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Editor Butler continues to use harsh words, whenever Senator Butler is accused of using free passes.

Everything is loudly and restlessly going the Fayetteville way, except the extreme minority, the Charlotte element.

### NECESSITY FOR HOME EMPLOYMENT.

The discussion in some Southern States on the question of the establishment of technical schools, is a subject which should be pushed past the discussion point, and made a reality by the establishment of such schools.

The success of such schools in the New England States has been demonstrated, to the great benefit of that section, which has by these schools secured the brightest and most intelligent boys from every portion of the country, teaching them the manufacture of the finest grades of cotton and woolen goods, and after giving them this technical and practical knowledge, found work for them at wages which these skilled men could not find at home.

There is hardly a city or county in the Southern States which has not been deprived of some of its best young men and women, because they could not find at home the employment in which their skill and ability could find both exercise and suitable remuneration.

The consequence of this has been that the South loses much of its talented youth each year, simply on account of this lack of home employment.

In the attempt of the Southern manufacturer, to compete with the Northern manufacturer, this technical labor question is most important.

Money and more machine intelligence cannot successfully compete with money backed by a technical and practical experience.

There is the need of the technical school in all lines of industrial work in the South.

Cotton, iron, furniture and other trades demanding a highly trained foreman, must look to the north and east for such a man, with the various disadvantages attending the securing of the services of such a man.

The South, with its superb natural advantages, needs schools in which to train its youth to a technical and practical knowledge, in order that its manufacturers may be supplied with that home help, so essential to the best home development.

In this respect of local skilled labor, the South is sadly deficient, and this want should be remedied by every State Legislature making the necessary appropriations for the establishment and full maintenance of technical schools.

These schools would not only supply the skilled labor demand, which now exists in the South, but it would provide employment at home for the best talent of the Southern youth, and prevent the drain from which the South is now suffering on account of this lack of home employment.

### EFFECTS OF ONE ENTERPRISE.

No full estimate can be placed upon the true results which come from individual enterprise.

The local promoter, who starts a manufactory, or an establishment which gives employment to the laborer of his city or town, wields an immense influence upon the development of his place, one which widens and broadens out each year, as his enterprise continues.

A single factory which gives employment, or an industry which uses ordinary unskilled labor has its effect in building up a place, for each by its utilization of home labor,

both holds this laboring class in its community, and attracts other labor from outside points to strengthen and better its labor.

One of the most remarkable illustrations of this one enterprise of local promotion, is seen in the Tobacco Warehouse enterprise, which was successfully promoted and built in New Berne last summer.

The real effect of this enterprise cannot be appreciated by this community at present, nor can the citizens of New Berne see that the future holds any thing especially in the way of productive good to this city, as the result of the building of the warehouse.

It is only to those immediately interested in the establishment of this enterprise in New Berne, who can see and feel the true importance of this enterprise.

If the public could know of the benefits which every week are sent to New Berne, asking about land in this section, a slight idea could be formed of what a single enterprise can do.

Another most important thing in this connection, is the impetus and encouragement it has given the farmers of this section, for it gives them a ready market for their tobacco, and assures them of a ready cash market for a product which seems most easily adapted to the soil of this section.

With the opening up a market for tobacco, which this Warehouse enterprise is doing for New Berne, is seen the effect of a local promotion of a single enterprise.

The broadening effect of this Tobacco Warehouse enterprise will be seen in the increased immigration to this section and city, and the increased trade among our merchants arising from the receipts of tobacco in the market, and its sale to the manufacturer.

### WHAT AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS MUST EXPECT.

The decline in the price of cotton, which every one acknowledges is caused by the production of a ten million bale crop of cotton this year, is simply a notice to the cotton planter that the change has come to his business as it has to nearly every other.

In the manufacturing business, what radical changes have been made in prices of goods, caused by competition, assisted by all kinds of labor saving devices.

The cotton planter must be prepared to meet the new ten cent cotton, as a starting point, in fact he must consider ten cent cotton the standard thing to expect.

In the industrial trade, in every kind of commercial business, a new era has opened, a period of greater care, greater economy, greater production and stronger competition.

In agricultural pursuits, like all other business, the influence of production and process of products.

A ten million bale crop of cotton, estimated in September or October, is now a fact nearly the same thing as the actual thing. The entire world is in a state of panic, and the consumer today is not the prudent consumer of years ago, who was always provided against the future by having a well filled granary and closets well stocked with raiment.

This is a state of hand to mouth existence, and with the immense improvements in every line pertaining to our living, the consumer has the advantage over the producer, as he can buy all that is needed for that day, with no fear of exhausted stocks to frighten him into buying two days supplies at one time.

With these conditions it is the wise agriculturist who avoids mistakes, and surely it is a mistake for the cotton farmer of North Carolina living in a State on the border land of the cotton belt, to try to compete with the Texas farmer in cotton production.

Five cent cotton in North Carolina is a different matter to five cent cotton in Texas.

One means loss, certain and sure, while the other can make a living out of it.

In this day of competition the wise farmer will not endeavor to raise crops which are expensive to cultivate, and then offer his product in a market against competitors who have everything favorable in raising the same product.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day. "Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits, 75 cents. Sold by Henry's Pharmacy, New Berne.

# ISLANDS FOR SALE.

If We Do Not Buy Them Perhaps Others May.

What Would Then Become of the Monroe Doctrine? Financial Legislation, Hawaii Sure to be Annexed, Report Not Believed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18. There is a report that the Senate will pass a bill to purchase the Hawaiian Islands from the Hawaiian Government, and that the Hawaiian Islands are now being offered for sale to the United States. It is said that the Hawaiian Islands are now being offered for sale to the United States. It is said that the Hawaiian Islands are now being offered for sale to the United States.

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### Productive Power of United States.

It appears that, as regards quantity, three Americans now export as much as five did twenty years ago, which goes to show how groundless are the predictions of some writers who hold that as population increases the surplus products of exportation must diminish. In the last twenty years population has risen from 40,000,000 to 71,000,000 souls, and the value of exports has risen from \$1,000,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000, and at the same time the weight of exports has risen 100 per cent—that is, the surplus has increased.

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# MONEY ON HAND.

Fifty Thousand Dollars are Available for Improvement.

Musical Festival in the Spring. Telephone Enlargement. Penitentiary Shirt Making. Reunion Rates Announced. Horse Trade Deal.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18. The check for the \$50,000 worth of bonds, which were bought at 100 and a fraction, making \$54,000, is in the hands of the city treasurer and subject to the order of the chairman of the street committee, Mr. J. C. Drewry. The Gray-stone quarry machinery has been purchased for \$1,125 and is being placed in the rock quarry just east of the city.

The penitentiary board adjourned yesterday. The increase in farming lands was discussed. Nothing definite was set out about more for 1898, but the fact that 2,000 acres in Wake county will be rented for a farm. That is left to the executive committee with power to act.

It is proposed to hold, in the spring a grand musical festival. There are to be 16 or more of the best trained singers with a chorus and orchestra. It is proposed to give the festival at Raleigh, Greensboro, and Charlotte, with several performances at each place. This plan is to be perfected by Mr. J. S. Atkinson who has so successfully established the star courses in several Southern States.

In the report of the pensions it is noted that there are 79 new claimants over the number last year.

The inter-state telephone company will increase its capacity to two million lines and connect up all the large cities in Virginia, North Carolina and Maryland, with Richmond, Baltimore and Norfolk.

### And the Elbow Almost—

Representative Eddy of Minnesota has the clearest nose in the paper in Washington. He is a man who makes a friend of his pipe. It is his companion when alone. He dreams over it, philosophizes over it, and is a sort of confidant to him in the position of the house he reads. For twenty years or more he has had one favorite over-the-hill pipe. It has been his pride and the comfort of quiet hours. It is a beautiful and expensive pipe when he got it, and year after year a deeper richness of color came upon it, until it came to be just about as perfect in every respect as a pipe can be. A few days ago the amber stem got broken.

Mr. Eddy took it to a foreigner who has a shop on a side street in this city and who was recommended as a purveyor of broken novelties. The next day the member of novelties appeared with the pipe carefully done up in a cloth.

"Ah," he said, "I don't believe in the pipe, it is a beautiful and expensive pipe when he got it, and year after year a deeper richness of color came upon it, until it came to be just about as perfect in every respect as a pipe can be. A few days ago the amber stem got broken."

"It was, of course, a pipe. I thought I'd clean it. With alcohol and sand paper, very fine sandpaper, I cleaned it beautifully."

The pipe had been carefully sandpapered—Washington Star.

Cures to Stay Cured. Thousands of voluntary certificates received during the past fifteen years, testify with unerring sound, that Botanic Blood Balm, (B. B. B.) will cure to stay cured, Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Stomach, Bile, and the most intractable skin diseases. Botanic Blood Balm is the result of forty years' experience of an eminent, scientific and conscientious physician. Send stamp for book of wonderful cures, and learn which is the best remedy. How to substitute and to be "just as good" and buy the long tested and reliable Botanic Blood Balm, (B. B. B.) Price only \$1.00 per large bottle.

FEEDED AN ENTIRE CURE. For over two years I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism, affecting both shoulders to such an extent that I could not put my coat on without help. The use of six bottles of Botanic Blood Balm, B. B. B., effected an entire cure. I refer to Rev. W. W. Wadsworth, proprietor Coweta Advertiser, and to all merchants of Newnan.

For sale by Druggists.

Voices of the Deep. To those especially who are familiar with "the deep diapason of the mighty sea," the following lines will commend themselves: Up from the Deep the mystic voices come. The mystic moaning voices of the sea. They chant their Mimerre ceaselessly. I stand and listen to them, stricken dumb. Eye mingling with tangled notes of Time, They sing in mighty harmony below: "Through grief and pleasure life must onward go. 'Till God's deep bells the resting hour shall chime." And from the heaving bosom of the sea Comes like a sigh of love, the words to me: "Though thou shalt see no light in coming year, Hold thou to this; That good oft cometh ill."

And that through storm and darkness, moving still, Man's life is set to music of the spheres."—Chambers' Edinburgh Journal.

# SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA

Castoria is put up in one-ounce bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to tell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will never give you any trouble." See that you get G. & S. T. O. R. & C.

Vegetable Preparation for Assisting the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN.

Promote Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of Sleep.

Fac-Simile Signature of J. C. H. Fletcher, NEW YORK.

AT 6 months old 35 Doses = 35 CENTS. EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits for infants and children.

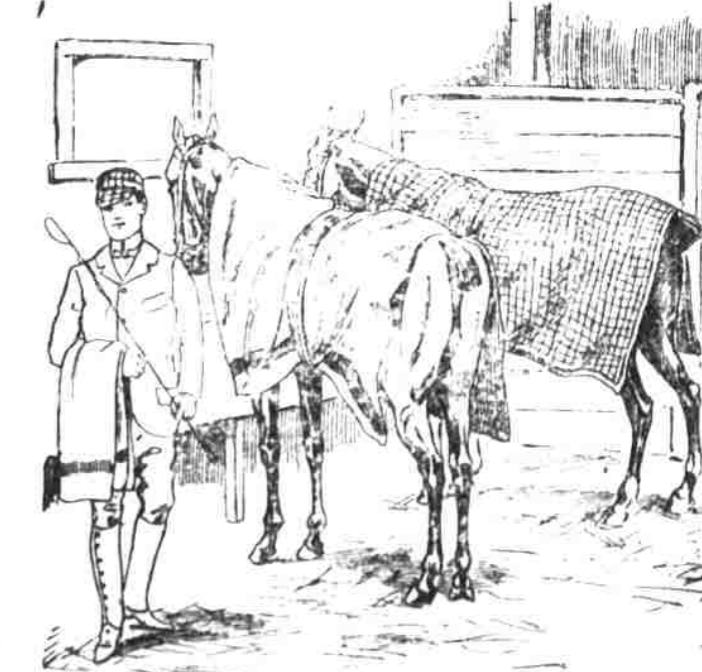
# Hard Sense.

It takes keen common sense, added to superior judgment and experience, to be superintendent of a railroad. Such a man never recommends anything that he has not himself subjected to crucial test. A prominent railroad superintendent, living at Savannah, Ga., in which city he was born, says he feels better than he ever did, and he had the worst case of dyspepsia on record. He had no appetite, and the little he ate disagreed with him, causing him to vomit often. He had pains in the head, breast and stomach, but after using three bottles of P. P. P. he felt like a new man. He says that he feels that he could live forever if he could always get P. P. P. His name will be given on application to Lippman Brothers, the proprietors of this great remedy.

Dyspepsia in all its forms is promptly and permanently cured by P. P. P. General Debility and lack of energy give place to vim and ambition through the use of P. P. P. Blood Poison and all its incidental and hereditary ills are eradicated by P. P. P. Rheumatism is conquered and banished by P. P. P., as are also Catarrh and Malaria. P. P. P. is a purely vegetable compound, which has steadily grown in favor for years. GOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. LIPPMAN BROTHERS, PROPRIETORS, LIPPMAN BLOCK, SAV. nah, Ga.

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# TWO CAR-LOADS OF KENTUCKY AND VIRGINIA HORSES AND MULES, JUST ARRIVED.



Which in addition to 30 head always on hand gives you the best assortment ever before presented to select from. All sizes from 14 to 16 hands, all shapes and colors—Prices we make in accordance with the best times; you run no risks, every sale is guaranteed and must be as represented, or no sale. An exceptionally fine and full line of Haggies, Road Cart, Harness, Winter Robes, Whips, &c., and Veterinary Supplies, all going at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. We will allow you 1-2 cent above market price of cotton in trade today. It will be to your interest to see us and look well through our establishment before buying elsewhere. Respectfully,

M. HAHN & CO.

Advertisement for Malarion, a medicine for malaria, with a bottle illustration and text describing its effectiveness.