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When they cry persecution it is all a lie and a pretence. It is only asked and proposed that the law shall be stringent enough to reach all polygamists and not in any way to interfere with their religious convictions and beliefs.

PROVINCIALISM AND COCKNEYISM.

The scholars of England and educated Southerners have always laughed at the Northern pronunciation of "duty" and kindred words. The Northern people never appreciate the force and beauty of the vowel sounds. Duty is abominable. It is as bad or worse than the English cockneyism that drops the A or makes it silent. The North is beginning at last to have some understanding of the excellence of the u in words in which it occurs, and some of them now call it du and not dooty. We are pained to know that the war even Southern persons have caught the lingual infection and are heard giving the oo sound instead of u. Shocking! Where is the school master? Is he abroad? The Philadelphia Sunday School Times pertinently refers to the English cockneyism among scholars even that leads them to misuse the letter A. It says this is occasionally indicated in the new revision of the Old Testament. It gives an example:

"Thus in Jonah, i, 9, where the old version gave 'I am an Hebrew,' the revision gives 'I am an Ebrew,' or, as it would be naturally pronounced, 'I am an Ebrew.' This is in violation of the ordinary English rule of pronouncing the 'a' before the aspirate 'h' only where the accent falls after the first syllable, as, for example, in 'historical'; but it is in obvious accordance with the common English practice of dropping the 'a' where it ought to be pronounced. American revisers had to watch against English cockneyisms in order to preserve the integrity of their mother tongue."

The rule mentioned as to when to write an h before words beginning with A is often lost sight of. When President Shepherd published his excellent reader—"An Historical Reader"—some paper took him to task for writing an h before A. But the rule mentioned above—to use an h before words in which "the accent falls after the first syllable," shows that he was correct, as he is very apt to be in all questions involving an accurate and scholarly knowledge of his tongue.

There is a constant tendency in England, as there is in this country, to provincialism. The pronunciation of words as cart, card, sky, blast, cast, and so on, is as provincial as marked, and as unauthorized by genuine scholarship as is the dialect of the "Northern Farmer" in Tennyson, or Yorkshire provincialisms that are so extraordinary. We refer to the pronunciation of these words in certain sections.

Training schools are increasing in number. The practical value of such schools is being better understood, and there is a wider demand, as a consequence, for their formation. To train the hand for future life is a great and important thing in this age and in a country like our own. The neglect of schools of technology has been long continued, but there is a change at last. They have shown in Europe and in this country excellent results. The South must have many of them. The head has been educated and the hands have been neglected. It is now time that the hands were cared for also. It is not intended to detract in the least from the importance and necessity of educating the mind. That must always continue. But the hands must be trained, not to supersede mental culture, but to aid and supplement. Let the new education in the South train the mind, the morals and the hands.

Vermont is said to be very niggardly in its appropriations for schools and colleges. Such a charge is brought by the Burlington Free Press. But the Philadelphia American comes to its defence and says that "she is a very small State, and probably would unite with New Hampshire for the support of a common State government, were it not for the political importance she acquires in the country by her equal representation in the national Senate. To meet the expenses of a separate government she has to levy her taxes under the most inquisitorial law ever passed by any American community."

OUR BOOK TABLE. THE FIRST THREE YEARS OF CHILDHOOD. By Bernard Perez. Edited and Translated by Alice M. Christie. Translator of "Child and Child Nature," etc. With an Introduction by James Sully, M. A., author of "Outlines of Psychology," etc. Chicago: A. N. Marquis & Company, 1888. Bound in muslin, 292 pages. Price \$1.25. A work of this kind was needed. There have been many books and magazines published devoted to children

but there is no work that is easily accessible and sufficiently compendious. The work before us promises to meet that want. The publishers say: "It treats copiously on the various phases of child-life, abounds with practical hints on the proper training of the very young, and forms a practical guide to the parent and the teacher. It places the author ventures a few steps into the darker recesses of metaphysical psychology, but he never loses sight of the fact that he is writing a popular work."

CURRENT COMMENT.

For some years past the admirers of base ball have clearly perceived that their favorite game was fast passing from the category of sports into the long list of professional entertainments that are offered during the summer months. It is not a decade since the city of Philadelphia, for example, was swarming with amateur or quasi-amateur ball clubs, able on occasion to give the best clubs in the country a hard tussle. Gradually the number of these organizations has decreased until now there are but three or four that may justly lay claim to consideration, and of these but one—the Young America—is made up exclusively of amateur players. The national game, as its votaries style it, is now a profession, in which employment is regular and well rewarded, and to which access is becoming each season more and more difficult. And the game which amateurs play for amusement with ball and bat is quite a different affair from an exhibition by professional players. The former is a sport; the latter a spectacle. Amateur contests are no more regarded than a passing game of billiards would be, while the games played by salaried professionals attract great crowds of spectators and form a large and by no means uncertain revenue.—Phil. Record, Ind. Dem.

The Episcopal Church Congress, now in session in New Haven, Conn., had quite an animated and even exciting discussion yesterday of free trade ethically considered. It is somewhat surprising that any member of so intelligent a body should have ventured on a defense of the tariff. Considered as a question of ethics, there is absolutely nothing whatever to be said in its defense. The tariff simply takes one man's property and devotes it to the use of another. We fail to find anything in the Holy Scriptures or in the Thirty-nine articles which would justify any act of this kind. Indeed, the Golden Rule and the tariff are utterly irreconcilable. The tariff is a moral monstrosity. It is abhorrent to every sense of fair play. The churches ought at once to take stand against it, if they intend to say anything of it whatever. Ethically the tariff is indefensible.—Louisville Courier-Journal, Dem.

THE NEW HAVEN CONGRESS.

New York Times. The Church Congress which yesterday closed at New Haven in its tenth session, though not the novelty it once was, must be understood by its aim before its work can be correctly estimated. It is not devised to commit the Episcopal Church, which it represents, to anything that may be said upon its platform, but rather to indicate the drift of things within that household of faith and show how its leading men stand toward those social and religious questions in which the community is interested. It is in this twofold light that it is entitled to attention.

The points in which the New Haven meeting made its best impression were the discussions of church unity, of tariff ethics, of the substitution of worship, and of the relation of free churches to the masses of the people, though the discussion of the atonement was conducted reverently on a high plane, and the questions of the employment of women in church work and of the best methods of Bible study, if of less immediate interest, were not at all weak in their treatment or wanting in public interest. What the Congress did church-wise was to emphasize what has all along been its characteristic—the wisdom of the free and honest discussion of social and religious questions before and among the people whom they chiefly concern.

OUR STATE CONTROVERSIES.

County Commissioners ought to purge the jury boxes carefully and thoroughly, and when they fail to do it they should be dealt with severely. It often becomes the duty of Sheriffs to call jurors into the box when the regular panel has been exhausted. These jurors are frequently called men whom they know to be unfit and incompetent for jury service. This practice cannot be too severely condemned, and the Sheriff who does is unworthy of the trust reposed in him. Now to the other idea. Good citizens who require their personal attention. They do not like to be hindered at court all the week on the regular jury, and when there is a venire to be summoned they take all possible pains to evade the Sheriff. Who that is not the everybody's attention, the fact that it would cause the penalty to be more generally known. While on the subject of hanging, the fact that it has been burning ought to be punished with death.—Charlotte Democrat.

THE LATEST NEWS.

FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

HOTEL HORROR. South Carolina politician, narrated by Glen A. Whitson, N. C.—The Fremont narrowly escaped the same fate. (By Telegram to the Morning Star.) CHARLOTTE, October 27.—W. O. Moore of Chester, S. C., arrived at the Central Hotel last night, accompanied by a woman, whose name is unknown, but who is supposed to be from Augusta, Ga. The registered man and wife, and were assigned to a room on the fourth floor. At 4 a. m. the smell of escaping gas, attracted the attention of a bell-boy, and led him to their room; he found Moore dead in bed, and the woman unconscious on the floor. The woman was summoned, and after working with her until noon, she pronounced her recovery probable, though she is still unconscious. Moore's body was sent back to Chester, where his wife and three children were waiting to receive it. The woman was discharged, and the influence of liquor when he arrived at the hotel here. It is believed he turned off the gas and accidentally turned it on again.

FOREIGN.

Emperor William on the Christian Religion.—King, Theobald of Wurtemberg Opposing the British Advance. (By Cable to the Morning Star.) BERLIN, October 27.—Emperor William yesterday visited the Cathedral chapel, to inspect the new altar picture, "Adoration of the Magi." Court Chaplain Kogel related to the Emperor the history of the picture, and Count Von Arnim, President of the Synod, thanked His Majesty for continued favors. The Emperor, implying, congratulated Chaplain Kogel upon his devotion to well-doing. Counting, he said: "These, my latter days, I have chosen to witness that I have always considered religion the only foundation upon which depends everything. It is the highest possession of my people."

INDIANA.

Excitement Among the Negro Population—They Threaten to Give Trouble. (By Telegram to the Morning Star.) INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 27.—There is a spirit of uneasiness manifested among the negroes over recent fall injuries received by members of their race from widely differing causes. They have taken up the case of Thompson Taskell, who committed an outrageous assault on a German girl, and was shot by his victim's brother in the Criminal Court, and are banding together for his support. A meeting was held to take measures to secure competent counsel for his defence, and the Mayor last night received a letter signed by "Committee of ten," saying that the colored people are very indignant at the treatment they have been receiving, and that the shooting down of their men must be stopped by fair means or foul. They concluded by saying: "We will have justice or there will be trouble."

LYNCH LAW.

A Murderer Hung by a Mob in Tennessee. (By Telegram to the Morning Star.) CHATTANOOGA, Oct. 27.—John Thompson, a merchant of Glen Alice, in Roane county, Tenn., last Friday, was taken from Kingston jail last night by a mob of one hundred men and hanged.

SOUTHERN ITEMS.

Colonel James Edward Calhoun, of Ellenton, Ga., a man of letters, wealth and eccentricity, and a near relative of John C. Calhoun, will be married to a fair widow of that State. He is ninety years of age. John A. Wise's popularity in Virginia is proved in the correspondence of the Louisville Courier-Journal, which says that in Staunton, the Virginia Alcham, he had an audience of 3,000 people. The county is Democratic by 1,000.

GLEN ALICE, TENN., Oct. 24.

J. C. White, a wealthy merchant of Glen Alice, was yesterday murdered by a miser named Thompson last night. Robbery was the motive. The people are up in arms scouring the country for the murderer, and it is caught he will be lynched.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 26, 4 P. M. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was quoted firm at 83 cents per gallon, with sales of 300 casks at these figures. ROSIN.—The market was quoted quiet at 80 cents per bbl for Strained and 85 cents for Good Strained. TAR.—The market was quoted firm at \$1.25 per bbl of 800 lbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at \$1.50 for Virgin and Yellow Dip and \$1.00 for Hard. COTTON.—Market dull at 64 cents per lb for Middling. Sales of 200 bales at 9-1-16 cents per lb. The following were the official quotations:

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