

THE LESSON OF THE SOUTH AMERICAN REPUBLICS.-The South "American States are in a perpetual condition of unrest. It excites no earnest inquiry or abiding public interest to learn that a fresh war has broken out between the rival tyrants. The American Peace Society itself has given panell home of Society itself has given up all hope of m king the lion lie down peacefully beside the lamb in these war-stricken regions. And yet we are assured by numerous travelers and foreign residents in those States, that the people upon whom so many storms of revolution burst are by no means ferocious in their nature. On the contrary, they have mild and peaceful dispositions, and would vastly prefer to sit, every man under his own vine and fig tree, and enjoy the labor of their hands. The bad reputation given to that whole region is simply through the deviltry region is simply through the deviltry and revolutionary machinations of an infamous set of plunderers and aspi-rants for power. These men make rants for power. These men make their living by stirring up sanguinary revolutions. They keep the bayonet always in play; they drive the unwill-ing people to distracting wars. Thus, in Peru at the present time, the grati-fying progress which the people have made to a higher civilization has been

bracing all that the term implies, is in a beastly state of subjection to the autocrat who, with much of Ben. But-ler's antipathy to newspaper men, has kept an editor seven months in a filthy hole of a prison, for no other reason than that he suggested that the coun-try had a free constitution which seemed to have been violated. As an instance of the deviltry which per-vades unfortunate Echador, we quote the following from the letter of a correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle:

an inveterate batred towards a promi-nent citizen and his family. He hus his own characteristic and bloody way of putting his enemies at rest. In this last case, he had disposed of all except a woman. Her he had arrested, and, guarded by a file of soldiers, led to his two bastiles—one constructed for him-self in case of emergencies, the other to put his 'friends' out of the way when desirable. In the latter bastile, the woman was beheaded, and, horri-ble to relate, Garoia had her brains fried in her blood to eat thum. This, he said, forever cleansed the country of its enemies. Atrocious and bratal as this act of cannibalism seems, the history of the man guarantees that he was capable of it. The Spanish jour-nals are giving wide circulation to the heipons deed, and some of them call

heinons deed, and some of them call upon the civilized governments to in-terfere and panish the moneter." The revolutionary caldron is also boiling in Columbia, while Chili is trying to settle down and be at peace with herself and all the world. It is evident that the South American States need to be purified of carpet-baggers. They make substantial strides to prosperity and peace when-ever their rulers remember that they ever their rulers remember that they are republican presidents and not dictators. We ourselves, intimates the Loaisville Courier-Journal, are not exempt from a similar experience of vampire like rulers thrust upon States with all the natural conditions of a great prosperity. Louisiana, to-day, is under the heel of a military satrap. The people, like those of the South

derision upon the very name "Repub-lican," and it is left for the people to redeem their honor by dethroning the Morenos and Pierolas, who have become fire-brands in a once peaceful and happy republic.

"And now," complains the Omaha Bee, "the barbarians of the East refer to our female population as 'Oma-hens."

"You have broken my heart," said the woman. "I am delighted," said the man, "for you will find the pieces so useful."

"The honeymoen is well enough." said a prudent belle, "but what I want to see beyond that is the promise of a fine harvest moon."

If choked, get upon your all-fours and cough; and when you want to cough, get upon your all-fours and oboke.

isn't the kind that "covers a multitude of sins."

Canse and effect--embroidered shoes are coming in and long skirts are going out.

The best protection against other people's ill-manners are one's own good manners.

who falls down generally marks him-Belf.

hole in Jones' cost sleeve, and then at

him by the hand and call him-a gentleman.

All goods marked down five per cent. at Hardy Solomon's.