

The Editor having gone to the great Georgia Fair, we have seized the occasion to give every highest price of advertisements we have ever yet encountered.

The Weather and the Crops. Corn and peas have also been gathered to a considerable extent. On the whole, we shall make in this section a tolerable turn out.

Judge O'Neill's Letter. We cheerfully occupy a part of the space reserved for ourselves, with a letter recently addressed by Judge O'NEILL to the Temperance Advocate.

Our Town. We think the town of Edgefield a great place, and therefore say so. Every one else large upon the merits of his burg, and why may not we?

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Guano. The last number of the Southern Agriculturist (which, by the way, is an admirable one) gives a letter from A. B. ALLEN, on the application of this famous manure.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication has been overlooked unintentionally until now. FOR THE ADVERTISER. Mr. BORROW: I see, by a Hamburg Republican which I have just chanced to pick up, that the polished Editor of that magnificent sheet has thought proper to take up the writer who has dubbed the Nightly President of the Plank Road "King."

FOR THE ADVERTISER. Mr. Editor: A good deal has been said in other parts of the District, lately, about the rapid growth of turnips and other vegetables. I do not think in this neighborhood we are far behind, though our land is not so rich.

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From Correspondence of the Temperance Advocate.

Edgewood, Oct. 6, 1853. It must be said of Edgewood, there has been a great improvement. The grog-shops have been closed; order and sobriety prevail, where there was disorder and drunkenness.

GOVERNMENT. To be notified that with a view to the cultivation of cotton in New South Wales, the following sums were provided for the purpose by the Legislative Council, but have not yet been awarded.

FIRE-ARMS.—The United States Government have in contemplation to attach Myrard's patent primer to the United States muskets in the new army at Springfield.

HYMENIAL. MARRIED, on the 12th inst., in Greenwood, Abbeville District, S. C., by Rev. D. D. Brandon, Hon. WILLIAM E. KILGUSAR, of Florida, and Miss ROSE ELIZABETH, only daughter of Albert Walker, of Greenwood.

OBITUARY. We deem it proper, when death has robbed us of a friend whose name is known as a part of our history by the public, to occupy, to make known their demise, that might not be forgotten.

COMMERCIAL. Starting westward from Liverpool, a line will connect that port with Dublin, (by Holyhead) whence a submarine wire will extend to Galway.

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Assuming the amount of the General Tax of 1852, to be fourteen thousand three hundred dollars (\$14,300) as the basis of their estimate. The Board for the 4th of January 1853, assessed a Tax of twenty percent on the above stated amount for the support of the Poor of said District, from which they expected to realize, after deducting the commissions of the Tax Collector, the net sum of Twenty-seven hundred and seventeen Dollars (\$2,717).

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Making the sum total of \$1700 79 And leaving a balance in the hands of the Treasurer of Fourteen hundred and fourteen 13-100 Dollars (\$1,414 13).

A more minute and detailed account of which, accompanied by the vouchers for each item, is herewith submitted for the inspection of the Court.

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