

GENERAL NEWS NOTES. Items of Interest Gathered from Various Quarters. A big boom is under way for Rome, Ga. The world's visible supply of cotton is 2,881,873 bales.

how so crowded with friends when I set foot out of doors that I am reduced to showing myself as little as possible. The day may come when there will again be spilling on my path.

Diamonds: Their Origin, Formation, and Use. Diamonds have been objects of interest both to the ancients as well as they are at present to all classes, but more especially to scientists and savants.

MISSING LINKS. Lady Randolph Churchill is a clever pianist and often plays at charity concerts. Mrs. A. S. Cole, of Peoria, Ill., chased her husband to Portland, Ore., and took him home with her.

Signing a Requisition in Blank. Before Governor Gordon left for New York application was made to him to issue a warrant for the arrest of M. T. Close, a former citizen of Indiana, and declined on the ground that it was an effort to use the process of the law to collect a debt.

South Carolina Railway Company. COMMENCING SUNDAY, MAY 9th, 1886, at 6:30 A. M., Passenger Train will run as follows: "Eastern Time."

Ex-Governor Hoody has been admitted to practice in the different courts of the State of New York.

A darling and mysterious murder was committed in Charleston Thursday. William Henry Baxter, a colored boy sixteen years old, employed at Werner's iron works, on Horbeck alley, was called to the door by some boys.

Those "Holiness Evangelists." A special to the News and Courier, dated Raleigh, N. C., March 14, says: "Yesterday a party of people known as 'Holiness Evangelists' arrived here.

Willie Abronson is the name of a little Russian Jew, 12 years of age, at present stopping in Philadelphia, who has traveled over Russia, Germany, and England and is able to black boots in ten languages.

The Western Union in a Bad Way. The Western Union Telegraph company appears to be in a worse way than ever.

LOOK OUT FOR THE J. WELED MORTAR. WHEN YOU COME TO TOWN The beautiful sign will direct you to The Oldest Drug Store.

Ex-Congressman Bragg, of Wisconsin, has become suddenly blind as the result of being struck squarely in the eyes by a stream of water from the hose of a fire engine years ago.

The Adams Express Company received at Dalton, Indiana, on the 10th a barrel from New York, via the New York & New England railroad, for delivery to the American Express Company.

Something new appeared in New York a short time ago, but though it is English, and has apparently come to stay, it has not met with a fervid reception.

The mother of five new-born shepherd puppies, near Huston, was mourning the death of four of her babies that had been taken from her, when a very young pig, whose mother had lost it, came squealing around the doghouse.

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Henry Steltz, Importer and Wholesale dealer in Foreign & Domestic Fruit.

Major Charles H. Blackburn, a well-known criminal lawyer of Cincinnati, noted for his eloquence and his power over common juries, has turned over a new leaf and will act as an evangelist.

Marriages. Married, March 11th, 1887, by W. E. Sawyer, N. P., Mr. Southern Fox and Mrs. Annie Jones, all of Aiken county.

Religious penance is the name which Mr. Talmage applies to people who come to church in an excessive amount of fine clothes.

The wonderful "Glacial Pot Hole" in Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, still attracts many visitors. The hole is bowl shaped, with a width of thirty feet and a depth of thirty feet.

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