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OUR BOOK TABLE.

PLAN OF THE CREATION, or Other Worlds and who Inhabit them; by Rev. C. L. Heyneburg.

A new, original, deeply interesting work, Commencing with the infancy of Creation; the Author treats of the Mission of Christ as related to the Subject; considers the existence of Evil; the indication afforded in the Saviour's Humanity of the beneficial design of Evil;

DURATION OF THE PROLETARIAN SYSTEM: The Resurrection; The Duration of the World; The Wisdom of God in the Concealment of these Events; Termination of Evil; Destiny of Man etc. etc. I Volume 12mo., 400 pp. Price \$1. Phillips, Sampson & Co., 13 Winter street Boston.

THE GENEESE FARMER.—The June number of this popular agricultural and horticultural journal is received. It is unnecessary to commend the Farmer. It has been published for twenty-eight years in the heart of "the Geneece country," and its friends and readers are seen at this office, and we shall be happy to receive and forward subscriptions.

Prof. T. McCauley Ballantine, A. M. of Cumberland College, Ky., is expected to deliver a course of lectures at the Cassville Seminary in a few weeks.

Virginia Election.

The correspondent of the New York Tribune comments thus on the election which has just passed in the Old Dominion: "The result of the election in Virginia occasions neither surprise nor regret. Both wings of the Democracy had an important stake in securing success—Hunter, to confirm his position as the leader of the party, and to strengthen his aspiration as a Presidential candidate, and Wise to relieve himself of the odium of a factious, who would be held responsible for defeat. The Administration seems to have been repudiated by all sides and divisions."

Letcher distinctly condemned the whole policy of the President. Wise fired a thirty column broadside on the very eve of the battle, and Goggin denounced it from the first to the last. Indeed, there was none so poor as to do it reverence. In other respects, Goggin conducted the canvass badly, and dwarfed a great Opposition contest down to a controversy as to Letcher's opinion on somebody's pamphlet; twelve years ago, and his vote on Cass's board bill. Nothing would really have been gained by the election of Goggin in a representative capacity, and very little interest is felt for a success in Kentucky under the circumstances. The Opposition in Tennessee have laid down a very different platform, in which no such miserable concessions are made, and no such small expedients are consulted. Let Virginia go, as Mr. Clay once said of the "Senator in the corner," where she belongs.

Utah Affairs.

Last advices from Utah show that the State of affairs is not at all improving. There has been for some time a disagreement between Gov. Cumming and Gen. Johnston, the commander of the U. S. troops, and an actual collision prevented only by the superior power of the troops.

Of late, however, things have been approaching a crisis, until at last the Governor has called out five thousand of the Mormon militia, and placed them under the command of Gen. Wells, to aid him in the enforcement of his orders. Gen. Johnston, in the meantime, is acting under the request of the U. S. Judge. A collision is feared, but may be avoided. Affidavits that have been taken, indicate a corruption, deep-seated, and pervading the entire Mormon Church, from the leader Young down to the lowest menial.

The Times appropriately remarks: It is evident that there will be no lasting peace in the Territory between the Gentiles and the Mormons. The line of demarcation to be strongly drawn between them—the interests and the sympathies of both are alike divided; and we question whether any amount of armed force the government can send there will have any other effect than the total demolition of Mormon rule in Utah, and the exodus of that fraternity to one of the islands in the Pacific. It is possible that the present difficulty may end in this way, and if such is to be the result, the sooner it comes about the better.

THE TWO GREAT PARTIES.

To those who are in the habit of regarding the Democratic as the dominant party in the Union by numbers, as it is by appointment, we commend the following table, compiled from the United States census. It will be seen that the white inhabitants of the Republican States is in proportion of two to one:

Republican States, 13,530,750
Democratic do., 6,462,418

Democrats are fond of applying to their opponents the epithet of "Black Republicans," as if they in some way derived their strength from the African race. We suggest to them a careful examination of the truth contained in the statement, which shows pre-eminently that the Opposition is the party of the white men of the Union, while the Democracy only maintains its power at all by three million blacks held in slavery, which it represents in Congress and the Electoral College, although it will not allow them to vote either for electors or congressmen.

1,500 AUSTRIANS KILLED.

The first battle has been fought at Montebello. It took place on the 21st ult. The French accounts say that the Austrians, 15,000 strong, under Gen. Stadion, attacked the advanced posts of Marshal Baraguey d'Hilliers, and were driven back by Gen. Forey's division after a fierce combat of four hours duration. The allies, including some Piedmontese cavalry, carried Montebello, but did not pursue the Austrians.

The loss of the latter is estimated by the French at 1,500 to 2,000, and that of the French at 500 to 700, of whom many were officers!—200 Austrians, including a colonel, were taken prisoners.

GENEVA.—A certain ventriloquist out west lately had his voice cracked whilst throwing it, on account of it coming in contact with a gentler's dwelling.

SOME genius has conceived the brilliant idea to press all the lawyers into military service, in case of war, because their charges are so great no one could stand them.

A whole military company in Dayton, Ohio, fell in love with a young lady—a Jewess. A Sardinian bulletin announces that the extreme left of the Sardinian army, under General Chialdi, forced a passage over the Sesia, putting the Austrians to flight.

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General Garibaldi had entered Gravellona, on the Piedmontese side of Lake Maggiore, with 6,000 men, his object being revolutionary. His purpose is to push into Lombardy.

It was rumored that six English men of war had entered the Adriatic.

TURIN, May 24.—General Gyulai has removed his headquarters to Garlasco, and has everywhere ordered the people to give up their arms, under pain of being shot for sedition. General Garibaldi has made forty seven.

ALESSANDRIA, May 24.—The wounded at Montebello have been brought here.

MARSELLA, May 25.—Some Austrian prisoners have arrived here.

BERNE, May 25.—Revolutionary movements are reported in Lombardy.

The following news, was received by steamers last week.

SACKVILLE, N. B., June 2.—The express from Halifax having arrived with the despatch for the Associated Press, we are enabled to transmit the advices by the America. The dates of Liverpool are to the 21st ult.

No battle had occurred. The retrograde movements of the Austrians are still continuing.

Their head-quarters are now at Garlasco, about ten miles East of the Ticino. It is twenty-three miles Northeast of Novara, and is a place of about 6000 inhabitants. The Austrians crossed the Po near it in their invasion of Piedmont, March 1848.

The Austrian troops have been withdrawn from Vercelli, which is now occupied by the Allies.

The steamship city of Washington, from New York, and the Circassian, from Quebec, arrived on the 19th, and the Ariel, from New York, reached Southampton on the 20th.

The news from the seat of war to the latest moment states that no collision had occurred, and the retrograde movements of the Austrians had carried their head-quarters to Garlasco, within ten miles of the Lombardy boundary.

The town of Vercelli, formerly occupied by the Austrians, had been abandoned and re-occupied by the allied troops.

The position of the troops on both sides was such that an engagement was looked for at any moment.

A blockade of many of the Austrian ports, especially along the Adriatic, had been effected by the French squadron.

There are a large number of vessels engaged in enforcing the blockade.

Vague reports have reached London that the Emperor of Austria, accompanied by Gen. Hess, has reached Milan and left there for Paris, which is near the Austrian headquarters.

Latter advices from India, by the Overland mail, had reached London.

The trial of Tanta Topé had ended in his conviction, and he was hung in pursuance of the sentence of the Court.

The London Money Market was slightly easier on Friday, the 26th ult.

The decline in cotton was 4¢ 1d. for fair and middling qualities, but for inferior grades prices had declined still more.

Rumors from other quarters state that a battle is considered imminent, but the London Times considers it almost certain that June will have begun before any great blow is struck.

The organization of the army is now going on actively. The repairs of the damage by the Austrians to the roads, bridges and railroads are going on rapidly, and will soon be completed.

It is reported that Gen. Gyulai had sent word to the Austrian government that the supply of provisions were beginning to fail in Piedmont and that he would be unable to retain the position he occupied more than fifteen days.

The French government, it is said, has received information that four Russian corps d'armes had moved towards the Austrian frontier.

A Norwegian barque bound to Venice had been stopped by a French frigate, and informed to the Austrians that the port of Trieste and Ancona were blockaded. The commander at the port of Venice had received no notice of the blockade.

A French frigate was before Venice, and had already captured twenty vessels.

The opinion of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in the case of the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company vs. John Torrey, will be of interest to all persons owning mills, factories, and tanneries by the side of streams.

The Court decides, in substance, that it is incumbent upon the manufacturers to keep the dust, shavings and tan bark out of the streams, and any deposit of these, or of alum, renders them unattractive for damages.

EARNING THEIR WAGES.—The editors of the papers in the employ of the Buchanan faction, show us a paper justifying the treachery and proscriptive of Buchanan, Bigler, Black & Co., and will in every instance show you a paper brought up by Government patronage.—Huntingdon Globe.

However commendable it may be, and satisfactory to the opposite party, yet the world has ever looked upon the proof of crime adduced through the means of "States" Evidence," than a witness in the chamber that appalls him, till he turns in terror to his wife, who, it seems, cannot see the apparition. He bolts the doors and fastens his windows, but it is all of no use the intruder comes. One of his old sweet hearts, no doubt.

At Columbus, Ohio, last week, a lunatic, whose insanity was of a wild type, killed a comrade who roomed with him, cut him up in small pieces, ornamented them with bits of ribbon, and then proceeded to dispose of them to the other occupants of the ward as Christmas beef. When the terror stricken keeper entered the room, several of the lunatics were eating the remains, and the butcher told him with a leer, that the next time he killed, he should reserve him a choice cut.

Pencil Notes.

A. J. Kalback, a tailor of Pottsville, shot himself on last Friday.

The Grand Jury of Alachua county, Fla., has presented Gov. Perry, of that State, as a "nuisance."

Some writer calls Niagara the pride of all the rivers. Snobs thinks that pride has a tremendous fall.

The world should have its docket cleared, and sluggards all defaulted, and those should be the "upper ten" whom labor hath exalted.

It is reported in New York that Gen. Scott has made a bet of five hundred bottles of champagne that Louis Napoleon will never return to Paris.

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