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BAMBOZLED.

The Conversion of Elder Pennibacker—He sees a vision which puts his feet on solid commercial ground.

PORT OFFIS, CONFRUNT X ROADS (Which is in the State av Kentucky), Aug. 15, 1868.—Yor to the world! Elder Pennibacker, wich, ever sence the Noo York Convenshuns, has bin a skeptic of a sorb-kind, is wunst more within the fold. There wus more rejoicin when he cum back than over all within the flock wich he wus a wearsalte lamb wich had gone astray. Like the prodigal son, we slept for him thre nights in successhun.

I wuz particularly pleased with his return. He wuz the kindest av men, and made the best corn whiskey in thisseckshun. He had alloz bin in the habit av sendin, sow and fodder, a jug to the Parsh at the Post Offis, but sence his disastifackshun and conseekin estrangement, these delikit attensshuns, so grateful to one in frail health, hev bin intermitted. But that is all over, thank Heven. Yesterday morning he come into the offis bearin that which to me is the most blessd av pieces offertiss, the old familiyer jar, wich setth down, he fell onto my neck and wept.

"Parson!" sed he, his voice quivrin with emotion, and tears chasin each other down his nose, "it's over. I've sinned and hev repented. Forgiv me!"

"Elder!" sed I, sasumin a dignified air, "he who departs from the paths av virtoo, holler av very much like a fuzzy, evidently made for peecular attacks, out av which Wode Hampton was a strainin and blowin the most ferosius and warlike sounds. The hed av the Bamboozler, on Seymore's head, and on he lookt closer he found it assumed the general appearance by the same it tried hard to keep the smooth melojus tones to which it was accustomed to hear, but the prim vo-ged Hampton, whose wind is inexhaustible, blowed skin strong blasts and fingered the holes so adroitly, that it played his tunes and his only.

Just beside him stood Sumner Blair playin a brass instrument wich wuz shaped so like Blare ex to be him, which instrument was call the trombone or bucher. Boregard had no trouble with it. It wuz ez discreeden ez truth av cotton ten, and it wuz splendidly adapted to the capassity av the player.

I give the dreem beneefoorth in the Elder's own wordss:

"Wat in thunder," sed I to a man wich seemed to be sort uv engineerin the concert, "wat in thunder is Seymore and Blair and sich ez them furnishin music for state Sothern Dimocracy for? Are we to be compelled to submit to the tool uv bondholders and to Federal sojers and sich? Ez for one, I will sooner die!

"Don't talk like an egregile ass," sed this man. "Hev'n't you any sense? Don't you see that Seymour and Blair are merely the instruments which are played upon by Boregard and Wade Hampton ez the individuals who furnish the wind and fingerin the holes? Look yonder—Blair—and the—Boogy Blue—Blair—is playin the trombone. He is emptyin the spacious and, ez, ez Boregard shoves out the trombone how it he hev bin playin on it all his life, which from former attachment to the instrument wuz close to it, and how sweetly the piper breds which is helm blowed, and how confined with his uv the instrument itself, hev smothered all when the processor would hev bin expected to hev. Miles O'Reilly it killed, and all that pestiferous breed of War Democrats, blin and deaf, and powered with it, flat onto their backs. Wey may possibly survive but they are so stoopefied that they wont git up till after their opportunity for truth in is passed.

"Then," sed the Elder, "my dream changed. Methaw the clockshun wuz over, and that we hed triumphed. I wuz to home in Kentucky. All hrew wus peace. Ez I wuz a-fixin my bed down ther tents like the Arabs, and silently stole away. The military wus withdrawn, and ther wus nothin blooe in the South, save and except the noise av the cow boyes, wich cudnot git away. The very air wus full av the goosts uv the dead Federal soljers in the south, all in their shrouds an expressin uv boomilishen ez tho they felt they hed bin manufactured into goosts for very considerable less than nothin, sided from bounty hed bin undone, and all lawes entrunchisin niggers and deprivin onn the suffrage wus handed. We wus free. Ther hed bin a general cleanin out uv Northern settlers, carpet-baggers and so on ontemptible sorts. I nestlt with infinit pleasure in a Pollock's store hed bill gutted, and Joe Sizer's corpse (he spoke this in a low tone, and lookin fearfly over his shoulder, ez if he wus afraid no one hered him) wuz a lyin on the Square.

"Sich av the niggers ez hed not enlisted, were at work under laws we had passed for em, regulatin labor, at an average $4 00 per month, and sich ez hed become too independent for that, hed either bin shot or sent off to the country. The Amendments, givin av em votes and sich, hed bin overruled, and in Tennessee and the other states they hed bin reduced to their normal speer, and the Sothern States went move in the hands uv sich patriots ez Forrest and sich. Brownlow hed bin hung, they hed mobbed Phillips, and Sumner which supported em scattered to the four winds. In the Corners all was peaceful. We hed diggers on our plantations before the war, and we, the rooler race, wuz relieved av the degradin labor which this entails a Christian for the enjoyment uv life. The country hevin bin nothin to do and plenty to live on, wuz perpetoosly gathered in front of Jacobs' public copper, runnin quarter-races, and ever and anon cosin in their manly amusements to quaff the fowin bolus which he supplied. We cood hear, any time, the cheerful yelp av hed-hounds and in the Swamp beyond the Run, chasin runaways, and ez ther wuz no longer any law agin ther shooting niggers, scarcely a day passed that one or more wuz not killed. My distillery wus a-runnin full blast, the smoke uv the torrent ascendin from its chimney forever. Oh, it was gorgeous!

"And ifs this to be?" asked I uv the disembodied spirit in Bishop Pole, which wus shoved it to me.

"All this and more," returned he. Thus will the South regain her lost rights. Thus will the lost cue be restored. Elect Seymore and Blair, and all will be well.

"At this pint I awoke," sed the Elder, "feelin how unpaid I hed allowed my sleep to git hold onto me, and how fearfully I hed departed. I were again back on my party ez the compass of a needle. What is a greenback to this? Wat is paysin a debt to one way or another when the cause uv the wallopin niggers, chasin Northern men and hevin our instooments back again? Wat is a mere greenback idea compared to the luxury uv hevin the entire Northern Dimocracy in our hands agin, for us to mould ez we will and do with ez we like? Why, I wouldn't give the luxury uv hevin a Noo Yorker on his knees alone me ez he ole, a month, much less a year, ez he will hev to pay for a century. Besides," and he hundled out afresh, "if Boregard wus made Seymore pipe Dixie, can't he also by different fingerin make the same tune play Hail Columbia Seymore? I shood say so. We hav em Parson—we hav em. Forgiv me!"

And we embraced and went and took a drink, and wept again for joy. Verily my way is now pleasant and my paths is made easy. In the appearance his joy will be kept by basket and my store—or rather my jug of disk—full for a month.

PETROLEUM V. NASBY, P. M.,
(Wich is Postmaster.)

—Two elderly ladies were contemplating one of the family of the Falconds at the Zoological Gardens in London. "There's a great hoss for you!" said one. "Get along with you, stoopid!" rejoined the other; "that's not a hoss, that's a Bloight." The controversy growing warm between them—"Ladies, interposed one of the officers of the society (a tall, stalwart Chamileon), "you need not quarrel, for you are both in the wrong. It is neither an howl nor a beagle; the bird before you is an ork."

AMUSEMENTS.

Coal Statement.

The following gives the shipments of coal over the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad for the week ending Aug. 25, compared with the same time last season:

	Week.	Year.
Shipped North	18,849 16	338,645 19
Shipped South	12,251 06	694,907 17
	27,181 02	1,033,550 07
For corresponding time last year:	Week.	Year.
Shipped North	7,825 12	763,276 12
Shipped South	17,311 15	833,931 11
Total	25,136 07	1,597,207 23
Decrease	2,054 05	71,656 16

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

On the steamship Ariadne, from Liverpool, Aug. 26, to Jas. Lowe—Mr and Mrs Ashton, Miss Ashton, Mr Wm Ashton and son, Mrs Anderson, Mrs O Hanson, Mr A P Smith, Mr Geo Ashton, Mr Kerr, Dr Tennebrek, Josiah Bibb, E Roesch.

IMPORTATIONS.

Reported for the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

SAVANNAH—Steamship Georgia, Lewis, 1500 tons coal to Jas S Wright, and 750 sundries to Bonsal, Sons & Co. Schr Ann Eliza, Smith, 1 day from Milford, 150 tons coal to Jones, Sons & Co. Schr Ann Eliza, Powell, 6 day, 80 bbls oysters to order; 16 do to Jones, Sons & Co; 20 bbls oysters to Wm Cooper & Sons; 10 do to Jones, Sons & Co; 10 do to Wm Cooper & Sons; 10 do to Jones, Sons & Co; 10 bbls oysters to Wm Cooper & Sons; 1 bbl mutat Miller & Bro; 1 Spanish Ponies to Cooper & Sons; 1 bbl oysters to drinks; 6 do to Stuck; wheat A Whitney & Son; sundry to Jones, Sons & Co.

NEW YORK—Schr Perry, Mathews—198 cds bdls cedar shingles T F Gaskill & Co.

ANNAPOLIS—Schr Ellen, Wentworth—27,000 feet spruce lumber 156,000 lathe 100,000 spruce shingles T F Gaskill & Co.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

Arrived.		Sailed.	
Baltimore	London	New York	Aug. 8
Cuba	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 12
Virginia	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 12
Cuba	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 12
Virginia	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
Cuba	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
City of Washington	Liverpool	New Orleans	Aug. 19
Saxonia	Southampton	New York	Aug. 19
Germania	Hamburg	New York	Aug. 19
Europa	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
France	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
Colorado	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
Colorado	Liverpool	New York	Aug. 19
Germania	Hamburg	New York	Aug. 20
City of Antwerp	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 20
Scotia	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 20
Scotia	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 20
Hammonia	New York	Hamburg	Aug. 20
Hammonia	New York	Hamburg	Aug. 20
Manhattan	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 26
Manhattan	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 26
Erin	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 26
Erin	New York	Liverpool	Aug. 26
Eagle	New York	Havana	Sept. 1
Eagle	New York	Havana	Sept. 1
Bremen	New York	Bremen	Sept. 1
Bremen	New York	Bremen	Sept. 1
Bremen	New York	Bremen	Sept. 1

BOARD OF TRADE.

JAMES WATSON, WM. H. JENKS, THOMAS POTTER, MONTHLY COMMITTEE.

MARINE BULLETIN.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA—AUG 27.

SUN RISES 5 42 | SUN SETS 6 35 | HIGH WATER, 10 8 AM

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer Tonawanda, Jennings, 20 hours from Savannah, with cotton and mdse to Jas A. Bell.

Steamer Lady of the Lake, Israham, 6 hours from Cape May, with passengers to catch. Passed in the bay one bark, name unknown; brig Samuel Welsh, from Cienfuegos, 31 days with sugar to captain, and others, bound up.

Steamer Fred. Pierce, 24 hours from New York, with mdse to Ludlam & Dowell.

Schr Porto Rico, Wagenworth, 8 days from Bangor, with lumber to Caldwell & Conrad.

Schr Ann Eliza, Smith, 6 days from Provincetown, with mdse to Calvin B Cpopper.

Schr John Thomas, 1 day from Leipsic, bdl, with grain to order.

Schr Ellen, Mabey, Boston.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Steamer H L Gaw, Jones, Baltimore, Sayers, Jr.

Bark Meridian, Cowen, Antwerp, John F Pearson.

Brig Trade Wind, Ingersoll, Cienfuegos, Wm Cornish.

Brig Ward Chipman, Chipman, Cienfuegos, Master.

Schr Glenwood, Lawrence, Fall River, do.

Schr Ann Eliza, Powell, Milford, do.

Schr Grace Watson, Nickerson, S Norwalk, do.

Schr Ellen, Mabey, Boston, master.

Schr Ann Eliza, Smith, Provincetown, Master.

Schr Porto Rico, Wagenworth, Bangor, Master