THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAPH-PHILADELPHIA, SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1869.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

The Whent Field of the Northwest-Its Area and Richness-A Description of the Country.

"Carleton," the well-known correspondent of the Boston Journal, writes as follows to that paper:-

RED RIVER OF THE NORTH, July, 1869,-To the Editor of the Boston Journal:-1 want to hold a familiar talk this morning with the great multitude of people in the East about this country of the Northwest.

WHERE WE ARE.

Spread out before you, my friends, the map of North America-not of the United States alone, but a map which will show you the British possessions of the Northwest. Let it be a school atlas, if you have nothing better. Lay a ruler upon it, and draw a line northwest from Chicago, running through St. Paul or through Minnesota At the western boundary, on the bank of the Red River of the North, you will find our camp.

I look out from my tent and see the water gliding past, to pour its over-increasing flood into the frozen ocean of the North through Hud-

son's Bay. Here the river is perhaps one hundred and fifty feet wide and six to ten feet deep, winding through the level prairies. Raak grass grows upon its banks; wild fowl build their uests along the above probabilities are pouring forth reedy shores; bobolinks are pouring forth their rollicking songs: the sparrow sends up his cheerful chirp: the swallows are twittering merrily; insects are humming in the air; the sun shines through a mellow haze, while all around as far, as the eye can see, there is such richness of verdure, such wealth of greenness and display flowers that the language descriptive of Elysian fields and the choicest and best of poesy is too forceless and feeble to convey an idea of the richness and beauty of this fair region of the world.

EXTENT OF THE DOMAIN.

Follow in imagination the line which you have drawn from Chleago. Here you are hundred miles distant from that city. Follow on the track which some of our party are to take and you will find just such verdure, such soll, such climate, such flowers in bloom, even though you travel one thousand miles from this point to the northwest. Fifteen hundred miles from Chicago, in the far Northwest, you will hear the bobolink pouring out his love song; you will find the soil as fertile there, the climate as mild, summer and winter, as on the prairies around Lake Michigan.

The fields of wheat on these plains of the Northwest are as luxuriant-further advanced to-day than in New England. Fifteen days hence the reapers will be cutting the wheat, and the harvest will go on here just as it does in New England.

CLIMATOLOGY.

One of the most wonderful features of this region is its elimate. Here we are in latitude 6-several degrees further north than Boston, but the summers are longer than in Massachuouts, and the winters, though colder, are less vere than in that State. The air is dry, the calm, and the hundreds of men that I meet, have come hither from Maine and New pshire, selecting this as their future home, at this climate is far preferable to that of gland.

Yesterday I saw a Scotchman, who lives five hundred miles north of this point in a straight line, on the shore of Lake Winnipeg. The winter there, he says, is not so severe as at Chicago. Scientific men have speculated on this phenomenon, but we have seen no satisfactory explanation. Doubtless it is due to a combination tion of causes-the influence of the great lakes on the one side and the Rocky Mountains on the other-to the Missouri and Mississippi and Red rivers, to the currents of air sweeping up the Missouri valley from the dry plains of Nebraska. Be the cause what it may, the fact remains that here-reaching from Chicago northwest over a territory embracing Wisconsin, Minnesota, Dacotah, Northern Montana, and a vast region in the British possessions-lie the wheat lands of North America.

COMPARISON WITH OTHER LANDS.

No other country has such a domain. The plains of Bayaria and Hungary, upon which Central Europe relies for its grain, united, would not exceed in area a single county in Minnesota. The fine lands of Prussia have a thin soil, while the wheat fields of France hav been cultivated for centuries, and are only kept in heart by constant application of fertilizers. but here the soil is in its virgin state, yielding such returns as are not obtained in any other land, unless it be in the San Joaquin and Santa Clara valleys of California. The most fertile acre of the Ganges valley in India will not yield a greater return than these of the Northwest. The Nile and the Yangtze -their fertility renewed by each annual floodmay vie with the uplands of Minnesota, there are sections along this Red river of the North-along the Cheyenne and Mouse rivers of Dacotah, which are not surpassed by the richest in the heart of China or on the delta of the Nile.

stately oaks and elms and limitless fields, whose verdure changes in varying hues with every passing cloud-wanting only a background of highlands to make it as lovely as Windermere-England. You see at your feet the little village of Glenwood, which in coming years will be the resort of tourists, artists, and seekers after easure.

If you are fond of fishing go out upon this sheet of water, with the same strong-armed Norwegian who pulled the boat for me yesterday morning. There are pickerel in these ponds of Minnesota such as we are not accustomed to catch in New England. A four-pounder is a large fish to pull from the waters of Winnipesau-kee, but I hauled up a fifteen-pounder yester-day, and the people here say that they catch them weighing twenty-five pounds! I dare say that the very thought of catching such fresh water sharks will quicken the pulse of many a boy, and perhaps some of the old iolks would like to drop a line in these waters.

But to return to the subject from which we have strayed—and it is not the first time we have played truant by going a fishing. We have said that this inheritance of the American people warders 1400 million enders in Charles 1400 million enders in the state of the American people reaches 1400 miles northwest of Chicago-it is that far to the Rocky Mountains-in British America, and that carries us only to the isothermal line of 65 degrees mean summer temperature. You may go on 500 miles further to the north branch of the Saskatehawan before reaching the northwestern boundary of the wheat field.

THE MOUNTAINS.

All of this territory lies north and east of the Missouri, and this side of the Rocky Mountains, We have spoken of it as a wheat field, and have said nothing of its other resources; but here are the supplies of timber from which the people more southern sections are to receive their future building materials. Looking out from my tent towards the northeast I can see, on the horizon, the dim blue outline of the timbered region around the streams forming the headvaters of the Mississippi. If we travel west we shall find exhaustless supplies of coal. Between the Red river of the North and the Rocky Mountain lie the great coal fields of this gra nary of the continent. On the streams that find their way into Lake Superior and on the Mississippi are sites for manufactories, where, coming years, the hum of machinery, the clatter of the shuttle and buzzing of mill-wheels will break the stillness of the primeval solitude. Go on to the dividing ridge of the continent

to Montana-with its gold, its silver, its iron and oal, fertile valleys and timbered hills; take a look at what lies beyond in Oregon, Washington, and Vancouver-at the water power of the Columbia and its tributaries-the forests of pine so dense that the brightest sunlight of mid-day does not dispel its darkness and gloom-to the waterfalls, the pasture lands-to the arable lands and to the mines of Idaho, the coal of Puget Sound, the harbors, unequalled in the world, fronting China and Japan: and over the shortest line between the Orient and Occident; with a climate as mild as that of Virginia; to a halfdozen mountain passes where the altitude does not exceed five thousand feet; to a region where ess snow falls than last winter fell upon the hills of Berkshire; to a region which is yet to be the New England of the Paelfie Coast; take in the boundaries of this inheritance-not all as yet eneath our country's flag, but ere long to think of the immediate future, if you would obtain an idea of the material weath of the Northwest, walting only the appearance of the hus-bandman. He will soon be here.

THE SABBATH.

Our company is resting to-day on the banks of this peaceful river. The farmer who lives up the stream and tends the ferry where we crossed yesterday has one neighbor within 12 miles, but a twelvemonth hence these acres will be dotted by farm houses. To-day we have listened to a sermon from Dr. Lord, who preached beneath a canvas roof. We were called together by the blowing of a tin trumpet, but a year hence the sweet and solemn tones of church bells will echo over these verdant meadows.

The locomotive-that great civilizer of this century-will be here before the flowers bloom another spring. It will bring towns, villages, churches, school-houses, printing presses, and millions of free people in its train. I sit as in a dream. I can hear, in imagination, the volces of the advancing multitude of light-hearted maidens and sober matrons, of bright-eyed boys and strong-armed men. The wild roses are blooming here to-day; the sod as yet is unturned, and the lilies of the field hold up their cups to eatch the falling dew; but another year will tion, which has crossed the Mississippi, will soon flow down this stream, pouring its waters into the distant ocean of the North, it will sweep on

-The first bale of cotton for Cincinnati arrived there yesterday. —Secretary Gorham yesterday advertised for

stationary for the Senate. _____The revenue from tobacco for the year ending June, 1869, amounted to \$22,200,000.

-The first conviction under the Prohibitory law was made in the Superior Court at Boston.

-The Keystone Base Ball Club was beaten yesterday at Williamsburg by the Mutuals. 31 to 18.

-In West Virginia only one-third of the ex-pected corn crop will be made, and but one half -Yesterday the Retrenchment Committee of

Congress started westward from Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory -Isaac Switcher, now in the Maryland Peni-

tentiary for cow stealing has been left \$80,000 by an aunt. He has three years to serve yet.

-Officers visiting the Gettysburg reunion will transported free of travel along the line of the Northern Central and other railroads.

-Thomas Mulhail, convicted of alding and abetting in the murder of David Skinner, in Cleveland, has had his death sentence commuted to imprisonment for life -Acting Commissioner Douglas has decided

that bowling alleys at summer resorts are liable to a United States tax, whether a charge is made for their use or not.

Taylor Blow died in St. Louis yesterday. His life was insured in fourteen companies for total amount of \$117,000. He had done this for the benefit of his creditors.

-Whitbeck and his two sons, engaged in the anti-rent riot near Troy, N. Y., in which Deputy Sheriff Griggs was killed, have been held to bail charged with the murder.

-Adam Titus and Dr. Paul Schoeppe were sentenced to death, at Carlisle, yesterday. During the reading of the sentence on Schoeppe, Mr. Gould, the court crier, dropped dead from excltement.

Foreign Affairs,

- Queen Victoria has gone to Balmoral. -Two Carlists have been shot at Temente vithout trink.

-L. Fletcher, the English Consul at Yeddo,

died on July 7, ult. —A conspiracy in favor of the Prince of Asta-

 A conspiracy in layor of the Prince of Astarias has been discovered in Spain.
A reconciliation has been effected between the Sultan and the Viceroy of Egypt.
La Vallette has presented his credentials at the Court of St. James as Minister of France.
The Reforma, of Madrid, eulogizes Minister Hale, and calls him the Wilberforce of the country

-The Pope regrets that no schismatic or Protestant bishop has offered to take part in the Ecumenical Connell.

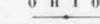
-The war in Japan has ended, and leaders in

-The silk crop of Japan this year exceeds that of last year. The new tea crop is being transported to Yokohama slowly.

-English journals are bothering themselves about the acquisition of Cuba by the United States. The London Star of yesterday says that American rule in Cuba would bring about

that properity of the island which is so essential

to commerce. 0 H I 0.



The Campaign-Why Rosecrans Declined. From the Pittsburg Commercial.

General Rosecrans, in his letter declining the omination of the Democrats for Governor of Ohio, intimated that he had other fish to fry. On this point we find an intimation in a little speech he made at a Mexican town, when he was on his way to San Francisco. In the course of a few remarks which he made in response to the courtesics tendered him, he announced that his intention was to proceed to New York, and, if possible, form a grand company for the pur-pose of constructing a railroad from the City of Mexico to Acapulco, on the Pacific coast.

Pendleton on Negro Suffrage.

A correspondent of the New York Sun has been "interviewing" Pendleton, the Lion of the West, as the enthusiastic unwashed term him. Here is a portion of the conversation:-Reporter-I perceive that the Cincinnati Com-

WHISKY. The Dealers in Pennsylvania, and Their Foliti-cal Influence. Washington correspondence New York Herald.

John Covode, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee of Pennsylvania, arrived here yesterday, and left again this evening. The object of his visit was to consult with Commissioner Delano about the operations of the Internal Revenue law in Pennsylvania. The whisky interest, especially in the western part of the State, is very influential, and Mr. Covode, as a shrewd party manager, is anxious to have it on his side in the campaign which is about to open. The whisky men complain that certain features of the present Whisky Tax bills which were intended to punish dishonest distillers, are equally oppressive upon honest distillers and injurious to their business. Of course this is charged upon Congress directly and indirectly upon the Republican party. If there is not some temporary let up, with a promise of substantial amendment next winter, the whisky men in Pennsylvania and elsewhere propose to make common cause against the Republicau

party, which they conceive to be the source of heir trouble. Mr. Covode's mission there was to see if Commissioner Delano could not make some modification in the administration of the law whereby the hardships complained of by the whisky men might be at least amellorated. The Commissioner, it is understood, could not give Mr. Covode much encouragement. The law, he says, is so framed that he is left little or no discretion in its ad-ministration, and he must execute it as he finds it on the statute book, Mr. Covode is quite hopeful of the ability of the Republicans to elect Geary Governor of Pennsylvania, though he says the job will be a big one, owing to a variety of unfavorable circumstances. The Penn-sylvanians do not propose to ask for a Cabinet appointment at this time. Even if one were to be made, the leaders of the party are assured that Benjamin H. Brewster, who has been spoken of in that connection, would not be selected by Grant. The President, who is

tremely anxious that Pennsylvania should go Republican this fall, will do all he can to aid in the election of Geary, and all Federal office-holders who wish to retain their places are expected to do the same.

-It is estimated that the cost of Boston's new re-servoir at Chesnut Hill will be \$2,500,000. -There is a young man in Galesburg, Ill., who has read 143 dime novels.

-In Barren county, Ky., there are fourteen apple brandy distillerles -The value of the fruit on 600 plum trees near

Hudson, N. Y., is \$3500. -The total assessed valuation of all the pro-perty in Iowa is \$297,000,000.

-A Dubuque wholesale merchant failed re-

cently-his liabilities reaching \$240. -The loss by the Texas flood is estimated at twenty thousand bales of cotton.

-The sand in Sacramento river has been assayed and found to be worth #s per ton. -Being sick, a Keokukdog received a dose of

medicine and ejected from his mouth half a pint of leather-headed tacks, —A croquet ground in Vermont is called a "jaw plot." The Philological Society should

investigate the derivation. -A physician in Springfield practises "Bann-

cheidtism, or the exanthematic method of cure." Poor Springfielders! —A lady in England, a native of Machias, Me.

as sent \$1000 to start a fund for the construction of an Episcopal church there. —According to a local paper, a man in Min-nesota lately died because a hole in the back of

part of his head penetrated his brain. —The "father of all the eels" was caught in

Maine lately. It was three and a half feet long,

and weighed seven and a half pounds. —Michigan is the third sheep-growing State in the Union. She has 3,984,191; Indiana has 2,882,176; Illinois, 2,739,431; Iowa, 2,591,379.

-Musical instruments being scarce in Georgia, a party of young men have put their money together and bought a hand organ for serenades.

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page. ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA-THIS DAY.

about one-third of a mile northeasterly. The beacon light will be shown as usual during the process of removal, and on the establishment of the main light in its new position on 1st September proxime, the beacon will be extinguished, and thereafter, until further notice, the main light alone will be exhibited. By order. W.R. SHURBLOK, Chairman.

By order, W, B. SHUBRICK, Chairman. Treasury Department, Office Lighthouse Board, Washing-ton, D. C., August 16, 1859.

An official notice from Edinburgh states that on the night of September 1 next, according to previous notice. the arc of the Stornoway Light will be extended as far to the southward and westward as the intervening land of Lewis will permit, and the extended light will be so ex-hibited every night thereafter.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

REALESTATE __THOMAS & SONS' SALE —Very valuable Business Stand. Three-story brick Store and Dweking, S. E. corner of Nutla and Cherry streets. On Tuesday, September 7, 1959, at 12 o'dlock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the business noon. 12 o'clock, hoon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that very valuable three-story brick messuage, with two-story back building and lot of ground, situate at the S. E. corner of Ninth and Cherry streets; containing in front on Ninth street. Is feet 10 inches, and extending in depth along Cherry street 25 feet to a 4-feet wide alley. It has all the modern conveniences, and is in excellent order, having been recently improved by the present owner at great expense. The location is desirable for almost any kind of business, being in well situated and adapted for a banking institution, which is much needed in this particular business locality. It is occupied as a store and dwelling, and ocality. It is occupied as a store and dwelling, and Terms—\$10,000 may remain on mortgage. Imme-diate possession. May be examined any day previous to sale.

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PEREMPTORY SALE .- BY ORDER OF PEREMPTORY SALE. - BY ORDER OF heirs. - Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers. - Very valuable business stand. Three-story brick store, No. 343 North Third street, above Vine street, 20 by 128 feet. On Tuesday, September 7, 1809, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, without reserve, at the Fhiladelphia Exchange, all that valuable three-story brick store and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Third street, between Vine and Callow-hill streets, No. 343; containing in front on Third street 20 feet, and extending in depth 128 feet. The street 20 feet, and extending in depth 128 feet. The casternmost part of the lot is occupied as a beer garden. It is situate in a very valuable business neighborhood. Subject to a yearly quit rent of 1 shilling and 8 pence sterling. Immediate possession. Keys at the auction rooms. Sale absolute. M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, 5.7 [4,2] 0.4 Nos 120 mot 11 S. FOULDERD Street

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AMUSEMENTS. WALNUT STREET THEATRE.

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A MERICAN CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC See Notice in Educational Column. 7 24mv12

STEAMBOAT LINES.

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SUNDAY TRIPS.—THE SPLEN-did Steamboat JOHN A. WARNER will hand Goclock P. M. Meargee's wharf, Konsington, at o'clock P. M. for Burlington and Bristol. Touching at Riverton. Andalusia. and Beverly. Returning, leaves Bristol at 8% o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. Pare, 35e. Excursion, 40c. 73 stf

FOR CAPEMAAY, TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, AND ON TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, AND On and after SATURDAY, June 26, the new and splen-did steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, Captain W. THOMPSON, will commence running regularly to CAPE MAY, leaving ARCH STREET WHARF on TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY MORNINGS at 9 o'clock, and returning Beave the landing at Cape Mayon MON-PAYS, WEDNESDAYS, and SATURDAYS at 8 o'clock, Fare, including Carriage hire. 2226 Children 126

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passengers. Freight received until 8% o'clock. Tickets sold and bag-gage checked at the transfer office, No. 828 CHESNUT Street, under the Continental Hotel. For further particu-lars inquire at the Office, No. 38 North DELAWARM Avenue, G. H. HUDDELL, 624 tf CALVIN TAGGART.

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OUR INHERITANCE.

I know that many of those who will read this letter are accustomed to look into the future, and to take enlarged views of what our country is to be in the coming years; but I am confident that there is no man-even him of the must comprehensive mind-that has taken a just measure of the future greatness of this nation. Many of those who, perchance, may read these lines have visited Illinois and seen the wheat and corn fields and cultivated lands of that State reaching on and on in boundless expanse -have heard the music of the reapers gathering the ripened grain-have beheld the harvest fields in all their glory. Think now of those fields extended as far as it is from Boston to Omaha, over a tract as wide as from Montreal to Philadelphia, and you have the area of the wheat field lying northwest of Chicago.

It is a region presenting features different from the country along the highway opened to San Francisco by the Union Pacific road. The plains of Nebraska and Kansas-magnificent in extent-are traversed by no great water courses. The streams are few-and when the summer heats prevail they dwindle to rivulets and be come wholly dry; but here there are ever-flowing streams and lakes of pure fresh water, fed by never-failing springs. Ride where you will over this vast territory, and you are always in sight of a river, a creek, or a lake of purest water, where the waves break on pebbly beaches, and where thousands of water-fowl rear their young beneath the oaks and maples that fringe the rippling streams.

Beautiful as are the prairies of Illinois and Iowa, nature has been even more generous in her adornment of the Northwest. The larger lakes are bordered by parks and groves, pre-senting landscapes of indescribable beauty. Many a pioneer on this Northwestern verge of civilization may look out from the door of his log cabin on scenery as enchanting as any in Old England. True, there is no background of mountains, no rocky crag, or deep and tortuous defiles, but there are undulations, sunny slopes, gentle swells, rounded wood-crowned summits. looking down upon lakes and ponds, dotted with emerald islands, or clear waters dancing in the sunlight, or reflecting from the glassy surface the transcendent beauty of the landscape

This region is attractive not only because it has a productive soil and genial clime-not be cause there is great prospect of material wealth -but here nature has done much to promote that esthetic culture, without which a community never can reach the highest plane of civilization. Here, in coming years, on the borders of these lakes, costly mansions will be reared. Where now the pioneer feeds his pigs will be seen parks and lawns; where now the ground is encumbered with wrecks of carts and sleds, or seen parks and lawns; where now the is heaped with manure from the stable, will stand by and by works of art chiseled from finest marble.

WHITE BEAR LAKE.

Would that you could look down upon White Bear lake, and see it as I saw it day before yesterday from our camping-ground on a hill overlooking its northern shore. It stretches southward a distance of twelve miles, indented here and there by a wooded promontory-with sandy beaches sweeping in magnificent curves; with a wide path of woodland on the eastern shore overspreading the slope; with a green fringe of

to the valley of the upper Missouri. Think of it, young men of the East, you who are measuring off tape for young ladies, shut up in as tore through the long and wearisome hours barely earning your living. Throw down the yardstick and come out here, if you would be Let the fresh breeze fan your brow, take iold of the plow, bend down for a few years to hard work with determination to win and sucess will attend your effort.

Is this letter too enthusiastic? Will those who read it say "he has lost his head and gone daft out there on the prairies?" Not quite. I am an observer here, as I have been in other lands. I have ridden many times over the great States of the Northwest; have seen the riches of Santa Clara and Napa west of the Sierra Nevadas. have looked out over the meadows of Yang-te-ze and the Nile, and can say with honest convie tion, that for one who has had a home in New England, I have seen nowhere so inviting a field as that of Mihnesota-none with greater undeveloped wealth, none with such prospect of quick development. CARLETON,

NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs.

-The following additional business was transacted by the Labor Congress yesterday afternoon and evening:--

A report was agreed to demanding the repeal of laws forbidding combinations to "secure a fair day's wages for a fair day's work;" also one relating to questions of economic and statistical value, to be replied to quarterly by each labor organization. The Committee on Platform reported resolutions denouncing the national banking system; opposing the incor-poration of banks to circulate any notes other than legal tenders; declaring the pre-sent rate of interest excessive and oppressive; favoring an amendment of the revenue laws so as to protect the industrial in-terests; declaring for greenback payment, reduction of interest on the public debt, taxation of United States bonds, etc.; opposing land monopolies; pledging support to and asking the co-operation of the workingwomen; recommending the formation of labor unions and mechanics' institutes, and the creation of a department of labor at Washington: recommending co-operation and the adoption of the eighthour system: demanding the assessment of more taxes upon the wealth of the country; and demanding the same chartered privileges for working people's associations as are granted to associated capital. The report being read, Mr. Powers, of Massachusetts, moved an amend-ment, that "nothing herein contained shall be construed as a repudiation of the national debt." After some de-bate the amendment was defeated, and the report of the committee adopted. Nominations for officers were made. A report was agreed to denouncing the employment of convict labor, and a committee appointed to present a remedy for it at the next Congress. A resolution was adopted declaring that no citizen should be taxed until he owns a surplus of property eyond what is necessary to support and educate his family; also, a resolution recognizing no distinction of sex or color in the labor cause, After speeches by Southern and colored delegates the convention adjourned until this morning.

Domestic Affairs.

-Gold closed yesterday at 132% -President Grant is at Newport, R. I. -Secretary Robeson is to be publicly received at Eastport, Me.

mercial regards your election as Governor as an event tending to arouse old jealousies and animosities, and to revive the antagonisms of the

Mr. Pendleton (smiling) .- That is one of Mr. Halstead's articles, written very shrewdly, but for a purpose which lies underneath the surface. Mr. Halstead is a very able conductor of a very able newspaper, has strong convictions, and is in the main right on political theories. But his business is journalism. He makes his papers as the razor-strap man did hls razors-to sell. all our personal relations there has always existed the greatest cordiality and good feeling. But he has some friends whom he likes better than me, and if he can serve them by represent ing me as an old fogy or a reactionist, or an ultra State sovereignty man and a disunionist, he would think he was doing right in follow-ing that course. He knows that I am ing that course. He knows that I am not a reactionist, opposed to all reasonable pro-gress. He knows that I in 1865 urged to the best of my ability the adoption of the rule of negro testimony in Virginia and all the other Southern States. He knows that I have never advised the Southern reactle men the course advised the Southern people upon the course they ought to adopt on the question of reconstruction. I have thought that they were quite is able as either Mr. Halstead or myself to deeide what, under all the circumstances, it was best for them to do. They must bear the consequences, and I thought they were the proper persons to assume the responsibility. I have reolced in the success of the conservative men of Virginia and Tennessee. I do not think that Mr. Halstead can say as much or as sincerely. I have been opposed to negro suffrage in this State. and have given my reasons to the people upon the stump for that opposition. Mr. Halstead was then (in '67) in accord with me. I have een opposed, other than upon general principles, to the adoption of negro suffrage by 3.07 State in this Union. I have always believed that was constitutional and right that a State should possess this power and should exercise it if it saw fit. I have always been opposed to coercing any State to adopt it. With respect to the treatment of the negro race in our own State. I strongly favor the most liberal possible consistent with the due separation of the races and it is to the Democratic party of Ohio that the negroes owe their right of testimony and their excellent common school system.

He Declares that Grant has no Policy About Anything.

Reporter-What of General Grant's reconstruction policy and administration in general ? Mr. Pendleton-I never understood that Gene ral Grant had a policy about reconstruction, or in fact any policy concerning anything. The reconstruction policy of Congress, which con-sists in compelling the States to amend their State Constitutions and the Federal Constitution according to extreme radical ideas as the price at which they are to be relieved from military government, or what is even worse, the government of scalawags and carpet-baggers instituted and maintained by the Federal power, is, I think, essentially wrong and unconstitutional. On the subject of General Grant's appointments. I fear I cannot express myself as fully as would desire; and my desire for so doing is that when I cannot speak of the Chief Magistrate of my country in respectful terms, rather than do otherwise I prefer to be silent. I will say this much, however, that for any President to appoint men to office whose only qualifications con sist in being relatives or in having given His Excellency money and houses, is infamous. A man holding so exalted a position ought to be above conduct so detestable and shameful. Reporter—Then General Grant has not come

up to your expectations? Mr. Pendleton-I knew that he was not qualified for the position, but it did not enter my mind that things were going to be carried so far. It is a sad picture to contemplate, indeed.

-The tunnel of the Marietta (Ohio) Railroad is cut under a well of excellent water. The wel is as good as even and not a drop leaks through.

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Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. HAVNE DE GRACE, August 21.-The following boats left

Addie and Mattie, with coal, for Wilmington. Delaware, with lumber to L. Thoupson. Martha McConkey, with oats to A. G. Cattell & Co., and pig iron to Cabcen & Co.

Martin accounter, to a constrained of the constraint a cost and pig iron to Cabeen & Co. MEMORANDA. Steamer Rattlesnake, Beckett, for Philadelphia, sailed from Newburyport likh inst. Brig R.S. Hassell, Thombs, from Havana 5th inst. for Baltimore, passed Fortress Monroe 19th inst. Brig Amandale, Warren, hence for Hingham, at Holmes Hole 18th inst., and sailed again noxt morning. Brig Amandale, Warren, hence for Hingham, at Holmes Hole 18th inst., and sailed again noxt morning. Brig Amandale, Warren, hence for Hingham, at Holmes Hole 18th inst., and sailed form Gardiner 16th inst. Schr Subeam, McQueen, for Hartford; C.S. Porter, Thily, for West Haven: and Scud. Horner, for Middle-town, all from Treuton, at New York 19th inst. Schr K. H. Daly, Lampbear, from Providence, and Panthea, Hill, from Norwich, hoth for Philadelphia, at New York 19th inst. Schr A. M. Flanagan, hence for Charleston, before re-ported abore at Tybee, has been got off, and arrived at port of destination 19th inst. Schr Wim, E. Thomas, Winsumore, for Philadelphia, sailed from Marbiehead I'th inst. Schr Stachel, Seaman, and J. L. Wilden, Crowell, hence, at Providence 19th inst. Schr John S. Detwiler, Graze, for Philadeiphia, sailed from Nawburyport 18th inst. Schr S. Mary Mershon, Brightman, for Fall River;

Schr John S. Detwiler, Grace, for Philadeiphia, sailed frem Newburypert 18th inst. Schrs Mary Mershon, Brightman, for Fall River; Charles A. Greiner, Harvey, for Providence; Josephine, Ball, for Bridgeport; and Mary Anna, Burns, for Nor-wich, all from Philadelphia, at New York 19th Inst. Schrs Cornelia, Noyes, and Flight, Stone, hence, at Nor-

Schrs Cornena, Soye, folk 16th inst. Schr Franklin, Mull, hence for Boston, at Edgartowa.

Schr Frankin, Mult. Briefe for Boston, at Edgartown föth inst. Schr Abbie Bursley, hence for Boston, before erroneously reported totally lost on Block Island, was got off by the Atlantic Submarine Wrecking Co. and taken into New-port at 9.A. M. 19th inst. Schr Reading HR. No. 54, hence, at Norwich 18th inst.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Notice is hereby given that the upper two-thirds of Pen-scola Lighthouse Tower is now painted black, and the ower third white.

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