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AN ACT OF GREAT MERCY.

Remarks of Judge Hoke in Passing Sentence Upon the Bonner Murderers.

[Special to Reflector.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—When the jury in the Bonner case returned their verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree yesterday afternoon, counsel for the Beils requested that the jury be polled. A motion for a new trial for all the defendants was then made, but overruled by the Judge.

In passing sentence upon the prisoners, Judge Hoke said: "To my mind there has been an act of great mercy done this day in the county of Beaufort. What has led the jury to this conclusion I do not know. It may be that it was on account of the youth of the defendants. Possibly they thought the killing was not designed or intended by the parties at the outset, but the fatal shot was fired by Sherrill Bell, the youngest of the defendants, after the others had fled, and in some frenzy, fright or apprehension of discovery. The jury I believe have acted from conscientious motives and can have the satisfaction of knowing that if they have erred it has been on the side of mercy. But there has been an atrocious and horrible murder done on an innocent and inoffensive man, and no one who heard the evidence, and heard it impartially, but was forced to the conclusion that these defendants were perpetrators of the deed. They are all guilty, and every one of them, and the jury in rendering this verdict of murder in the second degree have extended them all the mercy they deserve or should receive, and on this verdict the extreme penalty of the law for such an offense must be imposed. In this case it is considered and adjudged by the court that Uriah Bell, Sherrill Bell, and W. H. Brantley, Jr., be confined at hard labor in the penitentiary for and during the term of thirty years."

After the notice of appeal for the defendants Bell was given, the case of David Credle, the accomplice to the murder who made the confession, was called. He entered a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree, and S. C. Bragaw, one of his counsel, made a touching appeal for mercy. He referred to the fact that Credle had done the State great service in the case, and that he was a weak and ignorant man who had no parents to rear and train him. Credle was given fifteen years.

Neither of the defendants seemed to manifest any emotion or surprise under the verdict of the jury or sentence of the court.

It is stated that the first ballot taken by the jury after retiring from the box stood seven for a verdict of guilty and five for acquittal. They deliberated upon the case twenty hours before arriving at their verdict.

What it Does.

By having a daily paper in Greenville the people have been enabled to get reports every day from the Bonner trial at Washington and to keep fully informed on the progress of the case. That is one thing a daily paper does for you.

Soiree and Banquet.

There was a large attendance at closing soiree and banquet given by the dancing school, Friday night, and the participants all report a good time. A splendid supper was served at 12 o'clock and a german followed until well on toward the morning hour.

Friday Allen Warren & Son, received an order from California for a dozen James grapes vines. Greenville continues to get known further and further way from home.

BOARD OF TRADE NEEDED.

Much Could Be Accomplished By One.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:—It occurs to me that the most necessary step to be taken in order to increase the material prosperity of the town, during this year, is the organization of a Board of Trade for the town. To do this it will not cost much time or money, and to do anything else that will invite attention amounting to anything this must be done first, for not many projects of a business nature have ever succeeded yet where there was not some system by which to work. The most thoroughly systematized organizations to-day in the world are those that are making the most rapid progress, and where system is neglected or overlooked in the rapid march of progress, ruin and failure is the almost universal result, hence I repeat, if we would place our town and its advantages before those seeking new homes, in order to do so successfully we should have some of our best business men who are interested in this matter manifest an interest in it and see that a creditable presentation of our inducements is made. A Board of Trade properly organized and constituted would, in my opinion, at this time do more toward advancing and promoting the internal development of the town than any other one agent. It is true there are other things that the town needs, but it seems to me that we need a Board of Trade first, and then the board will help to get other things that we need. There are business men enough in the town who ought to be interested in this matter to take it right up and push it on until we get one. A room could be rented and neatly furnished right in the central part of town at a very small cost. Give us a Board of Trade first and in less than one year there will be greater domestic improvement than there has been in any one year in the past.

O. L. JOYNER.

MEET WITH THE COUNCIL.

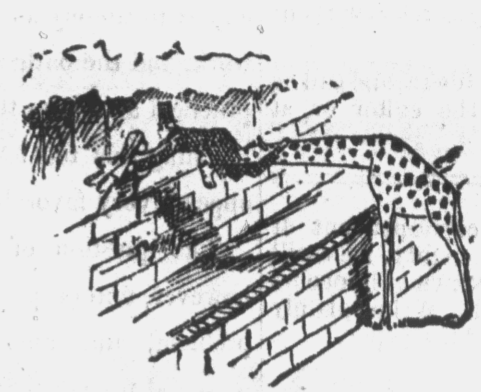
Mayor Forbes Makes a Good Suggestion.

MR. EDITOR:—As the business men of Greenville have been requested to express their views as to the best method of advancing the interests of the town, it is my opinion that it would be well for the business men of the town, and especially those who have energy, push and enterprise, to meet the Board of Town Councilmen at their meeting on Wednesday evening, February 5th, and express their ideas as to what can be accomplished. So I take the privilege of asking such as are mentioned above to be present at this meeting. The Board would especially like to have some advice as to water works, and as the Board is composed of only six men they feel a delicacy in taking the whole responsibility upon themselves. They wish to do something and something must be done.

The people of Greenville are too slow to act upon matters of this kind, but like some of our sister towns, seem disposed to sit still and take no action as to the town's greatest needs. We will wait until the town is in ashes and our property destroyed, then will be all in a fume for water works. It will be too late then, and our error will be apparent.

Let all who have a warm spot in their hearts for the welfare of Greenville and who feel an interest in the future prosperity of the town, be present at this meeting as requested, and advance such suggestions as they think will best accomplish the desired results.

O. L. FORBES,
Mayor.



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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1TH, 1896.

President Cleveland spent a day duck-shooting this week and that may have started the rumor of his intention to decline forwarding to the European nations which signed the Berlin treaty that concurrent Congressional resolution expressing sympathy for the Armenians and calling upon the powers named to enforce the Berlin treaty and compel Turkey to protect the Armenians; on the ground that to do so would be a violation of the American policy inaugurated by Washington and endorsed by all our Presidents, of avoiding entanglements in European politics.

The humblest home may be rich in refinement and sweetness of spirit and may be invested with such an atmosphere that the children who grow up in it go out in life prepared for courts and places on entirely equal terms. To be a gentleman or a lady is the one important thing—not to possess this, or to have seen that, or to have been to the other. Life broadens and deepens precisely according to the powers which are brought to it.

Every man ought to desire to be well-to-do. He has a right to expect to be, if he is honest and industrious—and his wife is thrifty.

The plain people of the South have the great secret of success, from a domestic standpoint, yet to learn. It is hidden in the word "thrift." It is said that Benjamin Franklin made New England wealthy by teaching the people this lesson. Thrift lays by a little money, no matter how little, and is not discouraged if the pile does not grow as fast as hope had had it.

The Venezuelan issue seems to have aroused Congress to a realization of the fact that the coast-defence problem is a live one, and there is little or no difference of opinion in the body as to the necessity of increasing our coast protection on a large scale, and under some comprehensive and systematic plan.

The question of ways and means, however, enters prominently into the problem, and among the measures proposed for meeting that difficulty is the Lodge bill, which is attracting considerable attention. This bill provides for creating a coast-defence fund by issuing 3 per cent. bonds to secure a loan of \$100,000,000, or \$20,000,000 in excess of the estimated cost of an adequate system of coast fortifications.

The debate on the free coinage substitution for the House bond bill, which had dragged ever since the measure was reported to the Senate from the Finance committee, became quite lively in its closing hours, although everybody knew just what the vote would result in.

There Must be a General Cleaning Up.

That this country is financially able to make both ends meet is beyond dispute. A nation that pays \$180,000,000 in a year for pensions a generation after war, can furnish the money to run three governments without a hitch.

Government agents report that the Louisiana and Honduras lottery is even more of a barefaced swindle than when Morris and his company were running it in New Orleans. The American headquarters of this fraud are now at Tampa, Fla., and there the whole thing is managed, the tickets printed and sent out, and the lists of the drawings made.

The Cincinnati Post remarks that no man was ever nominated for the Presidency at St. Louis who afterward occupied the White House. If history should repeat itself this year both the Republican and Populist nominees will be left.

A New York magistrate required a \$300 bond of a tramp who had taken an umbrella, remarking at the time he required the bond "I will try and dispel a popular delusion about umbrellas being public property."

From newspaper reports, the leading candidates for the Republican nomination for President are busily drumming up recruits, and moulding sentiment in their behalf.

Governor Morton's barrel supplies the necessary impetus to his boom, and his paid agents are at work in all parts of the country. His emissaries reported that Illinois was good fighting ground, as the State has no candidate of its own, and no sooner was the announcement made than the agents of Allison, Reed, and McKinley were rushed into the disputed territory, and red-hot war precipitated in which Morton's barrel played a leading part.

It is openly charged by Reed's friends that McKinley's agents have spent \$50,000 in Louisiana, and as much more in Texas to secure the delegations from those States. McKinley's agents reply that Reed's men are spending money freely in the South.

No report has yet been made from Georgia, but if the colored brother will wait and not commit himself too early, there will probably be plenty of "sugar" sent here. Georgia has always played a star part at Republican conventions, and there is no reason why she should take a back seat on this occasion.

These agents or presidential drummers are a modern development. It is fair to assume that they are paid well for their services, and are provided with the sinews to carry on their business. We do not know what qualifications are required, but it is presumed they should have plenty of gall, and be well skilled in the use of flattery and boodle.

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and told every man you met that you had a load of wood to sell, and every man you met would in turn tell every man he met that you had a load of wood to sell and every man you met would in turn tell every man he met that you had a load of wood to sell, it would, in course of time, become pretty well circulated that you had a load of wood to sell; but why not cut it short—not the wood, but the method—and place a good ad in a good newspaper and tell everybody at once.

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Table with tobacco market prices: TONS—Green 1 to 2 1/2, Bright 4 to 8, Red 3 to 4, LUGS—Common 4 to 6, Good 7 to 15, Fine 12 to 18, CUTTERS—Common 6 to 11, Good 12 1/2 to 20, Fine to to.

Table with cotton and peanut prices: Cotton and Peanut. Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk: COTTON. Good Middling 8 1/2, Middling 7 15-16, Low Middling 7 1/2, Good Ordinary 6 13-16. PEANUTS. Prime 3 1/2, Extra Prime 3 3/4, Fancy 3 1/2, Spanish 81.10 bu, Tone—firm.

Greenville Market. Corrected by S. M. Schultz. Butter, per lb 15 to 25, Western Sides 6 to 7, Sugar cured Hams 12 to 13 1/2, Corn 40 to 45, Corn Meal 50 to 55, Flour, Family 3.75 to 4.25, Lard 5 1/2 to 6, Oats 37 to 40, Sugar 4 to 5, Coffee 16 to 25, Salt per Sack 80 to 1.75, Chickens 12 1/2 to 20, Eggs per doz 17 1/2, Beeswax per 20.

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Dated Jan. 6th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.		No. 36 Daily.		No. 41 Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Leave Weldon Ar. Rocky Mt	11 55	9 27	1 00	10 20	
Lv Tarboro	12 12				
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10 20			5 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11 03			
Lv Selma	2 53				
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 53			
Ar. Florence	7 25	3 00			
	No. 49 Daily.				
	P. M.				A. M.
Lv Wilson	2 08				6 20
Lv Goldsboro	5 10				7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16				8 10
Ar. Wilmington	5 45				9 45
	P. M.				A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Jan. 6th 1896.	No. 78 Daily.		No. 32 Daily.		No. 40 Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Lv Florence	8 15	7 4			
Lv Fayetteville	10 58	9 40			
Lv Selma	12 32				
Ar. Wilson	1 20	11 35			
	No. 48 Daily.				
	A. M.				P. M.
Lv Wilmington	9 25				7 40
Lv Magnolia	10 56				8 31
Lv Goldsboro	12 05				9 40
Ar. Wilson	1 00				10 27
Lv Tarboro	2 48				
	No. 78 Daily.		No. 32 Daily.		
	P. M.		P. M.	P. M.	
Lv Wilson	1 17		11 35	10 32	
Ar. Rocky Mt	2 17		12 11	11 15	
Ar. Tarboro	4 0				
Lv Tarboro					
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17		12 11		
Ar. Weldon			1 01		

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.13 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.47 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11.00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrives Pamlico 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 10.00 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 4.30 p. m., Pamlico 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 7.45 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C. via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday, 3.00 p. m. arrives Plymouth 9.00 p. m., 5.25 p. m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.45 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.03 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains in Nashville branch leave Rocky Mount at 4.30 p. m., arrives Nashville 5.05 p. m., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 8.00 a. m., Nashville 8.30 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 9.05 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clio 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clio 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sunday.

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[Dated 1878.]
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Upward of three hundred years,
But there is never a sign nor a trace
Of all you have seen and known,
Never a glimpse in your face
Of the gladness, the joy and the tears
That have past in three hundred years.

You have only to count the hours,
Not the sorrows and woes of men,
The hopes that were crushed and blighted,
The deeds that still live in story,
The lives that were love united,
For love, alike now as then,
Is the mightiest power among men.

Time, which destroys so much,
Whose servant and slave you are,
Who holds the world in his grasp
And who slayeth all men at last—
For none may escape his clasp—
On love leaves never a scar:
He is powerless to hurt and mar.

For time is of this world only,
And, though he doth all things slay,
Yet for us remaineth a distant shore,
Where he shall be powerless to harm us,
Where love is triumphant forevermore,
And doubt and distrust are passed away,
And that which was faithful will ever stay.
—Academy.

Yankee Sleds Beat Swiss Coasters.

The original "otobansk" has for long remained sufficient for Canadian tobagganers, probably because the pastime with them is hardly more than the original means of locomotion it provided for the Indians, and competition in speed was never a successful possibility. The primitive Swiss coaster was destined to a far shorter supremacy when put to the keen tests of the racing that developed it. Men soon got all that was possible in the way of speed out of sitting on a wooden framework balanced upon flat iron bars. And Mr. L. P. Child of New York supplied the want by producing in the winter of 1887 an American "clipper sled," which beat every rider in Davos out of sight, whether native or imported. He rode it lying head first on his side, steering with one moccasined foot swinging out behind, after the method familiar on the chutes of Montreal.

Owing to local prejudice and habit, this head first position had not penetrated to Switzerland till long after it had been well known elsewhere. But even the introduction of the new position was not so essential an advance as was the long spring runner of Mr. Child's machine, by means of which steering was made far more accurate and easy than with the old flat runner of the "schlittli." Mr. E. Cohen, another American, by winning the best race at St. Moritz, sitting on one of the new clipper sleds, proved conclusively the merits of the right machine, even when it was ridden in the wrong way, and showed that on hard ice as well as on the snow of the postroads the new machines and methods were a great advance. —Scribner's.

The Fate of a Message.

We weighed anchor on Oct. 31, and when close to the south shore sent off two boats in search of seals. On this occasion one of the boats, being swamped in the surf, was immediately crushed against the rocks, its crew having a rather narrow escape from drowning. One of the men fought bravely in the breakers for half an hour, without relinquishing his grasp on his rifle.

With scrupulous care we now composed a letter upon which each of us carefully inscribed his signature. Having placed it in a small bladder which had been given to us for the purpose by the Norwegian consul in Melbourne, we consigned it to the waves and leaped over the bulwarks to see the mail depart. Much to our chagrin, a large albatross dove in sight, and before our message had gone many yards the huge bird gobbled it up. —"The First Landing on the Antarctic Continent," by C. E. Borohgrevink, in Century.

A Rare Disease.

Diphtheria of the skin, a very rare disease, was cured by the use of antitoxin in a little 2½ year-old Berlin girl recently. She had been badly scalded with boiling water, and as the skin was healing she was kissed by her mother on the wounded spot. The mother had diphtheria, and thus communicated it to the baby's skin. The throat was not affected.

There is no real elevation of mind in a contempt of little things. It is, on the contrary, from the narrow views that we consider those things of little importance which have, in fact, such extensive consequences. —Fenelon.

A tobaccoist named Farr had the following painted above his door, "The best tobacco by Farr." A rival tobaccoist, at the other end of the street, painted up, "Far better tobacco than the best tobacco by Farr."

CHEFS OF NEW YORK.

Important Personages in Clubs—Valuable Wives Who Are Cooks.

Cooks were men of high pay and much distinction in old Greek days, and they have come to be persons of consideration in modern New York. When a man, lunching at a club the other day, found a particular dish especially to his taste, he asked, with some hesitation, whether the cook could be persuaded to reveal the secret of its composition. The head waiter thought he might and undertook to be the diplomatic intermediary between the dining room and the kitchen. There came in reply an inquiry from the gentleman below stairs as to whether the gentleman above stairs could read French, and when this query had been answered in the affirmative there came from the nether region the recipe, neatly written and well expressed in that language, upon the note paper of the club. The club member sent his respects and acknowledgments to the invisible potentate of the kitchen, and thus an agreeable incident came to an end.

Nearly all clubs and considerable hotels have French cooks, male, of course, though it is usual in small clubs to employ as second cook a woman. The chef in a large club has as many assistants as he demands and is a personage of the highest consideration, well paid, much deferred to, and, as far as possible, conciliated. Cooks maintain their ancient reputation for ill temper, and the company in the luncheon room of a Fifth avenue club was startled one day to see some sort of kitchen underling burst into the apartment, actively pursued by the raging cook, butcher knife in hand, bent upon doing execution upon the frightened offender. A good club cook costs from \$750 to \$1,200 a year, and there are some who receive much higher salaries.

One finds in some of the smaller French restaurants a woman cook, perhaps the wife of the proprietor, a tireless creature who labors late and early and manages by her peculiar gift to confer a special reputation upon the place. A wife such as that is an unspeakable treasure to any restaurant keeper, for not only does she do the work of a skilled and well paid man and keep it up for twice as many hours as he can be induced to stay in the kitchen, but, above all, the cooks that are at the same time wives, whatever their peculiar traits and however ill their tempers, do not "give notice." The services of such a wife can hardly be valued in money, and widowed indeed is the man that loses her.

A pleasing feature of a restaurant that has now, alas, deserted the old French quarter for the new was the occasional presence of the cook, clad all in white, his paper hat on his head, in the dining room among the guests. He knew some of the regular patrons, and it was his custom to honor one or another by taking a seat at his side and entering into conversation. The chef in most clubs, hotels and restaurants is an object of awe to all his fellow servants, if indeed the cook may, even by implication, be called a servant. His moods are watched; his moments of rage are indulged. The waiter that must carry to the kitchen a dish that has been rejected in the dining room sneaks in with fear and trembling and endeavors to propitiate him whose art has been called in question. The cook comes in for a large share of the Christmas box at every club. Though he may be unknown by sight to any member of the club, and a stranger even to the house committee, he is known by his deeds, and he stands firmly for all his rights and privileges. To dismiss so great a man is a duty that few care to take upon themselves, and to admonish him is the most delicate and diplomatic of tasks. —New York Sun.

A Tongue Twister.

Try it yourself, very slowly and carefully, until you can say it easily; then pass it along to your friends. Here it is:

"She stood at the gate, welcoming him in."

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TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:47 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M.

South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M., leaves 2:15 P. M.

Steamer Myers arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday ayes for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Rain tonight and Sunday, cooler Sunday.

FEBRUARY FANCIES.

Fun, Frivolities, Facts and Figures at One Finding.

February.

Second month.

Twenty-nine days this month.

Rain is on the programme now.

Valentines come half way in February.

Fresh Grits just arrived at D. S. Smith's.

Attend Sunday School and church to-morrow.

Nice line of Cigars at J. L. Starkey's, the place for a delightful smoke.

FOR SALE.—Fine Walnut Parlor Set Furniture. B. S. SHEPPARD.

The "Southern Leader" is the pride of Greenville, at D. S. Smith's.

FOR RENT—A 6 room house in Forbestown. Apply to A. Forbes.

FOR RENT.—Good dwelling house on Pitt street. B. S. SHEPPARD.

Get to work now on your gardens and have them ready to plant by the 14th.

This month will give five Saturdays but four of every other day of the week. Leap year causes the fifth Saturday.

Your sweetheart will never tell you to stop smoking if you smoke Golden Seal Cigars at Jesse W. Brown's.

Cod Fish, Irish Potatoes, Prepared Buckwheat, Oat Flakes, Cheese, Macaroni, P. R. Molasses, at S. M. Schultz.

News.—The best Flour is Procto Knott sold by S. M. Schultz. Try a 24 lb bag.

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I have a nice and convenient sample room in rear of my store that will be rented at reasonable rates by the day or longer. JESSE W. BROWN.

LOST.—Within one mile of Greenville, on Tarboro road, an overcoat. Has some letters and a pair of home-knit gloves in pockets. Liberal reward for its return. W. M. SMITH.

Harding & McGowan are daily expecting the arrival of a car load of buggies, both top and open. These vehicles are of superior workmanship and finish and an examination of them is invited.

FOLKS IN FEBRUARY.

Get Around Just Like in any Other Month, Faces Foremost.

J. W. Wiggins went to Rocky Mount today.

Ex-Gov. Jarvis and wife returned from Goldsboro Friday evening.

Rev. C. M. Payne, of Washington, came up on Friday's steamer and is the guest of J. R. Moore. He will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and night. Dr. Payne is an able minister and our people should embrace the opportunity of hearing him.

Rev. F. B. Ticknor, Evangelist of the Edenton Convocation, arrived Friday evening and stopped with Maj. H. Harding. Mr. Ticknor went out to Farmville today to conduct services there Sunday. He will return to Greenville Monday and hold services at night in St. Paul's Episcopal church.

All Invited.

Rev. J. W. MacNamara, of Washington, will preach at Mt. Pleasant church, four miles from town, tomorrow morning. At night he will deliver a lecture at the Baptist church in Greenville, his subject being "The Four Spirits of the Nations."

Planting and Harvesting.

A gentleman tells us that he saw an unusual sight, the other day, on a farm near Palmyra. In one portion of a field land was being prepared for planting, while near by in the same field hands were busy picking out cotton of last year's crop.

Kept Them Informed.

THE DAILY REFLECTOR gave such full reports of the Bonner trial that every reader could give a just verdict in the case from what was found in these columns alone. And we have yet to hear the first impartial man say he did not believe the defendants guilty.

Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds King issued only five marriage licenses this week, the smallest number of any week during the month. Two of these were for white and three for colored couples:

WHITE.

James A. Moye and Anna Tyson.
A. Dickinson and Minnie Young.

COLORED.

Henry Cox and Mary E. Garris.
W. H. Ray and Martha Brown.
Walter Askew and Nancy Gay.

The total number issued for the month of January was forty-eight, twenty-one white and twenty-seven colored.

GOV. JARVIS HURT.

Thrown from the 'Bus by Run-a-Way Horses.

Friday night the horses attached to Hotel Macon omnibus ran away at the depot. Gov. T. J. Jarvis, who was returning home, had just assisted Mrs. Jarvis into the vehicle and was about to get up himself when the horses jumped off in a run. In trying to get Mrs. Jarvis out the Governor was thrown from the omnibus, falling on his back and left side, but fortunately no bones were broken or serious injury done. He received a contusion on the left leg, and on the back and left hip. These were very painful during the night but he is resting more comfortably to-day, and hopes to be out in a day or two. Mrs. Jarvis was not thrown from the omnibus and was not hurt.

The difficulty occurred from the fact that the driver had left the omnibus with no one to care for the horses, and when the other vehicles started off, the horses to the omnibus finding they were unrestrained started off at full tilt after them.

There is generally much carelessness among the drivers, and the way horses are left standing around the depot with no one to attend to them it is a wonder more accidents of this kind do not occur.

Church Services Tomorrow.

Methodist church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson.

Episcopal church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M.

Baptist church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 7 P. M. by Rev. J. W. MacNamara.

Presbyterian church.—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by Rev. Dr. C. M. Payne.

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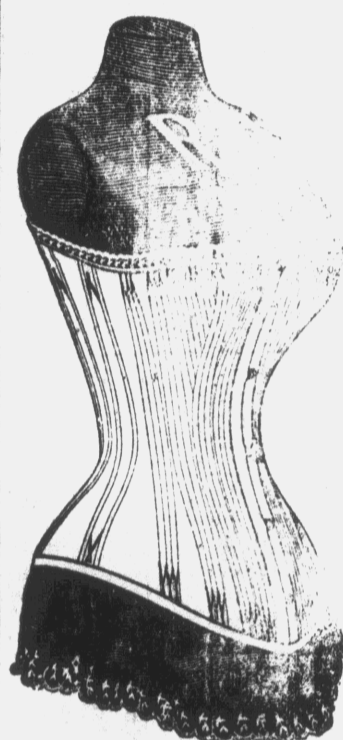
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