

PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

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PENLETON'S PROJECT.

We have not bestowed much consideration upon Senator Pendleton's bill to give members of the Cabinet seats in the two Houses of Congress. Our ancestors did not think it advisable to copy the English custom in that particular, when they were forming the great Instrument, and as we have got along without it thus far we doubt the expediency of now making a change. The New York Sun thus states its objection:

"Our Government is good enough, as it is, and the best, by far, that has ever been established on the face of the earth, if it is only well administered. Mr. Pendleton's plan of putting the Secretaries into the two Houses of Congress would tend greatly to enlarge the power and influence of the Executive Department, and to render that department dangerous to the liberties of the people."

"It is not to be lost sight of that contemplated by this movement by a prominent Democrat, the Republican party are trying to increase the power of the Executive by an unprecedented prolongation of its administration in the hands of one man."

"The people should frown on both these efforts. They lie in the direction of monarchical government."

There are so few papers in the North that appear willing to deal out even-handed justice to the South that we are especially gratified when we chance to meet with a cordial or fair utterance concerning our people. We are both surprised and pleased when we find such expressions in a Republican paper. It is very rarely that we meet with any opinions in Republican organs that are not vindictive and slanderous. The following from the Philadelphia Telegraph is too remarkable to be omitted, as it is a Republican paper. It is just and candid enough to say of the South:

"It does not want war, but peace, though there is no doubt that it does very much wish to retrieve at Washington what it lost before Richmond; it has almost virtual control of Congress solely because it is, for the most part, represented in that body by able men than in the North, for its best men are there, and sent there because of their eminent ability. Precisely why the North sends to the House or Senate the sort of men who compose the majority of its Senators and Representatives we would not pretend to say, but possibly because they are unfit for anything else, and that when the North can find no worth of any kind in a citizen it makes him a Congressman. It is brainless to suppose that the South is exercising a wholesome influence at Washington—brains and Northern doughfaceism."

The contributions for the Oxford Orphan Asylum for April are comparatively small. It is a noble charity, and our people should not weary in well doing. The Superintendent, in his April report, says:

"We close the month of April with 130 orphans, and are still grateful for excellent health."

"Several boys and girls are now ready to leave, and due attention will be given to defunct propositions."

"St. John's Day, June 24th, is to be celebrated at Louisburg, Lambeth, Oxford, and perhaps other places."

"Mr. F. H. Busbee will speak at Louisburg. The Grand Master and others will deliver addresses in the Orphan Chapel at Oxford."

Cannot Wilmington help the little orphan girls and boys, who are thus so mercifully cared for, on that day? Wilmington, with its sixteen to eighteen thousand inhabitants, ought to remember "the fatherless" in their destination.

There is one striking difference in the political condition of this country and England. Whenever a contest takes place between the people and the Crown takes place the people are as one. In this country, when Federal encroachments are to be resisted, unfortunately the people divide. This gives power and encouragement to usurpers, and endangers, to that extent, the liberties of the very people who thus antagonize. The Baltimore Sun says:

"The principles of law upon which the interference or presence of troops at the polls is forbidden is as old as the days of Edward I. in the British common law, and was engrafted into the Statute in the reign of George II. This statute is reenacted in the tenth and eleventh of Queen Victoria's reign. The English people are all of one party in this matter, and are willing to impair their liberties in the pursuit of partisan ends."

Our readers will remember the fierceness of Rev. Dr. Fowler, of the New York Advocate, and how he charged that the South was conspiring to poison Hayes and Wheeler. Another Northern Methodist Advocate rather reduces the swollen dimensions of the blower of a ram's horn after this sort:

"We beg leave to make a suggestion to the lively editor of the New York Christian Advocate, that he take out an insurance policy on the life of the Vice President in favor of the Missionary treasury, and another on the life of the President, in favor of the Church, and pay for both the \$25,000 she has spent during the past year by way of subscribers for the paper he edits."

The London Sportsman thinks Parole a good horse, but inferior to the best English. It says he won his last race in the commonest carter. When he comes to run for the Asot, Goodwood and Doncaster cups his metal will be fully tested. It says he ought to win the Epsom as he will carry fifteen pounds less than Touchet.

The Petersburg Index-Appeal has a long editorial on Col. Donan's recent letter. It says his unfortunate escapade in Arkansas lost him his popularity, and now he "finds fault with the country and institutions which contributed to his changed position." It says of the letter, only a small part of which we have seen:

"It is well written throughout; in many passages even eloquent, in all forcible and plausible. There is a great deal of admitted truth in what he says; but the spirit that suggested it cannot be accurately judged except with reference to the precedent conditions which we have briefly and unwillingly narrated. It is known that Donan has represented the most extreme school of anti-Radical and anti-Northern politics; that his peculiar rhetoric has found employment in countless bitter diatribes and stinging satires against the people and the institutions of the North, and that he has professed an adhesion of the most extravagant type to all the customs and practices which have been regarded as distinctly Southern. Such being the case, it is significant that Donan should now publish a long letter in a Chicago journal."

Tea is successfully cultivated in Eastern Carolina as we learn from the Elizabeth City Economist. Mr. C. W. Askew, of Plymouth, has been growing tea for several years. The Economist gives this information concerning his mode of preparation and culture:

"Plant in April, as you do cabbage plants. As the seed begins to ripen pull off the leaves that grow along the stalk. Put them in a tin pan and put the pan in the oven of a stove and when the leaves will, in about a minute, take them out and thoroughly dry them. When dry, put them back in the oven and brown them, shaking them while browning to prevent burning. They will brown in about a minute. Then take them out and let them cool. When cool put them in a third tin pan, and let them stay another minute, keeping them in motion. This makes the best quality of tea. The next quality is made of the leaves which grow on the branches, prepared in the same way. The third and inferior quality is made of the leaves which form stalk. All prepared in the same way."

The Economist says Mr. Askew's tea is as good as that found in the stores.

It is not generally known that Russia is a large grower of tobacco. The seed used came from Turkey and this country. According to the official report for the year 1877, there were raised in twelve Southern provinces about 3,000,000 pounds (or 120,000,000 pounds); in Caucasus, 75,000 pounds (or 3,000,000 pounds); and in Siberia, 27,000 pounds (or 1,080,000 pounds); or, altogether, about 3,102,000 pounds. At the rate of two roubles per pound, the revenue from tobacco is over \$6,000,000 a year. All the Russian tobacco is consumed by Russians.

Mr. Lester Wallack, one of the most accomplished of American actors, has no hope for the legitimate drama in this country. In England, the old plays crowd the theatres, whilst in this country "Pinafore," and light comedies and burlesque plays and operas have driven from the stage, almost entirely, intellectual acting. This is the truth, and it is not very creditable to American taste and culture.

The newly adopted Constitution of California is said to be very much down on the Chinese and on railroad corporations. It is believed that a panic throughout the State will occur. Already business interests feel the shock. The fellows who tinkered at it left the State without any government from June to January, 1850. The art of making laws and constitutions is lost.

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