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Reading Matter on each page of this paper.

SURPLUS BREADSTUFFS.—The New York *Tribune* received yesterday has an article on the yield of wheat in this country which takes pretty much the same view as that presented by us; but the calculations of that paper are much less favorable to a surplus yield than ours. It estimates that the crop of 1855 was 110,000,000 bushels at the outside; that the wheat-consumers number twenty-one millions, and that each soul will consume the equivalent of 4½ bushels yearly.—This would require a supply of 94,000,000 bushels; and estimating the requisition for seed at *twenty-four* millions, the demand for home consumption would exceed the estimated yield by eight millions of bushels. Instead, therefore, of being the granary of the world, our storehouse is hardly sufficient for our own need.

The estimate of the *Tribune* is founded on the census returns of 1840 and 1850. In 1839, (the year on which the returns of 1840 are based,) the yield of wheat was 84,823,272 bushels; in 1849 it was 100,485,944: being equal to an average annual gain of 1,500,000 bush. Within this period it is remarkable that there was a decline of eight millions of bushels in eighteen of the States and territories, the remaining fourteen gaining about twenty-four millions.—The States in which this decline took place were mostly in the South. Taking the same rate of increase for the six years since 1849 will give us an aggregate of 110,000,000 bush. for 1855.

This estimate is under the mark, however, owing to two reasons. The first is that the year 1849, which furnished the figures for the census of 1850, was not a good wheat year, the yield being under the average; and the second is that since that time there has been more attention paid to wheat culture in those southern States which fall off in their productions between 1839 and 1849. Tennessee, Kentucky and Georgia this year produced very large crops of wheat, the seaboard markets, as well as our own, being witnesses. It is hardly fair, therefore, to base calculations for this year upon the slow rate of progress during the previous decade; especially since a steady foreign demand for several years has served to stimulate the cultivation of wheat much beyond what would be its ordinary extent. In the western and south-western States the increase in the breadth of land sown in that grain has much exceeded the proportion existing between 1839 and 1849.

While this is the case, however, with the new States, the old wheat-growing States, Pennsylvania, New York, Virginia and Ohio, which in 1849 produced more than half of the entire yield of that year, and which, from the very nature of things, must be the chief exporting States, are not capable of contributing much increase to the general total. They have but little new land to bring into cultivation, and cannot stimulate the old much above the previous average. They produced 52,680,872 bush in 1839, and could swell this to only 54,189,156 in 1849; and it is not probable that in 1855 they were much more than able to maintain this large total. The same may be said of nearly all the old, and some of the new States, such as Michigan.

In view of these facts, the most that can be claimed, under the circumstances prevailing during last harvest and after making a very liberal allowance for the rapid growth of the western States, is that the Wheat crop of 1855 reached the grand total of 120,000,000. The *Tribune* thinks if the crop was good, (which it was not,) it might reach 124000,000; and some western statisticians have set down 130,000,000 as the utmost sum allowable. We have no idea that it reached that amount; but if it did, an export of twelve millions of bushels would leave us bare at the incoming harvest.

In reality, there is probably no surplus wheat in the country. We will be exporters of that cereal, of course, and are now sending it out of the country freely, but we will have to find substitutes for it, to that extent, in other articles of consumption. Happily, these are plenty, and we can regard flour shipments without any dread of future scarcity to ourselves; but while we thus resort to substitutes, the continuance of these shipments will depend almost exclusively upon the maintenance of present or higher prices. Consumption increases as prices fall and decreases as they rise,

The discussion of such facts as these is eminently proper under our present peculiar circumstances as a nation. We are just escaping from a year of partial famine, to find not only an accelerated home demand as a consequence of it, but a foreign inquiry for wheat resulting from just such a crop-failure in Europe as we endured last year. To meet both these demands to the full is impossible; but, as prices rise according to the importunity of the demands, we shall be compelled to substitute cheaper articles of consumption for our own use, and our foreign customers will have to do the same. Already there is a large export of Rye going on; and Indian Corn, as soon as the new crop comes forward, will to a considerable extent take the place of wheat. While, therefore, the wants of all will in some sort be supplied, the extraordinary calculations of those who have figured out a huge surplus of wheat, and the dreams of those who have been anticipating a glutted market and cheap bread, will alike be overthrown.

The Tioga *Agitator*, a leading Republican paper in the northern part of this State, and which supported Nicholson heartily at the late election, speaks thus of the results of the contest:

"Know Nothingism has run itself into the ground and nobody feels bad about it except the passengers. It is hoped that the Order will subside into a mere religious institutionand give all its energies to the task of watching the Pope and Bishop Hughes. It is of no service politically except to help the enemy. In the hands of Judge Jessup and a few Harrisburgh schemers, it withdrew Fuemores Williamson and substituted Nicholson at the eleventh hour—thereby removing the true issue from before the people and substituting an issue of no possible consequence in the result. The election of Nicholson was really of no consequence to the cause we advocate. It mattered not what stripe of politician should be awarded three years' stealings as one of the Canal Board. The strength of the Republican party would have been fully exhibited in the vote for Williamson—it is not in the votes for Nicholson.

The Republican State Committee, just appointed by Judge Jessup is another lovely exemplification of Know Nothing diplomacy. It is composed of 25 persons, 19 of whom are *Know-Nothings!*—some of them the most active enemies of the Republican organization from the very start, and all, in fact, more or less hostile to the movement. To call this committee and give it an appearance of respectability, six known and good Republicans are placed on it, among whom are Judge Wilmot, John W. Howe and George Darsie. Now, we miss our guess if these six Republicans do not find themselves in a remarkably uniform minority whenever called upon to act if they consent to act at all.

It is very certain that the Republican party will not lend its aid to the renomination of either Wilggery, humkerism or Know-Nothingism. State Committees cannot sell the people; and we move that at the next Convention *some man with unimpeachable backbone—one that can stand the strain of a dozen Baltimore Conventions*—be made its President.

PUTNAM'S MAGAZINE for November has been laid on our table. The table of contents is rich and varied, and the high character of the magazine will maintained. For sale by Gildenfanny & Co. and Miner & Co.

NEW YORK.—The election in New York takes place on Tuesday next. The lines are becoming distinctly drawn, and although it is impossible to decide absolutely which side will win, the prospects, to our mind, seem very favorable to the Republicans. Their State Ticket is supported by nearly every Whig press in the state, and by over twenty democratic papers; and very many leading democrats have committed themselves to its support.

John Van Buren boasts, in a letter to the Washington *Union*, that the "Soft" democratic ticket will have 50,000 plurality, at the least.—Such boasts, however, are but poor bases for building conclusions upon. The same John Van Buren boasted in 1848 that his father would carry New York by over so many thousands; instead of which he was beaten by about 100,000.

The Washington *Union* publishes a late speech of this erratic individual, made in St. Lawrence county, New York, for the purpose of retaining the anti-Slavery democrats of that locality within the party ranks. The speech abounds in strong passages, denouncing the pro-Slavery course of the National administration, and expressing hostility to the extension of Slavery; and the *Union*, in commenting on it, bids adieu to him and the party in whose name he speaks. It declares that the national democratic party can have no affiliation with men holding such views; and while it does "not assume to read him out of the party," yet with a sorrowful heart it proclaims that he has "read himself out." This, too, in the face of its own declaration, uttered not many months since, "that an agreement of opinion on the subject of slavery between Northern and Southern men is an impossibility," and therefore not to be aimed at. The *Union* is determined that the President's party shall not be tainted with men who are suspected by the South.

In this connection it is proper to give some revelations lately made by the Albany *Atlas*, a "Soft" organ. It says:

"It will be remembered that while the Kansas bill was pending, General Armstrong, publisher of the *Union* and printer to Congress, died. It became necessary to elect a successor, and Gen. Nicholson became the Administration candidate. A small number of members met in caucus and placed him in nomination. Others of the Democratic members refused to participate in the meeting, and without their concurrence the election of the Administration candidate was deemed exceedingly uncertain. What was done? The refractory members were convoked, and a distinguished gentlemen of this State was authorized to assure them, in the most solemn manner, *both on behalf of the President and Gen. Nicholson, that in no event should the Nebraska Kansas bill be made a party test*, nor should support of, or opposition to, the bill in any wise *affect the standing of the parties with the Administration or the Democratic Party*.

The pledge was accepted. The election was made, and the editors of the *Union* from that day to this have been in the uninterrupted possession of the thousands lavished by Congress upon the printer; and now that the consideration has been paid, the pledges are falsified. And we, and those who think with us, are coolly told that we must consent to swallow the Kansas bill with all its practical abominations, on pain of being excluded from the "Democratic brotherhood."

We are not without hope that such developments as these, together with the sneering tone in which the President's organ announces that it is a matter of utter indifference to the Administration whether the "Softs" are successful or defeated, will have their proper effect in driving over the whole mass of anti-Slavery democrats in the State into the Republican ranks.

GEN. PIERCE IN THE FIELD.—The indications thicken that Gen. Pierce will be a formidable candidate for re-nomination before the forthcoming Democratic National Convention. In Massachusetts several delegates have already been chosen favorable to him, and from the resolutions of one of the meetings we quote the following:

"*Resolved*, That while we are proud to know that there are in the democratic ranks many statesmen whose tried integrity, known ability, and commanding influence, will undoubtedly suggest their names as candidates for the chief magistracy during the next presidential term, and while we shall heartily concur in, and earnestly support, the nomination made by the National Convention, it seems to us that the interests of the country and the success of our principles will be promoted by the re-nomination of President Pierce, believing, as we do, that the people will endorse that nomination at the polls as triumphantly as they did in 1852."

The President thinks he can carry the entire South, in the National Convention, and so, with the aid of such Northern delegates as he can pick up here and there, secure the nomination. We hope he may. But the man who leans on the South for support, trusts to a broken reed. Daniel Webster relied upon it to secure *his* nomination in the last Whig national Convention, and the mortification of his failure went with him to his grave.

The South is not without aspirants for the same prize, but the contest will probably be confined mainly to northern men. Prominent among the competitors will be Messrs. Buchanan and Dallas of this State, Dickinson and Marcy of New York, and Gen. Cass. If the President can thrust these all aside in his own behalf he will accomplish a gigantic work; but pray, is it worth his while?

ACCUMULATED CONTEMPT.—Judge Kane, in the late hearing concerning Passmore Williamson, expressed a great fear that any leniency shown to an individual committed for contempt would lead to repetitions of the offence. "What," he asks,—"what security can the Court have that there will not be accumulated contempts?" We beg to suggest to the Judge that his concern on this score comes too late. He has accumulated upon his head all the contempt which it is possible for one mortal man to endure.

GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE for November has just been received by mail. It presents a fine array of contributors, and is full of good reading.—Published by R. H. See & Co., Philadelphia, at $3,00 per annum.

BLACKWOOD'S MAGAZINE for October, is received. It contains some very fine articles. For sale by Gildenfanny & Co., and Miner & Co.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Diseases of the Liver—When the celebrated Dr. Rush declared that drunkenness was a disease, he enunciated a truth which the experience and observation of medical men is every day confirming. The many painful and dangerous diseases of those who indulge in the use of spirituous liquors, may be thus accounted for. The true cause of conduct, which is taken for intoxication, is very frequently a diseased state of the Liver. No organ in the human system, when deranged, produces a more frightful catalogue of diseases. And it, therefore, of applying remedies to the manifestations of disease, as is too often the case, physicians would prescribe with a view to the original cause, fewer deaths would result from diseases induced by a deranged state of the Liver. Three-fourths of the diseases enumerated under the head of Consumption, have their seat in a diseased Liver. (See Dr. Gunn's great works.)

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BANK OF PITTSBURGH, Oct. 19, 1855.

AN election for thirteen Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on Monday, the 12th day of November next, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

JOHN SNYDER, Cashier.

MECHANICS' BANK, Pittsburgh, Oct. 18, 1855.

AN Election for thirteen Directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the Mechanics' Bank of Pittsburgh, on the third Monday of November next, at the hour of 10 A. M.

SEN. D. RAMSEY, Cashier.

MECHANICS' BANK, PITTSBURGH,
August 21st, 1855.

THE Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Pittsburgh are hereby notified that the 3d instalment of $12,50 per share will be due on the 10th of Oct. next; and the 4th and last instalment of $12,50 per share on the 20th Nov. following, as per resolution of the Board of Directors, payable at the Banking House, on 6th street

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BUTTER—10 firkins W. R. packed Butter, just rec'd and for sale by
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