

The Marion Record.

DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER.

MARION, N. C.

The Indians who have been tried as soldiers have been found wanting.

A canal is talked of from East Tennessee to the Mississippi.

In Ireland vaccination was made compulsory in 1853.

Letters just published, written during the siege of Paris, show what high prices were paid for curious meals.

A Philadelphia physician thinks that a great deal of nonsense has been written about hypnotism.

Though the Chinese have been in this country so long a time and have become so numerous, it is said of them that they do not and cannot comprehend the status of the police.

The Swiss Government has, for the last twenty years, caused observations to be made through its forestry stations on the temperature of the air.

The Florida fibre of good quality. In recent years the price of Yucatan sisal hemp has averaged about \$100 per ton.

The crusade of the State Board of Health against quacks, brings to light some queer characters.

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SISAL HEMP IN FLORIDA.

A NEW FIBRE MORE LUSTROUS THAN SILK.

An Important Industry for the South.

On the east coast one frequently encounters sisal leaves weighing from two to two and a half pounds.

There is annually imported into the United States over \$5,000,000 worth of all kinds of fibres.

The Florida east coast sisal superior to any portion of the Bahamas for the cultivation of sisal hemp.

The organization at present contains only seven men, most of them residents of Chicago, New York and the East.

The syndicate has just purchased a tract of about 5000 acres of land lying a little southwest of the St. Lucie river.

The plantations will be set out with the sisal plants upon an average of about 700 to the acre.

Yucatan it is not uncommon to find sisal plants cultivated as high as 1200 or 1500 to the acre.

There is considerable room for improvement in all the fibre machines now in use.

These improved decorticating machines are manufactured by J. C. Todd, of Paterson, N. J., and by T. Albee Smith, of Baltimore.

The success of the enterprise there is not the slightest doubt, the promoters of it looking with confidence for profits of at least \$100 per acre after the plants begin to yield.

The plant has no enemies. There is no animal or vegetable parasite that preys upon it.

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PITHY NEWS ITEMS

Ex-Governor Berry, of New Hampshire, died at Bristol, Va., Friday.

The Baptists will erect an \$11,000 edifice at Lexington, Va.

Ben White and Jim Robinson, colored, were hanged at Manassas, Va., Friday, convicted of criminal assault.

Judge Simonton has decreed the sale of the Columbia & Augusta road.

The Aurora Cotton Mills, at Burlington, N. C., intends to enlarge its buildings very shortly.

The Abbotsville (S. C.) Cotton Mill Co., which was incorporated last month, is preparing to commence work on its cotton factory.

The increased favor with which North Carolina kiln-dried yellow pine is looked upon in the European market has a marked evidence in the weekly shipments by the various lines of steamers.

The financial difficulties of the Leakeville (N. C.) Woolen Mills have been so arranged that operations will shortly resume.

J. S. Wyant, secretary and treasurer of the Raleigh (N. C.) Cotton Mills, in a letter published in the News-Observer, of Raleigh, last week, advocates the building of another cotton mill.

The Hamburg Cotton Mill, Mt. Airy, N. C., was sold Thursday by order of the court for \$8,300.

Mr. Hook, Republican, of Tennessee, introduced in the House a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the construction of an addition to the Knoxville, Tenn., public buildings.

Major B. B. McCreery, of McCreery & Bro., Columbia, S. C., and one of the most prominent merchants in the State died at his home in Columbia.

A report was made in the Senate postponing indefinitely the bill making an appropriation for the establishment of a national park near Florence, S. C.

The contract for lathing, plastering, etc., for the public building at Charleston, S. C., was awarded to Lenox & Haldeman, of Chicago, at \$9,730.

Capt. Phoenix of the steam yacht Intrepid, is at Charleston, S. C. He was recently in the neighborhood of Roanoke Reef, where the old warship Kearsarge went down.

PROHIBITIONISTS IN IT. They are to Take a Hand in the Opposition to Free Whiskey.

COXEY'S ARMY.

DETACHMENTS FORMING ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES.

The U. S. Senate Refuses to Give the Army a Hearing.

CHICAGO, ILL.—From all over the west comes the news that the crusade of the industrialists is spreading.

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