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**NOTICE.** FINAL DISCHARGE.

NOTICE is given to all whom it may concern that David R. Coleman, guardian of Charles F. Coleman, will apply to the Judge of Probate, at Winnsboro, S. C., on the 30th day of November next, for a final discharge.

**O. R. THOMPSON,** J. P. F. C. oct 30-Jm

**THE SENATORIAL CONTEST.**

It will be remembered that on Thursday, Nov. 22d, a severe contest was waged between the Democrats and Republicans on Senator Thurman's motion to discharge the committee on privileges and elections from further consideration of Gen. M. C. Butler's case. This motion was hotly fought by the Republicans, as its effect would be to bring General Butler's case fairly before the Senate. Edmunds and Conkling led the Republicans. Senators Davis, Patterson and Conover voted with the Democrats, and Sharon, of Nevada, was absent. Consequently the Democrats had a majority for the first time since the beginning of the war. Edmunds was compelled to resort to filibustering. Finally Conover voted with the Republicans for adjournment, thus making a tie, and the Vice-President cast his vote for adjournment till Monday.

On Monday the contest was renewed. The privileges and elections committee presented a report in favor of Kellogg, a minority report being also presented for Spofford. An effort was made to substitute this case for Butler's, as Patterson and Conover favored Kellogg. But objection was made and it had to lie over a day. Then the resolution discharging the committee on privileges and elections from further consideration of the Butler case was resumed. Edmunds read an article from the New York Tribune, alleging that Butler had used corrupt influences in the lobby and in the Senate itself, and Edmunds proposed as a substitute that this question be referred to the committee. After a sharp debate, the substitute was defeated by 27 to 30—Matthews and Davis, of Illinois, voting with the Democrats, and Patterson, against whom the resolution was mainly aimed, not voting. The question recurred on the main resolution, and an all night session was probable at last advices.

**FORREST AND KILPATRICK.**—The recent death of Gen. N. B. Forrest has revived discussion of the difficulty between him and Gen. Judson Kilpatrick, and in this connection the Louisville Courier-Journal prints a letter written by General Forrest to H. K. Shackelford, of Connecticut, in October, 1868. In a speech at New Haven, on the 20th of October that year, Kilpatrick had said that "Forrest had nailed negroes to fences, set fire to the fences and burned the negroes to death," and this charge, Forrest wrote, was but "the natural offspring of Kilpatrick's common and merited fame as an unprincipled and easy liar." And then Forrest emphatically denies the statement and says that every chivalric soldier in the Federal army will refuse to believe it. Forrest closes his letter with a paragraph as follows: "I think the public will justify me in denouncing, as I now do, General Judson Kilpatrick as a blackguard, a liar, a scoundrel and poltroon. If he is the heroic figure he would have the Northern people believe him, my friend, General Basil W. Duke, at Louisville, Kentucky, is authorized to receive on my behalf any communication he may choose to make." General Duke, who was interviewed the other day by a Courier-Journal reporter, stated that Kilpatrick remained silent for fully a month before paying any attention to this letter. Finally he wrote a letter to the Northern press explaining that he could not accept a challenge from Forrest because a Congressional committee had declared him guilty of the "Fort Pillow Massacre." General Shackelford then addressed a letter to Kilpatrick urging him to accept the challenge, for, as a brave soldier, he could not refuse it, and that a man's status as a gentleman could not be settled by any Congressional committee. But Kilpatrick said nothing more about it. A discussion of this matter may have a temporary interest to newspaper readers, but it cannot be of profit to the friends of either party. Kilpatrick is almost as dead as Forrest—he passed away with a tremendous struggle against fate when the bloody shirt banner was hauled down, and Hayes has put up a tombstone for him and a great many more of his kind.

**A Wayne county (N. Y.) farmer** left his vest hanging upon a chair. In one of the pockets were about a dozen strychnine pills. His two little children discovered them, thought they were candy, and ate them. Physicians were called and antidotes administered, but both died within an hour.

**THE FLOODS.**

Great damage is reported from the recent floods. The Potomac at Harper's Ferry was twenty-six feet feet above low-water mark. At Washington the river was filled with debris. Vessels broke their cables and floated away. The water front was submerged. Communication was stopped across the river.

The James River, at Richmond, was higher than at the flood of 1870. The James River and Kanawha Canal, between Lynchburg and Richmond, will probably sustain most serious damage by the overflow of the river and consequent breaking of its banks. The flood of 1870 caused a loss to the canal company of several thousand dollars and a suspension of traffic for months, and the disaster is likely to be repeated.

Bridges all through Pennsylvania, Virginia and North Carolina were washed away and a number of railroad accidents occurred. The U. S. steamer Huron was wrecked off Hampton Roads, and over a hundred lives were lost, but thirty survivors reaching the shore. The interruption of the mails prevents fuller details being given.

**A TEACHER, BUT NO SCHOLARS.**—We take this from the Utica (N. Y.) Herald: During the past summer a school in a district in the town of Ira, Cayuga county, was attended by the teacher without a single scholar being present. The teacher, a young lady who lives near the school-house, was hired by the trustees against the wishes of the people generally in the district, and they refused to send their children. The father of the teacher compelled his daughter to go to the school-house five days in a week, and stay there the required number of hours each day. The young lady complied with her father's demand, and during the entire thirteen weeks was the sole occupant of the desolate school edifice. At the end of the term her wages were collected.

**A WOMAN SEEKING A HOME IN PRISON.**—Sarah Lane, a fair from forbidding looking woman, was arraigned in the court of sessions, New York, one day recently, on a charge of malicious mischief—breaking a pane of glass. The charge being read she bowed her head and muttered something inaudible.

"What does she say?" asked Justice Kasmire.

"She pleads guilty," said the clerk. "What did you do this for?" asked Justice Murray.

The woman did not raise her head, but a lawyer near her said: "She did it to get a home, she has none; she preferred anything to being driven to make a living on the streets."

"Tell them she would prefer the grave, too," said the woman, in a whisper.

"Give her six months," said Justice Wheeler.

The other justices differed with him, and the sentence was lowered to two months.

**LOVE OUT WEST.**—They were leaning on the balustrade of the bridge, looking into the water. He had a hand like a palm-leaf fan, an ear like a pickle dish, and no collar. She had a foot like a centre table and no teeth. They were cooing. He cooed first, and in a tone as gentle and musical as a Kansas zephyr, he said, "Nancy, just as soon as I sell my putters I'm going to claim you fur better or fur was." Then she cooed, and with the customary shrewdness that women are wont to display in emergencies, she queried in a soft, sweet monotone, "Buck, what air tators fetchin' in the stores now?" And thus did they coo 'till it got too cool.—Wichita (Kan.) Herald.

A new stone-dressing machine has been exhibited in London to a number of scientific and practical men. The machine treats the hardest and softest stones alike, and with equal success and rapidity. It is claimed, from actual tests, that the new invention will accomplish as much work in one hour as a skillful workman could do in a week. It is also claimed for the machine that it will greatly lessen the cost of building material.

**M. Thiers** always took great pains with his speeches, which were studied even to the last refinement of phrase and verbal coloring. They were long prepared, and after they were delivered he used often to spend entire nights in correcting and amending them for official publication. Yet, in *ex tempore* debate, he had no superior, perhaps no equal, till Gambetta arose.