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TOO MUCH COTTON

Bishop Pierce, in a letter from Texas to the Southern Christian Advocate, offers the following rational advice to his southern countrymen:

Vastly King Cotton, like other things, is containing the substance of the people. Prosperity in this article of production, it seems, "tendeth to poverty."

One of the most interesting of the Centennial celebrations of the year was that begun by the Methodists at Raleigh, on Tuesday last.

The general council met yesterday afternoon, pursuant to previous adjournment, and passed on second reading the ordinance appropriating one hundred dollars from the wharf and landing fund to defray the expense of a preliminary survey of the river front, in accordance with the suggestion of Hon. Casey Young; also the resolution authorizing the printing of the memorial to congress on the subject of government aid in the work of improving our wharf.

THE MAMMOTH Weekly Appeal CONTAINS FORTY COLUMNS OF Well-Digested Summary OF THE NEWS OF THE WEEK AS WELL AS THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY AND IS FILLED WITH Literary Selections

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is bound to be a paying one. So clear is the advantage of being out of debt when the cotton goes to market—that the blindest eyes and the narrowest mind cannot fail to see its correctness.

From the Knoxville Tribune, a communication that, if true, as we have no doubt it is, will, we believe, be followed by the members of the Memphis bar, in so far as it is confined to the failure of certain State officials in the matter of the publication of the reports of supreme court cases.

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will use as much as five hundred horsepower of water. Thus the Georgian, not content with the ascendancy in cotton manufactures they have already achieved, are determined to "push on the column" until they are up with all New England, and can compete with old.

This is a movement in the right direction. The Aberdeen Examiner pledges over one hundred farmers of Monroe county, who are all of them "well satisfied that cotton culture can only be made profitable to those who are independent of the western smoke-house, and a large majority of our farmers have paid out the last cotton money that they will ever hand over to the pork-packer."

HARPER'S WEEKLY was expected to supply appropriate cartoons from East, illustrating the Backshop theft and Emma mine Schebeck fraud, and let us have a full page engraving representing Mr. Jefferson Davis at Andersonville. This is in accordance with the purposes of the party. The crimes of the leaders are to be forgotten in presence of reiterated appeals to loyalty and the tail pieces engendered by the war.

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