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UESDAY, PEBRUARY 26, 1889.

POLITICS IN PHANCE.

Politics in France are as much of a farce d a nuisance, even if not a nonentity so far as any good is concerned, as they are in our own country and time. The French people are by nature impulsive, ciful and much given to pomp and ow. These characteristics are as noticeable in matters of state as in social relations. The term "unhappy France" as applied to its politics and statesmanship is proverbial, and at the same time not inapplicable. The recent failure of M. Meline, to form a cabinet when author ized to do so by his chief, is not a sur prise to any one at all conversant with the present state of French politics. It was a bilure through fear rather than for any patent medicine vender? Ohians, you want of ability. President Carnot is not are all wrong, let the doctors alone. President Grevy. He lacks his firmness. his foresight, his ability to cope with and master the whims of the French people, These were the essential qualities of ex-President Grevy's make up, they are entirely lacking in the character and administration of the present President of France. Hence, it is no wonder that M. Meline, besitated and finally failed to call a cabinet. It would have been perchance but the cabinet of a day, a mere plaything, or caprice and liable to be blown away at any moment by the slightest breeze of discord. The same is likely to be the fate of the present cabinet, formed by M. de Preyeinet and M. Tirard; but for the welfare and perpetuity of conservative. republican France, we trust not. General Boulanger is a typical Frenchman. He has won temporary victory and prominence bp playing upon the fancies and humors of his people, rather than upon tem well established and is already en. Blanton, at No. 11 N. Main their good sense and judgement. He has joying the fruits of this, the greatest of street, Asheville, N. C. This the opportunity to make his success the modern inventions. Score one more for firm has been exceedingly success and welfare of all France. But will be do it? This is the question that is uppermost in every Prench heart to day.

Will be prove a Gambetta and quell the discords and distractions of his own people, and of which he has been a promoter? If so, all will be well. The past history of Prnce and the course of her hastily and chance made statesmen will not M. Bronzik, of Paris. warrant it. In great crises, France, unlike our own country, has not had great men form a French Cabinet. General Harriand deliverers, raised up to guide her ship of State. On the other hand, she has drifted from revolution to revolution and oftentimes her very existence has been imperiled. We are not pessimists, that if care and caution be not the chief ingredients of her statesmanship for the coming months, a political upheaval will surely be the result. The true lovers of Republican France, the true lovers of uni-

versal peace hope for a better end. WHATARETHEV THEREFOR? When we read that members of the United Senate descend to the plane of malignity and blackguardism in debate, and even let their tempers so get the better of their judgment as to grapple with each other as if in mortal combat, we deem it pertinent to put the question, "What are they there for?" When our representatives in Congress are confronted by a large and rapidly accruing of \$1,000 to the city or town in that surplus, due to the inequalities and oppression of a high tariff which imposes upon a tax-ridden people unnecessary and onerous burdens; when appropriation bills, necessary for the transaction of the nation's business and the individual weal of all, are delayed passage by the fillbustering tactics of members who seek only personal and party gain; then it is again time to ask, "What are they for?" Such is, and has been, the action Books, of Congress for the past few weeks and such it is likely to be nutil the session closes. When the people learn to discern, and then to decide, between the good and the bad, between the laboring and the lazy member of Congress, then shall Engravings, Frames, Western North Carolina we see party and personal bickerings made subservient to wise and wholesome legislation for the masses, and not until then... The member who is diligent and faithful in behalf of his constituents should be kept in service, but the laggard, the political trickster should be invited to remain at home. The closing

tunity for pulling the noxious weeds. If Thomas Jefferson's shade could reigton and get a peep at the ations for the inauguration page what a dismal pessimistic sigh that along the line of Pennsylvania

Congress has one redeeming feature, it

will afford the public an excellent oppor-

EDITORIAL POINTS. Il me maid of Asheville, do you

low a humbug can be humbugged.

Aguin some one says there is a split in Harrison's cabinet. We surmise it is only a season check caused by the cold

If present reports are true, it seems as

"How shall we preserve the fish in our treams?" is an important question mong the foresters. Send the boys to Sunday school would be our way.

Prance has at last formed a cabinet, but we are still without one, though our newspapers have been turning them out at the rate of forty a week. The French Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Nappeople are not so slow after all.

It is estimated that there are three thousand faith beclers in the United States; Granted; but there are three times three thousand political "heelers" within the same extent of territory.

There is a bill in the Ohio legislature to rocks do for clothes, if it were not for the ets., worth 12 ets. ?'

England is fitting out a score of vessels at Victoria to go on a seal cruise in Alaska waters next Summer. Perhaps Uncle Sam will have something to say concerning those Alaska scals ere the expedition starts out-at any rate, he

in the Albany, N. Y. Legislature this year than ever. The Assembly ceiling jobbery is the cause, and the toiling tax-payers shakes and pleasant greet who have been swindled out of \$100,000 ing," continued Mrs. L., "will We carry a large stock and

the South. Well, Atlanta is a pleasant their purchasing at the Leadtown and no doubt has a future, but she ing Dry Goods House of is decidedly behind the times in some things. For instance, it will be months BOSTIC BROS. & WRIGHT before she will have her first electric railenterprising Asheville.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

The Richmond Times calls Reed, Maine, a "pallid statesman." This appallid about Reid.

dark-eyed daughter of John Wanamaker, has had her life-sized portrait painted by TESSE R STARNES,

son might cable his condolences. It is not the paucity but the glut of material which is troubling the President-elect.

At last the real and true causes of the death of Crown Prince Rudolph is out. both plain and elegantly draped. Robes It is officially stated that for some time we aim not to teach pessimism, but the he had been very fond of a punch made present state of politics in France is such of champagne and cognac and had taken large quantities of it daily.

Mrs. George B. McClellan and her daughter, Miss May McClellan, are among the few Americans to be presented at Queen Victoria's next drawing room. Miss Chanler, a sister-in-law of Amellie Rives-Chapler will also be pre-

The American colony at Moutreal has been increased by the arrival of James A. Moore the Connecticut Life Insurance defaulter, and John E. Sullivan; the defaulting City Clerk of Indianapolis. They are not very well known yet among the older and more aristocratic members of the Exiles Club. but their position will be assured in time.

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