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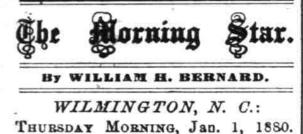
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year that ended last night at 12 o'clock, we have published more than three hundred columns under this head, possibly three hundred and

fifty. If published in ordinary duodecimo volumes it would fill some three volumes, which, if sold at the usual price, would fetch \$1.50 each This is only one feature of the STAR

But consider further: we actually ublished of telegraphic news more than one thousand columns of solid brevier type during the year. I published in duodecimo volumes of 400 pages it would make not less than seven or eight volumes. Here in two departments only our readers get from ten to eleven volumes yearly When we know how much other matter is published in the course of the year we feel warranted in saying that the cheapest reading in the world is a daily newspaper. You get it every morning for two and a half cents delivered at your door in sunshine and in storm, in cold or heat. Subscribers have it mailed. postage paid in the office by us, at

\$7 00 a year. We mention this fact to let our subscribers see how much is given for a small sum comparatively. We have recently received very many expressions of hearty indorsement as to the value and interest of the STAR through our correspondents both from editors and citizens of education and

intelligence. Being unsought and unexpected we have highly valued them, and they have encouraged us no little.

The STAR will continue to shine for all during the year 1880. It endeavors to pursue the right. It tries to make principle, fairness, justice, candor its end. It does not claim to be infallible in its judgments, but it does claim to be fair and honest. Whenever we discuss a question we write precisely what we think-what we sincerely believe to be right and pro per, and do not concern ourselves to

Court, Maj. J. P. H. Russ, Dr. A. | low figures, \$459. Now, deduct \$50 E. Wright, Dr. Carl Burkhardt, Dr. Edmand Strudwick, Dr. J. Francis King, and Dr. William Little.

Persons old enough to remember he days of 1861, have not forgotten the famous editorial in the New York Herald of Monday, say, in which it encouraged the South to out loose and act as it purposed. The very next day it whipped around and went the other way and was strong for threshing the "rebels." We are reminded of this by some of its discussions on the Maine embroglio. If you would know what the Herald says you must read it at least two days consecutively. It has a Garcelon day and a Blaine-Hamlin-Morrill day. On Saturday it whooped for Garcelon, but on Sunday it talked the other way and in part as follows: "Mains evidently does not feel that she is ready to have official jugg'ery decide for her those points which her constitution supposes are to be decided by the will of the people. There is a little difference in cases of this kind between an old, well organized State, where opinion is not demoralized on questions of common right, and one of the new Southern States, whose ancient system was torn up in the war, half of whose people were slaves a few years since, whose gov ernment is in the hands of adventurers. and in which a distinct conception that one

act may be more villainous than another does not exist. Both parties in Maine should be and apparently are of the same opinion on this case, because a distinct ssue of right and wrong rallies all fuir minded men on one side."

Gines Manufacture.

OFFICE DEP'TM'NT AGRICULTURE. RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 27, 1879. Editor Wilmington Star:-SIR:-The facilities possessed by your city, and, indeed, by many points in our eastern section, for the manufacture you lay before your readers the fol-

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the door of the consumer as practica-

ble, is found in the fact that we im-

worth and exported only about \$600,-

to eighteen dollars to make a "melt;"

South it can be made at a cost of

from ten to twelve dollars-using

your rosin instead of coal, which is

cheaper and better. In the North

sand costs three dollars per ton, with

you from fifty to seventy-five cents.

In the North wood costs from seven

The well deserved character which

Most respectfully, L. L. Polk.

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per day for unseen expenses, and you have \$100 per day, or \$3 per cent. For the sum of ten thousand dollars you can erect all the necessary buildings and put glass on the mar-The moulds and tools generally ket. last from fifteen to thirty years, with occasional repairs.

Any further information cheerfully given. I have erected a number of furnaces and would be glad to take charge of an establishment in your State, for I am satisfied it would pay well. The best of references given.

Most respectfully, THOS. H. SYNDELL.

VOICES IN THEATE.

Democratic Opinions.

As a matter of fact but very few. if any Democratic papers, approve the Maine reversal; mention of the al leged fact that Governor Garcelon and his Council in vigorously exacting compliance with all the legal technicalities did not transgress any law is not an approval of the canvass. The assertion that the Democratic papers plead the reversal of the popular will in 1876-'77 in justification of the Maine reversal of this year is also unfounded. - Bridgeport (Conn.) Farm-

It would not be strange if the action of Governor Garcelon, of Maine, and his confederates, was inspired by the Republicans, who want some such action as this to plead as an excuse for subsequent villanay. It is in reason that the Governor and his Council have fallen into the pit which their adversaries have digged. - Columbus (O.) Democrat.

It is alleged in justification of the action of the Democrats in Maine that the popular elections there are exceedingly corrupt. We do not doubt it, but the method chosen to remedy that state is not a wise one. So far as we have been able to see of glass-ware, induces me to beg that | the grounds on which votes are thrown out they are trivial, technical lowing communication received from | and frivolous. We do not doubt the a gentlemrn of Philadelphia, who corruption of New England politics. has an experience of over thirty years | States have been kept as Republican in some of the largest establishments States by wholesale frauds, and the in this country, and who claims to be solid New England differs from the thoroughly informed as to all the solid South only in the fact that in practical details of this industry. | the South it was a pressing necessity, You will see that, in addition to the a matter of life and death, a case of other advantages he claims for us, he | self-defense. But that does not jusproposes to use rosin as a substitute | tify the counting out process. The for coal-says it is cheaper and bet. more it is discussed the less tenable



A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

THE MORNING STAR sends its most cheerful and hearty greeting to al its friends on this the first day of the New Year. We will not preach a moral discourse, as is the custom, or bring in review the events of the Old Year, just dead and forever buried. Like all the years that have gone it has been full of sorrow and calamity and suffering and bereavement to many. Death has been busy, and friend after friend have gone beyond the flood. There have been failures and shortcomings, sins of negligence and ignorance, of omission and commission without number. They have preceded us into the world beyond, and will come up again at the final reckoning, when the accounts will be audited unerringly, and when each shall be judged according to what he has done. But "the past comes not back again;" our duty now lies with the present-the active, living present. We must try to do better. We must strive to carry out faithfully any good purposes we may form. It is easy to make new resolves; it is easier to forget them. The year 1880 will prove troublous and crucial to many of the children of men. Many millions will die, and all will have their troubles and trials.

But there will be progress, and each will have his duties to perform and his share of responsibilities to meet. Good citizenship requires faithful conduct. Let each endeavor to meet all obligations, political, social, religious, with a single aim, and when the year ends there will be no occasion for repining or self-condemnation.

"Still in thy right hand carry gentle peace, To silence envious tongues. Be just and fear not

Lat all the ends thou aim'st at be thy countiy's, Thy God's and truth's."

We again salute our readers with the choicest wishes of the season.

ONE FEATURE-THE STAR FOR 1880

We are glad to find that our manner of gathering and condensing State intelligence is popular with most of our readers, and is specially valued by those living abroad. We happen to know that the STAR is looked to consider whether this paper or that man may agree or disagree with us. We have independence enough to advance our own opinions. There is a difference between principles and policy. We hold steadfastly to the great underlying principles of the Democratic party. In matters of party policy there is always room for a diversity of views. We teach what we believe to be best. Others, equally honest and equally competent, will view questions of policy differently and under other aspects.

We have said we do not think Mr Tilden the man for 1880. This is try, as follows: matter of judgment and political sagacity. Others think he is the very man-the only man. We do not so see it, and have so said frankly and explicitly. This opposition does not cut us off from the privilege and duty of sustaining him if he should be the nominec. We have also said frankly that Mr. Seymour was the most available man. We are so satisfied of this cent. profit on the investment. Of that we believe honestly and sincerethe 201 factories existing at that date ly that if nominated he would be only six were found in the Southern elected. We have used our best States-West Virginia one, Maryland one, and Kentucky four. judgment, after due reflection and a survey of all the chances. Others the production of these goods as near

disagree with the conclusions we have reached. It is a matter of policy, not a matter of principle.

A GLASS MANUFACTORY.

We publish two letters to-day that your journal enjoys for public spirit ought to interest many readers of and enterprise makes me feel free to the STAR. The Commissioner of Agask space for this communication, especially as it relates to an industry riculture, Mr. L. L. Polk, desires to which can be successfully established see the manufacture of glass one of and operated in your section, if any. our industries, and thinks Wilmingwhere in the South. ton an excellent point. The facts set forth in the letter of Mr. Syndell are certainly worthy of the attention Hon. L. L. Polk, Kalergh, N. C. of men of capital and enterprise. He gives a number of reasons to show inquiry I would say that the manufacture of Glass is not only a profitwhy glass can be manufactured at able, but a beautiful business, when much less cost in the South than in properly conducted. I will give you the North. We do not stop to menin brief, some figures, showing the tion the reasons given by him in this comparative cost of making glass in connection, but invite our readers to the North and in the South. consider well what he says.

It would be a valuable addition certainly to our other home enterprises to have in our little city a glass manufactory. We need a diversity of industries, and if there is money in the manufacture of glass there ught to be capital enough to star

ter-thus creating an increased home will it appear, if the rest of the grounds are similar to the samples demand for one of the staple products of our eastern counties. He already furnished .- Nashville Amertells me that he has worked sand ican.

from Wilmington, and says it yields The whole argument is based on more largely than any he has ever legal technicalities and irregularities, worked, being purer. He claims that and while it demonstrates that the glass can be made here and sold at a Governor and Council had the power good profit, even in Baltimore, Philato pursue the course they did, it does delphia and New York. If his not justify them in it; nor could any estimate be approximately correct, combination of circumstances justify there is no reason why an establish. a dominant party in overthrowing ment, properly and judiciously manthe unmistakable will of the people aged, should not command all the in an effort to remain in power. The patronage it could supply, especially Democratic party cannot be true to in the Southern markets. But of the itself and to its vigorous and manly accuracy of his figures I am unable protests against the great Presidential to judge except from data found in frand of 1876, if it in any way seeks the census tables, which shows the to excuse or defend the misguided growth of this interest, in our counofficials of Maine. Honesty is the best policy in public life as well as private, and in politics as well as anywhere else, and a departure from the path of right has its sure punish ment. - West Chester (Pu.) Jeffervested .. \$3,402,350 \$6,133,666 \$14,111,642 sonian. products 4,641,676 8,775,155 19,145,862

Gov. Garcelon and his advisers In the year 1870 the amount paid have made a serious political, and a or wages and cost of materials agnot less serious moral mistake. They gregated \$13,979,583, which, taken have nullified the will of the people from the value of products, leaves an of Maine, as expressed at the latest income of \$5,166,279, or about 36 per election, on account of technical errors and oversights. These errors and oversights were committed, not by the electors, but by the local canvassers. The voters were, in fact, thrown out on account of informality Another significant item favoring in the manner in which they were returned. There is no pretence that this informality was such as to leave the intention of the voters in doubt. ported in 1870 only about \$4,000,000 The tenor of all statutes, judicial decisions and treatises which deal with elections 18, that every presumption should be made in favor of giving effect to the real intention of the voters. The canvassers in Maine have unquestionably nullified the real intention of the voters. - New York World.

POLITICAL POINTS.

- The way the Democrats in Maine have been acting seems to indicate that they have condoned fraud.-Philadelphia Times, Ind. DEAR SIE:-In response to your

- It is a significant fact that in Washington, where Gen. Grant is best known, there was no enthusiasm over his arrival.-Baltimore Gazette, Dem.

- If the fuss in Maine is settled without bloodshed-as we expect it to beno thanks will be due to the bellicose Maine preachers. The Prince of Peace seems to have some remarkable servants in that part At the North it costs from fifteen of the country .- New York Sun, Ind.

> - Before the return of Mr. Hayes to-day, Gen. Grant will have gotten the hippodrome on the road headed Southward. The Stalwarts have managed very shrewdly to keep their idol from contact with illegitimacy in the Capital .- Washington Post, Dem.

There's a terrible row in Maine, In Maine

	and any record of all important		to nine dollars per cord, with you from one dollar and fifty cents to two		lative a present of any thing in the	I am prepared to fill all orders promptly, and_at	THE COMMERCIAL, FORMERLY THE "EM-
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SI.C.	business man says he appreciates this	During the year 1879 some distin-	dollars per thousand feet, with you from six to ten dollars .In the North	In Maine.	GOODS are kept.	We Are	CLASS HOTELS in the city.
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