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THE COUNTRY OF CONSTITUTIONS

-WHAT NEXT? France is a country of surprises, and yet nobody ought to be surprised at any thing done in France. We believe there have been three distinct constitutions framed since the September Revolution of 1870. Each was a surprise. The Bordeaux Pact, the Rivet Constitution and the present anomalous concern, under which monarchists administer a republic which they utterly repudiate-these in little more than three years.

McMahon is President for seven years, just as Thiers was President for the term of existence of the present Assembly. Thiers was forced to resign when the Conservative opposition got too strong for his administration. McMahon may be obliged to resign by the returning to power of the Left. At present, in the light of the recent elections and the evident temper of the people, this event seems likely to take place at any time. The bullying threats of the monarch ists to restrict the suffrage, so that the Government may maintain itself amount to very little. Such an act, if consummated, would but hasten the doom of the violent faction guilty of the outrage.

The National Assembly represents a minority of the French people. If an election for a new Assembly were to take place to-day it would result in the grand triumph of Republicanism. Almost every vacancy in the present body during twelve months past has been filled by a Republican. Such being the feeling of the country it is not wonderful that there is dissatisfaction at the perpetuation of the sitting Assembly. This discontent, such is the gain to the French social fabric since Thiers succeeded to the government in 1870, manifests itself only in quietly and gradually changing the materiel of the Legislature as vacancies are to be supplied. Now we imagine that if a rash spirit should seize the party of the Right and they should restrict the suffrage to any considerable extent, all this moderation of the majority, which now secures law and order and partial liberty, would instantly cease. The true conservators of order in France are the Republican majority. Under the leadership of Thiers and Gambetta this party has nobly refused to agitate even for liberty beyond the calm assertion of their constitutional rights by ballet. For this they deserve the warm commendation of all Republicans and friends of order allied with liberty every where.

If this moderation and patriotic patience is presumed upon great harm may be done. If the monarchists, not heeding the voice of the people, endeavor to orush out by tyrannical means the Republican party, social chaos may come again and France be deluged with fire and blood. Every sincere well-wisher of the French people hopes that there will not be another political cataclysm in that unfortunate country so scarred by internecine

Shall we have seven years of a Republic on paper administered by its bitterest foes? Will the voice of the people be heard in the Assembly, and the curule chair be filled once again by the true and tried friends of the Republic? Thiers or Gambetta? What shall come? Who is "The Coming Man?"

It is reported that Prussia is negotiating with Denmark for the exchange of the Danish portion of and St. John, the celebrated Danish West India islands. In 1867 Mr. Seward agreed to purchase St. Thomas and St. John of Denmark for the sum of seven millions and a half of dollars-a bargain which in 1869 the Senate refused to confirm. The Danish portion of Schleswig forms about two-thirds of that duchy, and includes a population of about 200,000 souls. The exchange now proposed would not be a bad one for either Prussia or Denmark, and as the United States have refused to take the islands at a fair price, we can hardly raise any objection against the transfer; but never-theless it is a very interesting incident in the history of the times.

The Mayor of St. Louis spends his Sundays in visiting the hospitals and homes of the poor, reading the Bible to them and lecturing on morality generally, as a second

A Panic Among the New York Gamblers. [New York Sun, December 17.]

The down town faro games were closed yesterday, the fifth day after the police raid, a thing unprecedented in the history of police gambling forays. In Ann street the gamblers were at their usual haunts, but the checks and lay-outs were studiously concealed, and cards were shown only in innocent games of casino or sevenup, in which no money was displayed. One house had a light game of poker in progress, but, contrary to the general rule, checks were not used, the players paying their losings in greenbacks and fractional currency. Capt. Caffrey's sergeants looked in now and then, but could find no pretext for molesting these sociable games, which were evidently a part of the Ann street "club" exercises in dull times. The famous game at 12 Ann street, one of the heaviest in the city, was hermetically sealed, and the staid old gentlemen who repair thither daily for their usual quiet game of backgammon (stakes from \$25 to \$100 per game) knocked and rung in vain. In the evening but few games showed lights, although in more than one a

quiet game was played in a back room. The closing of the headquarters of the policy backers at 272 Bowery, on Monday, effectually put a stop to all play yesterday, as all of the "exchange" offices were dependent on the central establishment in a greater or less degree. For the first time in many years it may be said that yesterday there were no policy tickets sold. The gross daily receipts of the backers are said by a competent authority to have been over \$10,000 a day. Allowing 25 per cent. profitand this is probably less than half what was actually realized-their net income was \$2,500 a day or \$782,500 per annum.

A Relic of Horace Greeley.

[Indianapolis Sentinel, December 10.] If the dead were conscious of the works of the flesh, how Horace Greeley's spirit must have chuckled Monday at the little scene in the House when Maynard, of Tennessee, who had been heretofore loudest in proscription, brought forward his bid for the Governrship of his State in the form of an amnesty bill. Mr. Maynard distinguished himself in the days of the "truly loyal" fever by the invention of the "iron-clad oath," and his appearance as an artificer to bridge the "bloody chasm" was unique in its way. He stirred up several of the more devoted members, however, and crushed Lawrence, of Ohio, by stating that his bill admitted the President of the Confederacy to the place now held by the Vice-President. Tears of loyal anguish accompanied this frightful declaration, and forlorn hope of constants held out against the dire inroad. But it passed, and it will pass the Senate, and the two things that brought obloquy upon Horace Greeley for advocating eight years ago, will have be-come accomplished facts, and by the intervention of the men that denounced him as a rebel for his words and works.

Unexpected Contingencies.

Washington, Dec. 16. The contingent fund of the Treasury Department for the past few years is being overhauled, and some curious, not to say extraordinary, features are exposed and will have to be explained. For instance, in a single year \$9,000 were expended for carpets, over \$3,000 for ice.

There are also items for the purchase of horses and carriages - a very incomprehensible subject in the mind of the committee. The Department is entitled to four horses, and according to the accounts it costs for a single year \$2,500 for oats, \$900 for hay, \$2,000 for care, over \$300 for shoeing, \$3,000 for repairs of wagons, \$1,000 for repairs of harness, \$400 for repairs of carriages, one pair of horses \$600, and carriages \$700. It has reached the attention of the committee that the appropriation for four express horses and two wagons has been used to cover other horses and carriages for the accommodation of officials and favored clerks of the Department. The committee is of the impression, if small matters make such a showing, there may be great reduction in the larger appropriations.

Arrest of Dr. E. T. Avery-More Night

Work. Dr. E. T. Avery, who was charged with being a leader of the Ku Klux in this State, and made his escape two years ago, was arrested, yester-day morning, between 2 and 3 o'clock, at his residence in Ebenezer, twelve miles from Yorkville, by Capt. Hubbard and a detachment of U. S. Cavalry, on a bench warrant from the United States Court, now holding Schleswig for St. Thomas, Santa Cruz, its sessions in Charleston. It appears that Dr. Avery returned to his home, early in May last, (under the protection of an or der from United States Attorney General Williams,) where he has since been peacefully residing. It seemed unnecessarily cruel to break in upon a quiet family at that hour of the night, and carry off the head. on an unknown charge. During Dr. Avery's absence from his home, affidavits were made by convicted Ku Klux-one of them on his death-bed - that the Doctor had nothing to do with any of the raids. Dr. A. says he has been treated very courteously by Capt. Hubbard. We earnestly hope that the persecuted man will soon be enabled to return to his distressed family .- Columbia Phoenix.

> Dante Gabriel Rossetti is preparing and will shortly have ready "Dante and his Circle," with the Italian poets preceding him-(1100-1300.) It is a collection of lyrics, and Mr. Rossetti has translated them in the original metres.

A Battle with the Missouri Bandits -One of the Pursuers Captured.

From the Kansas City Times, Dec. 13th.] Various rumors have been afloat for the past two days concerning the pursuit and capture of the bandits who robbed a village store near the Kansas State line, in Cass county, last Saturday night.

The Sedalia Bazoo says that on Monday, or forty hours after the capture and plundering of Bryant's store, the robbers, increased by several additional members of the gang, passed through Appleton City, St. Clair county, loaded with plunder. They were closely pursued by a detachment of mounted citizens of Case county, who were reinforced by forty or fifty of the citizens of Appleton City. The robbers were overtaken near Monegaw Springs, near a roadside hotel, kept by a Col. Simms, formerly a well-known and prominent citizen of Miami county, Kansas.— The robbers were ordered to surren-

der; their reply was a volley of bullets fired from the brush, into the fastnesses of which they retired. The citizens found themselves at a disadvantage, the roughness of the ground and the dense brush offering superior facilities to the pursued. In the fight the robbers succeeded in capturing Mr. Alva Wyckoff, a lumber dealer of Appleton City, whom they held and carried with them in their retreat. They sent word to the pursuing party that unless the pursuit was abandoned they would shoot their prisoner. The desperate character of the bandits, who are supposed to be none other than the Younger brothers and others of the Iowa train robbers, determined the citizens to temporarily withdraw from the fight. Later rumors have been brought into Appleton City, none very reliable, to the effect that the fighting had recommenced, with fatal results to some

of the pursuers. It is expected that the Governor will offer a large reward for the capture or extermination of this desperate band of thieves, who have so,long been a curse and a disgrace to western Missouri.

What a Few Short Years Bring About. It was in this month of December, in the year 1861, that the French expedition to Mexico, subsequently commanded by General Bazaine, landed at Vera Cruz. In the brief period of twelve years, since elapsed, what lamentable fates have overwhelmed four of the principal characters who ngured prominently in that disastrous episode. Maximilian was most cruelly executed; his unfortunate widow, Carlotta," went mad; Napoleon III lost his own Empire and died in exile; and now, Marshal Bazaine, degraded of his illustrious rank, and condemned to imprisonment, only escapes execution through the clemency of the President of the Republic.

The Anti-Slavery Movement in Cuba. HAVANA, Dec 17.

The slavery question is now being seriously discussed among slaveowners. According to telegrams and letters from Spain the government is determined to bring the question before the Cortes for action, but desires slave-owners to propose some plan making abolition of slavery a certainty without injuring seriously the agricultural prosperity of the island .-Many prominent slave-owners are in favor of treating the slaves like contracted Chinamen. It is doubtful whether the Cortes would sanction such or a similar plan. The number of members of the Havana Abolition Society is increasing.

Lady Who Danced with Washing-

Mrs. Frances M. Burling died in Milford, Pa., recently, aged 96. Her maiden name was Hurst. She was a belle in New York society nearly 80 years ago. On one occasion, at a public reception in that city, she was Gen. Washington's partner in a dance. She was on terms of intimate acquaintanceship with Lafayette, Aaron Burr, Alexander Hamilton, and many of the great men and women of that

Recovering from the Panic. The prominent wholesale dry goods houses of H. B. Clafflin & Co. and Peake, Opdycke & Co., of New York,

who were compelled to ask for an extension of time on their commercial paper during the recent panic, are new in a position to pay the January installment in advance of maturity, and have notified their creditors accordingly.

The Press on Stephens.

The Georgia newspapers are very outspoken in their condemnation of Mr. Alexander H. Stephen's defence of the back-pay grab. The Macon Telegraph says "he has simply gone daft." The Atlanta Constitution calls his speech "a most unauspicious beginning." The Savannah News says his reasoning is "unworthy of his reputation." The Augusta Constitutionalist says he is not in sympathy with his constituents. The Rome Commercial can find no excuse for the back-pay steal. And the Savannah Advertiser, standing almost alone, nnqualifiedly endorses the position which Mr. Stephens has taken. In the North and West opinions differ. The New York World holds that "his opinions may be safely 'coppered' by any Democrat who has not time to weigh his own conclusions." The Louisville Courier-Journal says the speech was "the plea of a man who did not fear to speak the truth." The Cincinnati to speak the truth." The Cincinnati Guzette says "he stands up for the salary bill like a true Southerner" in 50 BBLS. MULLETS, 50 BAGS COFFEE, search of more plunder. The New York Times condemns the steal still, but confesses to a certain regret that, since the money went into the pockets of so many meaner men, Mr. Stephens did not have the opportunity to take it and keep it.

Sixteen men have the same motherin-law in Iowa.

The Pinchback Case.

The speech of Senator Morton on the Pinchback case this afternoon, in which he takes the bold ground that the Senate has no right to inquire into the validity of the Kellogg govern-ment, but must accept the dictum of the President as conclusive and absolute, advances a doctrine which will be vigorously assailed. It is now probable that before this subject is finally disposed of nearly every Sen-ator will speak upon it. Messrs. Morton and West have discovered that they have not the power to compel a decision upon the question before the holidays, and so informed Mr. Pinchback, who was hovering anxiously around the Senate chamber this afternoon.- Washington telegram in Baltimore Sun, Dec. 17th.

A Georgia Court Scene.

Somebody in a Georgia court "applauded," whereupon the judge indignantly remarked: "Now, dry that up; I will let you know that this is no camp meeting for exhuberating your enthusiasm; this court shall be respected at the risk of outraging the 17th commandment to the constitution, and if you open your fly-tray or pat-a-pat with them number 14 brogans of yours again I will send you to jail for thirty days, where you will remain without the benefits of a damnum obsque injuria."

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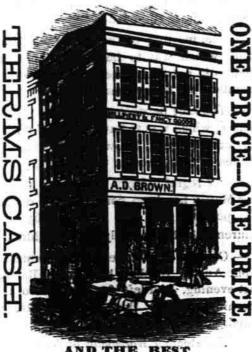
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