The Daily News.

SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 19, 1867.

LOCAL MATTERS.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.—We would call the attention of those who are indebted to us throughout the country, that the old year is closing and their accounts are not yet settled. The price of subscription is not large, and will not be missed from their plethoric pockets. The first of January has long been celebrated as a day set apart for closing old accounts, and we would not have our friends depart from this time-honored custom. Money is the motive power of every enterprise, and newspapers are no exception, and we respectfully ask our country subscribers to cash up and commence the new year with a clear record.

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THE REMAINS of the late T. CAMBRIDGE TROTT are expected to arrive in this city to-day by the Columbia train, and will be reinterred in the First Presbyterian Churchyard this afternoon.

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FIRE IN BEAUFORT.—The steamer *Eliza Hancox*, from Savannah and Beaufort, arrived here last night. Her purser, Mr. LEE, gives us the following information:

On Thursday, 17th inst., at 12 o'clock in the day, the large steam ginnery of H. M. Stuart, Jr., at Beaufort, S. C., caught fire from a spark on the roof, burning the entire building. The building had in it at the time about 30,000 pounds seed cotton, most of which was destroyed. Mr. Stuart saved most of his machinery and eleven bales ginned cotton. Loss $10,000; insured for $5000.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Hon. GEO. S. BRYAN Presiding Judge.—The Juries being organized, the case of the United States *vs.* MICHAEL LOLLIS, embezzlement of Government property, was tried, and the Jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

JOHN MORAN, charged with buying uniform clothes from U. S. soldiers, was defended by M. P. O'CONNOR, Esq., and, after a short absence, the Jury returned with the verdict of not guilty.

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DISTRICT COURT.—The Court met at the City Hall at the usual hour, Judge LOGAN presiding. A number of cases were taken up, some of which were entered as *not. pros.*, and others were found not guilty by the jury.

The State *vs.* Frank Bostic, for Larceny. Guilty.

The State *vs.* Robt. Cotton, Assault and Battery. A. H. DUNKIN, Esq., appeared for the defence. Verdict guilty.

The State *vs.* Lizzie Underhill—Larceny. WM. RHETT, Esq., for the defence. Guilty.

The State *vs.* Henry Marzyck—Larceny. Guilty.

The State *vs.* ABRAHAM LILLIENTHAL—False Imprisonment. H. W. SCHROEDER, Esq., for defence. Guilty.

To-day is appointed as Sentence Day, when the evil-doers will receive their rewards.

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MAYOR'S COURT, January 18.—Henry Smith, a gay and festive young man of dark complexion, who had been participating in the "mazy dance" at a splendid ball in Elliott street, and there saluting Sarah Brown, a dusky maiden, by a lick on the head with a club, while she was tripping the very fantastic heel, was fined $5 for his ungallant conduct.

An individual who had, *sans ceremonie*, walked into a boarding house, and gone up stairs to bed with all the gravity of an old lodger, but who had been uncovered and brought out by the aid of the police, was discharged, as it was supposed an overdose of whiskey had made him get so high.

A five dollar bill, which had been left to answer for another Bill who had been on a bust, was examined and found to be so good that it was retained and put into the service of the city.

One or two other cases, which are to be examined into, concluded the business of the day.

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STREET BEGGARS.—We have heard, from more than one source, that our citizens are being considerably annoyed, at the present time, by men and women knocking at their doors and ringing their bells, generally at meal times, and when the summons is answered by a servant, a soiled written paper or greasy book is sent in from some one begging for money. These appeals are generally accompanied by certificates, signed with imaginary names, giving a doleful account of the sufferings and wants of the petitioner; but as this is an old dodge which, we hope, the people know too well, we don't think the presentation of such documents benefits them much. We are afraid, however, that the mistresses of houses suffer most from these interruptions while engaged in domestic affairs, and we would hint to the police to keep an eye on these vagrants, and to prevent them as much as possible from disturbing families. While we know that want does exist in the community, and that a great many persons, as of yore, have hearts filled with charity, still the large means that a number once possessed, they have no longer, and the small amounts they are now able to give are properly bestowed upon those of our own people, whose poverty they are well acquainted with. It will be a long time before the inhabitants of any southern city will be able to supply visiting beggars either with capital or travelling expenses, and therefore we would advise all such to compliment some other portion of the country with their presence.

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THE PHŒNIX FIRE ENGINE COMPANY celebrated their anniversary yesterday. In the afternoon they paraded about fifty strong, their engine gaily and tastefully adorned. The "playing" was highly satisfactory, giving a stream of 211 feet, with only 90 lbs. of steam on.

In the evening the Company met, and the ballot for officers resulted as follows:

W. E. HOLMES, President.
VINCENT MILLOR, Vice-President.
WM. CALDER, 1st Director.
W. K. PENAL, 2d Director.
W. K. DARBY, 3d Director.
W. L. KEAN, 4th Director.
R. S. CATHCART, Secretary.*
W. AIKEN KELLY, Treasurer.
W. A. WITTINGTON, Engineer.
W. M. MUCKENFUSS, Solicitor.
BOBT. LEBBY, Surgeon.
J. L. GIRARDEAU, Caseplain.
J. W. MATTHIESSEN, }
E. N. RYAN, } Assess.
A. O. PANSIN, }
S. WILEY, }

*Vice J. F. E. HASELL, declined.

A very elegant supper had been prepared by Mr. A. RACHEL, of the popular No. 119 Meeting street Restaurant, and all hands seemed to enjoy themselves in true, free and easy fireman's style, the Italian Harpers at intervals enlivening the occasion with their dulcet strains. Toasts were offered, and speeches made, and a great degree of enthusiasm, and the very best of feeling pervaded the assembly. We secured the toasts, and had ample notes of the speeches of R. S. DURYEA, Esq., Chief M. H. NATHAN, his Honor the MAYOR, F. J. PORCHER, Esq., ROSWELL T. I GAN, Esq., of the *Mercury*, and others, but the lateness of the hour, and the crowded state of our columns, preclude their publication.

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CHANCE FOR AN EXCELLENT INVESTMENT.—Persons desiring to purchase a plantation would do well to read an advertisement in another column. This is a fine opportunity for a profitable investment, as the plantation described is really a valuable one, and will be sold cheap. Full particulars furnished by C. W. DENNIS, at the Planters' Hotel.

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A NEW LIGHT.—We last night tested the virtues of the new burning fluid, the "Soline Oil," at THE NEWS Office, and can testify to the entire accuracy of the representations made in regard to it in the advertisement, in to-day's paper, of Messrs. MCKAY & CAMPBELL, the agents for this city. The light is bright and clear; neither smoke nor smell; and the consumption very small.

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BETTER LATE THAN NEVER.—Our old friend, Captain CORDES, having just remembered that he did not send us a Christmas present, made full atonement yesterday. He sent us some *Eier Bier*. It wasn't exactly lager, nor any other kind we ever before drank. It was hot, sweet, and had eggs and cinnamon in it—and many other ingredients, "too numerous to mention." We are glad that the Captain thought of us, and more particularly that he did so in such a handsome manner. May his shadow never grow larger!

P. S.—We neglected to mention that the Captain still entertains his friends and customers at the old stand in Market street.

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THE TABLEAUX of the Prophecies of St. JOHN and the Miltonian Tableaux open at Hibernian Hall on Monday evening next. Regarding these celebrated Tableaux the New Orleans *Times* says: "This extraordinary exhibition continues to attract admiring thousands to Masonic Hall, who never grow fatigued gazing on the grand and thrilling scenes presented in all the glow of a glorious art. The poet and artist have vied with each other in their utmost reach after the sublime, the marvellous, and the terrible. The interest in these magnificent Tableaux continues to increase daily, and we cannot understand how it could be otherwise, when the subject is one that awakens every feeling of a high and holy nature that belongs to humanity."

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.—TRIAL OF HORACE GREELEY AND JNO. BULL (colored) FOR MURDER.—The Court was opened at 10 A. M., Judge T. N. DAWKINS presiding. The following prisoners being in Court, were arraigned:

Hector Edwards, indicted for burglary, plead not guilty, and his trial was assigned for Wednesday, B. H. RUTLEDGE, Esq., being requested to act for the defence.

Isaac Haynes *alias* Henry Williams *alias* Isaiah Francis, for highway robbery, plead not guilty, and Friday was assigned for his trial, W. E. MIKELL and J. P. GIBBES, Esq., acting for the defence.

The case assigned for the day was then called.

The State *vs.* Horace Greeley *alias* Johnston, and Jno. Bull *alias* Bennett—Murder. J. B. CAMPBELL, R. W. SEYMOUR, and W. E. MIKELL, appeared for the defence. The Jury were organized, and the indictment read by the Clerk.

E. M. Whiting, Esq., deposed that he was the Coroner of this District, and at dark on the 3d of July last heard of Mr. Rhett's death, and went to his residence. He was quite dead, and his back, side and arms were found to be lacerated with shot; on the 4th the inquest was held, which continued about a week; a large number of witnesses were examined. After the jury had viewed the body they adjourned to the Guard House, and continued the investigations; the witnesses were kept separate and not allowed to communicate with each other. After several days investigation Horace Greeley, one of the prisoners, made a statement, on the 11th July, to him and the jury, that he had seen the same woman testifying the . and wished to say a few words; that he had charged him at the time that if he wished to say any thing it must be free and voluntary, and that no compulsion was used toward him. Jno. Bull was also present, and contradicted the statement in part, Bull made a statement, as a witness, in the shape of testimony.

Dr. Mitchell deposed that he was a practising physician, and was sent for when Mr. Rhett was wounded, and found him dead on arrival. He was lying on the grass at his farm, about a mile from the city. His head was in his son's arms. He was shot in his avenue leading to his house, half a mile from the main road, and quarter of a mile from his house. He has no doubt that the wound caused his death. He was shot with duck shot, and apparently from a shot-gun. From the nature of the wound the assassins could not have been fifteen feet distant. He was shot slightly in the rear of his chest, under the arm, and the party firing must have been in his rear. Arrived at the spot about sundown; the body was removed to his residence in Rutledge street. Was in the act of going out when he received the notification, and arrived as quickly as possible.

Jemima Way (colored) deposed that she has seen Horace Greely before, and he went by the name of Horace generally; knew him about two or three weeks before the death of Mr. Rhett; she lived on the King street road, near Mr. Salvo; she first heard of Mr. Rhett's death, having heard Horace say, two days after the occurrence, that he had shot him, but did not know if he had killed him, and she told Mr. Charlong of it; did not know who Horace meant until told; she had already heard of Mr. Rhett's being shot; she was examined before the Coroner; there were Miles Turner and several colored men present when Horace made this statement; she had never seen Horace with a gun, and had never heard him make any threat.

Cross-examined.—She lives with Mr. Charlong, and used to carry his dinner to the railroad, and she was returning when she stopped in at Miles Turner's, about 1 o'clock, and heard the statement. Horace was sober and was in the store, and she was in the piazza; heard it through the door; was sitting near it; is on good terms with prisoner, and never had any words with him. There was no drinking in the store, and no one replied to Horace. She used to visit the yard where Horace Greeley staid, and made the acquaintance in that way. She was standing with her back to the door and Horace came in, and she saw him and heard him: knew his voice well. She was talking to Miles Turner at the time; they were sitting on each side of the door, and were not talking at the time; she turned to see who went into the door, and could see him distinctly; Horace was only a few feet from her, and came in at the street door; she was sitting by the back door. The house is on King street; one door opens on the street and the other right upon the back piazza, and where she was sitting could see the street distinctly, although her back was in that direction; she turned as Horace came in and looked up as he spoke. Miles Turner, Oscar Silva, and a number of persons were present, but no white man. The piazza was at the side of the house (the south side), and having her back to the street, she could still see into the store.

Lieut. H. W. Hendricks deposed that he is Chief of the Detective force; about the 5th of July took some officers and searched the farm; found where the assassins had been concealed and saw their tracks; on the second day had Bull arrested, surrounded Horace's house and arrested him; received information that induced him to take these steps; ascertained the spot where Mr. Rhett had been shot through the colored people; was some three days investigating the matter before making the arrests; the first information was received from Bull; the prisoners both wished to make some statements, but referred them to the Coroner; Bull said that on the 4th he met Greely and walked with him down the road; the day after his arrest, Horace proposed to give a full statement of what had occurred; he notified the Coroner, who took down the confession before the jury; Bull was present at the time; Bull stated that he had been working at a certain place opposite the upper Guard House on the day of the murder, and parties testified that he was; he recognized the gun, and said that it was the gun with which the crime had been committed, and that Greeley had also identified the gun and the shot as the one he had used on the occasion of the murder; the parties (Mr. Hagerman and others) that employed Bull, said that he was working for them the whole day of the murder; Greeley was before the Coroner's Jury, when he testified to having used the identical gun, and also said that Bull was with him and grabbed the gun and said shoot quick. Officer Farrell notified him that Greeley wished to make a confession, and he acted as before stated; Bull was present and denied the statement of Greeley that he was with him; judging from the tracks at the farm, he thought that only one person was concealed in the rushes.

Mr. Julius M. Rhett deposed, that he is the son of deceased, and heard of the accident about 15 minutes afterward through a small negro boy. His father was lying in the field, and stated that he was shot by some one in the bottom, which was about thirty yards distant. This was about 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Farrell deposed, that he is a detective and was employed on the 5th to investigate the murder at Rhett's Farm. He rode through the avenue to a causeway near a low bottom; on examination they found a track on the edge of the marsh, and also one near an oak tree; on following it up they found a hollow in the rushes, where some one had been concealed. They found that a man had been seen coming towards this place with a gun. On the night of the 6th arrested John Bull and brought him to the Guard House. The next day heard that Horace had been arrested. Bull made a declaration that he was with Greeley on the 4th; Greeley was quite excited in his cell, and he told him that if he was guilty he had better tell the truth; did not hear what he said as was not present. No inducements were offered by any officer to make Greeley confess; it was entirely voluntary on his part. Greeley made his statement that Bull was his accomplice before the Coroner's Jury.

Cross-Examined.—The witnesses were confined separately, and Greeley having a chance to see the faces of the witnesses who were called up, he presumed that it made him uneasy and excited. There was no one present in the room, as far as he can remember, except Mr. Barry, Officer Coates and himself. In his position as a detective he had to suspect every one put under arrest, and the uneasy and excited manner of Greeley induced him to say, "If there is anything on your mind, or anything troubling you, to tell the truth." Officer Coates informed Lieut. Hendricks, who told the Coroner, and he took down the confession in writing.

Catharine Collins (colored) deposed that she knew the prisoners; had known Horace about a week before the murder, but had never met Bull until the 4th of July. She lived up the King street road, in the same house with Miles Turner and Horace Greeley. The house was on the west side of the road, with a piazza to the south, doors opening on the street and piazza. Horace was not there on the 3d when she got up, and did not return until sun-down. The gun (same as in court) was in the corner of the house on Monday afternoon, but both Greeley and gun were missing on Tuesday. Saw the gun again when examined before the Coroner. Horace said, the day he returned, that he had shot a man to-day, but did not know if he had killed him. Miles Turner and Jemima Way were present; the latter was in the piazza near the door. Horace was there until he was arrested. She never heard him say anything of Mr. Rhett.

Frederick Dawson (cold) deposed that he formerly belonged to Mr. B. S. Rhett. Knows Horace Greeley, also Jno. Bull, who grew up in the same family. First saw Greeley about two weeks after he came from the country, about six months before the murder. He never had a wife on the place, but used to come there shooting, and Mr. Rhett has sent him to order Greeley off, and Greeley told him Mr. Rhett had better come himself. Mr. Rhett did so, but he does not know what transpired. Knows nothing about Horace; where he came from; had never seen Jno. Bull and Horace together. Horace used to shoot with a musket whenever he saw him. Does not know Miles Turner's house, as he never visited on King street.

Samuel Dawson (colored) deposed that he used to belong to Mr. B. S. Rhett; knew John Bull well; knew Horace since he had worked at McBride's; he used to come on Mr. Rhett's place shooting, and Mr. R. objected to it; but Horace said he did not care; he came there a good while before the murder; used to cut wood there and trespass generally; was not on the farm at the time of the murder. On the Sunday before Mr. Rhett was killed Bull came to the farm, and Mr. R. objected to his coming on the place, as he had left his employment.

Cross-examined.—Has known Horace four months before the murder, but only by sight.

Cain Hercules (colored) deposed that he was formerly a slave of Mr. B. S. Rhett, and was on the place at the time of the murder; came up to him as he was lying on the ground and asked him, 'Moase, who shot you?" he said he did not know; he was shot in the bottom; took off his gloves and shoes and sent for his son, and got him some water; knows John Bull well; has never seen him and Horace together on the farm; has seen Greeley hunting there, and has been sent to him by Mr. Rhett to make him go away; John Bull was living at the corner of Coming and Line streets, and Horace near Mr. Charlong's at the time of the murder; Horace and John did come to the farm together once in July; Horace came back to town and John Bull went to the house.

Samuel Wilson (colored) deposed that he knows both of the prisoners; has been on Mr. Rhett's place often before Mr. Rhett's death. Horace was working on the place next to Mr. Rhett's; Jno. Bull was not working on that place, and he has never seen either of the prisoners together.

Mr. Salvo deposed that the gun was his, and was stolen from him in November a year ago; next saw it in July, about a week after Mr. Rhett's death; a negro man had it on his shoulder; he took it away from him, but does not know the man, as he ran away; the man was living at Mrs. Heidts' house, formerly known as Charlong's.

E. M. Whiting, Esq., re-examined:—Stated that Greeley had made a confession to him, which was done of his own free volition. He said that on the 3d of July, about 6 A. M., he borrowed a double-barrelled gun from Alfred Johnson (colored), and went hunting. Met John Bull at the head of the avenue, who said he would like to borrow the gun, and would give $100 for it. He let him have the gun and went home. He afterwards met Bull on the causeway of Mr. Rhett's farm, when Bull asked him to kill Mr. Rhett. They went into a small bottom and concealed themselves; saw Mr. Rhett coming. Bull said shoot. He asked why Bull said shoot, and grabbed the gun, and in the struggle both barrels went off and shot Mr. Rhett, who cried "oh!" They then came down together, and he told Bull that they had got into a scrape. Bull said they had better get out of the way. And he says that Bull is equally guilty with himself. Bull being present denied this statement in toto.

The testimony was here closed on the part of the prosecution, and the defence introduced the prisoner at the bar.

Horace Greeley, the prisoner at the bar, being sworn, deposed that on Tuesday, 3rd of July, went hunting on Mr. Rhett's farm; got some roasting ears and came home by 12; the boarders were all there, and they took dinner together; after dinner went down town and bought some meat, which he brought up; went out to a neighbor's house, and was standing there in his shirt sleeves when he saw some police going up the road, and asked what it was for, and was told that Mr. Rhett was shot; he followed them up a short way and returned home; took supper and went about his usual business; the reason he made the statement at the Guard House was because he was scared and excited, and men would come to him and tell him that he would be hung if he did not tell all he knew, and he was worked up into such a state that he did not know or care what he said; he told them that if he must lie he would do it publicly; he broke out of jail because the fare was bad and he had no clothes, and anybody that had been there as long as he was would break out too. He had never said anything about killing a man, and those who said that he had lied.

Cross-Examined.—Catharine Collins lived at the same house with him, and the statement she made about his absence the entire day was false, because he brought the dinner home.

Lieutenant CAMPBELL and E. M. WHITING, Esq., both contradicted this statement of Greeley's; and the evidence being closed on both sides, the Court adjourned until to-day at 10 A. M., when the argument will be made, and the case left to the Jury.

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ECONOMICAL SIGHT-SEEING.—Those of our readers who design visiting the Paris Exposition next spring, would do well to go to the College to-night, where they will have a foretaste of the beautiful things in store for them. And those who do not intend to go to Paris have a still greater inducement to visit the College Chapel, and see Professor HOLMES' beautiful Bineptric Lantern views, specially selected for this entertainment. Such an economical opportunity of making the grand tour is not often presented to us. We feel assured a large number of young travellers, especially, will take passage with the Professor.

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THE NEW BILLIARD PARLOR.—The corner of Queen and Meeting streets is destined soon to become the head centre of attraction, especially to billiard players. Heretofore these establishments have been confined to the upper sections of the city, but Messrs. GAYLORD & WAGNON have determined to make a change in this respect, and, judging from the *tout ensemble* of their Parlor, it will become the rendezvous of all knights of the cue. Their saloon occupies the entire second story of the building, and is a well ventilated, finely arranged hall. The tables, four in number, are of the finest grained maple, with marble beds and well supplied with all the modern appliances known to billiard players. The interior of the hall is very tastefully arranged; in the rear is a bar supplied with every beverage used by the bibulous, and shadowed by two immense mirrors. Messrs. GAYLORD & WAGNON are experienced hands and the new saloon will certainly prove a draw. The location is admirable, and its proximity to the Mills House will insure a large number of visitors. To-night is the grand opening, and all lovers of this game are invited to attend.

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January 1, 1867.
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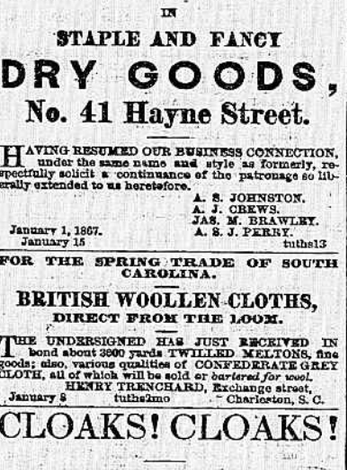

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AGRICULTURAL.

SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO.

[COPY.]
CHARLESTON, January 18, 1864.

Mr. J. N. Robson:

DEAR SIR: I find the following composition in the sample selected by me yesterday from a lot of 100 tons of the Soluble Pacific Guano at present in your warehouse:

Hygrometric Water, separated at 212 degrees	25.20
Combined Water and Organic Matter (the latter rich in Nitrogen, and therefore Ammonia-producing probably to the extent of nearly 3 per cent)	26.80
Soluble Phosphate of Lime, after ignition*	14
Insoluble Phosphate	25
Sulphuric Acid, with sulphates of Lime, Magnesia, Potash and Soda, with traces of Chlorides of the same basis, about	8.60
Sand	3.40
	100.00

*This constituent, as stated by other analysis, with its *Combined Water*, would be 16.44 per cent.

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Phosphate of Lime, soluble	8.20	
Phosphate of Lime, insoluble	28.80	
		37.00
Sulphate of Lime and traces of Sulphate of Ammonia, Potash, Soda and Magnesia, with some free Sulphuric Acid, about		8.00
Hygrometric Water expelled at 212 degrees		23.00
Combined Water (a portion of this belongs to the Phosphate of Lime, which was estimated after its ignition; the greater part of balance is doubtless associated with the Animal Matter) and Animal Matter		30.00
Silica (Sand)		2.00
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The Animal Matter, as might be supposed in a fertilizer so largely derived from fish, is less highly nitrogenized than that in the Peruvian Guano. Still it will afford, during the process of decomposition, about three per cent. of Ammonia. The Oil (which is remarkably abundant) though not generally reckoned among Manures, being here associated with other less stable animal principles, cannot fail of adding to the value of the mixture, especially on light soils. The insoluble Phosphate being thoroughly organized and, at the same time, minutely divided, is also well adapted to a gradual appropriation by the plant.

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