

oldest and most honored business men of the city of New York. The Brooklyn Eagle, a powerful evening journal, appears to have given in its adhesion to the movement. The Eagle cannot see any difference between the "greenback heresy" and the "national bank heresy," and thinks on the whole "the greenback is entitled to preference."

It looks very much as if the oppositionists would not be able to hold their own ground. If New York should go in favor of the Pendleton-Allen theory the hard money men would have a hard time indeed.

Two reasons there are beside common philanthropy, why the news we get from Syria by cable is of deep interest to American readers. The appearance of cholera at Damascus and Antioch, those historical cities, and the raging malignity of that appearance, give alarm on account of the many Christian missions established in that region.

Among the cities of the Southern States none offers finer advantages than Wilmington. In health, in hospitality, in situation we are better off than most of our neighbors. Our port is never blocked by ice, it is comparatively free from storms. Railway communication with the interior is good, and improving.

But some of the articles that could be largely manufactured here might be enumerated. A soap factory would pay. There is not one, we think, in the State. Our people may not require a soap factory for their own use, but some of our neighbors of the American Union would be all the better for a little scrubbing.

SHALL WE BE TON-POOLED. The New York Tribune states that a movement is on foot among hotel-keepers and railway officials to induce the holding of one or both Presidential Conventions next year at Long Branch.

Bladen. Items of Interest—Politics, Cross and the People. EDITORS STAR: Deeming it probable a list of the Bladen may be acceptable to you, I will pen you a few items.

A good thing for the hotels at the summer seat of Government, but there is something "odorous" about it. Why should the Democratic party or any other party be dragged about at the heels of the Centennial? Centennials are good, perhaps. But then centennials are centennials and conventions are conventions.

THE SOFT MONEY PARTY IN THE EAST. A movement is on foot, as we have already mentioned, to bring New York up to the mark on the currency question. The Hon. Richard Schell and Peter Cooper, Esquire are the most prominent names engaged in the attempt.

STAR-DUST. Kate Field is writing for the Courier Journal. Olive Logan gushes absurdly over the negro waiters at Long Branch.

Miss Adelaide Phillips is organizing a new Italian opera company at Boston. Edwin Booth will play Richard III. during the coming season from the text of Shakespeare.

It is in contemplation to unite the basins of the Black and Capitan seas. The canal will have to be 350 leagues long. Four silver decaer stands, presented by David Garrick to Hannah More, were sold by auction at Ross, Eng. recently for \$300.

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The Nebraska Constitution. According to the Omaha Bee the work of the Nebraska Constitutional Convention is sure to be accepted and ratified by the people.

Deficiency in Canal Revenues. The Albany Evening Journal says that for the current fiscal year, which embraces three months of the last annual season, the deficiency of the New York canal revenues will be over \$300,000.

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Miscellaneous. NEW ARRIVALS This Week. WACAMAW & CAPE FEAR FRESH-BEATEN RICE, HAMS, SIDES, SHOULDERS.

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