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EDUCATION.

The report of the Superintendent of education is a source of encouragement. It contains also much food for thought. Since the inauguration of Democratic government in 1876 despite the fact that a Radical back indebtedness of $209,940 had to be provided for, astounding improvements have been made. The school fund has raised from $189,352 to $351,415, the last appropriation; and 31,676 more children have been taught.

Besides this, in Winnsboro', Chester and Charleston, permission has been given, by special legislation, for the people to levy a local tax, which has been cheerfully paid, and flourishing graded schools are now blessing these communities.

We would suggest to our delegation in the Legislature to pass an act giving Orangeburg the same privilege. We don't mean to force the matter upon us, but merely to give the opportunity of doing what we please in reference to a very important subject. The passage of the act need not compel us to execute its provisions, unless we so elect, but it opens to us the road to improvement. We believe if the advantages of these higher schools in other towns were known and fully realized by us, the measure would be a popular one. There is no doubt that we dread the plundering of local school taxation under Republican rule, but as the "News and Courier" says, "this can be guarded against by limiting the maximum rate of local taxation, and by allowing the tax to be levied at the request of the County Board of Examiners."

Orangeburg is growing to be a city of some pretensions, and in our material progress, we should not forget the intellectual.

In the language of the "News and Courier," "There is no royal road to fortune. But we shall find the right road and keep in it when, for blacks and whites alike, for rich and poor, for the lowly and the exalted, Democrat and Republican, the precept and practice shall be to educate, educate, educate!"

SPECIMEN OF NORTHERN SPITE.

The surviving soldiers of the Mexican war and their friends will make one more effort to get their pension bill passed before the expiration of the present Congress. The bill now stands on the calendar of the Senate as a special order, and the House bill stands at the head of the calendar in committee of the whole. All through the last session the Republicans in both houses threw obstacles in the way of the passage of the bill whenever it was taken up for action. The principal objection made to it was that Jefferson Davis would be included in its provisions. Now that the election is over they may not care so much about this, but as Mr. Davis has said that he did not care to be a beneficiary of the bill, the Democrats may suffer him to be excluded, if the point should be again made by the Republicans.

A pompous lawyer, who supposed himself to be very sarcastic, to the keeper of the apple stand: 'It seems to me, that you should quit this trying business and go at something which is not so wearing on the brain.' 'Oh! 'tain't business,' said the apple-seller. 'It is lyin, awake nights tryin' to decide whether to leave my fortune, to a orphan asylum or to a home for played-out old lawyers as is a-killin' me.'

A wicked Hampton county man who takes McSweeny's paper being recently taken ill, and believing he was about to die, told a neighbor that he felt the need of preparation for the next world and would like to see some person in regard to it. Immediately the friend sent for a fire insurance agent.

Discretion of speech is more than eloquence.

THE DEAD-LETTER OFFICE.

[illegible] for the preceding report of the [illegible] Postmaster General will [illegible] letters and packages were received at the Dead Letter Office during the fiscal year ending June 30, of which, from nine to [illegible], 2,700,000 were sent either from the local Post Offices because unclaimed. 290,000 were held for misdirected, 360,000 bore fictitious addresses, and over 9,000 were not addressed at all. The receipts at the Dead Letter Office also included about 56,000 letters returned from foreign countries, the persons addressed having left for other places; and 94,000 letters and packages returned from foreign countries. The great mass of the immense number of letters and packages contained nothing of value, and about 2,000,000 of this description were destroyed, the senders not being found. Of the remainder, [illegible] contained drafts, checks, notes, &c., of the face value of $1,528,217, and 26,2[illegible] contained money amounting to $[illegible],138. Most of the paper has been returned to the owners. A small amount, however, is still in the custody of the Department. Some 200,000 letters were opened and returned to the writers, and 364,000 were returned without opening, in consequence of the names or addresses of the envelopes. A curious fact, developed by a comparison of these figures with the similar statistics of former years, is that the percentage of undirected, misdirected, and unstamped letters are almost exactly the same each year, these evidences of carelessness or ignorance keeping quite even pace with the annually increasing amount of general postal business. Postmaster General Maynard has issued an order directing that all magazines, pamphlets, and other like reading matter received at the Dead Letter Office shall hereafter, instead of being sold for waste paper, be distributed to charitable and reformatory institutions in and around the national capital.

FUNNY.

Petty of the Carolina Spartan, can't wait till Christmas to let off quips. Hear him: "The Executive Committee of the State Press Association failed to have a quorum at their meeting in Columbia. Messrs Lowry, of the Herald, and Todd, of the Journal, were appointed a committee to work up transportation for the next meeting at Beaufort, [illegible] trip to Florida, [illegible] a Army trip. We [illegible] see Holmes of the [illegible] shaking sour orange tree, [illegible] leading a pet alligator [illegible] with a twine string, and Col. [illegible] of the Register covering up the old Peninsula with tabular statements, and the News and Courier blundering about in some of those [illegible] lakes hunting up that new party founded on the old one. Oh, it will be a jolly time. We can hardly wait for the fun to begin."

SOUTH CAROLINA'S MAIMED AND WOUNDED.

[illegible] appointed by the last [illegible] for ascertaining the amount [illegible] maimed and wounded [illegible] soldiers who lost limbs [illegible] service of the State in the late war have met in the office of the Governor and decided upon the following sums as being due the men who followed Lee and Jackson and our own glorious Hampton in the days when it cost something to love and fight for one's country, viz: For amputations above the knee, $100; below the knee, $75; amputations above the elbow, $60; below the elbow, $40. Comptroller General Hagood is prepared to issue his warrant to all parties who file proper evidence that they are entitled to these limbs or money to the amount that will purchase them.

There is not a single lawyer in the newly elected State Senate of New Hampshire, which contains twenty-four members.

SHAMELESS SHAMS.

Thirty years ago the sharp pen of Charles Dickens pricked the bubble of American titles and made our militia "Generals," corner grocery "Judges" and town council "Honorables" as ridiculous as our spittoons and our dollar aristocracy.

In aristocratic countries the titles are hereditary; but in this country they are infectious. Abroad, the son of a lord becomes his lordship when his father dies; but in this free republic one title generates another as fast as it flies in the sun. When the head of a family becomes a Judge or a General, all the boys are dubbed Colonels or Majors or Commodores, so as to keep up with the old gentleman whose brothers and brothers in-law straightway confer upon themselves titles of honor or distinction in order that the original Judge or General may not eclipse them by the brilliancy of his prefix. Thus it happens that our Democratic republic is now inhabited almost exclusively by men of title, "Generals," "Colonels" and "Majors" are as plentiful as cranberries, and everybody out of jail—and a majority inside—is considered an "Hon."

It is un-Republican, un-American and unmanly; it renders us absurd at home and a laughing stock abroad; it encourages petty vanity and snobbish affectation, and it should be as severely punished by society, if not by law, as any other form of obtaining undeserved credit under false pretenses.—Spirit of the Times.

KINDNESS.

Kindness is as cheap as it is beautiful. It may be given in word or look without diminishing aught of our wealth. With courtesies alone we may illuminate our pathway and pluck down blessings which no gold could purchase. To be brotherly, to befriend and cheer, and console as far as in us lies—these are the crowning graces of humanity—and all these are born of kindness. It is anger, breeding hate and contumely, that has filled the earth with misery and ruin. Anger between kindred and races, before which all that is beautiful in man vanishes, leaving only the wild, fierce animal of his being; families divided, friends parted, communities at feud—these are the fruits of anger. It has begotten the foulest of crimes. But kindness, in proportion as from this has been the ruling spirit among men, peace and happiness have followed. The home heart has been the center of a paradise, and the community of Elysium. Verily, "Better is a dry crust and quietness therewith than a house full sacrifice with strife." Let us study and strive to be kind, no matter how seemingly trivail the occasion, nor how small the promised fruit. It is the only language of our nature that is universal and irresistible.—Selected.

TEMPER AT HOME.

I have peeped into quiet 'parlors' where the carpet is clean and not old, and the furniture polished and bright; into 'rooms' where the chairs are dead and the floor carpetless; into 'kitchens' where the family live, and the meals are cooked and eaten, and the boys and girls are as blythe as sparrows in the hatch overhead; and I see that it is not so much wealth, nor learning, nor clothing, or servants, nor toil, nor station—as tone and temper that make life joyous or miserable, that render homes wretched. And I see, too, that in town or country, good sense and God's grace makes life of what no teachers or accomplishments, or means or society can make it; the opening stave of an everlasting psalm, the fair beginning of an endless existence, the goodly, modest, well-proportioned vestibule to a temple of God's building, that shall never decay, wax old, or vanish away.—John Hall, D. D.

Men are often like tea—the real strength and goodness are not properly drawn out until they have been in hot water.

TRAPPED.

There is a story told of a lady and gentleman traveling together on an English railroad. They were strangers to each other. Suddenly the gentleman said:

'Madam, I will trouble you to look out of the window for a few minutes; I am going to make some changes in my wearing apparel.'

'Certainly, sir,' she replied, with great politeness, rising and turning her back upon him.

In a very short time he said:

'Now, madam, my change is completed, and you may resume your own seat.'

When the lady turned she beheld her male companion transformed into a dashing lady with a veil over her face.

'Now, sir, or madam, whichever you like,' said the lady, 'I must trouble you to look out of the window, for I also have some changes to make in my apparel.'

'Certainly, madam;' and the gentleman in lady's attire immediately complied.

'Now, sir, you may resume your own seat.'

To his great surprise, on resuming his seat, the gentleman in female attire found his lady companion transformed into a man. He laughed loudly and said:

'It appears that we are both anxious to avoid recognition. What have you done? I have robbed a bank.'

'And I,' said the whilom lady, as he dexterously fettered his companion's wrists with a pair of handcuffs, 'am Detective J——, of Scotland Yard, and in female apparel have shadowed you for two days; now,' drawing a revolver, 'keep still!'

RATHER MIXED.

Johnson—'What is the matter with you, Ned; you look melancholy?'

Ned—'Yes; the fact of the matter is I have got mixed up so in my family affairs that I don't know who I am.'

Johnson—'Rather a strange remark. Explain yourself.'

Ned—'I will. You see, I married a young widow who lived with her stepdaughter; my father shortly after married the stepdaughter. My wife was, therefore, the mother-in-law and daughter-in-law of my father. I am the stepfather of my mother-in-law, and my wife's stepdaughter is my stepmother. Well, my stepmother—that is to say, my father's daughter—had a son. He is my stepbrother, of course, but being the son of my wife's stepdaughter, my wife is, of course, his grandmother, and I am his grandfather as well as his stepbrother. My wife also had a boy. My stepmother is consequently the stepsister of my boy, and also his grandmother, because she is the child of her stepson, and my father is the brother-in-law of my son, who is the son of my stepmother. I am my mother's brother-in-law, my wife is aunt of her own son, my son is the grandson of my father, and I am my own grandfather.'

Weaver carried one county in the United States, Walker county Texas, at the last election, receiving a majority of sixteen votes over Garfield and Hancock combined.

"Es a general thing," says Quincess, "I am down on a man dat spun my word. I've allus found a blacksmith's hoss sure."

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