

THE CABLE-DR. RUSSELL'S STORY.

Lord Cranston's golden page, according to the Lay of the Last Minstrel, ran about crying "lost, lost, lost." The historiographer of the ill-fated Atlantic cable...

Dr. Russell's official account of the Great Eastern's voyage, and the abortive attempt to lay the cable, has found its way into the journals...

It is not possible for any words to portray the dismay with which the sight was witnessed and the heart heard. It was enough to move to tears!

Confidence, under these disheartening circumstances, seems to us, to have been almost entirely lost. This heroism was not the abstract, sentimental kind...

"After a brief consideration, Mr. Canning, whose presence of mind and self-possession never left him, decided (all but egregiously folly it seemed) to seek for the cable in the bottom of the Atlantic...

But it was dull, drowsy work, and, after all, there seems to have been but little real heart in it. "At first the iron sank but slowly, but soon the momentum of descent increased, so as to lay great stress on the picking-up machinery...

At first the iron sank but slowly, but soon the momentum of descent increased, so as to lay great stress on the picking-up machinery, which was rendered available by lowering the novel messenger, with warrant of search for the fugitive hidden in mysterious corners beneath...

Nevertheless, as the reader already knows, the cable was really "clutched," once, twice, thrice—but the "clutch" did not hold—the strain was too great—and so the great ship had to give it up...

THE ERA OF GREAT FRAUDS.—At no time within our recollection has there been such a succession of great frauds as during the past three or four months. Following each other so rapidly that their extent and audacity have severely shaken the public sense of security...

Thus, within the brief space of one hundred days, there have been a succession of robberies by trusted financial agents have been brought to light amounting to near six millions of dollars.

A Mademoiselle Van der Meer, from Paris, has opened an attractive exhibition of learned birds at the Polytechnic, London. With the assistance of a box of cards, properly invented, they tell the time by a watch, the month, the year, the color of ladies' dresses, with various other matters, which excite at once the mirth and approbation of the audience.

A contemporary says Commodore Nutt entered one of the Green Mountain towns, not long since, in a vehicle drawn by "diminished gnats." He meant "diminutive gnats."

Artemus Ward has bought a snug country seat in Yonkers.

Jeff. Davis' Family in Montreal—Young Davis on Yankees and Custard.

[Correspondence of the New York Herald.]

Since the commencement of the summer excursion season we have had a great many strangers among us in this city, particularly from the States and our sister provinces. All the hotels have been and are still filled up with them...

Among the recent arrivals here were the three children, mother-in-law and servant of Jeff. Davis. They put up at the Donegana Hotel, and caused quite a little excitement during their stay.

It was their custom to eat at the public table along with the other guests of the establishment. The little boy, about nine years old, was very talkative and noisy. On a small scale he kicked up as much noise and fuss at the Donegana as his paternal relative did on a large scale during the rebellion.

On another occasion a young lady stopping at the hotel asked Master Davis if he would give her one of his buttons. After looking at her attentively for a while, he said:

Master Davis—"Are you a Southerner?" Lady—"No."

Master Davis—"Are you a Canadian?" Lady—"No."

Master Davis—"Perhaps, then, you're a Yankee?" Lady—"No, not a Yankee, either."

Master Davis—"I would not give one of my buttons to a Yankee for the world. But if you were a Southerner I would give you one. Those are the buttons I wore when I was a Colonel in the army—the rebel army—mind that—not the Yankee army."

Lady—"I would not mind kissing you if you gave me one of your buttons."

Master Davis—"Oh! I would not kiss a Yankee woman; no, not for all the world."

Lady—"But I'm not a Yankee."

Master Davis—"I'm afraid you are."

Lady—"You won't give me a button, then?" Master Davis—"No."

Jeff. Davis is now reported to submit gracefully to his discomforts. He would probably bear a trial civilly.

THE CHARLESTON MARKET.

COTTON.—The receipts of this article continue light, amounting to about twelve hundred and fifty bales from the 1st to the 6th inst., inclusive. After much inquiry, we do not think that over two hundred bales have been sold here in the same time—the great bulk of it being shipped. The sales have been, generally, in small lots, at prices varying from 34c. to 35c. for low middling to good middling uplands. On Wednesday we were informed that a lot of 59 bales, much of which was fully good middling, had changed hands at 37c. per lb.—some of the packages were in poor condition. The last news from Europe has exerted a depressing influence on the market, and there is a tendency to a decline. There are some three thousand bales at Orangeburg, which holders are quite anxious to get to market, but which is detained by the want of railroad facilities. It will be perceived by our table that we make the stock on hand September 1st, 1865, 362 bales Sea Island, and 1610 bales Upland Cotton. There has been a few bales of Sea Island sold during the week, and we quote Sea Islands and Mains from 60c. to 80c. per lb. The exports during the week have amounted to 238 bales Sea-Island, and 1376 bales Upland Cotton.

COTTON STATEMENT. Table with columns: Sea Island, Upland, Ricc. Rows: Stock on hand Sept. 1st, 1865; Receipts to Sept. 6th, 1865; Total; Exports from 1st to 6th Sept., 1865, inclusive.

RECAPITULATION. Table with columns: Sea Island, Upland, Ricc. Rows: Stock on hand Sept. 6, 1865; Exported; On hand and on shipboard not cleared; RICE.

NAVAL STORES.—The receipts amount to about three hundred bbls. Rosin. A part of this was sold at \$8.50 for No. 2.

FREIGHTS.—To Liverpool, 2d. for Upland, and 1d. for Sea Island Cotton. To New York, in steamer, \$4.00 per bale for all packages weighing 400 pounds and over, and one (1) cent per pound for all under 400 pounds.

GROCERIES.—Our Grocery dealers are well supplied with almost every article in their line, and the assortment of Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Flour, Bagging, Rope, &c. will be found most excellent. We quote Sugar, good brown, 14 1/2 @ 16c; C Sugar, 19 @ 20c; best crushed, 22 @ 23c; Molasses, Muscovado, 55c.; sugar house, 40 @ 45c. Coffee, Rio, 30 @ 35c. Flour, super, \$10.00 per bbl.; extra, \$11.00. Salt, Liverpool sack, \$3.25 @ \$3.50. Whiskey, \$3.00 @ \$4.00 per gallon. Bagging, gunny, 27c. per yard.

Arrivals at Merchants Hotel, Sept. 7, 1865. J. G. Preston, Timmonsville; S. C. McCown, Williamsburg; W. J. Brown, Williamsburg; C. B. Law, Darlington; Col. F. H. Whitner, Sumter; S. C. Zimmerman, Davis; Hon. J. B. McCall, Charleston; Capt. Eugene Ferris, Hilton Head; D. Louis, Orangeburg; C. D. Richardson, Sumter; S. C. Walter Steele, South Carolina; John Duff, New York; W. Peck.

Consignees per South Carolina Railroad, Sept. 7. 67 bales Domestic, 9 bbls Turpentine, Misc. &c. To Thad Street and J. Simons.

Passengers. Per steamer W. W. Colt, from Hilton Head—Major-General Ames and Major Thomas, U. S. A.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLESTON. Arrived Yesterday. [Sept. 7.] Steamer W. W. Colt, Little, Hilton Head. Steamer Ann Maris, Fish, Hilton Head.

Went to Sea Yesterday. [Sept. 7.] Steamship Starlight, Fredrick, Wilmington, N. C. Steamer Palmyra, Sinclair, New Orleans. Schr R. C. A. Ward, (3 masted), Edgewood, Wilmington, N. C.

Schr M. J. Tibbets, Lippincott, Wilmington, N. C.

PROSPECTUS! NEW WEEKLY NEWSPAPER!

THE SUBSCRIBERS PROPOSE TO PUBLISH, AT an early day, a Newspaper in the town of Orangeburg, under the name of THE CAROLINA TIMES, to meet the want of the Merchants and other citizens of the District. The "Times" will be found to keep pace with other journals of the day, in General News, Improvements in Agriculture and Mechanical Sciences, the Statistics in Finance, Interests, and all that constitutes a good Journal for Farmers, Merchants, Housewives, and business men generally.

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W. W. LEGARE, T. C. ANDREWS, September 7.

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See Medical Properties of Buchu, FROM DISPENSARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF PHYSIC. See remarks made by the late celebrated Dr. FRYBAC, of Philadelphia.

See remarks made by Dr. EPHRAIM McDOWELL, a celebrated Physician and Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, and published in the Transactions of the King and Queen's Journal.

See Medical Properties of Buchu, published by Dr. J. J. MASON, Fellow Royal College of Surgeons. See most of the late Standard Works of Medicine.

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GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!

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Meers, Fisher & Haskell, Cotton Planters at Newbern, N. C., write, July, 1865, as follows: "The Phosphate of Lime we purchased of you gives good satisfaction. Last year we applied fifty-five (55) tons to three hundred and seventy-five (375) acres of land for cotton, say about (300) three hundred pounds per acre. We rubbed the seed in the Phosphate and also sowed it in the drill with the seed at the time of planting. On a portion of the land we applied a top dressing of the Lime at the second hoeing. Throughout the season the cotton plants grew well—the leaves were of a dark, healthy color, and "no rust" was seen on the plantation. The ravages of the army worm prevented us from realizing the benefit from our outlay for the Lime in full, still the large number of partly grown bolls and forms gave some idea of what the crop would have been had we used our Phosphate as usual. We saved a large quantity of manure on the place last year, our confidence in the value of your Phosphate bought for a friend, who was satisfied of its worth in cotton culture. At the time of writing this, our crop is looking well, and promises an abundant yield. One portion of our plantation consists of highlands with a clay subsoil, running near the surface; the remainder is flat and inclined to be sandy. The owner of the place tells us that he did not succeed with cotton on this last year; but owing, as we think, to the liberal use of your Phosphate, we have now a good crop growing upon it. This is but the second season of cotton growing with us; still, from our experience thus far, we do not hesitate to recommend your Phosphate of Lime as a manure well adapted to the wants of the cotton planter."

NEWBERRY, S. C., October, 1860. Professor J. J. MAPES—Dear Sir: I bought twenty bags of your Nitrogenized Superphosphate of Lime, of your Agents, Messrs. B. & N. E. Solomon, Hamburg, S. C. (who solicited a statement of its efficacy), and applied it to forty acres of my poorest cotton land. This land is on the public road, where its effects were seen. My neighbors, who are acquainted with the land, were astonished at the luxuriant growth of the cotton where I used your Superphosphate. It produced better cotton, and a larger amount, than on my good land; less water was needed, in making the cotton than on my other land. Not a particle of rust was to be seen where I applied your Superphosphate, while the rust prevailed over every other portion of the crop. Respectfully yours, DAVID PAYNE. The Saluda bottoms are proverbial for producing large quantities of cotton.

COLUMBIA, S. C., October 18, 1860. Mr. J. J. MAPES—Dear Sir: In reply to yours of the 1st inst., I cheerfully state: I have used Mapes' Nitrogenized Superphosphate of Lime on my cotton of the present year, and am perfectly satisfied with its yield. I can recommend it to my neighbors with confidence, as a pure and effective manure, and would give it the preference to any other in the market. Yours, respectfully, THOS. DAVIS.

Mr. Charles W. Mixon, of Edenton, Chowan County, N. C., writes to Mr. Beckover: "In regard to Mapes' Phosphate it worked admirably for me, the product being fully equal if not superior to both the manures before mentioned. It did not start the young plants as early as either the other manures; but it seemed to retain its color and pods much better, and no symptoms of rust was ever seen where it was applied—all the land I planted in cotton being about the same quality and strength. CHARLES W. MIXON.

Extract from a letter from Colonel Gideon Dowse, of Berzella, near Augusta, Ga., August, 1860: "I have applied it to land that invariably raises cotton, and there is as yet not a sign of rust in it, while the same kind of land just adjoining is completely ruined by it already. This experiment confirms that made by Mr. Lomas, of S. C., last year; and I am fully persuaded that any plant manured with it does withstand a drought better and keeps green longer than with any other application that has come under my notice. I have seen cotton, once raised, and again raised, that have kept green during the terrible drought that has so completely destroyed all our gardens, and my nutmeg melons are as green and blooming as beautifully as in spring. I have written this as the result of my judgment from close observation. When I shall have gathered my crop it will give me pleasure to give you the result from actual weight and measure. Yours, GIDEON DOWSE.

Extract from Weekly Day-Book: "We have, in the course of an extensive agricultural correspondence, gathered evidence of the superior value of Mapes' Nitrogenized Superphosphate of Lime upon the cotton fields of the South, where Peruvian Guano has been used with partial success. The bolls have been heavier, and of greater number, the yield of cotton per acre has been larger, and what is also of the greatest consequence, no rust is discovered in cotton fields where this article is applied, to which may be added its peculiar lasting power of fertilization, and its comparative cheapness. These facts have come to us in correspondence from parties who have used other like agents, and who give this by far the highest praise. "We have arrived at the conclusion, after considerable experiment ourselves, and of careful search for the results of the trials of others, that Mapes' Fertilizer has more of the property needed in a general manure, in horticulture and agriculture, than any thing else of the kind we are acquainted with."

EDGEMFIELD, S. C., October 10, 1860. J. J. MAPES, Esq., New York—Dear Sir: I bought four tons of your Superphosphate of Lime for my cotton crop, also some guano, and have tried them side by side on the same quality of land. Not a particle of rust was to be seen where your Superphosphate was used; and I also applied stable manure on a portion of my land. The cotton had the rust when the latter was used. The yield of cotton was splendid w/ your Superphosphate was used, despite the extraordinary dry year. When I applied the other manure the yield was not good. I applied the Superphosphate at the rate of 100 lbs. per acre, and believe it would have paid better if I had put more per acre. I sold my cotton in Hamburg yesterday at 3/4c per pound over the usual market price. The lint was considered very strong and heavy. I consider yours a reliable manure. Yours, truly, JAMES M. LANHAM.

Among the many patrons of this manure are the following gentlemen, who have testified in the highest terms of its value: Dr. N. Crawford, Columbia Co., Ga.; W. H. T. Walker, U. S. A., Moberly Pond, Ga.; L. Berckman, Augusta, Ga.; J. P. Brown, Big Lake Plantation; Carswell B. Martin, Macon, Ga.; E. M. Pendleton, Sparta, Ga.; Colonel Goodwin, Columbia, S. C.; and many others in all the Southern States, whose names can be found in a pamphlet published by CHARLES V. MAPES, General Agent for the Manufacturer, No. 104 Water-street, New York.

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