

THE FREIGHT QUESTION ONCE MORE.

The railroads are alarmed by the restrictions which have been laid upon them by the Legislature. Some of them deserve but little sympathy, and but for the ill effects which this legislation will have upon the people...

THE GAY DECEIVERS.—The Greenbackers in Congress, after some of them had pledged themselves to the support of Democratic measures...

We regret to see it stated in the Washington correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch, that our distinguished fellow-citizen, Hon. James M. Leach, sustained a fall in Washington...

Representative Seales, of the fifth district of North Carolina has expressed to a reporter of the Washington Sunday Gazette, the hope and opinion that the extra session of Congress will be short.

THE FITZ JOHN PORTER CASE.

Its Salient Points.—The Defendant Unanimously Acquitted. WASHINGTON, April 2.—The following are the salient points in the official report in the case of Gen. Fitz John Porter, as taken from the report...

While, as we have said, there is something very like retributive justice in these railroads themselves falling into the pit which they had dugged for the Raleigh & Augusta Air-Line...

Yesterday we spoke of the new freight bill with reference to its effects upon the railroads and the people, expressing the opinion, which we yet hold sincerely, that these effects will be very injurious to both.

POLITICAL RIDERS—REVOLUTION—CONSISTENCY.

Mr. Job was a man of parts—a discerning, far-seeing man, and hence he objected that his adversary would write a book. Job wanted the record on his adversary—the journal, the eyes and nose, so to speak—and it is probable that he died wanting it.

THE EVIL AND THE REMEDY.—The Southern press has done its part. Now for judges, juries and governors. The hanging of two or three "gentle" murderers will stop the bloody pistol business...

The Raleigh News appears dressed in new type and with a face as fresh and clean as if it were a babe instead of a veteran. Its make-up is modeled on that of first-class journals...

CONGRESS'S EXTRA SESSION

THE ARMY BILL DEBATE NEARLY OVER. To be closed Friday—Hoar's Resolution Tabled in the Senate—The House Committees Monday.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—SENATE.—Various bills were introduced, among them one by Harris, providing for a treaty with the republic of Mexico.

HOUSE.—Efforts were made by Sparks of Illinois, to fix the time for closing the debate on the army appropriation bill...

CONFIRMATIONS. The Senate confirmed Andrew D. White, of New York, to be envoy and minister to the United States to Germany...

NOMINATIONS.

DAVID T. CORBIN, of South Carolina, to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Utah; Thos. S. Wadsworth, of Illinois, receiver of public moneys at La Mesa...

SOME OFFICERS NOT REMOVED. The Democratic Senators in caucus this morning unanimously agreed that General Sherman should retain and Capt. Isaac Bassett, the assistant doorkeeper, and the venerable Wm. Johnston...

THE ENGLISH COTTON SUPPLY AND THE FUTURE OF THE SPINNING. LIVERPOOL, April 2.—The cotton circular of Smith, Edwards & Co., cotton brokers of this town, says: "The visible supply of cotton is 350,000 bales below that of last year."

THE HOUSE COMMITTEES. Speaker Randall will be able to announce the standing committees of the House on Monday or Tuesday of next week.

THE TERMS UPON WHICH THE BLACKBURN OPERATIVES RETURN TO WORK. LONDON, April 2.—The announcement that the Blackburn operatives of various trades had agreed to submit to reduction in their wages...

AN EXTRA TERM OF COURT TO TRY THE MURDERER OF JUDGE ELLIOTT. CINCINNATI, April 2.—A Frankfort, Ky., dispatch says Judge McManama called a special term of the criminal court to try Thomas Buford for the murder of Judge Elliott...

A GLOOMY PROSPECT.

THE DEPRESSION IN GREAT BRITAIN GREATER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE AND A PROSPECT FOR WORSE TIMES.

LONDON, April 2.—Mr. David Milver, one of the proprietors of the Cunard Line, and member of Parliament for Great Britain, writes to the Times, declaring unhesitatingly that from his personal experience as a carrier he does not know of any nation whose trade prospects at present are so gloomy as Great Britain's.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS YESTERDAY.

How They Went at Different Places Throughout the Country. ST. LOUIS, April 2.—Warrensburg, Missouri, yesterday elected a Republican mayor...

ST. LOUIS, April 2.—Complete returns now show that the Democrats elected all their councilmen yesterday, which gives them a majority of one in council.

THE SILVER QUESTION IN ENGLAND. LONDON, April 2.—The silver question is exciting great interest throughout Lancashire and opinion is steadily tending in the direction of bi-metalism.

FOUR VESSELS SUNK. NEW BEDFORD, MASS., April 2.—Reports have been received that four vessels are sunk off Tuckerneck shoal and three sunk near Muskeget.

A SQUADRON SWEEP AWAY. LONDON, April 2.—A dispatch from Lahore to the Reuters company: "A squadron of British Hussars was swept away by the current while crossing the Cabul river near Emelalabade on the 31st of March."

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THE FOUR REVIEWS. Authorized reprint of—The Edinburgh Review (Whig), The Westminster Review (Liberal), The London Quarterly Review (Conservative), The British Quarterly Review (Evangelical).

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Periodicals

ST. NICHOLAS. AN IDEAL CHILDREN'S MAGAZINE. Messrs. Scribner & Co., in 1878, began the publication of St. Nicholas, an Illustrated Magazine for Children and Boys...

It is published simultaneously in London and New York, and the simultaneous recognition is almost as general and hearty as the American. Although the progress of the magazine has been a steady advance...

By Katharine D. Smith, with illustrations by Frederick Delmonaco, begins in the same number; and a fresh serial by Susan Coolidge, entitled "Ebright," with plenty of pictures, will be commenced early in the volume.

Written by Julian Hawthorne, and illustrated by Alfred Fredericks. About the familiar features of St. Nicholas, the editor prescribes, in complete silence, content, perhaps, to let her five volumes already issued, prophesy concerning the death, in respect to the illustrations, poems, humor, instructive sketches, and the love and lore of "Jack-in-the-Pulpit," the "Very Little Folks," and "The Fairy Queen."

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