

Evening Telegraph

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1866.

Miss Dickinson at the Academy of Music. It is to attract a large and intelligent audience, and secure its undivided attention and frequent applause during the delivery of a speech one hour and a half in length, is to be reckoned an oratorical success, then, certainly, Miss Dickinson achieved one last evening at the Academy of Music.

This young woman is in many respects a phenomenon, and yet her success as a public speaker is due, after all, to those standard qualities which go to make up successful oratory everywhere. She masters the subject—thinks it out in all its bearings—and then speaks of the profoundest moral conviction. There is no parade of herself—no repelling egotism—but she evidently comes before the public because she feels that she has a message to deliver.

Miss Dickinson is eminently argumentative. She makes points. She uses logic, but it is logic aglow with rhetoric, wit, sarcasm, invective. She speaks, primarily, because she has some thing to say, and because she seeks to rouse and inspire her hearers with her own intellectual and moral convictions. And this is really the secret of her power. She speaks to the moral sense of the people.

Miss Dickinson is by no means faultless as a public speaker. Her voice is pleasant, and of a clear, ringing quality, but she falls into a monotonousness of cadence which becomes wearisome to the ear. More freedom and variety, and less of the declamatory tone, would improve her delivery. In her rhetoric, too, she is best where she strives the least for effect, and depends upon the power of the simple thought.

As to the subject-matter of her speech, we refer our readers to the address itself, which will be found printed in full on another page of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.

Manufactures at the South.

A DEMOCRATIC contemporary declares that the "selfishness" of New England is likely to drive the South into manufacturing. Wherein the "selfishness" in question consists is not shown, and the charge is, probably, to be set down to the account of that innate desire, which possesses a certain class of our Democratic politicians, to indulge in a fling at New England. Be that as it may, we shall be rejoiced to find that the South, from any motive, can be driven into the establishment of manufactures as one of the branches of its industry. Nothing could be more happy in its effect upon the whole country—nothing contribute more to bind the country together in unity of interests. So long as the manufactures of the nation are confined mainly, as now, to New England, New York, and Pennsylvania, there will be an occasion presented for demagogues to foster dissensions between the manufacturing and agricultural sections of the country. We see this daily illustrated, in the attacks of the Democrats upon the protective features of the tariff. They generally associate these attacks with the New England States, but they are really assaults upon the entire manufacturing interest. Especially are they directed against the industry of our own State, for Pennsylvania is, and must continue to be, more and more largely a manufacturing State. Let the South and the West be come, as we trust they are destined to, themselves largely interested in manufacturing enterprises, and politicians can no longer play upon this assumed antagonism of interests between them and the East. We shall settle down upon a definite and permanent protective policy for the nation, which will go far to make us independent of foreign manufacturers, and to render us in time the greatest manufacturing people in the world.

The South has always been too exclusively agricultural in her industry. Manufacturers will necessitate a higher standard of intelligence among her people, and inspire more liberal views by her politicians. It will identify her interests more closely with the nation at large, and will conduce to that more perfect Union in the future which is the desire and hope of all patriots.

Progress of the Pacific Railroad.

We are gratified to see that the Secretary of the Treasury has issued to the Union Pacific Railway (Eastern Division) \$368,000 for six per cent. bonds, being the amount due on the last section of twenty-three miles, which was accepted by the United States Commissioners last month. The road is now completed for ninety-seven miles up the Kansas valley, from the Missouri border to a point 350 miles west of St. Louis. The road will be opened to Fort Riley, 420 miles from St. Louis, on the 18th of July.

Should the road be continued from Fort Riley towards Denver, by way of the "Smoky Hill" route, that point might be reached inside of the next eighteen months. This is the route the Company desires to pursue, but it is being fought bitterly by the Chicago interest, which seeks to force the road to run from Fort Riley northwesterly, to connect with the branch from Omaha, thus giving Chicago the short mile and the inside track for the great commerce of the Plains and the Mountains, as well as for the through traffic of the Pacific. Secretary HARLAN being an Iowa man, is said to be in this Chicago interest, and to be doing all that he can, through the Department of the Interior, to prevent the road from taking the most direct and feasible route west from Fort Riley.

This is contrary to the public interests, which demand the most direct route west possible to be found. The Chicago interest is amply provided for in the road running up the Platte from Omaha. The scheme of forcing the Kansas River branch from its direct westward course, to make a junction which shall give Chicago the virtual control of the entire commerce of the Pacific

Railroad, is a direct blow at the commercial interests of St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburg, Baltimore, and Philadelphia, and should be resisted with the combined influence of those points.

Legal Decision in a Telegraphic Case. THE Supreme Court of Missouri has lately decided a telegraphic case of some importance to the business community. The case was that of WANN vs. The Western Telegraph Company, and was an action to recover damages for the erroneous transmission of a despatch from St. Louis to New York, whereby a large lot of salt was forwarded by rail, instead of by "sail," as the despatch was written, and whereby a large loss was entailed upon the plaintiff. The telegraph company set up for its defense that the message was not "repeated," that is, sent back, and by which its liability for errors in transmission is limited. The Court sustained the defense, and in its decision said:—

We see nothing unreasonable in their declaring they will not be responsible for uncorrected messages. We think this declaration of liability comes within the intention of the regulations provided for in the statute. The system of telegraphing, however perfect it may be, is seriously affected by atmospheric causes which are uncontrollable, and if a man wants to send a message of an important character, prudence and wisdom would seem to dictate that he should have it repeated, in order to be assured of its correct transmission. And as the reputation imposes additional labor, it is surely justice that the advanced price should be paid, if the company undertakes to insure the accuracy of the message and assumes additional risk, it should be paid accordingly.

The message sent by the plaintiff was one of importance; he could have demonstrated its perfect correctness by having it repeated at a trifling sum, and he was fully cognizant of the regulations of the company.

CORRECTION.—Among the speakers announced for the Johnson meeting this evening, we see the name of MARTIN F. CONWAY, "of Kansas." Mr. CONWAY abandoned that field of labor about one year ago, and has been for some time a citizen of Richmond, Va.

LATEST FROM THE SOUTH.

We have received from Mr. H. Gorman, of Adams' Express Company, late files of Southern papers, from which we make extracts as follows:—

DEATH OF MRS. BRANTLY.—We are pained to announce the death of this noble and devoted wife of the Rev. Dr. W. T. Brantly, pastor of Green Street Baptist Church, formerly of Philadelphia. A few short weeks ago she stood amongst us "wearing the rose of womanhood," and now all that remains of her is the pale brow and a delightful memory. The sympathies of our community go forth towards the afflicted family of the deceased, and all are trustful that a daughter of music has been translated from earthly usefulness to that eternal mansion not built by hands.—Augusta (Ga.) Constitutionalist, Tuesday.

GOOD NEWS TO THE PEOPLE OF GEORGIA.—It affords us great pleasure to learn that T. W. Chichester, Esq., of this city, who was appointed by Governor Jenkins agent of the State of Georgia, has made a temporary loan of \$400,000, in the city of New York, at a low rate of interest, which is expected will relieve the Governor in his financial matters, and enable him to purchase and distribute the corn authorized by the Legislature for the widows and disabled soldiers of our State. Mr. Chichester is now engaged in superintending the engraving of bonds which are to be issued under authority of the Legislature. The success of Mr. Chichester in effecting this loan upon such favorable terms not only adds to his credit as a business man, but will show to the citizens of Georgia that their State has a deservedly high credit abroad.—From the same.

THE STAY LAW IN SOUTH CAROLINA.—Decision of the High Court of Errors in banc.—The Charleston Courier of the 16th has the following:—A friend has sent us the following decision of the Court of Appeals, given yesterday, which we present to our readers with profound satisfaction. In the Court of Errors, which reassembled on Monday, the conclusion of the Court on the cases previously heard was announced by the Chief Justice, in the order below:— The State vs. John E. Carey, Sheriff. George Schaeck vs. H. B. Brown.—In the Court of Errors, Columbia, May 1866. These cases were heard together. After consideration of the argument, the Court is of opinion that so much of the Acts of the Legislature of 1865 and 1866 as interdicts the service or execution of any mesne or final process of any of the courts of this State for the collection of money, in conflict with the article of the Constitution of the United States which prohibits a State from passing any law impairing the obligations of contracts, and that the said provisions are consequently inoperative and void.

It is therefore ordered and adjudged that in the case first above stated, the order of the Circuit Court be reversed, and that the rule against the Sheriff be made absolute, and that in the second case, the order of the Circuit Judge, setting aside the service of the writ, be rescinded.

BENJAMIN F. DUNKIN, C. J.  
D. L. WARDLAW,  
THOMAS W. GLOVER,  
E. MUNRO,  
J. P. CARROLL,  
F. J. MOSES,  
JOHN A. INGLE,  
J. N. DAWKINS,  
HENRY D. LESSENIE,  
WILLIAM D. JOHNSON.

I dissent.  
(Signed)  
May 11, 1866.  
A true copy.—JOHN WATKES, Clerk Court of Errors.

ARMY GAZETTE.

REGIRED.  
Assistant Surgeon Charles C. Lee, Brevet Major United States Army, May 15.

DEPARTMENTAL CONSOLIDATIONS.  
The States of Georgia and Alabama have been consolidated into one military department; also the States of North and South Carolina to be a military department. The commanding officers of these departments will assume the duties of Assistant Commanders of the Freedmen's Bureau in addition to their present duties.

DETAILS FOR RECRUITING SERVICE.  
HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY, ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 17.—Details of officers for recruiting service will, for the ensuing two years, or until further orders, be as follows, viz:—From each regiment of cavalry and artillery, three officers; from each of the first ten regiments of infantry, two officers; from each of the nine new or three battalion regiments of infantry, six officers. Not more than one captain will be detailed from each of the regiments of artillery and cavalry and the ten old infantry regiments, nor more than one captain from each battalion of the nine new regiments. Commanding officers of the nine new regiments will equalize the details between the battalions of their regiments. Regimental commanders will select the officers to be detailed, and order them to report by the 1st of September next—those from the cavalry regiments to Brevet Brigadier-General W. N. Greer, Lieutenant-Colonel First United States Cavalry, Superintendent of mounted recruiting service at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania; those from the artillery and infantry regiments to Brevet Brigadier-General D. Butterfield, Colonel Third United States Infantry, Superintendent of general recruiting service at New York City. All officers now on recruiting service will be relieved by those detailed under this order, and ordered to join their respective regiments. Should the services of any of the relieved officers be required to conduct recruits to the departments in which their companies may be serving, the superintendents will give the necessary orders accordingly, so far as practicable, selections for the above details will be made from officers who have served longest in the field during the war.

By command of  
Lieut-General GRANT,  
E. D. FOWLER, Assistant Adj. General.

The council of the Protestant Episcopal Church met at St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, Virginia, on Wednesday, Bishop Johns presiding. Upwards of one hundred members were present. The ex-Rebel General W. N. Penderton is one of the ministers.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

THE FORTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY of the American Sunday School Union will be held at the ACADEMY OF MUSIC, BROAD STREET, on Thursday Evening, May 24, at a quarter to 8 o'clock. Hon. S. P. CHASE, Chief Justice of the United States, will preside, and Lieutenant-General GRANT has been invited, and we are encouraged to hope, will be present. Addresses will be delivered by Rev. B. W. CHIDLAW, Rev. JOHN McCULLOUGH, and others. The singing will be by a choir of six hundred children from our various Sunday Schools. Superintendents and Teachers will please secure their tickets early, with reserved seats, which may be had gratuitously on application at the Society's Buildings, No. 1122 Chestnut Street. 5 19 21

JUBILEE YEAR OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.—The Fourth Sermon of the Series preached in the City of New York in behalf of the American Bible Society, will be delivered by Rev. A. B. VINTON, D. D. of New York, in the CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY, HILTON HOUSE Square and WALNUT Street, on Tuesday Evening, next, the 22d instant, at a quarter before eight o'clock. Subject.—THE HUMANITY OF THE BIBLE. 5 19 21

SERVICES FOR THE SABBATH IN THE NEW SOUTH-WEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of TWENTIETH and FITZWATER Streets, will be as follows:—In the morning at 10 o'clock, preaching by Rev. J. P. YONG, of Waverburg; in the afternoon at 3 1/2 by Rev. F. L. ROBBIN, of Green Hill Church, and in the evening at 8, by Rev. Dr. MARK H. of Clinton Street Church. 5 19 21

THE AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.—The annual sermon in behalf of the American Sunday School Union, will be preached by the Rev. ALFRED MANN, at the ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, M. E. Church, corner TWENTIETH and SPRING GARDEN Streets, To-morrow (Sunday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock. 5 19 21

SEVENTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Fifty-first Anniversary of the Sabbath Schools will take place to-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, addresses by REBECCAH GILLOU, Rev. E. R. BEADLE. Preaching morning and evening, by the Pastor, at half past 10 A. M. and quarter to 8 P. M. 5 19 21

CHILDREN'S CHURCH.—THE NEXT Sermon in the Younger's "Bible Class"—the last for the season—at the CHURCH OF THE EPHRAIM To-morrow afternoon, service at 4 o'clock. 5 19 21

REV. MR. DURBOROW WILL preach a Temperance Sermon on To-morrow (Sunday) evening, at 7 1/2 o'clock, at F. A. G. GILBERT CHURCH, CATHARINE Street above Seventh. 5 19 21

NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. G. W. HENRY, D. D., Pastor, Services Sabbath morning at 10, and evening at 7 1/2 o'clock. Strangers welcome. 5 19 21

CO-HOCKSINK PRESBYTERIAN Church, To-morrow (Sunday) evening, by Rev. P. S. TALLMADGE, at 10 o'clock A. M., and 7 1/2 o'clock P. M. 5 19 21

UNION M. E. CHURCH, MAY 20.—Rev. T. T. TASKER will preach at 10 A. M., and Rev. L. C. MAILLACK at quarter to eight P. M., next all free. 5 19 21

CHURCH OF THE NEW TESTAMENT, ELEVENTH and WOOD Streets.—Rev. Mr. CROWELL, Sabbath, 3 1/2 P. M. 5 19 21

SPECIAL NOTICES.

(See the Third Page for additional Special Notices.) BY A RESOLUTION OF A SUB-COMMITTEE ON THE RECEPTION OF STATE FLAGS.

The late Commanding Officers of Regiments residing in the First Militia Division are requested to send to the subscriber the names and Post Office address of COLOR BEARER AND GUARDS, to carry their Regimental Flags in the procession on the FOURTH OF JULY next. The Bearer and Guards to be those only who were actually detailed in orders to those duties, and who bore the colors in action. HECTOR TYNDALE, (Late Brigadier General U. S. Volunteers.) Address, No. 707 CHESTNUT Street, Philadelphia. 5 19 21

TO THE PATRONS OF THE AMATEUR DRAWING ROOM. Mr. WILLIAM JOHNSON will have a Complimentary Reception on THURSDAY EVENING, May 18, 1866, at the ELEVENTH STREET OPERA HOUSE. Tickets for sale at Trumpler's Music Store, Seventh and Chestnut streets. 11\*

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HERCULES ROCK OIL COMPANY will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 32 WALNUT Street, on THURSDAY, May 25, 1866, at 4 P. M., for the purpose of considering a resolution to authorize a sale and conveyance of the real estate of the Company, and other business of special importance. JOHN H. HOGAN, Secretary. 11\*

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