

The Daily Review

JOSH. T. JAMES, Ed. and Prop.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
SATURDAY, MAY 17, 1879
VIEWS AND REVIEWS.

The Egyptian pea is a marvelous instance of resurrection, or rather resuscitation. Preserved three or four thousand years, enfolded in the clothes of a mummy, planted in the soil of another continent, they bloom and produce their kind.

A German inventor makes almost indestructible boots by spreading a mixture of water proof glue and sand on a thin leather sole. These soles are said to be flexible, and give the wearer safety when standing on slippery places.

One of the higher honors in English life is an election as trustee of the British Museum. This has just been conferred on Beresford Hope, member of Parliament for Cambridge University. He has a fortune of \$150,000 a year, lives in a double house in town, and his country mansion has forty great chambers.

The London *Athenaeum* announces as one of the events of the present month the publication of a new work by George Eliot, styled 'Impressions of Theophrastus Such.' The manuscript was placed in the hands of Blackwood & Sons before the end of last year, but the appearance of the volume has been delayed by domestic affliction.

The indications are that the New York Legislature will require the elevated roads to charge only five cent fares on trains run from 5 to 10 o'clock in the morning and from 4 to 8 in the evening, and to provide at least one five cent car on all trains during the day. This circumstance will doubtless give fresh vigor to the cry for cheap fares on street railroads that has been raised in several cities.

The Supreme Court of the United States is said to be more than three years behind in its business. But it is anticipated that a recent law limiting appeals to cases involving a larger amount than heretofore will to some extent diminish its business. Three hundred and seventy-nine cases were finally disposed of at the last term. But the Court is seventy-two cases further in the rear than at the close of the last preceding term.

Rev. James M. Pullman, of New York, said, in a recent sermon on "Matrimony," that the theory that a reformed sinner would make a better husband than a man who had not needed reformation was one that had been upheld by preachers, lecturers and writers; but he was not afraid to brand the theory as a lie—a lie from top to bottom, from circumference to center.

The Gainesville railroad, chartered in 1850, and one of the oldest roads in Alabama, has given up the ghost. It fell into the hands of the Mobile and Ohio, but they failed to pay interest on the bonds and it was recently sold to a New Yorker for \$19,000. He has found the line such an elephant on his hands that he has decided to pull up the rails and sell them for old iron.

Formerly the Roman Catholic papers were filled with announcements of the conspicuous sums of money continually placed at the feet of Pius IX. Now, instead, we hear as repeatedly of the munificent amounts given by Leo XIII, for charitable purposes. On the occasion of Easter his Holiness distributed 26,000 to indigent persons and pious institutions, without taking into account special subsidies granted to convents and educational establishments in Rome and elsewhere.

Tennyson, the poet laureate, is thus pictured in the Independence Belge: "Tall, rather stout, round shouldered, walking with a stick, a long beard completely burying his face, and a pair of round, Chinese looking spectacles." His attire: "A felt hat, much the worse for wear, the brim large and floppy, drawn low over his forehead; trousers, too wide, shabby looking coat too tight, his left hand in constant contact with his spectacles, which have a large gold rim that flashes in the sun as he advances toward you."

The New York *Graphic* publishes the following list of wealthy New Yorkers who pay no personal taxes: August Belmont, Cyrus W. Field, Charles E. Loew, Frederick W. Loew, John Roach, C. Godfrey Gunther, Jenkins VanSchaick, B. T. Babbit, A. S. Hatch, J. L. James, W. A. Booth, R. F. Dunning, William Dowd, John Hoey, S. P. Nichols, Geo. Law, Pierre Lorillard, Jacob Lorillard, George Lorillard, ex Mayor Wickham, W. A. Wheeler, A. V. Stout, Henry Clausen, George Ehret, Levi P. Morton, W. A. Darling, Elliott C. Cowdin, J. B. Erhardt. The greatest joke is that the members of the board of aldermen, who disburse the taxes after they are collected, are also non-payers of personal taxes, with the single exception of Jordan L. Mott. Samuel J. Tilden pays taxes on \$90,000, William H. Vanderbilt \$500,000 and J. Gordon Bennett on \$25,000.

THE NEXT MOVE.

Now that Mr. Hayes has vetoed army appropriation bill number two, and shown that himself and party are opposed to, and will use every means to prevent, a free election, we, the people, cannot rid ourselves from feelings of anxiety as to what will be the next move on the political chess board.

The principle contended for by the Democrats in Congress is that which underlies our entire political fabric and embodies the fundamental idea of a republican form of government. It demands that all elections shall be free and untrammelled and, hence, it forbids the menacing presence at the polls of the army. It contemplates the idea that every citizen of the United States shall have the privilege of going to the polls and depositing his ballot for whatever candidate, or for whatever policy, he may best like, and that no other person has a right, or will be permitted, to offer the least molestation or annoyance in his so voting. Only this and nothing more. The Democratic party in or out of Congress, have asked for nothing further, and this they have demanded because it was not only in accordance with the genius of our institutions and the organic law of the country, but because it was simply right.

It was not reasonable, for one not acquainted with the motives which prompt the action of the Republicans, to suppose that there could be much opposition to a measure which was so eminently national and patriotic as either of the two bills which we have named, and which Mr. Hayes has seen fit to veto. We are led to inquire what can be the objections to a measure so broad, comprehensive and fair? We find no sufficient answer in the contempible platitudes which mainly compose the veto message. We must look elsewhere for the animus of the act—for the key by which to solve the problem.

Recent developments have demonstrated that the sole and only motive for thus throwing obstructions in the way of wise legislation is a determination to control the elections of 1880 in the interests of the Republican party. Knowing the country is to-day largely Democratic, the Republicans are making superhuman efforts to make the army an important factor in the next election, hoping by such means to obtain another lease of power.

In the last election it was the party of force and fraud, and those elements are its only hope in the next; and those it is determined to use with all the energy of despair. Force and fraud is the Republican stock in trade, and if that can be overthrown the party is dead beyond the power of a resurrection. The force and fraud by which Mr. Hayes now occupies the chair of the executive are being perpetuated to obstruct wise and judicious legislation which would prevent a recurrence of the same rascality. To circumvent this, the sagacity and wisdom of the Democrats in Congress are now being taxed, and while we would deplore any act which would hinder the wheels of the government from running smoothly along, and would have all the necessary appropriations cheerfully made and a speedy adjournment of Congress; yet it is a duty which Democratic Representatives and Senators in Congress owe to their constituencies and States, as well as to themselves, to yield not one iota of principle. Let no one for a moment think "To crook the pregnant hinges of the truth, that thrift may follow fawning."

We hope, we trust, and we believe, that the Democrats will stand firm in this hour of trial. We regret to see that a few are in favor of making the appropriations in consonance with the wishes of the infamous fraud rather than not make them at all. We hope that a majority will consent to no such course.

We have submitted to fraud and menace too long already, but when fraud is the author of the menace it becomes entirely intolerable, and the Democrat who now yields is recreant to a sacred trust. Much as we would deplore the contingency, before they should now yield one particle, we would have them adjourn without appropriating one penny for any purpose. Mr. Hayes could find no fault at such an act, for no one knows better than himself that he has no right to a single penny if the appropriations were made in accordance with his demands. He, at any rate, will suffer no wrong.

BIG FARMERS AND LOW FARMING.

The vote in favor of the constitution in California, says the *Baltimore Sun*, was chiefly got from the agricultural sections, which proves that the land question in that State is the real grievance to the people. The drawback to agriculture in California has all along been the ranche system of farming. The land is chiefly held in large tracts, under the old Spanish grants, bought up by a very few thirty men very cheaply when the State was first annexed, and before the great tide of immigration had set in, in consequence of the gold discoveries. These gigantic holdings are measured by the square mile rather than by the acre, and they not only prevent men with small capital from securing homesteads of their own, but they result

in a shiftless and unproductive style of farming, which is detrimental to the best interests of the State. A San Francisco correspondent, writing about these immense estates, says:

"The largest wheat producer in California or in the world, is Dr. H. J. Glenn. He was formerly from Moore county, Missouri. He is a man of great enterprise and energy. His ranche lies in Colusa county, and comprises 69,000 acres, nearly all arable land. He has this year 45,000 acres in wheat, which, at a low calculation, will produce 900,000 bushels. His wheat will sell for 85 cents per bushel, or \$765,000. Dr. Glenn has been farming ten years, and one would suppose he ought have a handsome sum to his credit in bank; but what with a failure of crops—which occur two years in every five—and the enormous interest he pays on his loans, he is said to owe a round million of dollars. Last year his credit was bad, as he had no crop. Now, with his splendid crop in prospect, he will probably get out."

The correspondent refers also to the Dalrymples of Minnesota, who failed in speculative wheat growing on a large scale. A Mr. Reavis, of Colusa, has an estate of 15,000 acres, of which 13,000 are in wheat, and he expects to make 30 bushels per acre, yet is borrowing money at 9 per cent. Sullivan, the great Illinois farmer, died a pauper. In fact the farming of large tracts is nearly always a wasteful business for the reason that farming, more than almost any other occupation, can only be made profitable by the closest sort of personal supervision, and no man can oversee the work on 10,000 acres as carefully as he can that on 50 acres. Large farms are a mistake, as our Eastern farmers have long since realized.

James Russell Lowell, United States Minister to Spain, reports a bull-fight in Madrid. He says: "I attended officially as a matter of duty, and escaped early. It was my first bull-fight, and will be my last. To me it was a shocking and brutalizing spectacle, in which all my sympathies were on the side of the bull."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16 1879. The event of yesterday in Congress was the speech of Senator Thurman. He gave his reasons for favoring a repeal of the jury test oath provision, and for modifications of the powers of Federal supervisors and marshals. The Senator's physical condition was such that he could not do himself full credit, but, as he always does, he made clear every point he touched upon. His extended treatment of the two veto messages of Mr. Hayes was excellent. The sham conservatism and sham patriotism of that gentleman were most effectively shown up. The Senator gave no indication of what his course or that of his Democratic associates would be in the event of a veto of the Legislative bill by Mr. Hayes.

There will probably be a vote in the House to-day on Representative Warner's silver bill. It is an important measure, in that it fully remonetizes silver. The vote yesterday, on what were considered test questions, indicated the passage of the bill by the House.

There was quite a lively debate in the House yesterday on a bill in relation to the removal of causes from State Courts. One sees with amazement how the radicals on every possible occasion, as they did on this one, take the side most oppressive to the people, and best calculated to strengthen an unnecessary authority of Government. With equal regularity the Democrats seek to protect the rights and liberties of individuals. A wise man is Mr. Thurman, who said that there had been and now are two parties in this country, one the party of classes and privileges, and the other the party of the people.

In the last day or two I find a change of opinion among members as to the probable length of the session. Many who, a short time since, expected to get away by June 1st now think there will be no adjournment before July.

Senator Voorhees, who is on the Library Committee, has done an excellent thing in preparing and securing the passage of the bill allowing the appointment of three more Assistants to the Librarian. They will be appointed in July. The requirements are a classical education and thorough knowledge of German and French. Mr. Voorhees is one of the Senators who always attends to his duties as Senator.

Senator Wade Hampton spoke for a few moments yesterday for the first time since he took his seat. He made an excellent impression on all who heard him.

It is a singular fact that the revenue from tobacco has been larger since the tax was reduced than before. The fact is the same in regard to whiskey. A small tax brings more revenue than an unreasonably large one.

GURDGE.

Traveling is Extra-Hazardous if the tourist is unprovided with some medicinal resource. Changes of temperature, food and water of an unaccustomed or unwholesome quality, and a route that lies in the tropics or other regions where malaria exists, are each and all fraught with danger to one who has been imprudent enough to neglect a remedial safeguard. The concurrent testimony of many voyagers by land and sea establishes the fact that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters enables the one who uses it to encounter hazards of the nature referred to with impunity; and that, as a medicine adapted to sudden and unexpected exigencies, it is peculiarly valuable. Disorders of the liver, the bowels and the stomach, fever and ague, rheumatism and nervous ailments, brought on by exposure, are among the maladies to which emigrants, travelers and new settlers are most subject. These and others yield to the action of the Bitters promptly and completely.

Miscellaneous.

Come and Buy.

GOOD FLOUR, SUGAR and COFFEE,
Molasses, Pork and Lard,
Butter, Crackers and Cheese,
Potash, Lye and Candy,
Tobacco, Snuff and Cigars,
Paper, Twine and Paper Bags,
"One Spoon" Baking Powder.

may 17 HALL & PEARSALL.
Look Over the List!

EDINBURGH OATMEAL, in 14 lb. Tins.

Apollinaris Water, by the Hamper or at Retail,
Hunyadi Janos Bitter Water, Seltzer Water,
N. C. Hams, Sides and Shoulders,
Ferris' Ham, Strips, Smoked Beef Tongues,
Dried Beef, chipped to order smooth and clean,
The Best Tea in the city at 50c.
Large size strictly No. 1 Sugar-Cured Ham, at 10c per pound,
Patasco, Ten-Strike, Snow-Flake, Piedmont and other brands of Flour in Barrels and Half Barrels,
New Crop Cuba and Porto Rico and New Orleans Molasses,
Coffee Roasted Daily and Ground to Order.

I have a LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK, selected for the Best Retail Trade in the city.

Come and Buy.

JAMES. C. STEVENSON.

may 7
Call and See Us.
Fresh Goods. Low Prices.

- 1,300 Bbls. Flour, just in—Jack Frost, Plant's Extra, Paragon, Legal Tender, Snow Flake, Oronoco, White Cloud, Holiday Gift, Cousin's Fancy, &c.
 - 4,000 Bush Prime White Corn,
 - 300 Boxes D. S. and Smoked Sides,
 - 100 Tubs Choice Family Lard,
 - 250 Bbls New Crop Cuba Molasses,
 - 400 Bbls Cuba, M. O. and S. H. Molasses,
 - 225 Bbls Sugars, Crushed, Granulated A, Extra C, and C,
 - 200 Bags Coffee, all grades,
 - 1600 Kegs Nails,
 - 1300 Bags No. 1, Guano Guano,
- ALSO,
Crackers, Candy, Soap, Starch, Soda, Potash, Lye, Matches, Paper, &c. &c.
For sale by
WILLIAMS & MURCHISON,
may 8 Wholesale Gro. & Com. Mer.

Strange

AS IT MAY APPEAR TO SOME OF OUR COMPETITORS,

We will state that we never advertised anything

We Did Not Have, Or assumed

An Agency that wasn't vouchsafed to us

"Mind That".

Come and examine our papers—they are open for inspection.

BY WAY OF DIVERSION WE WILL

STATE TO THE PUBLIC

GENERALLY THAT

Boatwright & McKoy

Are Receiving

Daily Fresh Supplies

OF ALL THE

SUBSTANTIALS AND DELICACIES

IN THE

GROCERY LINE

To our friends in the distance we say, if you want to

BUY GOODS AT WHOLESALE

LOW

call on or write to

Boatwright & McKoy.

5 & 7 NORTH FRONT STREET,
may 8

Wilcox, Gibbs & Co.,

CELEBRATED FERTILIZER,
THE MANIPULATED GUANO!
The Best and Cheapest!
COTTON for GUANO!

In offering to you the WILCOX, GIBBS & CO.'S MANIPULATED GUANO, another season, we do so with the most perfect confidence that you will find it the BEST AND CHEAPEST FERTILIZER in use.

It is no new article, requiring experiments to establish its value, but has been used for years with unbounded success, gaining in favor from year to year, until it is now accepted as the STANDARD FERTILIZER.

It has been our study, not to make it EQUAL to others but SUPERIOR, and for our success in these efforts we refer you to the many of your neighbors who have used it, as well as to the thousands in the South Atlantic Cotton States.

This Guano is so well known that it is unnecessary to publish any certificates but we annex a few testimonials in our circulars only from Planters who have made special tests of it alongside the Peruvian Guano, as showing how it compares with Peruvian Guano, which has heretofore been generally esteemed above all other Fertilizers.

He will have only a moderate supply for sale and would request Planters to make their orders early.

Our Agents are authorized to sell the MANIPULATED on very favorable terms, payable in cotton next Fall.

jan 29-d-4w
JAS. T. PETTEWAY, Agent.

THE BEST IN THE WORLD
50 SIMPLE CHILD CAN USE IT
WARRANTED FOR 3 YEARS
ALL DEALERS
\$1500.00
CASH TO AGENTS
BEWARE OF BOGUS DEALERS AND DEFACTO NUMBERS
NOTICE OUR GENUINE NUMBER ON SHUTTLE RACE PLATE
FOR PARTICULARS ADDRESS:
WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO. CLEVELAND, OHIO.

THE NEW YORK WEEKLY HERALD.

JAMES GORDON BENNETT, Proprietor.
The Best and Cheapest Newspaper Published.
Postage Free.

ONE DOLLAR

Per Year,
50 Cents for Six Months,
An Extra Copy to every Club of Ten.

New York Herald.

Published every Day in the Year.
Postage Free.

\$10 pays for one year, Sundays included.
\$8 pays for one year, without Sundays.
\$6 pays for six months, Sundays included.
\$4 pays for six months, without Sundays.
\$2 pays for one year for any specified day of the week.
\$1 pays for six months for any specified day of the week.
\$1 per month (including Sundays) will be charged on subscriptions for a less period than three months.

TO EUROPE—Including Postage.
Daily Edition.....Two and a half cts. per Copy
Sunday Edition.....Four cts. per Copy
Weekly Edition.....Two cents per Copy
N. B.—Not less than 5 copies mailed to new dealers at wholesale rates.
We allow no commissions on subscriptions
Daily Edition.....Address,
NEW YORK HERALD,
mob 19 Broadway and St. Ann N. Y.

NEWSDEALERS SUPPLIED,

Postage Free.

The New and Popular

Boot & Shoe Store,

32 MARKET STREET.

THE PIONEER OF LOW PRICES!

NO OLD STOCK TO WORK OFF AT ANY PRICE!

All New Goods, selected with a great deal of care, in accordance with the times.
All of my Goods warranted. Notice some of the prices:

A Lady's nice Cloth Buskin, from 50c to \$1.00.
A nice Kid or Pebble Morocco Newport Tie, from 90c to \$1.25.
A Gent's nice Box-Toe Gaiter, from \$1.25 up to the best.

My Ladies' and Children's Department is now complete.
A call at my place and a fair comparison are all I ask.

Beware of old stock. You will spend your money for nothing.
Remember, no trouble to show my New Stock. Respectfully,
C. ROSENTHAL,
32 Market St.
apl 23 Sign of the Little Boot.

Headquarters for Ale,

Lager Beer and Porter.

H. MARCUS & SON'S,

No. 5 Market Street
CAN FURNISH YOU WITH THE BEST
Ale, Lager Beer and Porter, both keg and bottled, in the city.

Mint Julep!

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON!
At 22 J. G. CARROLL'S

Country orders promptly attended to