

ENGLAND AND AMERICA. James Abram Garfield. BORN, NOVEMBER 19, 1831. DIED, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, SEPTEMBER 19, 1881.

Silence were best, if hand in hand, Like friends, sea-sundered peoples meet, But words must wing from land to land, The utterance of the heart's regret, Though harsh on ears that Sorrow thralls, Each sympathy's low accent falls.

Sail leagues that part us check no whit, What knows no bounds of time or space, The homesick heart that throbs and beats, No less in scattered kin in speech and race, None like ourselves may well bemoan Columbia's sorrow; 'tis our own.

A sorrow of the nobler sort, Which levee and pride make pure and fair; A grief that is not misery's despair, A pain that bows not to despair, Beginning not in courtly show, To end in pageantry and show.

The great republic's foremost son, Struck foully, falls; but who mourns Beyond life cut short, good work half done, Yet trust that from beyond death's bourne That blameless memory's gifts may be Peace, concord, civic purity.

Scarce known of us till struck for death, He stirred us with his valiant fight With mortal pain. With bated breath, We waited tidings north and night, The hope that's nursed by strong desire, Though shaken often, will not tire.

And now our subtle type, in truth, A more than personal grief we feel, We, open hearts, cottage, age, and youth, Our sympathy—'t is never severed— To wife he loved, to land he served— London Punch.

OUR STATE CONTEMPORARIES.

There is no question in the mind of any reasonable man that there was doubt, delay and hitting on the part of the Richmond & Danville authorities about carrying out their contract in good faith and building the Ducktown branch of the Western North Carolina Railroad. There was evident sluggishness and indifference in the field of action. This was the situation previous to the Andrews and Vance controversy. But today the scene is changed. Even daylight is not long enough for one Edison's electric lights now shines to enlighten all out in the mountain valleys of Western North Carolina. Where is the spur that quickened this steel. We think Senator Vance wears it. Call it a drawn battle on paper, if you please, but in the situation of the country, action we think Vance has the victory— Oxford Twilight.

Way is at the Harlowe Creek Canal opened as a great national highway of commerce and a main avenue to and from the sea—a splendid system of inland navigation. Simply because it has been asked for, and then a desultory newspaper correspondent, or sleepy editor of an occasional paper, has referred to the matter and set forth the benefits and advantages of the scheme, but no organized effort, that we are aware of, has been made to induce a congressional appropriation for the purpose of uniting the waters of the lower Neuse river and Beaufort harbor.—New News Notes.

POLITICAL POINTS.

When President Arthur gets to New York he ought to try and determine which Republican party he belongs to. The country would like to know.—Phil. Times, Ind.

The Boston Herald, Ind. Rep., seriously inquires: "Is the appointment of a postmaster at Lynchburg, whom the Senate refused to confirm, a justifiable act on the part of the President?"

Mr. Wendell Phillips recently wrote to a friend in Iowa: "I do not forget that President Arthur was one of our New York counsel in the fugitive-slave cases, and I predict he will make a good President."

Mahone informs a Washington newspaper correspondent that he has succeeded in obtaining the "resources of success" during his three-day's delay in Washington. These resources were gathered in the departments through the instrumentalities of Senators Edmunds and Hoar and Commissioner Raum.—Phil. Times, Ind.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

Mr. Augustin Daly is said to possess more of "the ability to recognize failure" than any other manager in the country.

The Australians take kindly to Louise Pomeroy's antics, and she has already made over \$40,000 out of the miners and ranchmen.

Mr. John McCullough bought recently, for \$5,000, a tragedy called "Memorandum," from its author, Mr. Guy Carleton, of New Orleans.

Marie Colburn, the companion of Sarah Bernhardt, in her book gives the cash results of the American tour. Sarah earned \$177,500 in 108 representations. Out of this she took \$19,300; expenses amounted to \$30,600; her creditors and lawyers in Paris took \$77,300; and she brought home with her check on the Credit Lyonnais for \$42,400.

SOUTHERN ITEMS.

The Herdic coach becomes this week one of the established institutions of New Orleans.

A Northern lady, resident at Yorktown, says whiskey was the best food of fraternity between the Northern and Southern troops there.

If Daniel should carry Virginia, the Republicans will wish Mahone had died of cholera infantum or been killed during the war.—Augusta Chronicle.

A "Georgia Colonel's Day" at the Atlanta Fair would make even the newspaper correspondents blush, remembering that the Georgia Colonel's fatigues and uniform do not go beyond a shirt collar and a pair of spurs.—Baltimore American.

TWINKLINGS.

The first case tried under the Irish Land act resulted in a reduction of 31 1/2 per cent. in the tenant's rent charge.

The Land courts in Ireland are threatened with an excess of business. This is not precisely the answer Parnell expected from his no-rent programme.—Baltimore American.

You never hear of a defaulting editor, never of a course, there is very little to default, barring postage, but postage credits as naturally to an editor as striking water.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

I sprained my ankle sometime ago, and suffered seriously from the pain and swelling, writes Mr. George Stevens, Peabody, Mass. As a last resort, I used Dr. Jacob's Oil. Three applications cured me entirely.

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