

The telegraph is exclusively in the hands of Government in Italy. An innovation in telegraph cards for ten words, to be dropped in office boxes or sent gratuitously through the post to the desired telegraph office.

The Communists shipped back from Caledonia to Paris complain bitterly of the treatment inflicted on them by the MacMahon authorities. They were ill-fated, overworked, and constantly exposed to the burning sun.

A recent visitor to the Tichborne claimant in prison says that he is reduced in size, and really looks a fine and fairly proportioned man, but that it would be difficult to gaze upon a more swarthy, sinister face among the convicts.

The blunt verdict of London Truth is that Talmage was in England "a dead failure, as he deserved to be, for his lectures were wretched, and generally in very bad taste." But some of the London religious journals print and praise his language.

A real duel was lately fought at Papiester, Belgium, by Count de Veysy, who is noted for enormous wealth, and Baron de Vauloo. They used pistols, and the Baron was killed. The Count was arrested, and though he offered to give \$200,000 bail, was put in prison.

Dr. Petersen, a German tourist, lately reached the highest point of the Jungfrau, 12,828 feet. He was rewarded by an hour of clear sky. He declares that he could see the whole chain of the Alps, from the furthest Tyrol to Dauphine, including Mont Blanc and the other southern giants.

One of London's greatest Catholic preachers, Monsignor Capel, the Catesby of 'Lothair,' will embark from England soon for a tour in this country and Canada. He hopes to return with money sufficient to extricate him from the pecuniary embarrassments into which he plunged himself to establish the Catholic University at Kensington.

Charles L. Pullman, a brother of the Pullman Palace Car Company's President, has been fighting extensively in St. Louis as a swindler. Using his brother's name without authority, as an introduction, he borrowed money right and left, forged several letters, formed a pretended mining company, fooled an acquaintance out of a valuable watch, and finally fled.

The demolition of old houses and walls along the Tiber in Rome is progressing rapidly by order of the royal engineers engaged in rectifying the bed of the river but at every step along the shores a photograph is taken so as to preserve views of the picturesque landmarks. Like the new Lung' Arno di Florence, Rome will soon have her Along-Tiber, with fine palaces.

Lionel Tennyson, son of the poet, is to succeed to the Lincolnshire estate of his uncle, the Rev Charles Turrer, whose surname he will consequently assume. He is the Laureate's younger son, and he married the daughter of another poet, Frederick Locker, in the Abbey, about two years ago. His father lately refused to take the property with the condition of changing his name to Turner.

The Carolina Theatre has a live English aristocrat in its leading actress, Adelaide Stanhope, only daughter of the late Rev. Henry Stanhope and granddaughter of the Earl of Harrington, her father being the third son of that nobleman. She is, therefore, the first cousin to the present Earl. One of her aunts was married to the Duke of Bedford, and another was married to the Duke of Leinster.

An instance of heredity in crime is furnished by Elias Phillips of Freetown, Mass., who recently appeared as a witness in a burglary trial, having turned State's evidence. He is a great-grandson of Malbone Briggs, a notorious criminal, who was in State prison with seven of his sons at one time. Briggs' ancestry is traced back to a noted pirate in the time of Earl Bellamont, and his branch of the family has for over a century furnished noted criminals in every generation.

The following curious calculation appears in a French journal: The Prince Imperial had seventeen wounds. There are seventeen letters in the name Napoleon Bonaparte. The addition of the figures 1808, the date of the birth of Napoleon III., makes seventeen; so does 1826, the date of the Empress Eugenie's birth, and 1853, the date of their marriage. From that to 1870, the year of their fall, was seventeen years. The Prince Imperial was 17 years of age when his father died. There are seventeen letters in the name of Lieut. Carey, and the addition of the figures 1862, the date of Prince Victor's birth, again produces seventeen.

TWO WAYS OF TELLING THE SAME STORY.

We have frequently called attention to the avidity with which the Radical press of the North seizes every outrage against the law which is reported as having been committed in the South, and have distorted, ungratified and perverted the facts concerning them, while they might ponder to the people's eyes and ears the sufferings of the Northern people, and keep alive the fires of hate which they entertain towards those of his section of the country.

These reports are most generally communicated through the media of the associated press despatches to the large Radical dailies, and from thence copied into the smaller fry of Radical journals with such alterations, additions and emendations as will best subserve the interests of the publisher, and give additional strength to the hold of the party upon the popular mind.

In last Tuesday's issue of the Washington National Republican, the most bitter, ranting and unrelenting hater of the South, of all the radical-fraternity, appears, under a conspicuous heading, the following dispatch:

CHARLESTON S. C., Sept. 22.—Internal Revenue Collector Braxton received a dispatch from Spartanburg this evening, which stated that Special Deputy Collector and United States Deputy Marshal A. J. Davis was shot at half-past 5 p. m. by J. Panther while serving a bench warrant in North Carolina, but which had been made serviceable in this district by Judge Bryant. Panther was shot in the leg by a negro, and is now in jail. Davis' thigh bone was badly broken.

Now, every person in the South, possessed of ordinary intelligence, knows that the above report will be copied into the columns of the entire radical press; that long and bitter editorials will be written concerning it, and that in the campaigns which are being carried on in several of the Northern States, every radical speaker will, while waving the "bloody shirt," which is now the only stock in trade of the party, hold this outrage up as a characteristic of the Southern people. They care nothing for the actual facts in the case and will not go beyond a radical authority to ascertain them. So long as there was a disturbance of the peace at Spartanburg at the time mentioned, and a U. S. Deputy Marshal was a sufferer in consequence, it matters not what the other facts may have been. Those two truths are all they need and, in fact, it is only by the suppression of all the other incidents of the affair that any eclat can be obtained.

There was really a disturbance at the time and place mentioned, and a U. S. Deputy Marshal was shot and severely wounded, but the facts, which we clip from the New York Herald, put an entirely different phase upon the matter, and are as follows:

SPARTANBURG S. C., Sept. 22, 1879. Thomas J. Davis, special Deputy Collector United States revenue and Deputy United States Marshal, arrested J. B. Panther here this morning on a bench warrant issued by Judge Dick, of North Carolina, countersigned by Judge Bryan, of this State, dated in 1878, charged with conspiracy to rescue United States prisoners from jail at Hendersonville, N. C., two years ago, and Panther gave bonds before S. T. Pointer, United States Commissioner, to appear at Asheville, N. C., at the next term of the United States Court. Davis, being intoxicated, arrested Panther again this afternoon on the same matter for which he had given bond for appearance, and drew his pistol, placed it against his breast, threatening to shoot him, when Panther seized the pistol, and in attempting to wrest it from Davis caused the weapon to explode, hitting Davis in the left thigh, shattering the bone. Panther ran, attempting to escape, and was followed by Anthony Harvey alias Wesfield (colored) and Sam Herbert (colored), both shooting at him, the former hitting him in the fleshy part of the thigh. Davis' wound is such that his leg will probably have to be amputated. Panther's wound is slight and he escaped arrest. Harvey, alias Westfield, and Herbert were arrested and lodged in jail. The difficulty was caused by Davis, the United States Deputy Collector and Special United States Marshal, being intoxicated and arresting Panther a second time without authority on a case for which he had given bond.

Now, does any one for a moment suppose that this correct statement of the affair will be placed before a Northern Republican audience by any of the stump speakers, or that the press of that party will give it publication? If there are such then we can only say that they are possessed of a larger share of credulity than we are yet willing to give them credit for.

THE JENKINS OF THE CHARLOTTE OBSERVER.

We publish elsewhere a letter from Washington City to the Charlotte Observer, which is well worth attention. As far as the facts in this district are concerned, we will only say that Judge McKoy, a short time since, in a private conversation stated to us that he had no intention of being a candidate for Congress and that he did not want the nomination. The Raleigh Observer is mentioned as the Times and the News is, of course, the other leading Democratic daily whose influence is to be secured. The double-distilled lie in this para-

graph smells so strong as to be detected even before it is seen. As for the assertion of an independent Democratic candidate for Governor, Col. Thos. M. Holt, of Haw River, is evidently the party referred to. We believe this, too, to be a pure and simple fabrication—at least, we hope that it is.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 1879

Leading men of all parties begin to realize that something must be done by Congress to promote the business interests of the country. English merchants, and the fostering care of their government, are stealing away our foreign trade, and especially finishing our profits in the trade on this continent, simply by their superiority in communication. Our merchants say that private enterprise alone cannot cope with the great monopolists who have got such a hold upon South America trade. But with a little government aid temporarily, until they can get a foothold, our superior products and enterprise will soon overcome all competition. We need American steamship lines to all the principal ports and closer postal and commercial connections shall we have them? It is for Congress to say. The producers of the South particularly are interested in this subject.

The enthusiastic reception of Genl Grant at San Francisco on Saturday last, like the unprecedented gathering of citizens in Connecticut the other day, when battle flags were to be moved from one place to another, shows undiminished interest on the part of the public in the soldiers of the late war. It did not show bitter feeling of the people of one section to those of another. There was no suggestion of that in either event. But the North, like the South, has and will always have a pride in the great soldiers that went to the front. It is right that the North and South should have that feeling. Every reader of this letter will be gratified that ex-Confederates took part in the Grant reception, side by side with those who fought from 1861 to 1864. When, if ever, the people came to pass upon Grant's fitness for civil office, of which they will judge by the manner in which he performed the duties of the office already held, they will be justified in considering that an entirely different question.

From reliable intelligence received yesterday from New York, we learn that the Tammany defecion is daily growing less formidable and that the great bulk of its members will give in their adhesion to the support of the regular nominee of the Democratic convention—Gov Robinson—and will not show themselves to be made the instruments of John Kelly for the purpose of aiding in securing the election of Cornell, Gov Robinson's administration has given great satisfaction to the better element of all parties in that State, and it is estimated that there are from 40,000 to 50,000 Independent voters (not what is termed the floating class,) but among the better class of citizens who take no active part in politics, who will cast their ballots for Gov Robinson knowing him to be an honest and incorruptible Chief Magistrate. This element, is believed by those conversant with New York politics, will more than overcome the vote cast by the followers of John Kelly.

In an unchanging purpose to promote civil service reform, Secretary Sherman keeps a corps of twenty clerks employed in furnishing figures from the Department books for his political friends to use. They are furnished without authority of law, at public expense, and, as a general thing, are arranged to deceive.

GURDGE.

MOONSHINE.

"Tis true, 'tis pity—pity 'tis 'tis true, was written in the peach season when some fellow purchased 15 cents' worth of freestones that turned out to be olings.—Keokuk Gate City.


The Marathon Independent says it was the fall of an apple that set Sir Isaac Newton to thinking, but the fall of the shingle has made more boys think than all the apples that ever grew.—New York Express.

An Unfortunate Mistake: Magistrate—"You are charged with having emptied a basin of water over the plaintiff." Irish Woman—"Sure, yer honor, ye must forgive me; in the dark I took the gentleman for me husband."—Exchange.

"Is there a letter here in a scented envelope for my wife?" he asked the postmaster, while the green fire from his eyes made the office look like a leaf forest. "Yes, sir," answered the p.m., as he handed it out. The jealous man tore it open at once, when, lo and behold! it was the milliner's bill for \$50. No succeeding chapters.—Rhinebeck Gazette.

The atmosphere of Rockland has a peculiar property in that it transmits sound with surprising distinctness to a great distance. A young lady, whose voice in the house is so weak that she will never call the boys in the morning, the effort is so exhausting, while walking on Union street, one clear, calm day, made a remark which was plainly heard back of the mountains two miles away. The remark she made was in connection with a soft-shelled worm, which had dropped from a tree plump down upon her snow-white neck.—Rockland Courier.

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