Do Birds Understand Music ? This question has recently been discussed among naturalists, and Dr. G. M. Gould, of North Carolina, asserts not only that katydids keep time, but that they produce a kind of music which may be described as orchestral. Both Dr. Gould and another observer have listened to two orchestras of katy dids answering one another all night long. Sometimes individual performers were noticed to drop out of time, but upon the whole the stridulation of these insect bands is harmonious and in a regular key.

She Had Him. Husband-Don't you know that every

time a woman gets angry she adds a wrinkle to her face? Wife Yest a's a wise provision of nature to let the world know the kind of

husband she's got .- Photos and Sketch-Greatness to Come. "Pat, who, in your opinion, was the

greatest man that ever lived?" "Faix, of at the rate we're goin' it's me own opinion he hasn't been born vit, at all, at all."-Waverly Magazine.

Warm Milk Not Affected by Odors. My experience has been that milk is never affected by bad odors while throwing off steam in cooling. It is after cooling that odors from the stable are absorbed. Cabbage, turnips or onions fed to cown directly after milking will not after the milk.

Cheap Horses. A herd of about 7,000 horses was bought on a Washington ranch the other day by the Portland Horse Meat Canning Company at \$3 a head.

The best way to know whether Dobbins' Float ing Dorag Soap is the best for laundry and bath is to try it. It don't turn yellow like other losting soaps, as it is pure. Red wrapper. Asi Your grocer for Dobbins' Floating-Borax.

A Japanese company has purchased a large tract of fer ite land in Mexico for co!-

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tud they have done me much good. I will not be without them. I have taken 13 pottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through he blessing of God, it has cured me, I worked as hard as ever the past sumner, and I am thankful to say I am well. Hood's Pills when taken with Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Prechold, Penn. This and many other curse prove that

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sthe One True Blood Parifier, All druggists, \$1 break only by C. J. Head & Oo, Lowell, Mass.

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TAPE-WORM TO THE BOUTE BOND ON



THE ANSWER OF THE STATE.

TO THE PETITION FOR MANDA-MUS TO REFUND CER-TAIN BONDS.

The Court Fixes May 11th, as the Date for Hearing Argumennt on the Petition and Answer.

When the Supreme Court convened in Columbia for its spring term all the Justices were present. The return of the State in the case of the State of South Carolina, ex relatione Samuel Lord, as receiver of the late corporation known as the president, directors and company of the State bank vs. W. T. C. Bates, Treasurer of the State of South Carolina, was made. The return opens as follows :

"W. T. C. Bates, Treasurer of the State of South Carolina, upon whom has been served a rule issued by Hon. Henry McIver, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, ordering him to show cause before the Supreme Court of said State, on the first day of the ensuing term, to-wit, Tuesday, 21st day of April, A. D. 1896, why a writ of mandamus should not be issued as prayed in said petition, to-

wit: To fund certain bonds therein said county board of education helding mentioned in accordance with certain their offices for two years. The Acts of the General Assembly therein recited as if the bonds were in the pos | lows : agasion of the petitioner and relator and tendered and surrendered by him, for a return in answer to said rule and for cause why a writ of mandamus should not issue, says:
"1. That he is advised that this

honorable Court has no jurisdiction to grant the writ of mandamus, as this is in offect a suit against the State of South Carolina, and cannot be main-

12. That, as appears from the petition, an action is now pending in the Circuit Court, in which all matters relating to the bonds and coupons mentioned and described in the petition have been adjudicated up to this time, and it is respectfully submitted, and he is to advised, that the pendency of this action in the Circuit Court, which | has authority to issue the writ of mandamus, is a bar to the proceedings instituted in this honorable Court, and, if not an absolute bar, is a sufficient ground to authorize this honorable Court in the exercise of its discretion in mandamus proceedings, to refuse to grant the writ.

3. That he is advised that there has been unreasonable delay on the part of the relator as receiver of the State Bank, and his predecessors in office of receiver, in taking action in the Course to compel the State Treasurer by a writ of mandamus to fund the bonds and coupons described in the petition, and that by reason of such laches, which is unexplained in the petition, this Court in the exercise of its discretion is authorized to, and should, refuse the writ of mandamus.'

The return then proceeds to answer the allegations of the plaintiff's petition, denying the truth of most of its allegations. The respondent alleges that he knows nothing about the appoint ment of the receiver at the instance of al in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It fur- the State: that application was made nishes the klesired strength by puri- to him to fund the bonds and coupons mentioned in the petition, and he refused to comply with the demand; that he denies the right of the receiver to have the bonds and coupons of the State of South Carolina set forth in the petition funded by him as State Treasurer, as he has no authority un- S. E. Parsons S. W. Odell. der the Acts of the General Assembly to fund the said bonds and coupons unless they are presented to him by the holders, and can be surrendere! and cancelled, and that the Acts of the General Assembly aforesaid make no provision for the funding of bonds and coupons of the State which have been C lost or destroyed, and no such duties are imposed apon him as State Treasurer by the said Acts.

The return then states the circumstances of the attempts of the receiver of the State Bank to have the General Assembly order payment of his claim, which the Legislature refused to do. After summing up the history of the rejection of the claim by the General

Assembly the return continue:

"After this action on the part of the General Assembly of the State, in reference to the funding of the bonds and coupons described in the petition, he felt impelled, in the discharge of his duties as State Treasurer, to refuse to comply with the demands made upon ern Literature was added to the lihim by the relator, as receiver, to final brary not for the public schools. the said bonds and conpens, as this action of the General Assembly sceme ! to him to be authoritative as to his quoted from in the petition. There is no Act of the General Assembly of thes school trustees in the State will ex-State providing for funding lost bone's pire and new ones will then be spand coupons, or authorizing the State Treasurer to reissue or fund such bonds and coupons as there is in sense other States, and the declared policy of the State by its legislation has been to pass special Acts providing for their issuing and funding, or paying may bonds and other obligations which have been lost or destroyed." Several Acts of this nature are then

cited. In conclusion the return says "As to the interest due on the said bonds, it has never been determined that the coupons of said bonds are stil outstanding and unpaid, and in fact whether they were attached to the bonds at the time they were alleged to have been stolen. The bonds were issued in 1854 and payable, as is alleged, in 1879. They were coupon bonds payable to bearer. The coupons could easly have been detached from the bonds and funded long ago, as any one stealing the bonds would naturally have done, fearing detection if the bonds were presented. It has never been determined by the Circuit Court how much or whether any 10terest is due upon the said bonds.

"Between the years 1868 and 1876, during the Reconstruction period in South Carolins, the books of the State Treasurer's office were kept in a loose and careless manner, and all the records during that period now in the office are in a confused and irregular sondition, arising from circumstances transpiring during that period and the examination of them since by the bond commission, and others under the di-

rection of the General Assembly, the

Courts and the said commission. "Wherefore the respondent, having fully answered, prays that the rule is-

sued against Lim be discharged." The Court decided to hear the arguments in the case on May 11. The attorneys for the plaintiff are Messrs. McCrady Sons & Bacot, of Charleston, and Attorney General Barber and As sistant Attorney General Townsend will represent Treasurer Bates.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

They Discussed Matters and Appointed County Boards of Education-

Other Matters of Interest. The State board of education met in Columbia Friday in the Governor's office, with all the members present, consisting of the following: Governor Evans, chairman; W. D. Mayfield, secretary; Julian Mitchell, of Charleston, for the First congressional district;
Prof. W. W. Marchant, of Monetta,
for the second; Prof. J. J. McCain, of
Due West, for the third; Prof. H. T.
Cook, of Greenville, for the fourth;
Prof. A. R. Banks, of Yorkville, for the fifth; W. F. Clayton of Florenge, for the sixth; and Prof. A. M. Rankin,

of Orangeburg, for the seventh.
The board elected R. J. Wade school commissioner of Aiken county, to succeed L. W. Williams deceased.

The appointment of county boards of education in the place of county boards of examiners was made, the boards for the counties are as fol-

Aiken - R. J. Wade, chairman; J. A. Lucas and R. L. Gunter. Anderson-W. H. Russell, chairman W. F. Monteiff, L. A. Mahaffey.

Barnwell -- L. N. Belliner, chairman, W. W. Hart, R. H. Harley. Beauford James Wigg, chairman, Chas. L. Paul, Thomas Talbird. Berkeley-A. H. DeHay, chairman

F. W. Dantzler, E. J. Dennis. Charleston-W. H. Dunkin, chair man; W. M. Whitehead, B. Boax. Chester- W. B. Thompson, chairman; S. B. Lathan, James Hamilton, Chesterfield T. Threat, chairman W. P. Pollock, Rev. B. F. Tagett.

Clarendon-L. L. Wells, chairman J. H. Lesenne, M. C. Davis. Colleton -O. P. Williams, chairman

D. H. Berry, C. E. Owens. Darlington - A. J. A. Perritt, chairman; H. A. Thompson, J. M. Parrott. Edgefield-P. N. Lott, chairman H. Folk, ii. Hartzog. Fairfield-D. L. Stevenson, chair-

man; James G. McCants, W. S. Hall, Florence-E. J. Smith, chairman; D. McDuffie, T. N. Rhodes. Georgetown - G. Herriot, chairman

C. Walker, M. W. Pyatt. Greenville-J. R. Plyler, chairman; H. Vuych, W. D. McKankler. Hampton-S. J. Fitts, chairman; J

W. Rouse, W. J. Gooding, Jr. Horry-D. D. Harrelson, chairman. Kershaw-A. A. Bigsby, chairman; M. W. Gordon, W. J. Villepigue. Lancaster-W. D. Bruce, chairman;

. T. Green, W. S. L. Porter. Laurens-Jas. L. Madden, chairman J. B. Parrott, J. B. Watkins.

I exington-J. D. Farr, chairman S. J. Derrick, L. B. Haynes. Marion-S, W. Smith, chairman; P. H. Edwards, J. D. McLucas.

Marlboro-G. W. Hearsey, chairman; C. B. Easterling, J. A. Calhoun. Newberry-F. W. Higgins, chairman; W. K. Sligh, G. G. Sale. Oconco-O. F. Martin, chairman;

W. J. Stribling, W. A. Dixson. Orangeburg-E. H. Houser, chairman; R. E. Copes, T. M. McMichael, Pickens-T. C. Robinson, chairman;

Richland-L. C. Sylvester, chairman; E. B. Wallace, C. E. Johnson, Spartanburg - B. D. Chapman,

Samter-W. J. Durant, chairman H. Edmunds, H. F. Wilson.

nion-M. L. Lemaster, chairman; . II. Peake, C. B. Waller. Williamsburg J. J. B. Montgomery, chairman; E. G. Chandler, Dr.

W. G. Gamble. York-J. A. Shirley, chairman; T

W. Thompson. The school commissioners are chairmen of the county boards, ex-officio. After the appointment of the boards,

the Superintendent of Education was instructed to draw up rules and regulations for both the State board and county boards, the same to be submitted for approval at the next meeting of the board. He was also ordered to make rules relative to State and county teachers' certificates. Miss Sadie Manley's book on South-

The time for the beginning of the scholastic year has been changed so that it now starts on the first of July power and duty under the Acts of the instead of the first of November, as General Assembly mentioned and formerly.

On June 30, the terms of all the pointed by the school commissioners.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

North Caroling's naval militia is composed of seventeen officers, 162 men, and her annual allotment of money, which has recently been made by Secretary Herbert, is \$1,164. Capt. Ance Foster, of Jefferson, N.C.,

after giving testimony in a will case at Wilksbore, fell dead. The latest school census of Chicago, Ill., indicates a large decrease over the

estimated population of the city issued two years ago. Mrs. Will Jarmon, a 13-year-old bride, has been arrested in Dallas, Ga.,

water with rough-on-rats in it. The statistics of the Mercantile Library, the largest lending library in New York city, shows that 53 per cent. of the books read are novels, and that

clergymen are the greatest novel read-Chas. A. Schroeder, of Paris, Texas, a prominent real estate dealer and United States Commissioner, was found dead in his cell in the county

The children of the South have instituted an organization to aid disabled soldiers and build a monument b. Jefferson Davis. The fce is only 1 cent a month.

CAROLINA EDITORS.

Mayor Smyth Gave Them a Warm Wel-

come-The Proceedings. The South Carolina editors held their annual meeting in Charleston last Thursday and Friday. The Presi-dent, Mr. E. H. Aull, called the meet

ing to order in Hibernian Hall. The venerable chaplain, Rev. Sidi H. Brown, of Columbia, offered an eloquent prayer, pleading that "whatever the editors wrote or said might be for the edification and improvement of their readers.

In a graceful speech Mayor Smyth, for the city, welcomed the editors to Charleston, and President Welch. of the Business League, did the same for that body.

In responding President Aull alluded to the fact that in "this same hall, twenty-one years before, the association had been organized," and remarked that it was fitting that it should there celebrate the attainment of its major-President Welch, of the Business

League invited the Association to a collation at the Charleston hotel, for which President Aull expressed the thanks of the Association. Secretary Langston made a report relative to the proposed excursion to

New York. Only six signified an intion of taking the trip.

President Aull read his report. He referred touchingly to the deaths of Messrs. Moroso, of the News and Courier, and Mr. Zimmerman, of the

St. Matthews Herald. On the matter of anadvertising "burean" the report expressed the opinion that the constitution of the association precluded the association's organizing such a bureau, but stated that the idea was feasible and might be undertaken by newspapers acting outside of the

sociation. Other routine matters were considered. The report concluded with the thanks of the president for the honor of his election and his congratulations upon the association attaining to its

21st year. On motion of Mr. Hemphill, the report was referred to a committee consisting of Colonel Crews, Colonel Thompson and Major McSweeney. The following new members were

duly elected: Ed H. DeCamp, Gaffney Ledger; W. D. Douglass, Winnsboro News and Herald; J. Q. Davis, Winnsboro News and Herald; Augustus Hydrick, Wofford College Journal; M. L. Clarke, Marion Star; T. J. Drew, Hartsville Messenger; J, L. Stoppelbein, Summervillo News; Mrs. E. W. Screven, Columbia State; H. A. Brunson, Florence Banner-Messenger; Mrs. R. C. Coffin, Florence Times.

The question of eligibility to membership elected some discussion, participated in by Major Hemphill and Colonel Hoyt. Major Hemphill offered an amendment to the constitution' requiring that applications for membership be approved by the executive committee before election of the applicants. The amendment was adopted and went over for ratification at the next annual meeting.

Editor Hubert Osteen read a paper "On Uniformity in Punctuation and Capitalization," which elicited ap-Capitalization,' plause and was ordered to be printed | Col. R. A. Brock, Virginia, and Benin the minutes.

Dr. W. P. Jacobs read a paper on Jacobs remarked in opening that he less written by those who had figured fertilizers containing high perhad made his first speech from the platform that be was now standing upon 40 years ago. He narrated that as a reporter he later reported the passing of the secession ordinance.

Dr. Jacobs' paper teemed with wificisms and sound sense. It elicited much applause and favorable comment. Dr. Jacobs discussed the responsibility of the newspapers to the public. "Except on the Sunday newspaper question and the liquor question, the newspapers of South Carolina are zealous for right." Speaking as a minister, he said that he found the newspaper the grandest ally of the church. The following is an exact from Pre-

sident Aull's annual report.

On page 30 of last minutes it will be seen that a resolution was adopted that the Press Pstociation memorialize the Legislature in regard to the price of public printing. The committee on this subject consisted of R. R. Hemphill, Louis Appelt, T. B. Crews, A. J. Clarke and J. C. Hemphill, with the president as chairman. Being under the impression that the bill passed by the Legislature at the session of 1894 had failed for want of approval by Governor Evans and being advised after consultation with several members that it would be better to let the matter rest I did not call this committee together. During the last days of the session of the Legislature of 1895 I was informed that the bill of 1894 was law without the signature of the Governor. I immediately went to Columbia and after consultation with some of the members of the Association I prepared a bill which I considered equitable and fair, and it was introduced by Mr. J. R. Earle in the House on the last day for introducing new bills. The idea prevailed among the members of the Legislature that a rate at so much a word should be fixed. The bill I prepared fixed the rate at two cents a Lumber Co., with a capital stock of word for each subsequent insertion \$10,000, at Charleston. without any extra charge for captions. I measured several Master's sales set in solid brevier at the rate of \$1 an inch for the first insertion and fifty cents for each subsequent insertion, and then counted the words of the same advertisement at the word rate as provided in this bill and I found that the difference in cost was very small, the word rate being only a trifle lower. In very short advertisements it reduced the price a little more, but the genercharged with poisoning her father-in- al average was not much reduction. I law's family. She also attempted to considered a uniform price per word poison her hasband by giving him better than a rate which allowed extra pay for captions, for then there would have been a uniform rate the same work, whereas by allowing extra pay for captions there would have been a lack of uniformity for the same work, for the reason that some publishers would have put more captions than others. But this last Legislature seemed bent on reducing everybody's

pay, but their own, and the price fixed

in my bill was reduced one-half. I im-

mediately returned to Columbia and

as the session was drawing to a close

the bill did not get through the Sen-

ate. I feel that the bill referred to

above, that was introduced at the last

able committee of Legislators I would have no trouble in convincing them. I did not call the committee together for the reasons stated, but tried to discharge my duty in the premises and I trust my action will meet the approval of the Association.

The Association selected Newberry

as the place of next meeting.
E. H. Aull, H. S. Osteen, W. P.
Jacobs, C. C. Langston and Francis Melchers were elected president, first vice president, second vice president, secretary and treasurer, respectively,

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POINTERS.

SOUTHERN HISTORY SOCIETY. The New Organization in Which Several South Carolinians Have Prominent Places.

A number of distinguished Southerners assembled in the lecture room of the Columbian University, at Washington, in answer to a call issued in the interest of the formation of an organization to gathher and preserve the historical data of the south.

The temporary organizatin was reached by the selection of Dr. J. L. M. Curry, the general agent of the Peabody education fund, as chairman, and Dr. Colyer Meriwether as secretary. Dr. Curry delivered an interesting and instructive address on the necessity of preserving Southern history for the use and benefit of posterity. Remarks of a like tenor were made by Gen. Marcus J. Wright, Thos. Nelson Page, Ex-Senator M. C. Butler, President James Woodrow, of the College of South Carolina, Mr. Thomas Owen

A resolution was offered by General Wright, reciting that an organization be formed, having for its object the study of Southern history, and that all persons who signed the call for the meeting should be enrolled as mem-

bers. It was adopted unanimously. Gen. Wright and Mr. T. M. Owen were appointed a committee to draw up a constitution, and upon its adoption, officers of the new organization, which will be known as the Southern History Association, were selected as

President, Postmaster General Wilson, of West Virginia; vice presidents, Dr. J. L. M. Curry, Alabama; Gen. M. C. Butler, South Carolina; Gen. M. J. Wright, Tennessee; John R. Proctor, Kentucky; Thomas Nelson Page, Virginia; Prof. Woodrow Wilson, New Jersey; secretary, Dr. C. Meriwether, South Carolina; treasurer, Thos. M. Owen, Alabama; administrative council, Dr. Charles W. Dabney, Tenressee; Prof. Heath Dabney, of the University of Virginia; Judge C. W. Raines, Texas; Lyon G. Tyler, Virginia; Prof. Chas. Lee Smith, Missouri; Prof. Kemp Battle, North Carolina; Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, North Carolina; Prof. William H. Browne, Maryland; Prof. Lee Davis Lodge, Washington; Prof. W. C. Stubbs, New Orleans; Col. Isaac W. Avery, Georgia; Prof. John R. Fichlen, New Orleans; Prof. W. S. Wyman, Alabama; T. L. Cole, Washington;

jamin Martin, of Greenville, S. C. by a proper rotation of crops Dr. Woodrow said the most interesting history of the Southern States unin its history since 1860 would be lost centages of to posterity. For want of proper appreciation no one had given it due thought. That those familiar with its history at that time were fast passing away, and that it was due to the rising generation that a full and correct idea of the chivalric deeds of its noble

defenders be preserved. Killed on a Equirrel Hunt. At Bowman's, some twelve miles from Branchville. Four boys were in the woods engaged in a squirrel hunt, when a gun was discharged, and a son of Mr. H. D. M. Ott, a boy of 14, received the load in his thigh. The wounded boy was left for two hours in a fainting condition before help arrived. Drs. Carn, Gressettland and Johnson amputated the leg, but the young patient died from loss of blood,

Kills His Brother With a Hoe. In Concord township, Sumter county, Wednesday, one Joe Merriman was whipping his sister for some trivial matter when his younger brother, Dick, remonstrated with This so enraged Joe that bim. he seized a hoe and struck Dick a terrible blow on his head, fracturing his skull. Dick has died and Joe will

have to answer at the next term of court for the death of his brother. South Carolina's Naval Militia is composed of twenty-one officers, 165 men, and her annual allotment of money, which has been recently made by Secretary Herbert is \$1,186.

The recent hail storm which visited Johnston, has done great damage to crops and many farmers will have to replant cotton.

C. W. Townsend and J. H. W. Stroman have incorporated the Southern

Distribution of Fish. Uncle Sam's Fish Commission has just perfected arrangements for distributing during the coming season 837,112,000 adult fish: fry and eggs for re-stocking the waters of the different States with food and game fish.
This will exceed the distribution of last year by 107,000,000. The entire distribution by the National Fish Commission will include: Three hundred million of pike perch fry. 190,000,000 of white fish fry, 100,000,000 of lot ster fry, 90,00,000 of shad fry, 70,000,000 of cod fry, 20,000,000 of sea bass fry, 20,000,000 of seup fry, 14,000,000 of lake trout fry, 10,000,000 of lake trout fry of scup fry, 14,000,000 of lake trout fry, 10,000,000 of yellow perch fry; 8,000,000 of hatfish fry, 1,500,000 of brook trout fry, 1,000,000
of adult and yearling rainbow trout, 1,000,000
of yearling steelhead trout, 1,000,000 of
land-locked salmon, 900,000 of yearling Atlantic salmon, 225,000 of yearling Lock Leven
trout, and 200,000 of yearling black spotted
frout, 40,000 adult black bass and 25,000
adult rock bass.

Map to Cover 625 Acres. In the House Mr. Cannon (rep., Utah) was recognized for a speech supporting his resolution for a buge ground map covering 625 acres, located near Washington, showing the entree, located near washington, showing the entire topography and geography of the United States. He explained that the map would give an object lesson of the extent of our country. The Mississippi river would be shown by an actual stream, three feet wide and 2,000 yards long, while Lake Michligan would have 22,000 square yards of water. session, is a fair and just one and I think if I could get before a reasons-

It is related of a Parisian bee master that he brought his hives into the city and set them up in a park adjoining a sugar warehouse. This may have been done by way of experiment, or it may have been mere artfulness. At any rate, the busy insects, instead of seeking the open flowers in the distant fields and gardens, turned in at their nextdoor heighbor's, and made themselves at home with his hogsheads of sugar. Their gluttony and greed, however, soon betrayed them, for they were seen by-and-by floundering about on the pavement, their load of honeyed sweetness being more than they could bear.

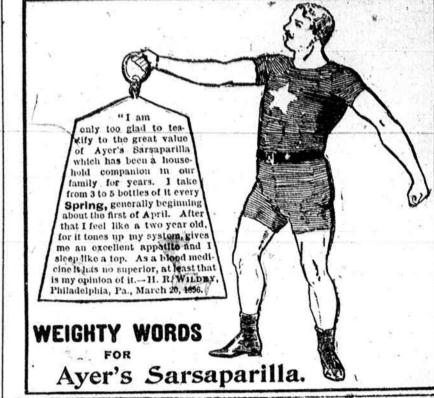
Feed for Layers. In regard to feed, most farmers know that hens will fatten on the grains raised on the farm, wheat, oats and corn, if these are fed regularly either by mixture of with frequent change. These are improved by grinding and a little meat added a couple of times a week. But it may be well to hear what a Nova Scotia expert has to say about feeding laying hens. He says: "There is nothing equal to the exclusive use of meat and bone with very little of anything else."

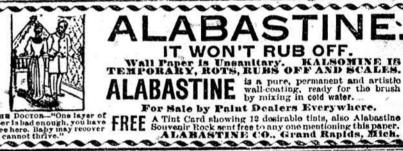
Going to South Africa. During the last year or two there has been something of a migration of min-ers from the Western States to South Africa, and advertisements of rates and routes to South Africa are printed in most of the mining papers. The movement seems to have extended to others than the miners, and may indicate that the emigrants have not fared badly. A man advertises in s recent issue of a Deadwood paper that he will sell at a bargain his saloons in Deadwood and in Lead, as he intends going to South Africa. Whether he ex-

or the miners he doesn't state. Turpentine for Worms. If turpentine is given to lambs for worms, let it be done after a twenty. four hours' fast, and when the first stomach is empty. It is not unlikely that the whole flock is affected if we find worms in one. The turpentine and linseed oil can be administered with milk, or the trupentine poured upon the salt allowed them; they will eat it readily.

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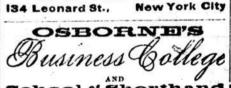
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