



The Pitiful Whinnings of the Democrat.

On Saturday last, about 10 o'clock in the forenoon, there appeared in our office rather an obscure looking sheet, bearing for its title "COLUMBIA DEMOCRAT," which has for its spokesman an individual whose name is Levi L. Tate. This professes to make himself appear more ridiculous by issuing his paper, time and again, with labored editorials...

In the first place he ever charged for everything he done for them. (They both patronized his machine when they first came into office.) At one time he charged the Sheriff in a certain matter FORTY TWO DOLLARS!

The Westminster Review for October has just been issued, is a very full number, and remarkable for the variety and general attractiveness of the subjects discussed. Witness the following table of Contents: Militia Forces; Rousseau, his Life and Writings; Spiritual Freedom; Modern Poets and Poetry of Italy; Physical Geography of the Atlantic Ocean; Garibaldi and the Italian Volunteers; Tennyson's Idylls of the King; Bonapartism in Italy. On the scope and treatment of these articles there is no room for comment in a passing notice...

The Baltimore Election Repeated.—The Baltimore "Exchange," of Thursday, says: "It gives us pleasure to be able to state, on good authority, that the rumor which has been in circulation for some days, to the effect that Judge Kemp has declined to recognize the validity of the recent election, by accepting his commission as one of the Judges of the Orphans Court chosen at that occasion, is correct."

LADIES' AMERICAN MAGAZINE.—This very popular Magazine has just been issued for December. We have a copy of this most excellent work before us; it surpasses all former numbers, both in literature and illustrations. It is the last number in the present volume. Now is a good opportunity to subscribe—commence with the January number. We would direct attention to the prospectus of this work in another column of the STAR. Give it a careful perusal.

The Williamsport Press, in noticing an accident on the Williamsport and Elmira railroad last week, says: "During the running of the Elmira Express Train on Tuesday evening last, near McKinney's Station, five miles above Williamsport, a sad affair occurred by which a man named Daniel B. Evans, lost his life. From evidence before the Coroner's jury it is supposed the victim was under the influence of liquor, and unconsciously sat down on the track and fell over, the lower part of his body resting on the rail."

LADIES' HOME MAGAZINE, published by T. S. Arthur & Co., at Philadelphia, for two dollars a year in advance, is the best Magazine for the family circle we receive. The December number is already on hand with a very choice lot of contents. It is the best number in the present volume. Now is an excellent time to subscribe. Those in want of a first-class Magazine had better avail themselves of this opportunity. See to it at once.

FRED DOUGLAS published a letter in his paper last week, in which he bids America farewell. He goes to England to escape arrest on charge of treason. His paper will be continued during his absence.

Southern Sentiment.

A large number of persons at the North who are excellent citizens, who prize the advantages of the Union above all prices, and who would vote against, and if need be fight against, any party that should raise the disunion standard, are nevertheless incredulous whenever the subject of danger to the Union is introduced. They have heard the story so often, and connected it with a small coterie of southern sectional agitators, that they regard it as nothing more than a cry to frighten the timid. This Union has heretofore endured all the assaults of northern and southern fanatics, and for this reason they believe that it will withstand them for all time to come. They cannot comprehend how any political action at the North can exasperate the South to such a degree as to induce all parties there to agree that they are no longer safe as members of this confederacy. This false state of security is an evil which results from an entire misconception of the state of feeling at the South. Much as we deplore it, we cannot shut our eyes to the evidence that the South as a whole—not the insignificant fire eaters who are opposed to the continuance of this Union on any terms—but the conservative, Union-loving South—regards the election of a sectional President upon the ground of opposition to southern institutions, as the utmost limit of forbearance, and the point where a violent rupture of the Union must occur. Recent events have had the effect of reconciling antagonisms and concentrating the most moderate southern opinion upon this position. As an evidence of the truth of this statement, we give the following extract from a late article in the Richmond Whig, representing the Opposition party in Virginia. The Whig says:

"The triumph of the Seward party in the great State of New York affords occasion for alarm and apprehension to every lover of the Union, North and South, East and West. We make no threats, and we indicate no line of policy to the South, but it is proper to inform the northern people, with calmness and candor, that the election of William H. Seward to the Presidency would be followed, according to our judgment, and belief, by an almost instant secession of the Southern States from the Union. We entirely pass over the question at present, whether it would be the part of wisdom and patriotism or not for the Southern States to resist the Seward Administration, and to refuse submission to the inauguration of a President, elected in accordance with the forms of the Constitution. Nor is it necessary to state, even though we know exactly what will be our own course in the event of Seward's election. We can only state that we firmly and religiously believe that the Southern States will not submit to the inauguration of Seward as President of the United States. We go further, and say that the Southern States will not submit to the inauguration of any Black Republican President whatever—that is, any man elected by the Republican party, as such, in its capacity of a separate and distinct political and sectional organization. In such an event, we believe all the Gulf States, with one accord, and at the same moment, will go out of the Union, and set up for themselves, and that the other Southern States, Virginia included, will ultimately, if not immediately, take precisely the same step. We confess that, until recently, we have never so believed, or thought, or dreamed; but there is now no mistaking the temper and purpose of the southern people, and the ominous signs of the times."

The Whig is not alone in expressing such views. They are identical with others from moderate southern sources. It would be blind infatuation for us to disregard them or dismiss them with contempt, as do the Republican newspapers, who regard the dissolution of the Union as not the worst evil that could overtake this country. But we should profit by these warnings. There is always danger in injustice.

Terrible and Fatal Accident.

Last evening a horrible and fatal accident occurred on the 6:15 train, at or near the railroad bridge on the Erie Canal, between Geddes and this city, by which a lady passenger was instantly killed, and her remains mutilated in a horrible manner. Her name was Mrs. Susanah Knight, and a widow woman, about 54 years of age. She was in company with her father-in-law, and had been visiting at his house at Arlington, Vermont, and was now on her return home, about six miles from Girard Station, on the Cleveland and Erie Railroad, in the State of Pennsylvania.

As we learn the facts from the railroad men and her father-in-law, who was an eye-witness to the sad and horrible accident, they are these, viz: On the arrival of the train from the East, as is customary, the last coach in the train, where Mrs. Knight, and her father-in-law were sitting, was cut off, and the passengers directed to take the forward car. In accordance with instructions, they sought a seat in the next car forward, but finding none, they proceeded to the next, and so on to the next, without finding a seat.

The train by this time was under good headway, and the old gentleman tried to persuade his daughter-in-law from going further for a seat, but to wait till the conductor came along, but she thought she would try the next car, and in attempting to cross the platform she made a mis-step, the night being dark, and fell between the cars just as the train had crossed the bridge above mentioned, and was immediately killed. Her head was completely severed from her body, and found about two rods distant from where the melancholy accident occurred.—Syracuse Journal, 15th.

We learn from the Pittsburgh Chronicle, that Thomas G. Rutherford, late Superintendent of the Pittsburgh House of Refuge, has been convicted of adultery with the girls under his official care. The indictment against him contained six counts, on four of which he was convicted.

In New Jersey the other day a young couple while courting by the fire fell asleep. While asleep the young lady's dress took fire, as soon as they awoke, the young man made every exertion to extinguish the fire, but without success. The young girl rushed out of the door enveloped in a sheet of flames, which continued to burn until her clothing was all consumed. The young man will probably be crippled in the hands for life.

Star of the North.

W. P. Telford's Position. FRIEND JACOBY:—I have read the Columbia Democrat of October 14th, which I received by the personage above named, in which he decidedly backs the Democratic party, and sends it abroad with the public press. He remarks that he has not been trained to the use of bills of lading, etc. We can all see that he has not been trained, it has been an impulse of feeling, for though he often attempts to use and apply it, he fails. He says in conclusion that, "he is unable to answer it." Well he may be, for an attempt to do so, would only involve him deeper in guilt. Now, after this back-out, what position does he occupy? Said a respectable gentleman to me, a few days since, while in Columbia county, "I would not occupy the position Mr. Telford does for five thousand dollars—no," said he, "money could not tempt me to stand where he stands in the eyes of a candid public."

Said another person, to one of my friends, and in the presence of a number of persons, after having read both sides, "it was cowardly attack, and Mr. Noble would not have done the company justice had he failed to reply to it, etc." What I have here penned are but a few of the expressions of the many who have noticed the articles. I do not wonder that the man (for gentleman I can call him no longer) feels sore and worried, for I assure you his position is an unenviable one. Look at it:

- 1. He falsely calls many of the residents of upper Fishingcreek, "Unitarians, Millenarians," etc., when I have proven that there is no society of either class on the waters of Fishingcreek, nor never has been one.
2. He writes a slanderous account concerning the Episcopalians and their "Drunk Bishop," sends it to the press, when some older and wiser person caused its suppression.
3. He falsely states that I scandalized the worshippers at the "Old Log Church."
4. He states to a person in Cambria, that my discourse referred to, "was a good one, he could find no fault with it," etc. Then publicly declares it was a "scoundrel affair." Here is a positive falsehood in one case or the other.
5. He makes no mention, what I did not, at that, or any other time.
6. He quotes from my article what I never wrote; what does not appear there.
7. He compares himself with Sir Isaac Newton, St. Paul, and all the good and great, when none of them ever occupied the position he does, but were all lovers of the truth, and despised liars.
8. He pretends to be educated, when his own composition and spirit show that he has failed to acquire the knowledge most needed in his case. "Know thyself!"
9. In short, he indulges in misrepresentation and slander, as though his whole study were to take his course and follow him to his private walks, I could say more; I could tell of a certain professed preacher who indirectly begged the privilege of preaching the funeral sermon of a person, when, as yet, the deceased was hardly cold in death, but I'll not enter into this spirit; I'll leave it to Mr. T. Such a course comports best with a talent and education like his. One word of advice to the young man, and I close: Never undertake anything again unless you are sure you can accomplish it. My prayer is that you may be converted from the error of your ways and become a good Christian. J. G. NOBLE, Monroeton, Nov. 14, 1859.

The daughter of a wealthy Albany merchant was found dead drunk in the streets of that city a few days ago. She is said to be beautiful and accomplished but has become so addicted to drinking that she gets intoxicated whenever she has an opportunity. Holloway's Pills, invaluable to persons afflicted with diseases of the Liver and stomach—The virtue of these Pills, having been tested in all parts of the civilized world, particularly by the citizens of the Union, renders it needless to expatiate upon their merits; the thousands who have derived benefit from them in each and every one of the States, being sufficient to convince the most incredulous. All those who are afflicted with liver and bowel complaints; indigestion, sick headaches, and dizziness, cannot make use of a remedy so certain in its results as Holloway's Pills; for determination of blood to the head their effect is equally positive. They are also an unfailing remedy for asthma, if used in conjunction with Holloway's Ointment, which must be well rubbed into the chest night and morning.

MARRIED. On November 10th, by the Rev. D. M. Henkel, M. LAWRENCE HUX, to Miss CHARLOTTE MELLER, both of Danville. On Tuesday evening, the 15th inst., by Rev. Wm. Goodrich, MR. JOHN F. HUTCHINSON, to Miss ESTER ANN BRIGHT, both of Fishingcreek Tp., Columbia County, Pa.

DIED. In Bloomsburg, on Saturday the 19th inst. Mrs. ANN COONAN, aged about 35 years. On November 11th, at the residence of H. L. Grosse, Mrs. LOUISE E. ELLENBERG, aged 62 years. Near Paxinos, Northumberland co., on the 20th ult., Henry E. MARTZ, aged 30 years, 3 months, and 2 days. In Philadelphia, on the 1st of November, JOSEPH WARNER, aged 76 years.

REVIEW OF THE MARKET. CAREFULLY CORRECTED WEEKLY. WHEAT, \$1 20 BUTTER, 20; RYE, 75 EGGS, 16; CORN, new 50 OLD, TALLOW, 12; OATS, 35 LARD, 12; BUCKWHEAT, 50 POTATOES, 37; FLOUR pr. bbl. 6 00 DR'D APPLES, 2 00; CLOVERSEED, 5 00 HAMS, 12.

Executor's Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the estate of Daniel Merkle, late of Fishingcreek township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Columbia County, to the undersigned residing in Briar creek township, said county. All persons indebted to the estate of the decedent are requested to make payment forthwith to the undersigned Executor. And those having claims or demands against the estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement to JOHN YOST, Executor. Briar creek, Nov. 23, 1859.

Administratrix's Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Reuben Eckert, late of Scott township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Columbia Co., to Catharine Eckert, who also resides in Scott township, Columbia co. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent are requested to make them known to the Administratrix without delay, and all persons indebted to the estate to make payment forthwith to CATHERINE ECKERT, Administratrix. Scott, Nov. 23, 1859.

PHILADELPHIA. Sharpless Brothers. HAVE a complete Stock of Merinos, Mouselines, and thick Dress Goods—Fancy Silks and Robes, much reduced in price. Goods for Friends' wear, in every variety. BLANKET AND BROCHE SHAWLS, Children's Shawls, Cloak Velvets, Cloth Cloaks and Cloakings, Velvet Poppets, Wide Chineries, Foulard Robes. Goods adapted for Christmas Presents. Furnishing Goods, Blankets, Towellings, Quilts, selected Flannels, Tickings, Muslins, Sheetings, Cloths, Vestings, Cassimeres, in great variety. CHESTNUT AND EIGHTH STS. November 23, 1859-2m. HENRY ROSENSTOCK, Sky-Light Ambrotypist, ROOMS in the Third Story of the Exchange Block, (entrance above the Book Store), Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa. Bloomsburg, Nov. 23, 1859-1y.

Public Sale OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY. The undersigned, Executor of the Estate of Rosanna Vananter, late of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises, on THURSDAY, the 1st day of December, 1859, at 1 o'clock, in the afternoon, the following described Real Estate and Personal Property, to wit:

ONE TOWN LOT. Situate on Iron Street, North Bloomsburg, containing about 50 feet front and 150 in depth, wherein are erected a Two Story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, coal house, smoke house, and other outbuildings, with an excellent Well of Water near the house. The lot is in good condition, with some fruit trees upon it. The personal property consists of the following: One Settee, two Bureaus, three pair of Bedsteads and Bedding, sixty yards of Carpet, Tables, Stands, two sets of Chairs, one Cupboard, looking Glasses, a lot of Dishes. ONE PARLOR STOVE AND PIPE, nearly new, iron Kettles and pots, with a good variety of other articles too numerous to mention. Conditions will be made known on day of sale by ENOS JACOBY, Bloomsburg, Nov. 23, 1859. Executor.

LADIES' AMERICAN MAGAZINE. NEW VOLUME, JANUARY, 1860. The Publisher to his Subscribers. In presenting the Third Volume of the Ladies' American Magazine, the Publisher trusts that all will admit he has more than published the promises he made. The present volume numbers among its contributors some of the most popular names in American Literature, and in addition to these, the names of others of equal eminence, who will contribute to its contents as well as the services of a gentleman of the highest literary attainments to conduct the Editorial Department.

THE FASHION AND WORK-TABLE DEPARTMENT. Will remain under the charge of Mrs. Pullan, undoubtedly the most competent lady in America, whose instructions are distinguished for their clearness and practicality. The Illustrations of this Department are worthy of notice; in respect to which the Magazine is in advance of all its contemporaries. The Publisher also has arranged with Messrs. Capwell & Kimmel, the first fashion cutters in America, to furnish ORIGINAL ILLUSTRATIONS AND COLORED FASHION PLATES, monthly, the beauty and accuracy of which cannot be surpassed, and may be relied on, being received from Paris and London in advance of all other publications in the country.

By virtue of several writs of alias venditioni movendi, No. 14, of Dec. Term, 1859, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, I will expose to public sale or vendue, at the COURT HOUSE, in Bloomsburg, on MONDAY, the 5th day of DECEMBER, 1859, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain lot of ground situate in Light Street, Scott township, Columbia county, bounded as follows, to wit: On the west by Main Street of said town, on the north by lot of James Michael, on the east by an alley, on the south by lot of William Pritchard, containing fifty feet in front, and one hundred and sixty feet in depth, wherein is erected a two story frame dwelling house, a frame shop, a frame stable and other outbuildings, with the appurtenances. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Robert B. Warden.

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