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It is estimated now that the cotton crop of last year will be about 11,000,000 bales, and as a consequence there cannot soon be a rise in the price.

It is estimated that the Cuban war since it began three years ago has caused commercial losses to the United States aggregating more than \$240,000,000.

The Greenville News is informed that Capt. J. N. King will run for Congress in the Democratic primary in the Third District and that he is opposed to the dispensary.

Women are coming to the front as bankers. Already there are several women cashiers of banks and a great many more serving as clerks in banking institutions.

The yellow fever is said to have again made its appearance at Edwards, Miss. Surgeon General Wyman has received a dispatch to that effect and has ordered Surgeon Carter of the Marine hospital to investigate the matter and report.

The Legislature has appropriated \$350 for five hundred copies of McCrady's History of South Carolina. The copies bought are to be placed in the libraries and other public institutions of the State and all Colleges of the State, male and female.

A bill has been framed for passage by the Virginia Legislature to "facilitate the creating of colonels." Any gentleman who will take the oath of office and subscribe to the anti-dueling oath may become a colonel for life upon the payment of a fee of one dollar. Dollar colonels is a new fad.

Japan is a game little bantam anyway. It isn't long since she was ruffling up to the United States on the Hawaiian issue and now she is hying the law down to Russia, Germany and France anent their "selfish policy in the far East."

The farmer gets more advice of one kind and another than any class of people that we know anything about, and as a rule takes very little of it. It is not often that we presume to offer any advice to them, feeling assured that they know more about their business than we do, but we can't refrain from suggesting to them to plant less cotton this year than they did last.

The cost of the last census as far as computed is stated at an aggregate of \$11,553,462.50, that amount of money having been appropriated for expenses by Congress. It is pointed out by the Philadelphia Record that "this was at the rate of nineteen cents per capita for the whole population in 1890 of 62,622,250 persons. If the statistics had been of reasonable accuracy, and if they could have been tabulated and given to the public in reasonable time, the expenditure would not have been deemed excessive, but doubt of the verity of the statistics and delay in the publication have gone far to bring the propriety of such large expenditure into question. Either inquiry should be less elaborate or more scientific."

For the past twenty years economists predicted industrial developments on a scale that would surprise the world. Now we are realizing the force of these predictions. The recent strikes at New Bedford, Mass., have awakened a feeling amongst all manufacturers North and South that to that section, where the raw material grows and where all the conditions are highly favorable, belongs the manufacturing of cotton goods. This is no longer a mere theory or surmise, but based on undeniable facts, that here where mills are established are superior advantages against serious disadvantages in the East, the cotton industry will prosper. What remains to be done at this moment is to employ proper efforts in a director calculated to foster and encourage the building of more mills. The question then arises, how are we to accomplish these results? Our answer is, that with such a magnificent plant as lately completed by the Anderson Power Company, and now under successful operation, we should have not a single stone returned for the purpose of securing more manufacturing enterprises for our town, no matter whether small or large. We can justly say that no town in the entire cotton belt possesses such advantages. All that remains to be done is to make a strong effort in the direction intimated, and our duty as citizens for the perpetuation of commercial and industrial supremacy will be discharged. Anderson enjoys the reputation for a wide-awake, progressive town. Let us continue to be in line with the forces marching now towards building up more cotton industries.

The human race to-day numbers 1,620,000,000, and increases 8 per cent every 10 years, according to the recent report of the international statistical institute. This society had set its heart upon having in 1900 a joint count of human noses in all civilized nations, but various governments declined to upset their census arrangements made for other years, and the scheme has been abandoned. The figures, 1,620,000,000, are not an exact count, but as close an estimate as is possible by expert statisticians.

The Greatest Discovery Yet. W. M. Rippe, editor of the N. Y. Herald, says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is the greatest discovery of our age, and it is being tried on you as just good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at Hill-Orr Drug Co.

More Candidates Enter the Lists. Following the positive announcement made yesterday of the candidacy of Col. R. B. Watson, of Saluda, for Governor, which, by the way, created quite a flutter in political circles, came the announcement that ex-Solicitor Schumpert had determined to make the race. This makes the fourth man to enter the race in the coming State campaign. Governor Ellerbe and Mr. Archer have announced their platforms. Nothing of this kind has yet come from Col. Watson or Mr. Schumpert. At this stage it looks very much as if the race is going to be a lively one if all the candidates stay to a finish.

The positive announcement was also made yesterday of the candidacy of Mayor H. H. Evans, of Newberry, for the office of Attorney-General. His friends claim that he will make it lively for any others who enter the race.

And still another announcement has been made. Col. Thos. G. White, of Beaufort, is out for Superintendent of Education. Here is what his home papers say of his candidacy: "Urged by his many friends, Col. Thomas G. White has consented to present himself as a candidate for the office of State Superintendent of Education. Col. White has served many years as school trustee and member of the County board of examiners, and his articles and information upon educational questions have attracted widespread attention. Col. White's friends say that the low County has heretofore been shared out in the distribution of State offices and that it is time for a low County candidate to be elected. Col. White will depend upon his popularity in this and adjoining Counties, and his many friends in Laurens, his old home, and in the other Counties in the neighborhood of Laurens to carry him to victory."

It seems that there is no longer any doubt but that George D. Tillman will be in the race for Governor. It was positively stated on the street yesterday, by one who is in position to know, that Col. George D. Tillman has finally consented to re-enter politics. The following was also given out in regard to Col. Tillman's plans: He will not make the race on an anti-dispensary platform, however, as has heretofore been reported. His position on the whiskey question will be to allow each County to select for itself prohibition, high license, or the dispensary, as each sees fit, this, in his judgment, being true local self-government and one of the fundamental principles of Democracy. He will also advocate a change in the present system of County government and make a determined fight for the betterment of the public school system. He will run as a candidate of no faction, but with the hope that he may be able to reunite the Democracy in South Carolina. He will not only promise low taxes, but will reduce them. The people are groaning under this burden. For a long time Col. Tillman has hesitated to allow the use of his name, but it is said that the petitions and letters from all parts of the State which have been sent asking him to make the race have definitely and finally caused him to do so. Some people question on account of his age, his ability to make the canvass, but all such misgivings, his friends claim, are without foundation, and the next campaign will be made hot by his canvass. He enjoys the best of health, and is as vigorous today as ever. There is no longer any doubt whatever but that he is in the race to the finish.—The State.

New Process for Baling Cotton. Through the inventive genius of one George A. Lowry, a machine has been invented that seems destined to revolutionize the cotton business. The machine is a simple piece of mechanism that puts cotton in round bales and while it is yet new and untried except by the experiment made by the company, it is looked on favorably by the cotton men who have seen it. General Stephen M. Wells, president of the Planters' Compress Company, of Boston, was in the city yesterday with a bale of the cotton baled by the machine and photographs of the machine.

The machine, as pictured here, is attached to the gin and as the cotton is ginned it can be put right into the machine and baled before leaving the ginhouse. The cost of the machine is something under \$500 and it may be run by the same power that runs the gin. The bales made by this process are round, and in size they are eighteen inches in diameter and forty-two inches high, each bale weighing 250 pounds. The cotton is packed in spiral layers, while its density is forty-four pounds to the cubic foot, as against a density of twenty-two pounds to the cubic foot in the bales put up by the ordinary process. It is not packed too tightly to be used as soon as the bale is opened.

In the other round bales the trouble has been that the bales have been put around a solid rod and while the cotton was loose on the outside of the bale, on the inside it is packed so tight that it is perfectly hard. This machine leaves a hole through the center of the bale through which the wires that hold the bale together are

run. The cotton goes in the top of the machine very much like the meat is put in a sausage machine and comes out the lower end in a roll ready to be baled. When the machine is perfected it will take about five minutes to make a bale. A knife that works automatically cuts the roll of cotton off just the length of the bale and in five minutes more another bale is ready. The greatest advantage of the new kind of bale is the facility that it will give the farmer in handling his crop. The bales are smaller, and being round in form are easier to handle. Another great advantage is in the shipping. The owners of the process claim that twice as much cotton may be put in a car when baled by their process than when it is the ordinary bales. The bales are ceased in cotton duck and held together by four wires, all of which weigh not over two pounds. The cost of covering a bale is 22 cents. All together, it is claimed that the saving on every bale of cotton to all parties will be between \$3 and \$4 per bale.

A company with a capital of \$5,000,000 has been organized to manufacture the machine and introduce it in the country. It is proposed to organize branch companies in each State with local capital. The owners of the machine say that they will have it ready in time to handle all of the next crop and that it will revolutionize the cotton business.

This new process of baling cotton is known as the Lowry process, from the name of the inventor, Mr. George A. Lowry, who invented the machine, is the man who, some years ago, invented a machine for taking the bristles off hogs. He sold the invention to the Armour's for \$100,000.—Atlanta Journal.

Analysis of Cotton Receipts. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 7.—Secretary Hester's analysis of the cotton receipts for the five months of the season from September 1 to January 31, inclusive, shows that, compared with the corresponding movement of 1895, Texas, including Indian Territory, has brought into sight this season in round figures 258,823 bales less, while other Gulf States, which include Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Missouri and Oklahoma, have marketed 519,626 more, and the group of Atlantic States, which includes North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Virginia, show an increase of 362,154. In other words, all of the States outside of Texas and Indian Territory have increased over the big crop year 884,780, against a decrease for Texas and the Indian Territory of 258,823, leaving a net increase in the total of crop marketed 622,957.

Mr. Hester shows the amount brought into sight by groups of States for the five months of this season as follows: Texas and Indian Territory 2,521,594 bales, an increase over same time last year of 648,980, an increase over year before last of 928,541, and a decrease under 1895 of 258,823. Other Gulf States 2,809,972, an increase over last year of 500,719, over year before last of 1,054,718, and over 1895 of 519,626. Atlantic States 3,305, an increase over last year of 361,267, over year before last of 1,085,119, and over 1895 of 362,154. Total crop in sight at close of January, 8,637,427, an increase over last year of 1,510,966, over year before last of 3,006,378 and over 1895 of 622,957.

After January 31 in 1895 the amount brought into sight from Texas and Indian Territory was 495,541; from other Gulf States 709,987, and from Atlantic States 681,303.

The groups of States as above furnished of the total cotton crops from Texas and Territory last year 2,248,000 bales, and in 1895 3,276,000 bales; other Gulf States 2,831,000 last year, and 3,000,000 in 1895; Atlantic States 3,679,000 last year, and 3,625,000 in 1895.

A paragraph which is going the rounds of the English papers states "on the authority of a leading physician, that three per cent of the ladies of Philadelphia, Pa., U. S. A., have mustaches or beards sufficiently heavy to make their wearers conspicuous."

Child suicide is increasing, both in this country and in most of the countries of the Old World. Recently the number of youthful suicides in England alone has averaged over ten annually, and in America this average is very considerably higher, says the Medical Record.

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Card of Thanks. Mr. Editor: We desire to tender our thanks to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and close attention given our dear husband and father in his recent illness and death. We assure each and every one of them that we will long remember their kind words and attention.

MRS. JULIA WEBB AND CHILDREN. —Brooklyn's latest addition to the new city's population is an infant phenomenon that weighs twenty ounces. His head is about the size of a silver dollar, and like a fairy prototype he could be put to drum in a pint pot. His father is a butcher and his mother, a native of Germany, is a big, strong woman, weighing 180 pounds. She is 30 years old and her husband is 15 years her senior. They have five children, the oldest of whom weighed 12 pounds at birth. The family physician says that the child appears to be very healthy.

—Many thousands of sheep are reported to have perished in Wyoming from the terrific cold of the past few weeks. —Nearly every one admires a self-made man, but no one likes a self-made woman.

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