Judicious Advertising.

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NO. 22.

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Some Practical Suggestions from Mr. F. M. Rogers, the Pioneer Tobacco Planter of South Carolina.

Mr. F. M. Rogers, Jr., the pioneer tobacco planter of South Carolina, and who is well known to the trade of Henderson, has been contributing some timely and interesting articles to his home paper the Florence Messenger, on the subject of tobacco culture.

My last article left us with the land thoroughly prepared, compost heaps of woods mould and cotton seed ready to be distributed. Lay off the rows three feet four inches apart.

The cultivation of tobacco is similar to that of cotton or corn, except that it is a straight forward matter. Carry water to the field in barrels; carry them convenient distances apart; send a hand ahead, and punch holes in every hill with a pole about eight feet long and sharpened at one end; follow with buckets of water and dippers, and put one pint of water in each hill.

Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock the parlors of Rev. J. L. Mayerberg, rabbi of the Hebrew Temple, of this city, were filled with a large number of ladies and gentlemen who came there to witness an event which is a rare occurrence in the Jewish Church—conversion.

Another young lady of the same place has followed her example, as the following from the same paper of last week, shows:

Not a Blow or Bluster but Just a Few Pointers. (Durham Sun) Many have long been dissatisfied with the cold and stormy climate of the North.

Our skies are bright and sunny, our climate is as healthy as can be found on the globe. Our transportation facilities, by rail, excellent, our lands cheap and easily improved, our manufacturing advantages unsurpassed, and our people proverbial for hospitality.

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DAVIS MUST HANG.

THE SUPREME COURT OF THE COUNTRY DISMISSES HIS PLEA.

A History of the Murder For Which He is to Pay the Penalty of His Life.

Where Mr. Evans was seated. He turned his head for a second when he heard a shot. He leaped about and saw Mr. Evans hold up the paper with both hands, and heard him say, "Don't Davis don't."

Charles I. White, the man who went in the store just after the last shot was fired, saw a man named Farmer enter about the same time. Farmer went to Davis, who was standing about the middle of the room, took the pistol from him and aimed it at him.

Some Old Sayings. Having seen in the papers, under the heading of ANCIENT PROVERBS, various sayings of the wise and witty sayings of our forefathers, I have been induced to bestow much thought and some investigation on the subject; and have been anxious to find out what the concentrated lore of past ages can be condensed into a single line, compressed into a nutshell.

NEW YORK FARMERS. A special dispatch from Hornellsville, N. Y., to the New York Press, dated April 2nd, says: The city is full of farmers to-day, hundreds of them having come here to attend the State Alliance.

PUBLIC HONORS. Col. Pat Donnan, who once edited in North Carolina, and is very pleasantly and kindly remembered by some of the surviving Argus, is editing the Fargo Sunday Argus. Replying to a paper that noticed the big salary of Dana and said that "barring the honor, it is as well to be an editor, in some cases as President, the gifted ink-slinger of the Argus says:

Not a "Fake" Journal. "It is another fake?" is a question the friends of the Dominion Illustrated have frequently asked with regard to its price competition inaugurated by the publishers of that journal for the current six months.

Terrible blood poison, body covered with sores, two bottles of P. P. F. (Purifier) cured and returned to normal health. The patient lived on the ten-year-old. For sale by W. W. Parker, Druggist.

THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE.

IT CANNOT TEMPORIZE OR COMPROMISE.

Some Plain Talk in Regard to the Duty of Membership.

There was never a period in the eventful history of the Alliance when the duty of membership carried with it a greater significance than at the present time. The Alliance in its rapid growth has reached the danger line, and as a consequence must prepare for every emergency.

The Alliance is now in the outer edge of the coming storm. It is confronting the wind puffs and showers which are more annoying than injurious, but before six months has rolled by, it will be in the very midst of the warning elements where courage and fidelity are the only means of safety.

Chief among their arguments was an exhibition of the galvanic battery. How that two metals of different status in the electro-chemical scale, and when placed in close proximity in alternate layers would evolve a power that astonished the world, they repeated the procedure, the immense benefit that would accrue to the human race generally; but more especially to the negro people, they said, in the shape of a first trial argument, that failing they treated the South as we do our children when they are sick.

Yes, the riddle of the old aphorism is solved. The battery is better than one, if its name is "wooly." Calhoun had an inkling of its importance when he suggested the idea of a dual elective—two heads in the executive office might add much to its sapience.

It would be so much better than to have only one, as though without it one's head might have too much wool on the interior of the cranium.

In conclusion, I will state that the benefits of so grand a discovery should not be confined to any one section of the United States; they should be equally distributed and to that end would suggest that a law be passed, making it obligatory on the Congressional list to send two delegates, giving to each district the two heads required, and then you would always have the proper number of each to arrange them in alternate layers, so that the battery would always be in working order.

Is it not yet too late to take a hand in the great Dominion Illustrated Price Competition, and try for one of the hundred prizes which will be distributed among the subscribers to that splendid journal. The first prize is \$750 in gold, and the list includes a Heintzman Piano, Bell, Kama and Cornwall Organs, Gold Watches etc., the lowest prize being valued at \$40.

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