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TROUBLED ABOUT IT.

Some of the Republican journals of the country seem to be very much troubled because President Cleveland has appointed several prominent gentlemen who figured in the struggle of the Confederacy to honorable and responsible positions.

The best people of the South opposed the Republican party, ignoring the best people of the South, which it might at one time by generous common treatment have made its friends.

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MISSION TO BRAZIL--FOURTH COLLECTORSHIP.

More Postoffice Paper--P. M. Ramsey Interferes in Iredell--Another Remarkable Document from the Files of the P. O. D.

WASHINGTON, April 6.--Minister Jarvis is still here. It is said that he will not depart for Brazil until about the last of May. The report that he had declined the mission was circulated freely week before last, but as there were excellent reasons why he might reconsider and finally accept the place tendered, nothing was said of the matter in this correspondence.

The reason why he declined to decline in the first instance, and the counter reasons why he did not decline in the second, would make what the late Mr. Greeley called "a very interesting reading." These reasons may never get into print, however, and it is not at all clear that any good purpose would be served in putting them into print.

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THE TARIFF.

Where Mr. Manning says the President is made warmly welcome.

A Washington writer gives the following as the substance of an interview with Secretary Manning upon the tariff question: "I know that there is a great and proper desire on the part of the people generally, and particularly among the representatives of the industrial interests throughout the country, to know something of the policy of the administration in regard to the tariff question."

"The President has thus far adhered very closely to the enunciations of the platform upon which he was elected."

"There are some industries, however, that rely upon absolute protective legislation."

"That is a subject," said Mr. Manning, "for circumstances to determine. It is properly a measure of legislation, but we have an instance in the history of this department in which the Secretary of Treasury recommended such a measure. The subject of the tariff will be considered at the proper time and the plan of procedure will then be arranged."

A Human Curiosity. Dave Verden, a negro of Glasgow county, who has turned perfectly white as he is now in town yesterday. He is now about fifty years old. Up to the time he was in prison he was as black as any negro could be, but he was so black that he was called 'Black Dave'.

Condition of Hon. J. Jefferson Davis. Gen. Joseph R. Davis, nephew of Hon. Jefferson Davis, has just arrived at New Orleans from Beauvoir. He says Mr. Davis is considerably improved by the change in climate, but still suffering considerably with rheumatism.

What Makes His Royal Highness Popular.

New York 8 n.

The Prince of Wales is used to being made warmly welcome wherever he goes, but nowhere, perhaps so much as in Paris. He is strangely and universally popular in the French capital. The ardent and red democratic press of France and over-look his royal descent because he breakfasted with Gambetta on a buffet table in the cabinet.

Some interesting insurance statistics have been recently published in Europe. An Englishman, who died in 1870, had a life insurance policy of \$100,000, which he was to receive at the age of 100. He died at the age of 102, and his estate was worth \$1,000,000.

A Negro Ravisher Arrested. BALTIMORE, Md., April 7.--Howan Cooper, the negro who assaulted Miss Katie Gray, near Rockland, on the second inst., was captured last night at Riders, about 8 miles north of this city, on the Northern Central Railroad. He was brought to Baltimore between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning, and lodged in the Central police station for safe keeping.

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