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THE FLIGHT FROM THE SOUTH.

A LETTER FROM THE REV. DR. WEBSTER OF ORANGEBURG.

To the Editor of the Tribune:

SIR—It is a matter of surprise that there should exist in every part of the South among the freedmen so strong a desire to improve their condition by removal to some other section of the country.

Since the subject has been discussed here of seeking homes in the West, on lands opened by Government for settlement, the feeling in favor of emigration has increased, and is now only held in check by those who are looked up to for leadership in this movement.

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it as a fatal blow to their dearest earthly rights and fondest hopes. I have known many of them to refuse the most tempting bribes for their votes.

The colored people have great confidence in those whom they have chosen among themselves to be their leaders, and such men of fealding influence and manly independence are the ones on whom the heaviest blows of political persecution have fallen.

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The South would have little value without cultivation, and the political importance of this section must depend upon the population to be represented in the halls of legislation.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., April 24, 1879.

A Problem.

Mr. Blaine is happy. He has discovered a Southern school book which fairly reeks with disloyalty. It is an arithmetic and one of the "sums" in it, according to Mr. Blaine, is as follows: "How long would ten cowardly Yankees, with two days' start and making eight miles a day, have to run before being overtaken by five brave Confederates following them at the rate of ten miles a day?"

Elections This Year.

Elections take place in several States this year, in the following order: Kentucky on the fourth of August elects a Governor and Legislature.

A Poser.

Why don't you get the negro out of the South, gentlemen?—Louisville Courier Journal.

Murder.

Two years ago Daniel Edmunds, of Livingston County, Ky., left his family and eloped with a neighbor's daughter.

A CALIFORNIA HORROR.

HANGING OF TWO GOLD-BLOODED MURDERERS.

In 1878, Troy Dye was public administrator of the county of Sacramento, California, and as such was entrusted with the management and settlement of the estates of such deceased persons as had no heirs or relatives near at hand to administer.

Living on Grand Island, situated where the Sacramento River flows into San Francisco Bay, was an old bachelor, A. M. Tullis by name, who had by industry and thrift accumulated a fortune of \$50,000.

On the morning of August 2, 1878, Tullis was found dead in his orchard. There were four pistol shot wounds in the body. It was evidently a case of murder.

The night previous two men were seen to go down the river in a new and roughly built boat. They landed at Tullis' ranch and one of the men asked a Chinese servant for the boss.

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was in the habit of drinking to excess this plan was abandoned and the would-be assassin sent back to San Francisco. Anderson was then working in Yuba City, and had written to Dye to send him word when he had any "work" laid out.

Anderson and Dick went down in the boat and landed at Tullis'. Dick hid in a field of barley while Anderson went looking for Tullis, and, finding him, asked for work.

Dye also stated in his confession that before the Tullis murder Anderson said to him: "I came near fixing an old fellow for you last night. There is an old fellow over on L street, Jackson, who is very rich.

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Ben and Jim.

Ben Hill has caught Jim Blaine in another what-do-ye-call-it. The plumed knight of Maine recently took advantage of Hill's absence to say that he had written in 1861 that he felt about the secession of Georgia as if he had lost a father, and that he had nevertheless voted for secession.

In Trouble.

Postmaster Pearce, of Newport, R. I., is a prominent member of the party of moral idens. He is therefore a Federal office-holder. He is also a member of one of the first families of the highly moral and intellectual State of Rhode Island.

Sensible to the Last.

Mr. Armfield, a representative in Congress, is not an idle looker on in the discussions of the House, as the following will show: Garfield introduced a bill appropriating \$75,000 of the public money to alleviate the suffering of the negro emigrants to Kentucky.

No Time.

No time to mend your dress, but when the little hole catches on a nail and becomes a great rent, then you will have to mend it, and it will be an hour's work, while five minutes would be enough for a little hole.

A Buffalo paper gets off the following.

At a Methodist conference meeting a man got up and said he had long wished to speak, but his wife wouldn't let him. His wife had died, however, and having his liberty at last, he proposed to exercise it.

Shrunken.

An old da: key caught a two pound sucker one day and was so well satisfied with his work that he lay down for a nap with the fish beside him on the grass.

ADVICE TO HUSBANDS.

SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE IS SAUCE FOR THE GANDER.

The world is full of "advice to wives," and even that cheap commodity by courtesy addressed "to married people" is mostly one-sided and intended for the ears of the weaker sex only.

For the sake of a more evenly balanced state of things, let us administer a little of the same dose to the other side of the house, on the old principle that "what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander."

Husbands should always appear before their wives in a neat and becoming attire. Remember that is one of your chief attractions during courtship. A man is not at all beautiful en dishabille, and how can you expect to retain a woman's love if you suddenly drop all the blandishments that won it?

Never wear a clouded or angry countenance in the presence of your wife. No matter what the cares and annoyances of the day have been, before her you should be all sunshine.

If the children are noisy or peevish, quiet and amuse them with as much tact as possible, in order that you disturb not their mother, who, in the evening, should find that rest and tranquility that will prepare her for the duties of another day.

If you wish to be the true companion of your wife, don't allow yourself to degenerate into a mere drudge and money-catcher. Keep your intellect refreshed by perusing good books; read the things she reads, and repeat to her the news, both political and general, that you have gleaned in the world outside her sphere.

Bear in mind that many overtaxed wives are mere bundles of nerves, so to speak, and subject to a thousand and one irritations that enter not into a man's philosophy to even comprehend; therefore, write it in your heart and prove in your daily walk and conversation that "a soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger."

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