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THE MISSISSIPPI ELECTION—SOUTHERN POLITICS.

The surface view of politics in some of the Southern States, and especially in Virginia, Tennessee, and Mississippi, would indicate that a golden age had been reached, and that men's minds had all been cast in the same mould.

It would be really charming if this apparent millennium had been produced by a genuine change of heart and opinions; but such news is too good to be true.

Victories against the organizations which the bulk of the Republicans were attached have already been won in Virginia and Tennessee, and though a nominal Republican has been elected Governor in each instance, the Democrats have taken good care to secure a large majority in the Legislature.

The forces of the contending parties are now being marshalled in Mississippi for another contest in that State. The most desperate efforts have been made to surround the issues with doubt and uncertainty, and to divide the negro vote.

Both parties have been seeking aid and comfort from the national administration, and so many conflicting rumors have been circulated in regard to its real attitude, that the President has at last spoken in emphatic and unmistakable terms.

General Grant desires the maintenance of the unity of the Republican party, and deprecates the dissensions which have been fomented in the South for the purpose of dividing it into feeble factions.

Hereafter there will be no ground for doubt in the Southern contests, and any future victories which may be won must be obtained under a full knowledge of the fact that the administration sympathizes with the party which is in closest accord with the National Republican organization.

UNIFORM MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE LAWS.

The British Government is about to bring about another great reform by amending the present illiberal and unsatisfactory marriage laws, and by making them uniform throughout the entire United Kingdom.

In the mean time, our own marriage and divorce laws are far from being satisfactory, and it would be well if the attention of our statesmen could be turned to them, with a view of producing a little order and system out of the existing chaos.

In most of the States the marriage laws are sufficiently liberal, and in many almost too much so. It is perfectly proper that the marriage ceremony or contract should be impeded as little as possible, but sufficient safeguards should be thrown around it to protect both parties in their rights and to give a reasonable guarantee against fraud.

While there should be a reasonable liberality in the laws regulating the marriage ceremony, those in relation to divorces should be proportionately stringent.

The ill effects of the divorce laws of that State show the importance of having uniform regulations on the subject, and as the matter is one that affects not the welfare and happiness of the citizens of Illinois alone, it ought to be in the hands of the central government.

The subject is one that calls for the thoughtful and earnest consideration of our statesmen, clergy, and all who are interested in the welfare of society and our national prosperity.

THE MOBILE RIOT.—"Some eighteen white and colored witnesses of unimpeached integrity" have sworn that one David P. Reid did not fire the first shot at the recent Rebel assault upon the Republican meeting in Mobile, while a negro named Abraham Brown swears that he did.

THE OHIO DEMOCRACY were placed in a very tight place by the family and creditors of General Rosecrans whose claims upon the latter prevented him from accepting the gubernatorial nomination.

THE CASE OF HAGGERTY.—A despatch from Washington states that the Government will take no present action in the case of Haggerty, who was appointed consul to Glasgow, but to whom the British authorities refused to grant an exequatur.

THE SCHOOL OF DESIGN FOR WOMEN. This institution will commence its regular academic session on the 13th of September, with increased facilities, which will materially add to its efficiency.

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DR. JOSE POEY, Graduate of the University of Habana (Cuba), has removed to No. 187 Green street.

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OBITUARY. Hon. Jeremiah Nichols, died at 1 o'clock this morning, at his cottage-residence on Federal street above Thirteenth, in the Twenty-sixth ward.

TURNER BROTHERS & Co. send us Appleton's Journal with a variety of interesting reading matter; and Our Boys and Girls, edited by Oliver Optic, of the same date.

SPECIAL NOTICES. FOR THE SUMMER.—TO PREVENT sunburn and all discolorations and irritations of the skin, bites of mosquitoes or other insects, use Wicks' Skin Protectant.

U. S. OFFICE OF ARTIFICIAL LIMBS.—An appropriation (\$20,000) having been made by Congress for purchasing artificial limbs for officers of the United States Army and Navy mutilated in the service.

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FIRST GRAND EXCURSION TO CAPE MAY. Lodges and Encampments of the I. O. O. F. MEETING AT BROADWAY HALL, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 17, 1869.

READING RAILROAD.—PARK ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.—Between Philadelphia and Belmont, commencing August 9, 1869.

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