

DAILY OBSERVER

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The Day in Brief

The Postal difficulty is creating considerable excitement North.

The attention of Congress is occupied by the case of Senator Clayton of Arkansas.

GRANT'S SOUTHERN APPOINTMENTS

The appointment of Mr. Hiram E. Stilley to office in this State, is nothing less than an insult to our people.

To defraud the government is bad enough, but to steal the money that belonged to little poor children, is an offense which should afflict upon the offender's brow the most lasting brand of infamy.

Why President Grant elevates to office in the South men who are dishonest, contemptible and wanting in those qualities of head and heart which command the respect of their fellows, is certainly very strange.

It must be that the moral perceptions of the President of the United States are so dull or so blunted, that he is unable to distinguish between virtue and vice, and fails to discover the leer of the villain in the smiling countenances of some of the office-seekers who fawn around him, and beg his royal favor.

Stilley is not the only bad appointment made by Grant. Hundreds of Federal officials in the South are almost, if not actually, as disreputable. It is only here and there that we find an efficient, trust-worthy, and respectable government official.

But whatever be the motives which actuate President Grant in making such appointments, it is very certain that it will prove in the end the worst for him. It is a short-sighted and mean policy which can only result in sinking him still lower in the esteem of all men who entertain notions of honor, integrity, and public virtue.

THE MODOC WAR.

The valiant General Canby, with his heroic "boys in blue," has assumed the offensive against Captain Jack. The General made a daring move the other day.

The Khedive of Egypt will accompany the Sultan on his visit to the exhibition at Vienna. The Khedive will arrive at Constantinople in May, and the two monarchs will proceed to Vienna together, after a very short stay in the Turkish capital.

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COTTON CROP OF THIS YEAR.

The cotton Pool at Augusta, which awards five thousand dollars to any party whose estimate comes nearest to the present crop of cotton, have now received 357 estimates, the average of which is 3,764,880 bales.

The Bluffton (S. C.) girls insist upon calling bachelors and widowers "second handed and dilapidated apologetics for men, who constitute themselves sentinels and mount guard over 'sweet sixteens' where least desired."

The Christian Advocate comes to our office this week robed in mourning because of the death of the lamented Barringer.

THE GREAT LABOR STRIKE.

One Hundred Thousand Men Banded Together in New York.

Important Details of the Proposed Movement in April.—The Aims of the Strike.—All the Building Mechanics Pledged to Act Together.

The impending strike among the trades in this city will, it is claimed, be on an even large scale than that of last year.

THE SENSATIONAL CANARD ABOUT FOSTER.—The report that Foster took poison to avoid the ignominy of the gallows is undoubtedly a sensational canard. It is, in truth, heartless, for the condemned criminal has some rights, as well as other men.

DEATH OF A NOTED SOUTH CAROLINIAN.

"The Immortal No" is dead. Hon. Joseph Powell died at Greenville, Tenn., lately after an eventful life, and one act in it entitles him to an immortality of fame.

INSURANCE.—Ex-King Amadens gives as one of his reasons for advocating the throne of Spain "that the insurance companies asked enormous premiums on his life and that of his Queen. This is probably the first time in history that the question of insurance has had an important influence on the destiny of a nation.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

By the Southern and Atlantic Line.

FROM WASHINGTON.

A False Rumor.

O'Brien's Sentence Commuted.

The Postal Difficulty.

Currency and Gold-Fenton's Position.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—General Leggett, Commissioner of Patents, has no present intention of resigning to practice law.

The order of the President commutating the sentence of O'Brien, the murderer of Gunningham, to imprisonment for life was rescinded at the jail to-day.

The Senate has taken the Postal difficulty in hand. The committee on Transportation Routes was authorized by a resolution passed to-day to examine the whole subject of Federal perversion of Railroads, and report at the next session of Congress.

The Senate adjourned to-day without acting upon Fenton's resolution relative to the adoption of a plan by which currency can be converted into gold at the will of the holder.

CREDIT MOBILIER.

Spinner After Ames.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Treasurer Spinner has not yet secured any reply from Oakes Ames, to whom he forwarded the \$100,000 in bonds of the Credit Mobilier, which were turned over to him by Representative Kelly.

PRIZE MONEY.

Heavy Award to Farragut's Men.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—It will be remembered that some months since the claim of Admiral Farragut and his officers and men for prize money for the destruction of Rebel vessels during the capture of New Orleans, during the rebellion was referred to arbitrators.

FOREIGN.

Illness of an Author.

Death of a Paramour of Lord Byron.

LONDON, March 26.—Geo. Augustus Sala, a well known English writer is seriously ill; his recovery is considered extremely doubtful.

PARIS, March 26.—Terese Gamba, Countess Guiccioli, who was at one time brought prominently before the public in connection with the Byron scandal, died here to-day, aged 72.

TWENTY-FIVE.

New York, March 26.—In the great suit brought in the name of the people against Tweed, Connelly, Ingersoll and others, to recover \$6,000,000 alleged to have been plundered from the city of New York by what are known as the audit frauds, Judge Hardin to-day decided to sustain the demurrer of the defendants and dismissed the suit on the grounds that the people had no right to sue.

The Great Forgery.

New York, March 26.—In connection with the Bank of England, forgeries parties in New York are being watched closely by English detectives.

New York, March 26.—The United States will present three of the Janave arbitrators with three splendid silver services. The arbitrators consist of Funch Dowry, Gaudin and wine cellars are now an exhibition at Tiffany & Co's.

MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Observer.

LIVERPOOL, March 26.

3.30 P. M.—Cotton quiet; sales 15,000 bales. Speculations 3,000; American, 10,000. Middling uplands 91@1; Orleans, 91@94.

New York, March 26. 3.30 p. m.—Gold, 112 1/2. Spot cotton closes steady. Sales to spinners, 780. For Exports, 1,281. Speculations, 608. Ordinary, 14; Good ordinary, 16; Strict 17; Low middling, 18; Middling, 19; Good middling, 21; Futures steady. Sales 22,250.

At Savannah, quiet; middlings, 18 1/2. At New Orleans, demand moderate; middling, 19 1/2. At Charleston, quiet; middling, 18 1/2. Stock at New York, 106,979. Stock at all Ports, 554,741.

Domestic Intelligence.

Rev. E. Thomas, the newly appointed Peace Commissioner of the Modocs, has gone to Van Bremers, Capt. Jack sent a Squaw to Klamath. The Indian inviting them to join him.

EXTRAORDINARY SPRING IMPORTATIONS.—Such is the activity at the Custom House, from the extraordinary importations just now, that the employees of the government can hardly get through the work.

DEBT OF RUTHERFORD.—From the report of Mr. J. H. Bradley, county Treasurer, on last Monday to the Commissioners, we see that the debt of Rutherford county was, on the 4th of March, 1873, \$10,287.48.

EMIGRANTS.—A number of returned emigrants have arrived in New York from Brazil. They found, according to their statements, that they had been deluded into settling in Brazil by assertions that were totally false.

SCANDALITY.—The romantic story of the brig Mary Celeste, found at sea under sail and deserted, is now robbed of its innocent charm by a New York dispatch which says: It is asserted that the brig Mary Celeste, found at sea, was bonded at Boston for \$2,000, and was insured there for \$14,000. It is believed at the Custom House here that her desertion at sea was a job to defraud the insurance companies.

News Items.

A new wrapping is to be introduced. It will be of oriental shape, and is known by name as the "Chuddah."

The Bull's Head Bank of New York, whose failure has been announced, was chiefly patronized by the butchers.

The Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, has accepted the protectorate of the Hospice, near Jerusalem, to be founded by the Maltese Knights.

General Richard Taylor, son of ex-President Zachary Taylor, sailed in the steamer Tybee last week for San Juan Bay. He has a commission to aid in the organization of the government.

Miss Clara Devine, a native of Savannah, Ga., and Miss Alice Ewing and Miss Mary Fenelon, of New Orleans, have entered the Convent of Presentation in Rome, and taken the veil.

The New Jersey House of Representatives have indefinitely postponed a resolution of censure of Congressman who voted for the retroactive pay bill. A resolution was adopted sustaining the administration of U. S. Grant.

Valentine Vox is performing in Raleigh.

New Advertisements.

Great agitation prevails among the Polish peasants in through an unfounded report that serfage will again be introduced.

JUST RECEIVED.

25 Sacks Stevens' A Family Flour, guaranteed to please those who are fond of a nice Snowflake Brand. Very nice lot of Mackerel, Breakfast strips, Magnolia Hams. Also, a lot of Fresh Canned Peaches and Cherries, very good for making pies, &c., at reduced prices. Give us your order and we will send the goods to your house and warrant them as represented.

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FINE POTATOES.

PAPER.

ROTATOES.

1000 LBS Putty at

2000 LBS Lewis' Lead at

CITY TAXES.

All persons residing in the city of Charlotte, or owning taxable property, or doing business therein, on the first Monday in February, 1873, are hereby notified to make returns of their taxable property, polls, merchandise, or other subjects made taxable by the city.

NOTICE.

The firm of S. C. Homesly & Co., of Limestone Springs was dissolved on the 30th day of January last.

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Desirable Phosphate Fertilizer or other Factory Site, Mills, Machinery, &c., &c.

THE ENTIRE WORKS recently erected by the Farmers Fertilizer Company of South Carolina, situated less than a half mile beyond the corporate limits of the City of Charleston.

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Genuine Scotch Frock and Walking Suits, French and English Diagonal Coats and Vests.

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French and English Doe-Skin Dress Pants, French and English Cassimere Pants in all colors.

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