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Just in Season! GIVE US A CALL!—The undersigned have just received from the cities an immense stock of CLOTHING...

Shawls! Shawls! AT SCHOOL'S. Broche, (long and square), Printed Cashmere Shawls, Stella, Thibet, and De Laine do.

Removals. THE undersigned, being the authorized person to make removals into Ever Green Cemetery...

Removal. THE subscriber has removed his Plough and Machine Shop from the Foundry building...

Gas! Gas! Gas! THE undersigned has a large stock of natural gas, which he is ready to furnish...

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POETS' CORNER.

NOT ALL A FLEETING SHOW. "This world is all a fleeting show, For man's illusion given..."

This world's not all a fleeting show For man's illusion given. He that hath soothed a widow's woe...

And he who walks life's thorny way With feelings calm and even, Whose path is lit from day to day...

He who the Christian course hath ran, And all his foes forgiven, And measured out life's little span...

On earth hath tasted Heaven.

MISCELLANY.

Return of the Jews to Palestine. To the student of the Bible and Church history...

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Asking too Much.

A little boy, "well in his boots," for the first time, and very proud of them, said to his mother...

"Why, my son, what makes you ask that? perhaps he did wear boots, my dear, we don't know."

"No, he didn't, because the Bible says that the voice came out of the burning bush to him to take off his shoes."

There was no reply to this "clinger."

The Indianapolis Sentinel venches for the following: A young gentleman from the city went down to Southport yesterday, on a collecting tour...

Why the Prince of Wales Visits America.—The young lady about whom the love troubles of the young Prince of Wales have begun...

New Orleans to Supply the North with Peaches.—It is expected that the peach crop of Louisiana, this year, will be so large that the New Orleans market will be over-run...

The Delinquent from Texas to Chicago.—A justice agent of a New York firm, in his travels in Texas...

The Scripture Rule as to Divorce.—The Methodist Conference now in session at Buffalo, N. Y., has resolved that the marriage relation can only be dissolved by a violation of the seventh commandment...

A woman should never, under any circumstances whatever, lose her temper.—Might as well tell the wind not to blow on a March day...

A Virginia paper records the marriage of Miss Jane Lennon to Mr. Ebenezer Sweet, whereupon our "devil" moralizes as follows:

How happy the extremes to meet In Love and Esteem; For she's no longer sour, but sweet, And he's a lemon-squeezer.

An old fellow who became weary of his life, thought he might commit suicide, but he did not wish to go without forgiving his enemies...

The moanest man in the world lives in M.—He buttons his shirt with wafers, and looks at his money through a magnifying glass.

A young lady of Cincinnati, just returned from Europe, says that an aristocratic Englishman asked her if Cincinnati was a slave State.

Along the Susquehanna and Juniata valleys, says the "Pennsylvanian," the grain crops were never more promising.

The Hartford (Conn.) Times says in that region the promise of fruit was never more abundant.

The seventeen-year locusts have appeared in the vicinity of Fredericksburg, Va.

What trees are those which, when the fire is applied to them, are exactly what they were before? Ashes.

The Kansas Legislators granted one hundred and fifty bills in forty days. What a glorious place for dissatisfied wives and husbands!

Philadelphia has nineteen passenger railway companies whose receipts are from seven to eight thousand dollars a day.

Democrats! Be true to your own party organization, and leave those who do not like it to form a better one if they can.

Wentworth, of the Chicago Democrat, says Lincoln's name is Abraham, not Abram, and so says the Congressional Directory.

They have no old maids in Japan. When the girls don't get married voluntarily, the authorities hunt up a husband, and make them marry, will or not willing.

Queen Victoria has caused Phipps Alfred to be prohibited from smoking on shipboard.

Hard Battered Without Ice.

To have delightfully hard butter in summer, without ice, the plan recommended by the Scientific American...

Plug the hole of the flower-pot with a cork, then drench the flower-pot with water, set in a cool place until morning...

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The whole day was spent in laborious and fruitless search after the body, but it could not be found—She was an amiable and beautiful girl, about fifteen years of age.

Her mother had gone to the city of Baltimore on a visit, and had left her daughter in charge of the household affairs.

She was on her way to church when the melancholy and distressing accident occurred.

A Great Race in Virginia.—It is rumored that the match between the race-horses Daniel Boone and Planet, over the Ashland course, Virginia, for \$20,000 on the latter, against \$15,000 on the former, has been made, and will come off on the 12th of October next.

The Growing Crops.—Intelligence in regard to the crops is generally of a cheering character. The late rains have been of incalculable advantage throughout the country, particularly at the northwest.

The Japanese think that oyster soup is the finest American institution that they have yet seen. They call the hotel waiters "oyster gentlemen."

The expenditure of England, in 1860, for military and naval defenses, will amount to \$150,000,000.

When one sin is admitted, it is generally found that it has a companion waiting at the door; and the former will work hard to gain admission for the latter.

When is a chair like a lady's dress? When it is set in.

BE KIND.

A little word in kindness spoken, A motion or a tear; How oft hath soothed a heart never broken, And made a friend sincere.

A pleasant face, a kindly greeting, Both oft assuage the grief, And bring to hearts in sadness beating, Immediate relief.

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ATROCIOUS CONFEDERACY OF PUBLIC ROBBERY.

There is a party in the Irons, tea drinking to secure the reins of the Federal Government; and if it succeeds in doing so, our institutions will sustain a shock that may scatter them as seeds before the wind.

A large portion of this party may be found in the great State of New York, where they have had for some years almost complete control of every department of the State Government.

It will they have succeeded, the quotation above—"Atrocious Confederacy of Public Robbers"—abundantly shows. The Legislature of that State is spoken of in such language by the New York Tribune, which is very good authority, for Greeley knows all about the workings of Republicanism.

"The Legislature—let us be reverently thankful for all meritorious—has not journeyed at last! And we do not believe it possible that another body so reckless not merely of right but of decency—not merely corrupt but shameless—will be assembled in our halls of legislation within the next ten years."

But look at the crowning infamy of the passage of bill after bill over the Governor's vetoes—vetoes based on considerations which ninety-nine of every hundred who read them will say were absolutely impregnable. Look at the bills which barely failed, and judge whether legislation so manifestly corrupt, legislative morality so palpably bribery never before known to?"

In Pennsylvania, also, the Republicans are very strong. Let us so what is thought of the last Legislature they elected. Greeley, also, says: "Never in the history of Pennsylvania has a session been marked by more corrupt, wicked intrigues than the present. Every good citizen feels the blush of honest indignation tingling his cheek when he thinks of their proceedings. No measure, however beneficial, could stand the slightest chance of passing unless by profuse expenditure of money. Almost every man, with some noble exceptions, had his price, and if common rumor be true, it was an enormous price. If it would not give him a vote, he would secure prospective profits were just as good."

Now, if Republicanism in State Governments is so completely corrupt, what may be expected if it should ever get control of the Federal Government?—Hagerstown Mail.

The Democratic minority of the New York Legislature have issued an address to the people of that State exposing the misdeeds of the Republican majority. Among the measures noticed is a proposition to amend the constitution of the State so as to confer upon negroes the right of voting. We quote that part of the address as an evidence of the drift of the Republican party, where it has undisputed power:

"Republicans in Favor of Negro Suffrage.—The present Legislature has consummated a work which was begun at the organization of the Republican party, and which, interrupted by accident or design, is now ready to be submitted to the people. We refer to the alteration of the constitution, so as to admit negroes to free and equal suffrages with white citizens. The question has been repeatedly determined by the people upon a direct vote; and upon the adoption of the constitution of 1846 it was negatively decided by a vote of 223,886 against to 85,306 in its favor."

"What was characteristic in this vote was that the counties on Long Island and the Hudson, were a considerable portion of the colored population remain, were hostile to such admission, just in proportion to the number of this class among them; while the counties on the northern border and in the west, which do not harbor any of this class, were strongest in the expression of a desire for this association."

"We believe the judgment of the people will be declared now on the side of those who spoke and acted from a knowledge of the unfitness of this class for citizenship. They will recognize it as the first step in an attempt to introduce an inferior race into our militia, our jury box, our common law process, and our public offices. If the white class could overcome their repugnance to such an association, they would still hesitate from motives of policy and patriotic duty at arming with political power an exceptional class of the population, whose prejudices and sympathies place them in an attitude of hostility to the constitution. A portion of those whom it is proposed to incorporate into the electoral body are fugitive slaves from the South; and the legislation of this winter, partially consummated, was designed to increase their number, by offering to such fugitives the protection of the State authorities, in defiance of the Federal Constitution."

"That the great body of the electors of the State will fall to the side of the Democrats, and vote against the proposed amendment, which is intended to recruit the ranks of fanatical Abolitionism for its war upon the constitution, the undersigned will not permit themselves to doubt."

"The proposed infusion of this black element into the electoral body, has never been petitioned for by the people. In this, as in other instances, the Republican majority have set themselves up above the people, and have originated measures of legislation seriously affecting the personal and social rights of citizens, which have never been petitioned for or discussed before the public, or received any marks of popular approval."

Is he Qualified?—An Important Question.—The Memphis Enquirer says: "Of all the men we have ever known, and we know him well, we think Hamlin the most appropriate nominee upon the Black Republican ticket—for, in all the requirements of mind, manners, morals, form, features, complexion, woolly hair and