



PATRIOT - HERALD.

THURSDAY.....October 23, 1879.

POETRY.

CHOOSING STARS.

The first of autumn's harvest days
Were changing all our idle days
Of pleasure's light and careless ways
To songs of work and love

Then one who dreamed of wedding bells.
Of love and grief that murmur quells,
And happy home where Hymen dwells,
Glanced at the stars above;

But others said that later fall
Would bring the loveliest stars of all,
The Pleiades that wise men call,
The veiled throne of God;

MISCELLANEOUS.

NAPOLEON INCOGNITO.

Napoleon was very fond of walking the
avenues of Paris incognito, in search of
adventures. On these occasions he generally
wore a round hat and a long blue
great coat, in which his appearance was
not altogether unobtrusive.

One morning shortly before Christmas
he arose as early as seven, and accompa-
nied by Duroc, grand marshal of the
palace, who wore the same sort of dis-
guise as Napoleon, left the Tuilleries
just as day was breaking.

Discouraging thus they arrived at the
Chinese Bath rooms, which had been
recently painted and embellished. As
they were criticizing the decorations of
the exterior of the cafe, which belonged to
the establishment, opened.

"Suppose we enter and breakfast
here," said Napoleon to Duroc. "What
do you say? Has not your walk given
you an appetite?"

"Bah! bah! Your watch is always too
slow. As for me, I am quite hungry.
Afterward we can return home."

And without waiting for an answer,
Napoleon entered the cafe, took his seat
at a table, called the waiter, and ordered
some mutton chops and a bottle of Cham-
berlain wine. After having breakfasted
very heartily, and taken a cup of coffee,
which he protested was better than he
was supplied with at the Tuilleries, he
called the waiter and demanded the bill,
saying to Duroc:

"Pay, and let us return now."
Then, rising and going to the door, he
began to whistle an Italian recitative and
endeavored to appear at ease.

The grand marshal, after fruitlessly
searching his pockets, found that having
dressed in haste, he had forgotten his
purse, and he well knew that Napoleon
never carried money about him. Never-
theless, the waiter came and presented
the bill to the grand marshal, who stood
mute with surprise at not being able to
discharge it, although the amount was
only twelve francs.

Napoleon, not knowing what detained
Duroc, and not accustomed to be kept
waiting, reentered saying impatiently,
"Come, make haste, it is late."

The grand marshal, now comprehending
the unpleasant situation in which he
was placed, and thinking that the best
way to get out of it was to avow frankly
his inability to discharge the debt, ap-
proached the mistress of the cafe (who
sat silent and indifferent at the counter)
and said politely but confidently:

"Madame, my friend and myself left
home this morning a little precipitately;
we quite forgot to bring our purse—but
I give you my word that in an hour I
will send you the amount of your bill."

"It may be so, sir," coldly replied the
mistress, "but I know neither of you, and
we are every day taken in, in this man-
ner. Do you think that—"

"Madam," interrupted the grand mar-
shal, reddening with rage at this answer,
"we are men of honor—we are officers
of the guard."

overheard, he turned round and in a voice
which had caused heroes to tremble de-
manded—
"What is this all about?"

But at a sign from Duroc, he remained
silent where he was. The waiter now
stepped forward and volunteered to be
answerable for the debt, with which as-
surance the mistress of the cafe was satis-
fied. Duroc regarded the young man
with surprise, and drawing from his
pocket a gold watch encircled with bril-
liants, said to him:

"My friend, you have acted nobly;
keep this watch till I return to recom-
pense you."

"Sir," replied the waiter, "I have no
wish to take it; I feel convinced that you
are men of honor."

"Good, my friend," said the grand
marshal, "you shall never repent your
confidence in us."

He then rejoined the emperor.
On their way to the palace, Duroc re-
counted the particulars of the adventure
to Napoleon who laughed heartily, and
was much pleased with the generosity of
the poor waiter, who had become security
for them without knowing who they
were.

On their way to the palace they came
to the Passage des Panoramas, which
was then one of the most elegant passages
or covered ways in Paris. There a shop
attracted the attention of Napoleon. It
contained a fine collection of porcelain
vases. Two superb vases were exposed
to view, and appearing to the Emperor
very tasteful he entered the shop and de-
manded the price.

The mistress of the shop with a sneer
on her countenance, coolly asked him if
he wished to purchase them.

"Why, madame, I should not have
asked the price unless I had thought of
purchasing them!" exclaimed Napoleon,
irritated at the cool impudence of the
woman.

"Four thousand francs—not a farthing
less, monsieur."

"Four thousand francs! That is horri-
bly dear, madame—much too dear for
me."

And touching his hat he was about to
leave the shop, when the women with
her hands in her pockets, added sarcasti-
cally:

"They cost me five thousand, but it is
better to sell at a loss in these times than
starve. There are fine things nowadays!

Always war—all the world complains!
Business is at a standstill now, and the
shopkeepers are ruined, but we do not
pay less taxes."

During this address Napoleon's counte-
nance became highly expressive—his
eyes flashed, and his cheeks were flushed
with rage. At length he interrupted her
by saying:

"Madame, have you a husband? Where
is he? Can I see him?"

"Eh! la! la! do not be angry, monsieur!
I have a husband, thank heaven, but he
is gone to seek for money. But what do
you want with him when I am here?"

"Enough, madame, enough!" I wished
to tell your husband that—perhaps I
should send for those nice vases."

He then left the shop, disgusted with
the woman, whose coolness and politics
had so much exasperated him.

"Faith!" said he, when he had rejoined
Duroc, "I have had a sound lecture from
a foolish woman, who seems to attend
more to politics than her business. Oh!
I will have her husband's head shaved, it
is his fault."

The emperor and the grand marshal
now returned to the Tuilleries having
both met with adventures, the one with
a shopkeeper and the other with a waiter.

About six weeks after these occurrences,
Napoleon said one evening to Duroc:

"I have nothing to do now; suppose we
go and see how the shops look. By-the-
by, how did you settle that affair at the
Chinese Baths?"

"Indeed, sire, I am glad you have men-
tioned the subject, for I had quite for-
gotten all about it."

"That is wrong, Duroc, very wrong. I
may be allowed to forget such trifles, but
you—"

"Sire, I will immediately make the
amende honorable."

"Yes, do, and let it be done in a way
which will please me; you understand.—
At the same time let the female politi-
cian be ordered to send her husband here
with the two vases which I looked at
when I paid her a visit. I am somewhat
in her debt. Ah! Ah! 'tis my turn now,
and we shall see!"

Duroc having given precise directions
to one of the imperial footmen, dispatched
him to the Bains Chinois, when he
thus addressed the mistress of the cafe—

"Madame did not two gentlemen break-
fast here about six weeks since, without
settling their bill?"

In addition to this, the grand marshal
of the palace has charged me to say that
if you have any favor to ask for yourself
or friends he will be most happy to grant
it."

The name of the waiter was Dargens;
he hastened to accept the kind offer of
grand marshal, who instantly made him
one of the imperial footmen. He soon
gained the confidence of the Empress
Josephine, and became her special attend-
ant. After the divorce he accompanied
her to Malmaison, and—singular destiny
of men of this time—eventually entered
the service of Wellington, in 1814.

After the visit to the Bains Chinois,
the imperial footman reached the Passage
des Panoramas, when he entered the shop
of the valuable woman.

"Sir," said he, addressing the master,
"you are requested to go to the palace this
instant with the two vases which the
Emperor inquired the price of about six
weeks since in your shop. His imperial
Majesty is now waiting for you."

"Heavens!" he cried; "I shall be shot!"
Then addressing his wife, who was terri-
bly frightened and unable to speak, he
said:

"I have no doubt that you, Madame,
have been talking politics to the Empe-
ror, speaking ill of the Government, as
you always do; and this to the Emperor
himself! When will you learn to cease
your cursed babbling? Ah! I am a lost
man! I shall be shot!"

Here fright nearly overpowered the
poor man, who seemed shocked that his
wife should have taken the Emperor for a
police spy. However, he mustered all
his courage and arrived with the vases at
the Tuilleries, where he was immediately
ushered into the presence of Napoleon,
who thus addressed him:

"So, sir, I have found you at last—I am
glad to see you here."

"Then taking from a drawer in his desk
eight bank notes for a thousand francs
each, he presented them to the dealer,
with who trembling with fear, and with
difficulty advanced to receive them. And
then, with that peculiar sarcastic brevity
with which he invariably spoke when he
wished to reproach, he added:

"I want the other day to your shop, I
bargained for two vases; your wife asked
four thousand francs, telling me that they
cost her five thousand. Well, although
that was a falsehood, I now give you eight
thousand; take them. There are four for
the vases, and four for yourself. But tell
your wife if she does not attend to her
domestic affairs, instead of politics, I will
send her to the guillotine, and you, too,
to be more silent. Go, sir; that is all I have
to say to you. Good day."

HEALTH HINTS.

For people with skin diseases a car-
bolic bath should be used.

Always take a bath in a warm room
and in tepid water, unless particularly
robust.

Bleeding of a wound in man or beast
can be stopped, it is said, by a mixture of
wheat flour and common salt, in equal
parts, bound on with a cloth.

An exchange says soft corns can be
cured by this corn salve. Boil tobacco
down to an extract, then mix with it a
quantity of white pitch pine, and apply
it to the corn, renewing it once a week
till the corn disappears.

To make touz lozenges for coughs, take
fine sugar, eight ounces; cream of tartar,
one ounce; starch, two drachms; tincture
of balsam of tolu, one drachm. Bring to
a proper consistency, and form into lozenges
by means of sufficient quantity of
mucilage of gum tragacanth.

WEATHER SIGNS.

At the last meeting of the Limekiln
Club the committee on atmospheric in-
fluences announced that they were ready
with a report, and leaving being granted,
the chairman submitted a well constructed
report regarding the coming winter.

The committee had been guided entirely
by signs, and their reasons for predicting
a hard winter were:

- 1. The thickness of corn husks.
2. The usual number of overcoats in
pawm.
3. The anxiety of women to get winter
bonnets.
4. The way the frogs have gone down
for deep water.
5. The hesitancy with which young
men climb out of bed in the morning.
6. The unusual number of dog fights to
be observed by a colored man who keeps
his eyes open.

The report was accepted and filed, and
the chairman sat down with a sigh of re-
lief.—Detroit Free Press.

Veronese chestnut brown and Murillo
brown are the favorite colors in hair, ac-
cording to a high authority, and yellow
reflections are a necessity. This is not
very encouraging to the brunets who
were rejoicing because blondes were out
of favor.

No low bodices are worn for dinner
dresses at this time of the year, but only
the open bodice, with some pretty fichu
or parure of tulle and lace. The full lace
ruche is fashionable by way of coherency,
and the bouquet de corsage is put up
quite high in the neck on the left shoul-
der.

EFFECT OF MODERN INVEN-
TIONS.

Old Si waited until the sign bell of
the telephone ceased ringing. Then said
he:

"You 'white folks is allus amentatin'
'bout de niggers in dis count'ry lump-
in' derseibs and makin' ob' even' like
onto odder folks—how yer spec dey's
gwine ter do dat wid all sich invenshuns
ez dat hangin' upon eb'ery all in de
lan'!"

"Well, that is a grave quesn of po-
litical economy, but what bar the tele-
phone to do with the negr making a
living?"

"Dar now! dat opens de parter for
debate. I'm wid yer row lat's what
yer-calls 'er: laber: sabin' invenshun,
ain't hit?"

"Yes, it is."

"An' whose laber do hit ve? Not
de 'white folks' laber, do it? Jo! Hit's
de nigger's laber all de time. Fore dese
tings cum 'round hyar eb' time er
gen' man wanted fer ter sen' word ter
his wife 'bout de company fu supper er
de young bucks wished fer ter forder er
note to dere sweetheart fer t' go to de
theater, dey hunted up sh, lumber
jinted, flat foot nigger ter gat up wid
de note. Dat war laber dat ple de nig-
ger er big profit on de outlay f strenf—
but how am hit now? De tele'one dun
saved at that!"

"Ah! I see your point!"

"Well, hit's mo' p'inted dan dat! Hyar
dey puts on a'r brakes on thranes and
'schurns all de nigger braksten; you's
all turn'd de niggers outen de ress room
down stars, an' ackchully dun r fold in'
papers by mershenry; an' dun dar ter
de boss' house de odder day I seed dey
had er flyin' jimny on de table dat skeers
off de flies some kin' er c'ck work
'rangement."

"But, old fellow, these are neat helps
to the world."

"Dat's what dey say, but I's mighty
jubbos on nigger progress in seh times
as dese. Enneboday know'er nigger
kno's dat he war'n' cut to libya er coun-
try full er Yankee noshins' an' double
back ackshun convenshuns ter beat 'em
outen de odd jobs dey wuz feiched up
ter do!"

"You darkeys must take advantage of
these things?"

"Jess so. But how's we gwine ter do
hit? Dat's de pint wid me. But I boue
of I was turn'd loos' in de patent office
'bout er day wid dis ob' case de' be' mo'
laber for niggers in dis country de' ne'
seah de' de'
in Afriky sence de Zuls got licked by
de Britishers could. do? Don't yer try
me!"

And the old man made a mouth at the
telephone and went out whistling "Auld
Lang Syne."

SOMETHING ABOUT CORK.

The tree from which cork is obtained
is a species of oak, which grows plenti-
fully in the south of France, Spain, Al-
geria and some parts of Italy; but it is
from the Atlantic side of France from Portugal
that we obtain the larger part of our sup-
ply. The tree is rather handsome in ap-
pearance—more so, indeed, than the oak
when full grown. It appears to be design-
ed specially to supply its valuable bark,
for the wood is of little value for building
purposes, although it is fair for fuel.
When it is twenty years old or there-
abouts it periodically throws off its bark,
after it has grown of prodigious thickness
and then it begins to form a new cover-
ing. It has been found best, however,
not to let the tree have its own way,
for the bark thrown off is not quite satisfac-
tory. Nature needs a little help, and the
bark is artificially removed by the follow-
ing process:

In the months of July and August, when
the sap flows plentifully, a circular incision
is first made a few inches above the sur-
face of the growing, then a similar cut
round the trunk immediately under the
main branches, care being taken not to
penetrate the inner bark. The part in-
tervening between the two cuts is then
slit down longitudinally in three or four
places, which divides the bark into broad
sheets. Thee tree is now left for a time,
so that the moisture from the sap may
dry. The bark is then taken from the
stem, more or le-s curved according to
the breadth and diameter of the trees from
which it has been taken. The instrument
used for cutting and removing the bark
from the stem is a sort of an axe, the
handle of which is flattened into a wedge
like shape at the extremity, which serves
to raise the bark. The bark grows again,
and as this tree lives, according to Dr.
Hamel, a hundred and fifty years or
more, its disbarking takes place every
eight, nine or ten years, the quality of
of the bark improving with the increasing
age of the tree, which is not in the slight-
est degree injured by the process. At
the first and second gathering, the bark
is fit only for floats for fishermen's nets
and other inferior uses; it is not until the
third disbarbing that the substance
has attained the desired perfection for
the manufacture of corks. The sheets,
layers or table cork, as they are called,
are now scraped on the outer surface to
remove the coarse parts of the epidermis
and any epiphytes or other extraneous
substance. They are then thrown into

deep pits and covered with water to soften
them, in order to be flattened by pressure
under heavy stones, after which they are
dried over a fire being frequently turned
during the process to prevent their return-
ing to their original shape.

WHAT A CERTAIN MAN
WOULD DO.

The man who will take a newspaper
for a length of time and then send it back
"refused" and unpaid for would swallow
a blind dog's supper and then stone the
dog for being blind.—Excited Exchange.

He would do worse than that. He
would marry a girl on trial and send her
back with the words "doesn't suit!"
chalked on her back after the honey-
moon.—Another Like the Preceding.

Worse than that. He would steal the
chalk to write it with, and afterward he
would use it on his shirts to save the
expense of washing, and then use his
wife's father for a month's boarding.—
And Another.

Worse yet. He would chase a sick
rat ten miles over a corduroy road and
institute a post mortem in order to re-
cover a stolen grain of corn.—And Still
Another.

He would sponge a living from the
hard earnings of his poor old father until
that gentleman became unable to work,
and then let him die in the poorhouse,
and afterward sell his remains to the med-
ical students for anatomical purposes.—
Bluffton Banner.

Still more horrible than any of the
above. He would stake a hog on his
mother-in-law's grave and curse her for
not being rich enough to sprout grass for
the hog to eat and for not dying before
she was born.—Texas Phonograph.

He would hire out his hundred-year-
old deal and dumb mother, almost dou-
bled up with the rheumatism, take all the
wages and make her pick crumbs with
the chickens for something to eat; put
her in the poorhouse when she got too
feeble to work, after her death bury her
in his garden to help the growth of his
cabbages, and chuckle at his shrewdness,
and when the time arrives for him to de-
part to his deserts, have the cheek to say
that he "longs to shake off this mortal
coil and rest in the arms of his dear old
mother in heaven.—Lynchburg City (Ela.) Re-
porter.

THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

We are constantly being told that the
House of Lords has largely increased in
numbers, which is true. But we are also
told that it has increased in proportion to
the population, which is not so certain.—
At the beginning of the fourteenth cen-
tury Edward I, summoned 109 lay peers,
besides Bishops and Abbots. The popu-
lation of England was then a little over
2,000,000. The roll before us enumer-
ates 500 separate peerages, of which 44
are Scotch or Irish representatives. So
that we have 450 peers to a population of
22,000,000. If to the 109 lay Lords of
Edward I, we add the spiritual peers—
including besides the 21 Bishops and mit-
red Abbots—it is obvious that the upper
house was, in proportion to the popula-
tion, more than three times as large as
in 1300 as in 1879. As in the beginning
of the reign of Henry VIII there were
only 49 peers of all kinds, the population
being then about 4,500,000, the popula-
tion then being about half what it is at
present. At the beginning of the reign
of Queen Elizabeth the number of peers
was 89, and the population a little over
5,000,000; so that the proportion was
somewhat less than at present. Mr.
Stubbs has made some interesting notes
on the subject, from which it appears that
during the reign of Henry IV, the num-
ber of temporal lords never exceeded
50, under Henry V, 40, and under Henry
VI, 55. Small as these numbers are,
even when increased by the addition of
Bishops and Abbots, they still, in pro-
portion to the population, make the
House of Lords very much the same as it
is now. In the reign of Charles II, the
temporal peers were seldom more than
150; but under his successor they in-
creased to 170. This figure had doubled
at the death of George III; and in the
short reign of George IV, the house re-
ceived an increase of 60 new peers. At
the beginning of the present reign the
number of peers of all degrees and kinds,
including the Scotch and Irish, stood 450
so that—setting new creations on the one
hand against extinctions on the other—
nearly 50 peers have been added since.
In the same period the population has
increased by a third, and if the number of
peers had been increased in proportion,
it would now stand, not at 500 but at 750.
—Saturday Review.

LITTLE JOHNNY'S BEAR
STORY.

An' now I'll tell you a story about a
bear. One day the bear, he went among
a flock of sheep and picked out a nice
little lamb and cot it, and the lamb it
said "Ba ba ba!" cos it knew it was a
go in to be et very little tiny bit up. But
the bear took it up in his fore paws, like
it was a baby, and set it up full length and
rocked it and said:

"There, there; never mind, my preshus
darlin. Where does it hurt you?"

But that lamb kept a hollerin louder
and louder, cos wile the bear was a smilin

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ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.

Mail Train No. 4, EAST.....6:35 A. M.
Mail Train No. 7, WEST.....9:18 P. M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TO THE VOTERS OF SMYTH AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES: Gentlemen: I am a candidate to represent you in the next Senate of Virginia.

TO THE VOTERS OF SMYTH AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES: FELLOW CITIZENS! I hereby announce myself a candidate to represent you in the next Senate of Virginia.

TO THE VOTERS OF SMYTH AND BLAND COUNTIES: FELLOW CITIZENS—I respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent the counties of Smyth and Bland in the next House of Delegates.

County Court
Was in session on Monday and Tuesday. No business of special importance was transacted.

Holston Conference.
The regular annual meeting of the Holston Conference M. E. South commenced on yesterday at Abingdon.

Dinner for the Church.
The ladies of the Methodist Church gave a dinner for the benefit of their church on Monday. They were very well patronized, realizing between twenty and twenty-five dollars.

Notice.
We are authorized to announce that Hon. Fayette McMillen will speak at the following places:

Abingdon, Monday 27th inst.
Christiansburg, Tuesday 28th inst.
Gov. McMillen invites any Funder or broker to meet him at the above named places and he will divide time with them.

Relia Ryan.
This distinguished elocutionist is coming soon, but C. H. Maury has preceded him with the finest and cheapest assortment of Shirts, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Ladies and Gents Gloves, Hosiery, Money Purses, Cravats, Scarfs, &c., ever brought to Marion. Call and see them, opposite the Court House.

Notice to Teachers.
All reports must come in within five days from the end of the month. For failure to so render reports a fine of one dollar will be imposed. Every blank must be filled. Give the kind of text books used. Let a stamp accompany your report so that you can get a receipt for the same.

Jokes.
The following jokes have been handed us by a subscriber who is not a Readjuster:

The long and severe drouth that ended with a delightful and pletentous rain Thursday and Friday of last week, caused a large gray wolf to leave his haunts, and on the evening of Tuesday last it was seen to enter the premises of Mr. G. H. Fudge and kill one of his best sows.

Resolutions.
At a meeting of the Central Greenback Club held at the Court-house, on last Saturday night, the following resolutions were offered and passed:

Resolved 1st. That we are in favor of the repeal of the poll tax law and the occupation tax law.

2nd. That we are in favor of equal taxation.

3rd. That the school money shall not be diverted from its legitimate purposes.

4th. That we are opposed to any increase in the assessments on land, as it only means increased taxation.

There is probably no gentleman in the State, rich or out of the medical profession, who stands higher than Dr. Hudnall. Read his certificate:

Brookneal, Va., Sept. 25, 1879.
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Briefs.

After a very long dry spell our community was visited with copious rains on last Friday, and also on Tuesday.

Rev. J. E. Moore was in town on Sunday and Monday on a visit to his old home. He is looking well and promises to be one of the shining lights in the Holston Conference.

They tell us times are getting better, but if we are to judge from the way people settle with this office they are growing harder.

"What good will it do the farmer if wheat is advancing?" very pertinently remarked our young friend Frank Leonard on Monday. All of it has gone into the hands of speculators.

The tax collectors publish a notice to the people of Smyth County this week. How many of you will be ready for them when they come around? Let taxes be increased by all means.

We understand that William Lindsey and John Curtin have purchased the old Tate, Steam Saw Mill, and have set it at work near the Seven Mile Ford. They propose to do a heavy business in getting out Tobacco Boxes.

We understand that our long time Townsman, G. G. Goodell Esq., is to return home some time this week from Philadelphia, where he has been for six months past having his eyes treated, we hear successfully. We hope we may again hear one of his ringing speeches on our State question. His last was a good one, on the side where "the Ace takes the Jack."

Excellent Sermons.
Dr. Keith, for several years our pastor at this place, preached in the Methodist Church on last Sunday morning and at night. Both of the sermons were excellent and were listened to with much pleasure by large congregations. Dr. Keith is an able and popular minister.

Notice.
OFF. CO. SUP'T. PUB. INSTRUCTION, MARION, SMYTH CO., VA. Oct. 22, 1879.

TO SCHOOL TEACHERS.—There will be a joint Institute of the teachers of the Counties of Washington and Smyth, held at Glade Spring, beginning on the 11th of November at 10 o'clock and continuing four days. Dr. Ruffner, the State Sup't. will be there and several distinguished educators and lecturers. This Institute is for the benefit of the teachers. All the teachers in my county must attend. The Board of Education requires it, so do the contracts. This is published so that all may have timely notice. Teachers will not lose the time spent in this meeting. All can get to Glade Spring on Monday the 15th, and the good people of that community will entertain the Institute free of charge. We expect to have an interesting occasion.

D. C. MILLER, Supt.

Letter from Old Bedford.
LIBERTY, Oct. 18th 1879.
MR. EDITOR:—It is with pleasure that I give you the favorable reports of this gallant old County. On the southside the Readjusters have an overwhelming majority, and we will undoubtedly carry the county. Petitions are coming in from all parts of the county to Capt. Mead to announce himself as a candidate for the Senate, he has at last consented to run. And will most certainly be elected. Dr. D. M. Wilkinson for the House of Delegates, has an unusually fair chance. Although both Sentinel and Star are funding papers, readjustment will triumph, and will join with Smyth for public schools. Readjustment of the Debt, defeat of the McCulloch Bill, and frauds of funding advocates generally. Mr. Editor, it is generally thought that this is a funding county, but on the 4th of November the good citizens of Bedford will convince the public of their error. Mr. Editor I merely give this sketch to let you know that you can count on us. Expect better news after 4th of Nov.

Respectfully Yours, GREENBACKER.

Bully for Botetourt!
FINCASTLE, VA., Oct. 13.—This has been a glorious day in Old Botetourt. The discussion of the State Debt was opened by Sherrard in a speech of three-quarters of an hour, followed by Figgat in the same length of time.

R. W. Arnold, of Sussex county, then took the stand, and delivered the grandest address ever delivered in this county since Henry A. Wise slaughtered Know-Nothingism in 1855. It was crushing, it was unanswerable, routing, if not destroying utterly the last hope of the Funders.

Major Stringfellow followed and succeeded in thinning the house to a considerable extent.

Mr. Arnold took twenty minutes to reply, in which he cut the string and kicked out the fellow, and closed amid deafening yells for Readjustment, followed by a grand old air upon the Fincastle Cornet Band.

It has been a day long to be remembered, and has settled beyond all cavil, the final result in Botetourt. I wrote for a man you sent me a giant. R. P. M.—Whig.

Keep a sharp lookout for that "one reliable person" whom Logan desires to put on duty at every precinct in the State. When found, make a note of it. Spot him. Stick to him closer than a brother. Evidently, this "one reliable person" at every precinct is expected to play an important part on election day. It would be a sad thing indeed to "count out" all these "reliable persons" at the end of a rope; but it must be done, if they be caught in any fraud tending to betray Virginia and Virginians to the Brokers and Brokers' Bill.—Whig.

Franklin Co.

MASSEY VERSES TUCKER, CABELL AND EARLY!

Correspondence of the Whig.
FRANKLIN CO., VA., Oct. 7, 1879.
Victory after victory crowd the pages of the history of Re-adjustment. Yesterday was court day in Franklin, and Hon. John E. Massey was promptly in the field to meet Messrs. Cabell, Tucker, and Gen. Early. Mr. Cabell, opened the discussion, and was followed by Mr. Massey with telling effect.

We expected to hear something when Mr. Tucker rose—and we did! And not only did we hear something, but we saw him make some of the ugliest faces that mortal man ever manifested withal. For one hour and fifteen minutes we were entertained by his comicallities and droleries—which he seldom touching the subject which he was expected to discuss. Mr. Massey replied to him, and so effectively that the Funders grew melancholy mad, while the crowd yelled their delight and approval. Mr. Tucker spoke again, but in a manner which only testified to his consciousness of complete defeat. Mr. Massey closed the debate, and the multitude confirmed his triumph by bursts of applause.

Mr. Tucker should retire to his home and have some more beams taken out of his eyes before he attempts to remove the motes from the eyes of others. We have seen monkeys before.

We shall send Hon. W. T. James to the Senate and Mr. Luke Pardue to the House of Delegates from Franklin.

EYE-WITNESS.

The contemplated marriage of King Alfonso is the one topic with which the Spanish people are busying themselves. The mere question of who should go to Vienna to make the official request for the hand of the Archduchess has occupied for weeks, day after day, from two to five columns of each of the Madrid journals, Conservative, Liberal and Republican alike. A more important question than this is under discussion, and what procedure is needed and what action of the Cortes must be taken under the present status of Spain to make the proposed marriage effectual in respect to securing all civil rights to the Queen and her descendants.

The Swiss couriers employed by travelers receive heavy commissions from the proprietors of the hotels to which they conduct their parties. A correspondent of the Boston Advertiser says that, besides these direct payments, they enjoy sundry perquisites; they live on the fat of the land, are regaled with the finest wines in the innkeeper's cellar, smoke his best cigars, and often, when temporarily unemployed, live at free quarters in his house. Of course, the travelling public, one way or the other, must pay for all this, and include in the luxury of a courier going off cheaply for \$10 a day, railroad fare and hotel bills included.

Reed and Poll, the British Commissioners to examine American agriculture, are highly pleased with the Northwestern States and Territories. They say that Minnesota's climate is a luxury and her soil unsurpassed here on earth. God and father! I started at my own temerity, when I remember what I do but to thee, do I commit my cause, and of thee, God of the unfortunate, do I ask that Thou wilt move the hearts of the Senate and House of Representatives to deal justly, and as in Thy sight, even so, for Christ's sake.

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Absent or not voting, 42.

SUNBEAMS.

At the recent review at Strasburg, many of the soldiers left their boots behind in the mud as they marched past before the Emperor.

Conscience impelled somebody to send \$2,500 anonymously to Isaac G. Jenkins, Syracuse merchant, with the words, "I robbed you of this year ago."

Ben. Lowe, a circus acrobat, stood on his head for two hours, in a Texas barroom, on a wager, and the feat brought on brain fever, from which he died.

The Sultan of Zanzibar is civilized enough to give dinnings at a European fashion, with music from an excellent band, decorated bills of fare and all sorts of luxuries.

The Rev. Mr. Gaul of Philadelphia went to a menagerie, and did not find all the animals that he had seen pictured on the street posters. He denounced the show from his pulpit as a humbug.

The railroad from the Naples Observatory to the foot of the cone of Vesuvius will be opened early next year. A steam engine at the summit will draw the cars up by a windlass.

A man jumped into a well, at Carrollton, Ill., for the purpose of suicide. Finding himself alive on reaching the bottom, he hanged himself with the well rope, and so accomplished death.

The editor of the Paris (Texas) Banner said in print that Latorre Boner was a murderous ruffian, and Boner proved the justness of the characterization by shooting him in the street.

Every hotel in Brattleboro, Vt., is closed, and travellers are compelled to find accommodations at private houses. This is in pursuance of the plan to make the prohibitory liquor law unpopular.

In a new melodrama at the Surry Theatre, London, a Thames boatman rows into sight and uncovers a man painted to represent a corpse just taken from the river. The audience goes wild with delight.

Fred and Louise Rauchman, brother and sister, aged 21 and 19, eloped from Madison, Ill., and were married in St. Louis, by a clergyman who did not know of their blood relationship. She is a woman in a crime in Illinois, and the pair were arrested.

THE CRY OF THE WIDOW.

Appeal of the "Peelers"—the Unhappy cry of the Widow and Orphan—Refused to Print!

The following petition from a lady of Richmond was presented in the House of Delegates March 25, 1879, by Mr. Fowler:

With a heart fast sinking under its burden of anxiety, I appear before your honorable body a petitioner and suppliant for relief for myself and son, who, though rapidly approaching manhood, is, by reason of his minority, yet an infant in the eyes of the law. A few more hours, a day perchance, and you will have passed a bill whose enactments can bring to us only ruin, since it reduces us from comfort and competency to a pittance so bare that our unremitting efforts must be used to supply our daily needs. I only ask that you will pause for a moment before the fatal vote is taken and consider how ruinous will be the effect of this bill upon the holders of peeler bonds in the proposition made by English and other coupon bondholders. Their rights and interests were ignored, or if remembered, were transferred by some strange obligation of conscience into a national scapegoat, burdened with the shortcomings of the State, they only must suffer and go alone into the howling wilderness of ruin, while aliens enter upon their inheritance.

What have we done that you make us a prey to a remorseless syndicate? What have we done that you should render it imperative that we subscribe to or accept a proposition that compels us to sell our bonds at fifty or ninety cents? What funds have we for the purchase of those bonds, with one-third of our principal subtracted as the debt of West Virginia and one-half taken and interest repaid, and the large part of the remaining proceeds, upon that which remains? Ah! I was not the faith with which my dying father entrusted the fortune of his only and idolized child to the care of the State of its nativity a sin, that consequences so dire should have followed it? So implicit, so profound was this faith that no discriminating or discretionary power was allowed my guardian. The fund of \$40,000 had to be raised and invested in Virginia bonds, though it accrued at the cost of much suffering and great privation to us. The court unwaveringly fulfilled the behests of that will, though I pleaded the exceeding insecurity of Virginia bonds as an investment, while the people were clamoring for redemption.

Now that this fund has been thus raised, will you see it dwindle into the pitiful amount of \$10,000 by your failure to meet out justice? The peelers have had no representation. The few brave, noble hearts that were so long bared to the storms of contest in their behalf, have been thrust aside, while the State, like some remorseless Mississippi crevasse, has sped on, bearing on its breast the ruin of the unfortunate possessors of peeler bonds. Along it shores the wreckers may be seen, enriching themselves by the spoils they gather.

Our Governor stands on the shore, but he is silently watching our approaching doom, and seeks not to avert it by word or sign, by rope or life-boat. My God and father! I started at my own temerity, when I remember what I do but to thee, do I commit my cause, and of thee, God of the unfortunate, do I ask that Thou wilt move the hearts of the Senate and House of Representatives to deal justly, and as in Thy sight, even so, for Christ's sake.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF SMYTH COUNTY.

At the last general election for Smyth County held in May last, I was elected Treasurer for the County of Smyth, for the term of four years, commencing on the 1st day of July 1879. In order to have all opportunity of settling up a large amount of old business of mine, and for reasons not necessary to be named, after said election I entered into an arrangement with Messrs. Thos. M. Robertson and Ransom Copeland, by which they became sole depositaries, to transact the entire active duties of the office of Treasurer for Smyth County, for said term, and entitled to receive all the profits of said office. I publish this notice that all taxpayers may look to them and transact all business pertaining to said office with them, and in no way call upon me, as they have the exclusive control of the business of said office for the term aforesaid.

Very Respectfully, &c.
GEO. W. HENDELITE.

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