

The Herald and News.

MONKEYED WITH A BUZZ SAW. It was very shrewd Southern Senators voting for a tariff on cotton. The few growers of Sea Island cotton will reap some advantage from it and their crops are perhaps two per cent. of the total Southern cotton crop.

Every farmer wears cotton goods. The duty on the raw cotton will help a few farmers, the few who produce long staple cotton on the Sea Islands. Senators Bacon, Clegg, McLaurin and Tillman have succeeded by their espousal of protection and betrayal of democracy in furnishing the republicans with a plausible excuse to tax in much greater degree all the farmers of the South.

The News puts the case a little strongly but we have never seen any good to be accomplished for the South by the position taken by Senators Tillman and McLaurin and the other southern senators who were advocating a duty on cotton. It includes only the long staple article and if there were no "compensatory" duty put on cotton goods what benefit would result to the cotton growers—that is the great majority of the planters. We have published at length the views of both our senators on this question. As we understand it they are opposed to the Republican doctrine of protection but if it is to be given Northern industries they see no reason why the South should not have a hand in the grab bag.

That paragraph was written as a joke, to illustrate how the "oldest inhabitant" kicks about things not "being as they used to be." But between the lines there is a pathetic truth revealed to all thoughtful people. It tells us of the dim eyes of our dear old people; of the thin blood in their precious veins, and of the chilled marrow in their dear old bones. How pathetic for us younger people to think of Dalton (Ga.) Argus.

That is but too true and the young ones, too often are inclined to be impatient with them and show a disposition to quarrel and not extend them the consideration their age should command from the young.

Life to them has not the hopes and the prospects and the anticipations of great opportunities and no worlds stretch out before them to be conquered. Nothing pleases us better than to see the young show the proper respect and courtesy and gentleness and consideration to the aged whether of their own blood or not.

mand and who will bring voluntarily the hearty and enthusiastic support of the friends of the College to him in his work. A man who can rally around him the hearty cooperation of those who are closest, by ties that bind, to the institution we mean its alumni and present and former students for to these it must look mainly for that support which is to make it prosper, though it has many other friends who want to see it prosper. We belong to the latter class and we earnestly desire the success of the institution. For these reasons we have before suggested that if possible an alumnus of the college should be chosen. For these reasons, also, if he possesses every qualification to fit him for the place, Mr. Mayfield would make a mistake to accept the presidency because he could not enlist the hearty support of the friends of the college and those to whom it must look for its main support.

Leave has departed from the family of the Cotton Plant. Mr. Crews, who is the editor and publisher, and the publishing committee seem not to agree. Mr. Crews has seen for some time a terrible conspiracy on the part of Mr. L. McLaurin and Gonzales to overthrow Tillman and the Tillman dynasty, all of which is very terrible. Mr. Crews, through the Cotton Plant, has been discharging fire works for several weeks charging imaginary batteries. We have wondered what or who was behind all this fusillade, or if it was all the vain imaginings of the fertile brain of Mr. Crews. The publishing committee says Mr. Crews must be stopped and gives him notice that in two months under the agreement, or earlier if he is willing, he must come down and out. Mr. Crews says it is a conspiracy to destroy the Alliance and the Reform movement, and he proposes later on to give the particulars. He intimates that the publishing committee is in a contract with Gonzales, for what purpose we know not except to smash to smithereens the Reform movement, to throttle the Cotton Plant before he has time to tell his 23,000 subscribers in the State of what damage the schemes and political trickery is doing hatched against them, all of which is most horrible to contemplate.

Evidently Mr. Crews of the Cotton Plant sees a lot of big spoils and is very indignant that the publishing committee of the Cotton Plant should refuse to endorse his utterances. Ex-Senator Fry, brother of Mr. Crews? Or is it ex-Gov. Evans? Or what is the terrible thing that he sees? We would like to have light.

The finding of the court of inquiry in the matter of the college row seems to meet the expectations of the public generally. Considering the personnel of the court we have no doubt the finding is in accordance with the evidence adduced.

The matter now goes to the Legislature. A reprimand to Gen. Watts, we presume, will be about the extent of the punishment.

It was a row that could have been easily avoided and one that came very near being very serious. A little authority sometimes turns the heads of people who are clothed with it.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF NEWBERRY COUNTY. The following report of the claims approved from the first of April, 1897, to the thirtieth of June, 1897, inclusive, showing in whose favor and for what purpose and the amount, is published in conformity of the Act of the Legislature of 1897:

Table listing various individuals and their claims, including names like G. C. Cruber, R. B. McCarty, J. W. Ladd, and amounts such as \$3.20, \$9.47, \$32.43, etc.

A COOL BOTTLE HIRES Rootbeer. An advertisement for Hires Rootbeer featuring an image of a bottle and text describing its cooling and refreshing properties.

Photographic Improvements. Having equipped my gallery with the latest improved facilities, I am prepared to make PHOTOGRAPHS in Platino, Enamel and other late styles of finish at lowest prices consistent with permanent and first class work.

Glenn Springs Water At Reduced Price at Robertson & Gilder's AND W. E. Pelham's. Advertisement for water works and electric lights.

J. W. WHITE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN PROBATE COURT. Advertisement for probate court proceedings.

As it is Important for Any One to Eat, So Equally Important are OUR Weekly Bargain OFFERS To every one desirous of saving money. Advertisement for weekly bargains.

125 SUITS -Of Clothes- To be closed out at \$5.00 Each. Advertisement for suits on sale.

O. M. Jamieson, The leader of low prices. Advertisement for clothing.

The Newberry Clothing Company. Spring is coming on suddenly. Advertisement for clothing.

Newberry Clothing Co. Advertisement for clothing and shoes.

YOU ARE INVITED To call in and examine my line of goods. I have a nice and well selected stock of strictly high grade Chamber Suits in Walnut and Oak. Advertisement for R. C. Williams.

ANSWER! If you were offered Shoes from ten to twenty-five per cent less than they are worth, and you were satisfied that the style and quality were just right, and you needed the goods, you would buy wouldn't you? Advertisement for S. J. Wooten.

S. J. WOOTEN. Advertisement for shoes.

Harris Lithia Carbonated Water IS GUARANTEED TO RELIEVE ANY CASE OF INDIGESTION IN ONE MINUTE'S TIME OR MONEY REFUNDED. Advertisement for carbonated water.

D. C. LOEB, DISTILLER AND WHOLESALE DEALER, NO. 2 PEACHTREE STREET, ATLANTA, GA. Advertisement for distillery.

BOILERS. GET OUR PRICES. Complete Cotton, Saw, Grist, Oil and Fertilizer Mill outfits; also Gin, Press, Cane Mill and Shingle outfits. Advertisement for boiler works.