GOOD EXAMPLE SET.

Colored Ministers of Newman, Ga.,

(New York Sun.)

At a meeting of ministers of the

African Methodist Church in Newman.

Ga., the scene of the lynching of Sam

which may be commended to the

consideration of colored ministers

and men in all parts of the South.

Especially noteworthy among those

"We condone no crime-neither

"We have no toleration for crimi-

. We deadunce in the very strong-

est terms those creatures of our race

who are so deprayed in their nature

and become so reckless as to invade

the sanctity of the home and destroy

"We believe the Gospel of the Son

of God and the teachings of the

sacred Scriptures by His servants

will do more to check lawlessness

Finally, the Newnan colored minis-

ters "call upon their teachers and

ministry to lay aside their petty

jealousies of church and race and

link their efforts with those of the

white race to hold up the majesty of

the law, to increase the industry and

commerce of their country, that

peace and prosperity may abound in

It is charged and believed by the

white people of the South that almost

n no case whatever is any help

given to them by the colored people

to bring to justice a colored man

guilty of the crime which is so

Practically the criminal is abetted by members of his own race. He finds

at least a temporary concealment among them. Either from fear or

from sympathy they do not inform the officers of the law of his where-

abouts. Apparently he is not re-

garded by his fellows as a criminal owed to justice, but as a negro en-

This seemingly inveterate relue-

tance of the majority of the Southern

negroes to assist in the punishment

of the crime which is most hideous and horrible in the eyes of the whites

and the fear of which hangs per-

petually over the white women in the

thinly settled dirtricts, embitters the whites against the negroes as a class.

It is as if the whole race made itself

tnet will be appliced that in the North

ravishers usually seek to deny or minify the crime. Thus, in the case

of Sam Hose, who ravished a white

woman after murdering her husband

before her eyes, several colored cor-

respondents of the Sun, men of edu-

eation, too, have doubted the facts and assumed that the crime was im-

probable. Unfortunately the weight

of evidence is that Sam Hose was guilty; and whatever brutality of

punishment was inflicted upon him, his defenders do not do a service to

their race by cavilling at facts which

may seem too terrible to believe, but

No matter how many acts of injustice, how many causeless out-

rages, how mary political crimes to

negroes have been done by the whites,

there is one dreadful - me to which

the Southern negro of the savage

type is prone. Unless the testimony

of the Southern white- to be flatly set aside, the crime is not regarded

by the Southern negroes with

abhorrence enough to induce them

to be active in bringing the criminal

to justice. Thus the Northern apol-

ogist denies the crime; the Southern

negroes, as a class, show no reproba-

tion of it. Whatever be the faults of

the Southern whites and to whatever

excesses of savagery they may have

been led in the panic of a terror which haunts their homes, they are

not to be blamed for being dissatisfied

with the general apathy of the

Southern negro, with the general denial and denunciation which are

the answer of the Northern negro when some negro ravisher is lynched. It is for the Southern negroes and

the Northern negroes to admit incontrovertible facts, to try to civilize

and Christianize the desperadoes who

dishonor the race, to show no

sympathy, active or passive, with the crime. It may be said, indeed, that

this is sometimes only a pretence and that innocent men have been hanged for it. Granted; but at least

the colored citizens can strive to dim-

Stern condemnation of the crime. refusal to shield the criminals, the

inculcation not of mere emotional sentimentalism miscalled religion.

but of the pure morality of the Gospel, and co-operation with the whites, to maintain the laws and to

promote the good of the community. These things the colored citizens

inish the number of the guilty.

are not too terrible to be true.

an accomplice after the fact.

titled to be hidden and sheltered.

quently the cause of lynching.

and crime than any other agency."

the priceless virtue of woman; .

nals who commit crime and heap

do we wish to shield criminals from

any crime for which they deserve

resolutions are these:

disaster upon our race;

punishment:

its borders.

Well as Deplore Lynching.

Denounce Acts of Violence and

Crime by Members of Their Race as

THAD R. MANNING, Publisher. !

AN OBJECT LESSON.

Rowdy Element of the Negro Race

tiive Grand Army Men Trouble at

Tarietta and Andersonville, (a. in

has been the custom for the

one of the Grand Army of the

Pederal Memorial Day by deco

by the graves of the Union dead

Marletta and at Andersonville with

y at Marietta has always been

h are not to be separated from

an occasion. It has been the

of the Grand Army and the

on Veterans in Georgia to give to

peremonies at Andersonville the

recal years past they have been

to carry out their desire in

propert, owing to the fact that

source disorderly element of the

Andersonville is the centre has

population in the region of

and upon the occasion to engage in

controls and drunken orgy, disgrace

in its nature and disgusting to all

those negroes, let it be said, have

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and eguilieance of the annual

ar Confederate. They simply

to in the yearly gathering a

may include the various ap-

These disgusting exhibitions

been tulerated by the Grans

complex which take place in com-

moration of the dead, either Fed

inforsonville an excuse and an op

in ites that belong to those whose

Arnet Veterans for some years, but

the year they have resolved to put

an interview with Governor Candler

with the request that he provide a

detechment of the State militia to maint on order on the grounds of the remeters at Andersonville on Deco-

1 gion Day. The governor, being not only willing but anxious to see the

remonies of Federal Decoration Day

carried out without unseemly interraptions, bethought himself of the

shoriff's posse, which, in Georgia,

when summoned in time, has always

been successful in securing and main-

taining order. Then he reflected that the Andersonville cemetery was a

Federal reservation, over which the

State has no authority—a fact that has prevented the county authori-

ties from intervening to preserve order. The conclusion of Governor Candler was that the Federal authori-

the themselves should deal with the

matter. He therefore consulted Gen.

Frank, and the result is that a detachment of Federal troops from Fort

M Pherson will go to Andersonville

on Memorial Day, estensibly as an

escort to the Union veterans, but

really to be employed as a special

police to preserve order and to pre-cent the disgraceful scenes which accompany the holiday orgy of the

There is something more in the facts which we have related than

mere information. They possess a

significance which should not be lost

on the Northern newspaper brethren

who are in the habit of discussing

Southern events, with as little knowledge of the facts as if the happenings

had occurred in Abyssinia. The

Union veterans and the Grand Army

men who have made Georgia their

home are among our best citizens.

They stand deservedly high in every community in which they have taken

enough to understand the negro

question thoroughly. The truth is

many of them, forgetting that the

Southern people have had more than

a century's contact with the negro

race, are led to wonder at the patience

and toleration that have marked the

attitude of the white race under con-

ditions which strangers regard as

It is a fact which can hardly be

placed convincingly before the North-

ern newspaper brethren that people from that section who settle here and

make their homes with us, develop the most violent aversion to negroes an aversion that is often amusing

to Southerners and always unexplainable unless we go back in history and

show that, through generations of

contact and friendly and familiar as-

sociations, the Southern whites have

come to appreciate the good qualities

of the negroes, and to regard with kindly tolerance such failings as are

natural to his conditions and equipment, whereas, on the other hand, the Northern people of the present

generation have never been in touch

with the real negro. The few they

have among them have long ago conformed themselves to the demands of

North from the South for the purpose

of touching the purse-strings of

Day, we beg that our metives may

not be harshly judged. They are not

taking measures to deprive the negro

of any of his rights or privileges, but

simply to suppress the violent mani-

festations of disorders in which the

irresponsible element of the race

imagines it must indulge in order to

to appeal to it in any form or shape.

display enthusiasm at a commemora-

trying, to say the least.

With this end in view, a committee

or the Grand Army recently had

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and by the solemnity and decorum

properties ceremonies. The cere-

resident in Georgia to cele-

Celebrating Federal Memorial Day

(Atlanta Constitution.)

prejuble returns are seen.

That is Proof that it pays Them

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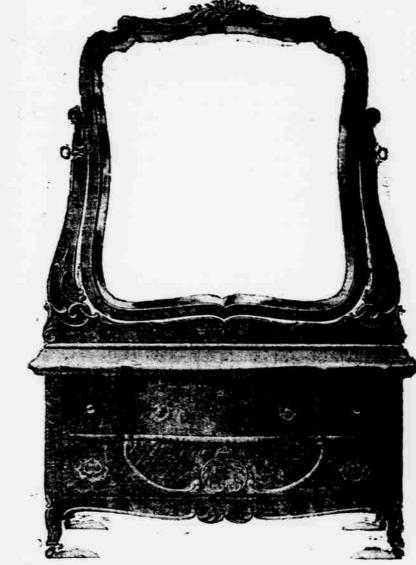
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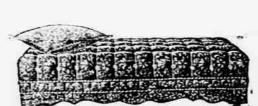
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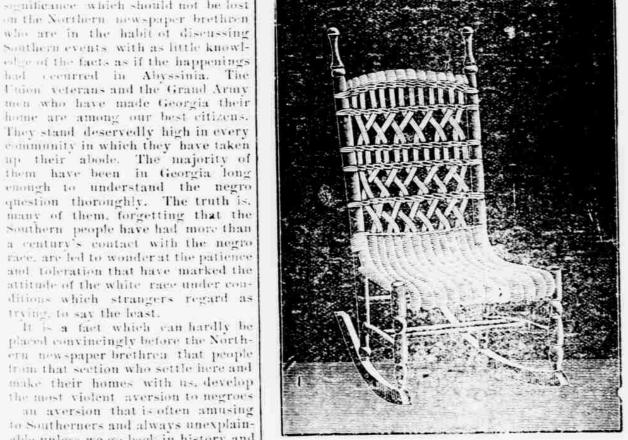




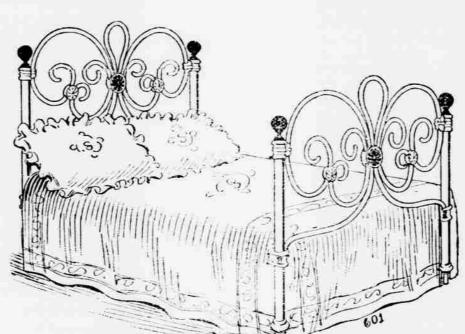
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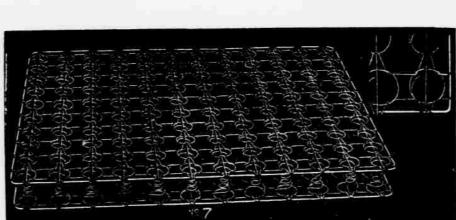
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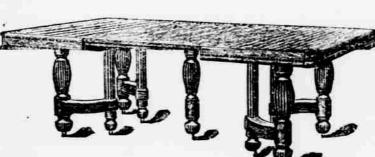
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BARNES' BIG FURNITURE HOUSE FOR BARGAINS their environment, and those who go

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tion, the significance of which fails Signature of hat Hillihov.

The Ideal Feminine Figure.

The feminine acrobat, trapeze pergroes have marred, on several occas- by negroes as an attack on the negro that want of muscular development produces an approximation to the type masculine, it can be found, alas, all too easily, among women who either cannot take exercise (as overworked teachers and seamstresses) or who will not.

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"Did our friend retire from politics?" and all bilious diseases. retire.' It was a knockout."-Wash-

(Gleveland Plain Dealer.) The rattling of the musketry in-

To-day, without the slightest inzen halvards. He waved his broken sword.

"Scuttle the ship!" he shricked. There was a moment's agonized

the guns. "Master," it screeched, "somebody Raleigh News and Observer.

has stolen the scuttle." At this the rattling broke forth afresh and the man awoke. His wife was shaking down the kitchen range.

to every spoonful of thoughts.

"Well," answered the practical worker, "it wasn't what you'd call a made be and pure. The best blood purifier, with some valuable data for their whether he will marry her?" "Not if dissertations upon the "great evil of you wish to be technically correct. enricher and vitalizer is Hood's Sarsa- lynching in the South."-Greensboro The question is whether she will let parilla. Be sure to GET HOOD'S. Telegram.

TWO SIDES TO THE QUESTION. everywhere ought to encourage and

whom Hose brutally knocked across good friends to their race and of the the room because it cried, has died country. Their example should be The pirate chief leaped to the miz- and the wife and mother has lost her followed. mind. In denouncing lynch law, let no one lose sight of the fact that Hose deserved all he got. The protest against lynch law must be for spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak

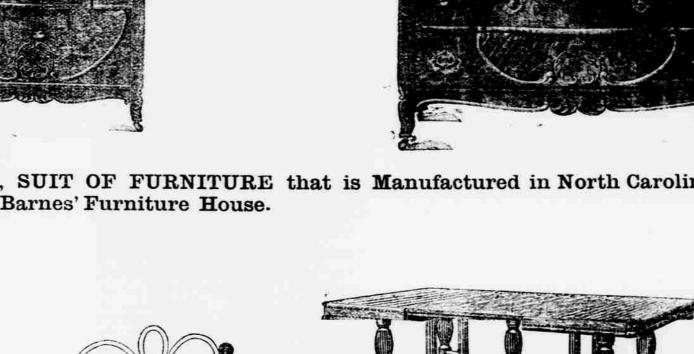
Some men have a gallon of words devils incarnate who meet their just Sold by the Porsey Drug Co. deserts at the rope's end or the burning stake, they would be furnished

strive for. The Newnan colored The papers state that the child ministers speak as good citizens,

> Spain's Greatest Need. Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain,

the good of the community. The nerves had caused severe pains in the back Then a quavering voice arose above brute deserved more punishment of his head. On using Electric Bitters, than could be meted out to him .- America's greatest Elood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says If some of the Northern papers this grand medicine is what his country that howl so blatantly about the needs. All America knows that it cures that how so blatantly about the liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens people would, besides thinking so the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life seriously about the lawless fury of into every muscle, nerve and organ of the the mobs, also bestow some careful body. Weak, tirel or ailing you need it. thought upon the crimes of the Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents.

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