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Policeman Edward Thompson shot and killed Robert Kerlin in San Francisco, Wednesday. Kerlin attacked him with a knife.

The Duty of Southernmen.

It would be amusing if it were not so ridiculously tiresome, when men professing to be Democrats are heard to say, "they cannot support Cleveland, because of his anti-Democratic record." When these gentlemen are asked to name a single Democratic principle he fails to represent, they, after stammering and stuttering, point to the fact that Mr. Cleveland retained in office many Republicans. This seems to be the head and front of his offending. These gentlemen seem to forget that Mr. Cleveland, when taking the oath of office, obligated himself to administer the laws as he found them. That he did this no man can deny. Instead of this being an objection, it should command the support of all honest men be they Republicans or Democrats.

Southern Democrats should of all men be the last to make expressions of this kind, inasmuch as they found in Mr. Cleveland a friend, and we have had few of them at court in these latter days.

He at all times accorded us full justice, and recognizing that the South was part of our common country, gave substantial evidence of the confidence and good will he had for the Southern people. Had the necessity arisen, he would have stood, as a bulwark between the South and the outrageous legislation that threatens us in the event of Republican success.

The Same Old Rotterbocks.

The Republican party has its candidates in the field. Harrison and Reid are simply representatives of the party that nominated them. They stand on the record of that party. They are the representatives of the party that has endeavored to stamp the liberty of the people under by interference with our election laws.

The party that has maintained war taxes in time of peace. Divided offices as spoils. Gave bounties and subsidies to favored interests. Promoted the inflation of currency with short dollar notes, and Wall street reaps a harvest.

Its party with scandalous pension frauds. Reckless expenditures of the people's money. Scattering millions yearly in pensions as a political bait. Its party that fosters and protects the rich manufacturer by robbing labor.

Scientific Miscellany.

CHEESE AND DIGESTION.—The digestibility of various kinds of cheese has been carefully tested by a German chemist, who placed the samples in an artificial digestive fluid containing a considerable proportion of fresh gastric juice. Chester and Roquefort cheese took four hours to digest; genuine Emmenthaler, Gorgonzola and Neufchatel, eight hours; Romadour, nine hours; and Kottenberger, Brie, Swiss and ten other varieties, ten hours. As an ordinary meal is digested in four or five hours, common belief that cheese aids digestion appears to be an error.

POSSIBLE CHEMICAL ELEMENTS.

When the so-called rare earths have been split up as far as possible, according to Mr. W. Crooks, F. R. S., they are now found to contain nearly 60 unknown bodies. Before these substances can be recognized as elementary, however, they must receive more thorough study than has yet been given them. Pending such study, Mr. Crooks recommends that they be known as "quasimeta elements"—aggregates intermediate in rank between the molecules of chemical reactions and the ultimate atoms.

DEMOCRACY means more than what shall be the party standard-bearer. It means principles that are essential to good government, and the man who will not vote the Democratic ticket unless a personal favorite of his gets the nomination, is a very poor kind of a Democrat.

DURING the last three months of the year 1891 over 3,000,000 pounds of silver lead ore were sent into this country from the State of Sonora, Mexico.

A Uniformity of Weights and Measures.

The easy and quick intercourse of all civilized nations with each other and their intimate relations in trade, call for a uniformity between them as far as possible in the standards of value and in the weights and measures used. Between the United States and the other countries of America and the nations of Europe there is no reason why the system of coinage should not be the same. It would greatly simplify their intercourse in every respect. Were their gold and silver coins of the same denominations and in each country had the same proportion of the precious metals and alloy, how easy the exchange between them would become. Commerce and business relations would be promoted and being more simple would of course be safer. Our decimal system of coinage is the best, easiest, and most natural. What is true of money is likewise true of weights and measures. In this we together with the other English speaking nations are behind the times. The metric system is in use in all the European countries perhaps except the English speaking and the Russians. This system is now in universal use in the scientific world. It is, as every one knows, a decimal system and goes up and down in tens or factors of ten. The hard Greek names sound a little formidable at first but they are few and easily remembered.

The adoption of these uniform international systems would be of infinite advantage in all commercial computations and would tend to simplify our own systems, which are both complicated and behind the times.

How many people know now what "three barleycorns," which make an inch, means? Or would think of laying three grains of barley end to end in order to get a unit of measure by which to correct their two foot rules or yardsticks. There is a demand in this age for greater exactness. A pint is no longer necessarily a pound, nor the length of a woman's finger, three inches, or the distance from the end of her nose by her outstretched arm to the end of her fingers a yard. These standards vary with the length of the woman and have about the same uniformity as a "piece of chalk" has as a standard of bulk. The world has outgrown the reason for these primitive modes, and there is no longer any necessity to have them incorporated into our systems of weights and measures. We have three kinds of weights with their grains, drams, ounces and pounds, troy, apothecary and avoirdupois. We have two kinds of measures of capacity, liquid and dry measures with two standards of a gallon. Four tables of measure of length; long, chain, cloth and the measure which calls for a "hand," "pace," "fathom," etc. All these weights and measures under the metric system, can be reduced to a single standard and all of them referred to a single unit of measure to cover all cases. This would not only produce accuracy and exactness, but the simplicity of it as soon as understood would be of untold convenience. Between the nations of the world it would be a long stride towards a universal language.

THERE is no man in this country who would make a more worthy Chief Executive than ex-President Cleveland. He is a safe, honest statesman with the courage of his convictions and would give us, as he did when he filled that chair before, a pure administration, free from sectionalism.

A SCARLET fever epidemic prevails in London. Already 2,360 cases have been reported. The asylum board is causing but to be hastily erected upon the ground of the hospitals for the reception of patients suffering with the disease.

THREE Cleveland and Stevenson Clubs, aggregating a membership of 300, have been formed in Allenton, Pa., and preparations are being made for a big ratification meeting early next week.

The will of seven times millionaire W. S. Culbertson of New Albany, Ky., cuts off his grandsons, Glover and Percy, because they have engaged in horse racing.

ONLY about one-half of the spoils of office which were formerly the prize in a contest for the presidency will be available for distribution in the event of a change of the administration.

Although of the 150,000 paid places in the government employ, only 34,000 come under the civil service law the aggregate salaries of this number amount to as much as those of all the rest put together. Thus the larger and more luscious plums are withdrawn from the politicians to an extent that is extremely distressing to them. Even at this season of approaching elections frequent advertisements appear in the Washington newspapers offering cash in amounts from \$75 up for unclassified situations in the departments at \$50 or \$60 a month. These propositions, often successful, are addressed to corrupt persons of petty authority or influence, who are able to sell such small appointments secretly. This method is a survival of the old "patronage" system, under which people came to think that employment by the government could always be got by paying money. Up to within a comparatively recent period bribes were actually proffered not unfrequently to the civil service commission by individuals who supposed this to be the best way to obtain the clerkships they desired.

An Italian chemist, Prof. F. Commelli, has described an alloy of 400 grains of iron filings and 200 grains of antimony that has the curious property of emitting red and white sparks when rubbed with a coarse file. He supposes that the friction ignites the antimony, the iron merely giving sufficient hardness to produce the heat.

An English naval officer has noticed that barbed wire has played the part of a peace maker in Uruguay. It has tended to suppress revolution by making it difficult to march troops across the country where it is used for fencing.

A substance found in the granular chalk of the Fichtel Mountains, Germany, is believed by Herr W. Luxi to be a new form of amorphous carbon, similar to graphite.

Indictment Dismissed.

NEW YORK, June 30.—The indictment which was found against Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr., formerly of North Carolina, and pastor of the Twenty-third St. Baptist Church, for criminal libel upon Excise Commissioner Joseph Koch, was dismissed this afternoon by Judge Martine, upon the recommendation of the district attorney.

PRESIDENT Harrison has appointed John W. Foster, of Indiana, to be Secretary of State, and the Senate has confirmed the nomination. This is probably the quickest case of the kind on record. The action of the Senate in confirming Mr. Foster's nomination almost immediately upon its reception, and without reference to the foreign relations committee, is almost without precedent as heretofore it has been customary to reserve this honor for Senators in active service who are nominated for office.

NEW YORK, June 29.—The Richmond and Danville railroad company receivers have been authorized by Judge Bond to issue \$1,000,000 receivers certificates to be used exclusively for the purpose of paying pay-rolls and vouchers. The receivers are given discretion to pay the car trust installments and leased line rentals out of the earnings, but no authority is given to pay the interest on the Danville sixes due July 1, and the interest on these bonds will be defaulted.

FOURTEEN Chinamen will be returned to China from San Diego, Cal.

ONE thousand coat tailors went on strike yesterday morning in Baltimore.

FORTY persons were shocked in a thunder storm at Pottsville, Pa., Wednesday night.

A heavy thunder storm struck Baltimore yesterday and many buildings were unroofed.

The schooner Jennie C. May, from Norfolk, Conn., is ashore on Nonsuch Island, off the coast of Massachusetts.

INTEREST WILL BE PAID.

The Integrity of the R. & D. System to be Preserved.

NEW YORK, June 29.—The receivers of the Richmond and Danville railroad company will, by order of Judge Bond, make such payments of interest and rental charges due July 1st, as are necessary to preserve the integrity of the system. This will not include, it is said, interest on the first mortgage gold sixes, as the position of these bonds is so secure that the holders will not be alarmed if they are required to wait ten days or two weeks until the funds come in from the net earnings. The East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia receivers have been authorized to pay various coupons due on July 1st.

Couldn't manage a Railroad.

Senator Stanford met a poor man recently whom he had helped freely on former occasions. The Senator stopped Tom and inquired how he was getting along. "Pretty well, Mr. Stanford," replied Tom, "but it is mighty hard work; we just manage to keep out of the poorhouse." "How many children have you got now, Tom?" "Ten, sir, I think," said Tom. "I tell you what Tom," responded the Senator, "you give me one of the ten to bring up and I'll give you a railroad in exchange." Tom looked embarrassed, but stammered out: "Well, now, I don't want to be disobliging, Mr. Sanford, but while you might know what to do with a baby, I was thinking that I wouldn't know what to do with a railroad when I got it." The Senator thought Tom was one of the wisest men he had met for some time.—Richmond State.

An Ornament.

The name of our strong candidate for Vice-President is Hebrew, and may be found in the 29th verse of the 27th chapter of the First Book of Chronicles: "And over the herds that were in the valleys was Shaphat, the son of Adlai."

This Adlai lived about 1,014 years before Christ. The meaning of the name is differently stated by different writers. McClintock and Strong say that Adlai means the Just, but Sophy Moody in her popular account of the meanings and derivations of Christian names puts Adlai in the group of names significant of preciousness, and says that it means "My Ornament." Gen. Stevenson is both just and an ornament. There is luck in Adlai.—Richmond State.

An Historical Prize.

Dr. Charles G. Hill, of Baltimore, offers through Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, the Professor of History and Political Science in Trinity College, to the students of that institution, one hundred dollars for the best work done there in the history of N. C. This sum will probably be divided into two parts, the first prize of sixty dollars to be given for the best piece of work, the second prize of \$40 for the next best. The conditions of award will be published later. The first award will be announced at the commencement of 1893. Dr. Hill is a native of North Carolina and a brother-in-law of the Rev. Dr. John R. Brooks of the Western N. C. Conference. He is much interested in the history of the State and has taken this means to encourage and foster that spirit of historical research which is beginning to take shape at Trinity college under the influence of Johns Hopkins methods.

The history of North Carolina has been unwritten or poorly written at best. No man has come to the subject in the past with the proper equipment for the work; but with more material than hitherto and with scientific methods Trinity College should easily take the lead in historical work. We thank Dr. Hill for this liberal and praiseworthy act.—Raleigh Christian Advocate.

Rev. James Wilson, 70, a minister of Visalia, Cal., was driven from town yesterday for abducting young girls.

A mob attempted, Wednesday, to lynch three negroes in jail at Fort Worth, Tex., for shooting and killing Policeman Leo.

Guthrie was damaged \$50,000 by fire yesterday. A heavy rain only prevented the entire town from being destroyed.

The Force Bill the Issue.

The Democratic party comes to the people upon the issue of tariff reform. The Republican party declares for protection and consequently for monopoly and class legislation; but, in view of the proceedings at Minneapolis, the whole campaign is the Force Bill, an abomination born in a desperate hour, and put forth to save the federal offices for the republican party.

We grant that there are some who did not prefer Mr. Cleveland; they made the contest against him and lost their cause; but they are just as faithful to Democratic principles as we are. We have had our little rivalry for men we now come, one and all, for principles and success.

The day is at hand when every Democrat must face the real situation. The party and men who placed Mr. Harrison in the field know full well that a very decided majority of the American people are wedded to Democratic principles. So far as protection is concerned they care nothing. It is a mere rallying appeal to ignorance and fear. They would take free trade or anything else.

If you will only let them have the offices.

And they are resolved to do this if it takes a bayonet to every ballot, and of this desperate greed for office was born that climax of iniquity, the Force Bill. The Republican party managers know that the elections in Texas are just as fair and honest as those of Maine or Pennsylvania, but they must have the offices. They propose to do at the polls what Reed's House of Representatives did—put in their man every time and then back it up with the United States army. Give them once the power and this free country will be under a bayonet rule of federal office holders. This is the cold, stubborn fact facing every Democrat, and whether we have had our personal preferences gratified as to the candidate, it matters not, the "mailed hand" of Redism must never hold the ballots of the people. We must win.

No Mercy.

The condition of the national Treasury as four years of Republican administration are drawing to a close presents a painful contrast with its condition four years ago. Then the Democrats had administered the financial affairs of the country for one presidential term. The result of that honest and economical administration was the payment of millions of dollars of the national debt before it was due, and the accumulation of a surplus in the Treasury of from eighty to a hundred millions in addition to the sinking funds and the hundred millions of gold held for the redemption of greenbacks. A reduction of taxes was proposed, but the people voted for high taxes and the billion Congress came in. The result of the work of the billion dollar Congress has been to squander everything except the gold reserve and about fourteen millions of gold in addition to it. The sinking funds have been raided and depleted to the extent of twenty millions of dollars. The obligations of the government have not been met, and now that a new fiscal year is begun heavy claims will be pressed for payment which the Treasury will be utterly unable to meet without misappropriating funds. The taxpayers are bled to the extent of from seven hundred thousand to a million of dollars every day, but this is far from sufficient to supply the greed of the taxeaters. Ship subsidies and sugar bounties and the ever-expanding pension list must be met. The taxpayer finds no mercy.

The Silver Bill passed the Senate last Friday afternoon. After considerable debate the bill was reported from the committee of the whole to the Senate with the following amendment attached to it on the motion of Mr. Morgan: "That the secretary of the treasury shall proceed to have coined all the silver bullion in the treasury purchased with silver coin certificates." Mr. Morgan explained that as the bill repealed the act of 1890 there would be no provisions for coinage of silver dollars unless this amendment was adopted. The bill was ordered to a third reading and passed, 29 to 25.