

News Dispatches.

FOREIGN.

News and Views from Across the Waters.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—Says, Sunday, December 31st, but the captain of the steamer...

VIENNA, Jan. 14.—Persons from Russia say preparations are making for the transportation of troops on a large scale...

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The Standard's Berlin special says it would seem that an armistice has been agreed upon between the Church and State...

MASSACHUSETTS.

Bill Regarding Children and Religious Celebrations.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—A bill has been introduced in the House exempting school children from participation in any religious exercise upon the request of parents or guardians...

NEW JERSEY.

Destructive Fire in Jersey City.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—This morning the planing mill and lumber yard of Keeney & Snow, in Jersey City, was entirely burned over.

Meeting to Secure the Repeal of the Resumption Law.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 14.—The meeting announced last week for the purpose of adopting a course of action to secure the repeal of the resumption law...

NEW YORK.

Cardinal McCloskey on the Religious Question—Failure.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Cardinal McCloskey addressed the Catholic Union, alluding to the discussion in relation to the bill in the public schools.

THE HARVEST QUEEN KILLED LAST CAPTAIN MURDERER, ETC.

NEW YORK, January 13.—The ship Harvest Queen, from San Francisco for Liverpool is believed to have been sunk by collision in the English channel.

December 31st, but the captain of the steamer... The owners of the ship believe she left Queenstown, where she touched on orders on December 30th...

FLASHES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The Union League Club elected Jos. A. Choate, President.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Nineteen car loads of material for the Japanese buildings at the Centennial, passed East last night.

Mid-Night Dispatches.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—For the South Atlantic States, rising temperature and clear or fair weather, with light, variable winds...

CONGRESSIONAL.

Introduction of Bills in the House—Lively Debate on the Amnesty Bill—It Fails to Secure the Requisite Two-Thirds.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—House—Bills introduced: By White, to reduce salaries over \$15,000, 20 per cent. The previous question was moved but not seconded...

More reported a bill repealing section 2,308 of the Revised Statutes, which confines the disposition of public lands in Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Florida.

Knott reported back the Amnesty Bill; it reads: "That all the disabilities imposed and remaining on any person by virtue of the 30th section of the 14th article of the amendments to the Constitution of the United States, be and are hereby removed; and each and every person is and shall be forever relieved therefrom on his appearing before a Judge of any Court of the United States or of any Court of record in the State of which he is a resident, and taking and subscribing the following oath to be duly attested and recorded: 'I, A. B., do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same, and obey all laws made in pursuance thereof; that I take these obligations freely and without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion whatever.'"

Knott moved the previous question on the passage of the bill. McCree, of Iowa, a member of the Judiciary Committee, asked Knott to yield the floor for a moment.

Erve, of Maine, a member of the Judiciary Committee, asked Knott to permit him to ask members' objection, and Cox, of New York, said: "We have had enough of talk!"

Blaine, of Maine: "Will the gentleman (Knott) allow me, without the word of debate, to have a letter read?" Cox, Randall and several other Democratic members objected.

Loud calls of "order!" on the Democratic side. Randall (in a tone of remonstrance) "You know better than to do that!"

Blaine: "I want a distinct understanding." (More shouts of order from the Democrats.) The previous question was seconded and the main question ordered, yeas 188, nays 92.

Rainey, of South Carolina was conspicuously the object of such attentions. He did not answer when his name was called. Haradson, of Alabama, who was in the same position, withheld his vote at first, but finally rose and announced his vote of "aye," amid the plaudits of the Democrats.

Alphabetical Rules Worthy of Adoption.

Actions make a man's character—not his words. Argue not with fools and bigots. Benevolence on all worthy occasions. Cheerfulness and consistency in character, and charity for all men's opinions.

Duty must be done under all circumstances. Despair nothing except sin. Earnestness in all religious duties. Fidelity in all friendships and trusts.

Gratitude to God for all his good gifts. Hopefulness in all times of trial and sorrow. Innocence and Independence: have a business of your own if possible.

Justice in all dealings. Kindness of heart and manner. Loving and laboring: the great laws of life.

Mercifulness in all times of power. Neatness but not extravagance in every habit. Obedience to lawful authority. Order and system in business or domestic life.

Patience and purity and punctuality in all promises. Quiet but not at the devil's finger; and quiet submission to the ways of Providence.

Reverence for God and Religion. Sincerity and sweetness of temper. Truthfulness and temperance in all things. Understand thoroughly, if possible, your calling and profession. Venture never into the habitations of vice and sin.

Western Etiquette.—A Yankee traveler told West his experience as follows: "Western people are death on etiquette. You can't tell a man he lies, without fighting. A few days ago a man was telling one of his neighbors, in my hearing, a pretty large story. Says I, 'Stranger, that's a whopper.' Says he, 'Lay there, stranger, and in the twinkling of an eye, I found myself in the ditch, a perfect quadruped.'"

"Upon another occasion says I to a man I never saw before, a woman passed 'That isn't a specimen of your Western women, is it?' Says he, 'You're afraid of fever and ague, ain't you?' 'Very much,' says I. 'Well,' replied he, 'that is my wife and if you don't mind size in two minutes, by the honor of a gentleman, I swear that these two pistols, which he held cocked in his hands, shall cure you of that disorder entirely.' So I let it all down and politely apologized, and admit, the Western country is very much; but damn me, I can stand so much 'quadruped'—it always takes me unawares."

The following was a part of a young attorney's peroration on argument of demurrer in a court room:—"May I please your Honor, this is a stupendous question. It's decision by you, this day will live in judicial history long after you and I have passed from this scene of earthly glory and glory."

"When the tower of Pisa shall be forgotten, when Waterloo and Bородино shall grow dim in the distant cycles of receding centuries; and Napoleon is no longer remembered; when the pyramids of the Pharaohs shall have crumbled into dust; when the hippopotamus shall cease to inhabit the native Nile; even then your ruling upon this demurrer will still survive in the history of legal lore, as fresh, green and imperishable as an autumn fig."

Thompson, grasshopper or a Colorado potato bug, who has been seen in the vicinity of the city, and is believed to be a pest.

Blaine, of Maine: "I understand that the gentleman from Kentucky declines to yield the floor to me."

ize him as "that flannel-mouthed, engraving, hollering bloodhound of Zion," would seem to indicate that the speaker hasn't that respect for persons of African descent that he ought to have.

COMMERCIAL.

CHARLOTTE MARKET. OBSERVER OFFICE. CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 15, 1876. The Cotton Market. The Liverpool cotton market for all grades fell off yesterday fully a 1/16, and Boston and New York, as well as all the principal cotton ports, quickly followed.

PRODUCE MARKET. Corn is scarce with light demand. Flour easier at quotations. Bacon a shade firmer. Other produce unchanged.

Table with columns for various commodities like Bacon, Butter, Eggs, Flour, etc., and their prices.

Cotton Markets January 14.

The following is the telegraphic report of the condition and quotations of the cotton market at the principal ports at the close of transactions last evening.

TAKE NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ELLIS COHEN & ROESSLER FOR 1875, AND PREVIOUS YEARS, ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THEIR ACCOUNTS MUST BE SETTLED AT ONCE OR THEY WILL BE PLACED IN THE HANDS OF THEIR ATTORNEYS FOR COLLECTION.

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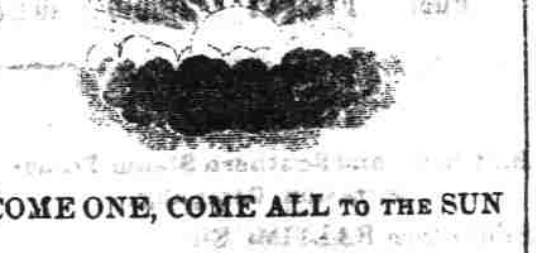
A Partner, with a capital of from three to five hundred dollars to engage in a profitable business, which offers a fine investment. For particulars apply to E. H. Anderson, 112 South Third Street, New Orleans, La.

Removal.

D. M. RIGLER has removed, his Confectionery and Bakery to the second door below the First National Bank, where he will be glad to see his old customers and friends. He has just received a fresh stock of Confectioneries, and can now supply the public with anything in his line.

GUTHRIE & LONG, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS.

ALIVE KICKING AGAIN!



COME ONE, COME ALL TO THE SUN PURE Home-made Candles, Cakes of every description, Rice of all kinds, Nuts, Macaroons, Figs, Prunes, Apples, Dates, Sherbet, Almonds, Jellies, Pickles, Sardines, Oysters, Peaches, Tomatoes, Hams, Lobsters, Deviled Ham, Potatoes, Turkey and Tongues, Crackers of every grade, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Corn, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Green Peas, String Beans, Malaga Grapes, Cigars, Tobacco, Stuffed Pipes, Flour, Bacon, Lard, Molasses, Cheese, Butter, Eggs, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Peaches, Peppercorns, Spice, Mustard, Pickles, Pickled Walnuts, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Peaches, Peppercorns, Spice, Mustard, Pickles, Pickled Walnuts.

C. S. HOLTON & CO. Removal.

WE take this method to inform our customers and the public that we have moved our shop and business two doors below our old stand, First National Bank, where we desire to see our customers and the public generally.

Country Merchants.

CAN get everything in the Drug line, at T. C. SMITH & CO'S corner Drug Store.

J. H. McADEN, Druggist, Charlotte, N. C. Is now offering the best and finest Chemicals and the purest drugs, at prices to suit the times.

WEST & SON'S KEROSENE OIL. For sale in large and small quantities, at McADEN'S Drug Store.

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THE BEST CHEWING TOBACCO. And the Best Imported and Domestic Cigars, at McADEN'S Drug Store.

COLOGNE EXTRACTS. Toilet Soaps of superior quality, at McADEN'S Drug Store.

McADEN'S GERMAN COLOGNE. Is the favorite perfume; preferred by the ladies to any other perfume.

McADEN'S HAT BRUSHES. For sale at McADEN'S Drug Store.

FINE CHEWING TOBACCO. Just received at W. R. BURWELL & CO'S Drug Store.

A FEW SACKS OF GREEN GRASS SEED, at W. R. BURWELL & CO'S Springs Corner.

COHEN & ROESSLER, Nelson's Gelatine, Spices, Corn Starch, W. R. BURWELL & CO.

If You Have A COUGH, send and get a ten cent bottle of syrup from T. C. SMITH & CO.

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