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THE FAMOUS OLD WARSHIP.

A week or so ago the country was a good deal excited by the grounding of the practice ship Constellation below Norfolk, Va., the excitement being inflamed by much of personal interest in which many communities participated: for the ship was filled with young midshipmen, idols of many a household, the hope and future pride of the country, making their first essay on the "briny deep." Commenting on the mishap, we recalled some reminiscences of the Constellation, no stranger to us in the early days of boyhood, and cited some facts in the career which gave her peculiar precedence in the creation of American naval fame. We asserted that she was the first American ship that had established the peculiar merit of the American frigate, becoming so renowned as a class during the war of 1812, and that she was the first ship that had engaged in battle and won victory on the sea for the American flag since the adoption of the constitution.

We were therefore surprised to find in the Baltimore Sun an account of the Constellation which deprives the ship of many of its honors, and all of its early fame. As the Constellation was built in Baltimore, and is properly the subject of great local as well as national pride, it is not probable that the Sun would wilfully disparage her pre-eminence, or withold anything that could add anything to her fame. Yet the Sun contradicts history. The Sun says:

"She was launched at the navy yard of David Stodder, Harris creek, Baltimore, on the 9th of September, 1797, and Captain Thomas Truxton was selected command her. Her first cruise, however, was not made until 1800, when Alexander Murray was her captain. Although the Constellation is not identified with any of the famous incidents of our naval history, she can boast a longer period of service than any vessel now in commission, the more noted Constitution having been retired some years ago. The Constellation is one of the few remaining specimens of the old-fashioned wooden men-of-war which have been rendered obsolete by the adoption of armor-plating and long-range guns."

In our younger days the memory of her exploits were tenaciously preserved in living memory. There were many living survivors of the transaction, some dating back to the war of the revolution; and in everything relating to the to naval affairs, there was a vivid enthusiasm that kept alive in glowing ardor the deeds of every hero, and the decision of every sea fight. And it would have been treason to national pride to have forgotton the men or the deeds and denied them their place on the roll of fame. The "Constellation" still blazed brilliantly in national pride and memory. It was freshly remembered that when the new French republic, failing in every effort to enlist and embroil the United States in its wars of propagandism, avenged its disappointment by attacks upon our merchant marine, harassing our commerce and capturing our ships. This aroused the government of the United States. There never was a formal declaration of war, but the few ships of our infant navy were ordered to sea, to put a stop to the outrages at all hazards. Among these ships was the Constellation, Commodore Truxton. Cooper, in his naval history, gives a full animated account of the actions of that ship with the French frigate L'Insurgente and La Vengeance. We must content ourselves with the following brief mention from Stephen's history of the United States, brief, authentic and conclusive as to the actions of the Constellation.

In connection with the French troubles Stephens says:

"On the 9th day of February, 1799, the United States ship Constellation, 32 guns, commander Trexton, captured the French frigate L'Insurgente. This vessel had previously captured the United States schooner Retaliation. The Constellation after refitting in the United States, met at sea the French frigate La Vengeance, 54 guns, and after a fight of five hours silenced her batteries, though she succeeded in making her escape (in the darkness, as other histories record,) with a loss of 154 killed and wounded."

These actions took place in the West Indian waters.

The jump from the forbidden cockfight, illegal in South Carolina, to the bull fight, one of which is advertised soon to take place at Florence, is a great one. North Carolina is to furnish fifteen bulls against the same number from South Carolina. It will be a fight cruel enough to the combatants, turned loose to push and hook and gore each other, but without involving human danger, and without any of the picturesqueness or peril of the Spanish or Mexican games. It is purely a beastly and cruel travesty of the sports of the amphitheatre.

Perhaps President Harrison ought to escape the harsh censure of the press for his regular Sunday excursions; for he says Sunday is his only time for rest. But it is a rest associated with that sort of recreation appropriated by the worldly and the ungodly and not the kind of rest commanded in the Decalogue. To the simple mind the command, "Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy," has a very definite meaning altogether inconsistent with the Sunday excursions to obtain "rest" from the swarm of office seekers pests; natural and unavoidable concomitants of the high position President Harrison sought and obtained.

EDITORIAL POINTS.

The Sultan of Turkey has sent a thousand dollars to the Johnstown sufferers. Perhaps the prayers offerred for Turks, Infidels and Jews have been heard.

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Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes is very ill from a stroke of paralysis. This affliction of a most estimable lady is a sad reminder that there was once a President of the United States who bore the name of Hayes, a circumstance almost, and most willingly forgotten.

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A construction party has gone out from New York to begin work on the Nicarauga canal. This project is sensible and feasible; and men of the present generation may live to see the transit from ocean to ocean made "on schedule," and the course of the world's commerce revolutionized.

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The monument to be erected at Knoxville to the memory of John Sevier has appropriate motive; for the "First Governor" was a man to be proud of, and a monument to him will commemorate a man and facts. Started as it seems to be on the idea of dollar subscriptions, it strikes us every man, woman and child in Tennessee would be eager to contribute his mite; and North Carolina might not be slow, if appealed to, to help on the proud work.

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The Irish jury in the case of the Armagh disaster by which 75 persons, many of them children, were killed, have brought in a verdict of manslaughter against five railroad employees implicated in the disaster. The verdict is just rebuke for stupidity if not criminality. The method of holding cars brought to rest on a grade as steep as that on the western descent of the Balsam mountains by "chocking" the wheels with sticks of wood, in its grotesque stupidity rises almost to the dignity of an Irish bull.

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"Young America" makes rapid development. A few days ago we read of a parcel of four boys, in Ohio, we believe, who deliberately shot to death one of their companions. None of the parties were over fifteen, and the slain boy was only twelve. Another boy of twelve meets another of the same age with whom he had had a disagreement, and telling him not to come any farther, deliberately draws a pistol and kills him. Now we read of an eleven year old boy in Brooklyn who kills himself by excessive drinking. "Spare the rod and spoil the child" is the rule. Dime novels add to the fuel of premature liberties; and the boy without parental or social restraint rushes into the full participation and ruin of the practices and vices of manhood.

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The recognition of the bold assertion to perfect equality made by the United States in the Samoan Conference is the first, almost, made by the British press that Uncle Sam is a grown up man able to do what he promises or threatens. In the past he has been petted and humored as a promising lad who could tunefully whistle Yankee Doodle, who was great on Spread Eagle oratory, could boast immensely of what he could do, who was alternately petted or threatened. Uncle Sam now begins to loom up as a great lusty fellow, who might prefer to whittle his sticks, turn his quid of tobacco in his cheek, crack his jokes, do anything but lose his good nature and fight, even when imposed upon; least of all to seek a fight for the honor and profit of it. He seems now to be thought a "dangerous fellow" and not to be trifled with. And yet he has done nothing to scare anybody; but his moral influence somehow has got abroad and inspires a wholesome respect.

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Among the most unhealthy contrasts of conditions we have ever seen presented is that of the excursion of the two hundred millionaires starting out on a summer tour to Alaska, equipped with all the splendor, luxury and abundance that money could buy, and the five or six thousand starving miners of Braidwood, Ill., men, women and little children, to whom meat had become unknown, to whom bread is a luxury, and a full meal one of those delusive visions common to hungry people. When these contrasts are forced upon the public eye and ear, the one by the ostentatous and clamorous vanity of the gorgeous pleasure party, the other by the pitiful cry for bread and help, up comes unavoidably in the thoughts the story of Dives and Lazarus, the possible reversal of destinies hereafter, the "good things of this life" bitterly revalled in the presence of the inexorable denial of a single drop of water to cool the tongue of parched misery, the aspect of the broad impassable gulf; on the other side reclining in comfort some of those who, in this life, had their full share of "evil things." So this world goes. How will go the next will have to be found out.

Dr. Parker Prays cream Van-Ola, Rosaline, Ongaline and Diamond nail powder shaving now become the ladies' favorites, at F. L. Jacob's drug store, these popular manicure articles may always be found, together with pocket emery board, orange wood sticks, nail scissors, files and other such requisites. Also a complete line of drugs and toilet articles, in addition to the Hebe Soda Fountain from which ice cold drinks are dispensed. Corner Main street and Patton avenue.

Here is a problem, preposterous physiologically, but mathematically solvable:

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	No. 51	No. 53
Lv. Asheville,	9 55pm	1 40pm
Ar. Salisbury,	4 37am	6 43pm
" Danville,	9 47am	10 20pm
" Lynchburg,	12 40pm	12 25am
" Washington	7 13pm	6 53am
" Baltimore,	8 50pm	8 25am
" Phila.,	11 20pm	10 47am
" New York,	6 20am	1 20pm
" Boston,	3 30pm	9 00pm
" Richmond,	3 30pm	5 15am
" Raleigh,	1 02pm	8 30am
" Goldsboro,	3 10pm	12 50pm
" Wilmington	6 00pm	

	No. 55
Lv. Asheville,	8 30am
Ar. Hendersonville,	9 20am
Ar. Spartanb'g	11 50am
" Charlotte,	5 30pm
" Columbia,	4 40pm
" Charleston,	9 10pm
" Augusta,	9 05pm
" Savannah,	6 15am
" Thomasville, Ga	1 40pm
" Jacksonville	12 00 m
" Atlanta,	10 40pm
" Montgom'y	7 25am
" Mobile,	1 55pm
" New Orleans	7 20pm

	No. 54
Lv. Spartanburg,	3 40pm
Ar. Hendersonville,	6 07pm
" Asheville,	7 00pm

	No. 50	No. 52	No. 54
Lv. Asheville,	7 28am	4 36pm	7 05pm
Ar. Hot Springs	9 20am	6 10pm	8 40pm
" Knoxville,	1 10pm	8 50pm	
" Chattan'ga,	6 15pm	5 40am	
" Nashville,		11 45am	
" Memphis,	6 10am	5 30pm	
Lv. Asheville,	7 40am	4 44pm	
Ar. Hot Springs	9 20am	6 10pm	
" Knoxville,	1 10pm	8 50pm	
" Louisville,		7 15am	
" Cincinnati,	6 40am	11 45am	
" Chicago,	6 30pm	6 30pm	
" St. Louis,	7 45pm	7 45pm	

MURPHY BRANCH.

	No. 18
Lv. Asheville,	8 25am
Ar. Waynesville,	10 53am
" Jarrett's,	5 48pm

	No. 17
Lv. Jarrett's,	6 00am
Ar. Waynesville,	1 25pm
" Asheville,	3 45pm

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