

THE GOLD LEAF.

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1903.

ASHES OF GLORY.

A. J. Ripley, formerly of the Mobile Register.

Full on the gorgeous African... And keep the lamp of life...

Cold Comfort for Bloody Shirt Wavers.

Newspaper Editor.

We publish elsewhere an article from the Washington Star upon the Supreme Court decision in the Alabama outrage case...

The decision itself is not as conclusive as we could wish, though the refusal of the position is accepted by most of the papers...

Southern Educational Scheme.

Winnington Messenger.

The Manufacturers' Record takes to task Mr. Ogden, of the Southern Educational Conference...

"The reports of former conferees will be consulted in vain for definite answers to the questions naturally asked by the large contingent now for the first time present."

"The truth is there remain here many 'unregenerates' as the younger men of the South call them, and this class, together with the lumber-class of the Southland, have to be dealt with diplomatically before the restobstacle is out of the path of the great, just, humane and revolutionizing movement which we of Mr. Ogden's party will figure in the re-education of the South and the solidification of America upon an intelligent foundation."

Wood's Farm Seeds. Cow Peas and Soja Beans. Two of the most important crops for farmers everywhere...

Outside Aid in Education.

Charlotte Observer.

While admitting the need of education in this State and emphasizing the obligations resting upon the people to see that their children attend school, the Newton Enterprise is inclined to shy at the leader of outside assistance...

"Not many years ago an offer was made by certain parties at the North having the disposition of money for educational purposes to furnish a large sum to Catawba College at this place to improve the equipment and increase the number of students..."

"The offer to the Catawba institution naturally caused a great deal of indignation among the people of that county when the incident became known, and it is not surprising that a paper published in their midst should be suspicious of the liberality of the Northern gentlemen, who doubtless mean well, but whose efforts may be misdirected."

Investigating Brands in the Postoffice Department.

Winnington Messenger.

Another sensation has been caused in the investigation of the brands in the postoffice department by the suspension of Mr. A. W. Mendenhall, general superintendent of the express delivery system and the transfer of that system from the control of the first assistant postmaster general to that of the fourth, So now Mr. Bristow, who has in charge the investigation of the postoffice in this country, department has full control of this branch of the business in which it is expected much fraud will be unearthed...

Faith in South's Progress.

Baltimore News.

Another evidence that there is strong faith in the progress of the South, especially on the part of Baltimoreans, is that a recent bond issue of the State of North Carolina is being sold in Baltimore...

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A Woman's Wealth.

Richmond Post.

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Illiteracy in the South.

Atlanta Constitution.

Dr. W. H. Page, one of the gentlemen prominently identified with the "Southern Education" movement, made the statement in an address delivered recently that "there are more illiterates among the negroes of the South today than there were in 1865."

The Weeping Willows.

The following bit of history, taken from an exchange, is well worth preserving:

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Sunshiny Women.

Some of us like to complain of the world and the spot we are destined to occupy in it. Things are not just as they are, but as they should be for us. But we overlook the fact that the particular spot in this world which we are given to occupy is, and will be, precisely what we choose to make it. Whether we are right or wrong, whether we are happy or otherwise, depends very largely, if not entirely, upon our selves.

The Happiest Man.

"The happiest man in the world is the common every day chisel who has his own living, pays his bills and has the respect of his neighbors. He has a little money as he goes along, but he doesn't strive to get it, and he has no ambition to be rich."

This is a Correct Principle.

The mere fact that property is bringing no returns out of the investment is no argument that it should not be taxed. They are paying money on the investment, but you get it to buy some of this unimproved property and you will learn how to use it, you can tell you—Durable Investment.

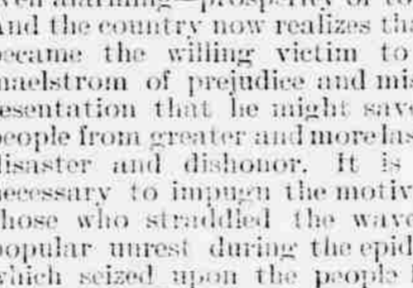
What It All Means.

Richmond Post.

Our usually well informed contemporary, the Charlotte Observer, seems to be somewhat mystified over the present tendencies of the times, as the following discloses:

"What does it all mean? In the economic life of St. Louis last week Mr. Grover Cleveland was easily the most prominent figure in the city. Mr. Cleveland was present and the banquet took the form of a demonstration of the 300 guests sprang to their feet, waving upkins and shouting. He spoke brilliantly, and when he concluded the audience started the refrain, 'Four years more for Grover.' Every day newspapers and individuals are prophesying that he will be the Democratic nominee for President next year...

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It was a Topika buyer who told a salesman that he must short his stay in New York and hurry home. He had, he said, just received a wire from his wife telling him to hurry back to Kansas and rescue their only son, who had foolishly climbed a stalk of corn in the garden.

The corn had grown upward more rapidly than the boy could slide downward, and axes and saws were to be used, since the stalk grew so fast that it was impossible to chop twice in the same place.

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