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AMERICAN TELEGRAPH. Gen. Scott in Pennsylvania. General Scott, on his way to the West, arrived at Lewistown on Thursday afternoon. He was greeted with long and loud cheers from the assembled multitude, and on reaching the platform was addressed in the following language by George W. Elder, Esq.:

"Honored Sir: The old and the young who dwell along these mountain sides, and in this quiet valley of the Juniata, welcome you to-day as their transient guest.

"Our mountains here may look cold—and the winds that sweep them may be cold—but our hearts are warm, and in them, sir, you will ever have the warmest place.

"You, sir, are no obscure stranger here. Every month and every year has your name, coupled with some distinguished service, reached the farthest corner of this land.

"Beside you stand a witness to call up recollections of one 'mournful and pleasant' to you, (here the speaker referred to Captain Joseph Henderson, who served under Scott at Chippewa and Lundy's Lane),—one who slept beside you on the cold borders of the Northern Lakes—who brushed away the frost from his sword, and at the sound of the morning reveille, was eager for the fight.

"On your left stands another witness, (Capt. Wm. H. Irwin, who heard the tramp of your war-horse, as he snuffed the battle from afar, amidst the stillness of the orange groves in the Valley of Mexico.

"Here, too, are others, who bore an humbler, but yet as proud a part, in the last series of your brilliant achievements—those which are scattered here and there, and are the stars to beautify and adorn our history; ay, stars bright and enduring as that one which never sets. Yes, here are some of the hands and hearts that helped you tear down the battlements that Cortez built, and plant above his ruined towers your glorious 'Banner of the Free.'

"In their names, and in the names of those around me, again accept our heartfelt welcome. But, sir, we take you by the hand and kindly greet you, not because it is deeply stained with blood—no; not because you are a skillful butcher of the human race, but because you have ever sought to hide the nakedness of the sword blade, by entwining round it an olive wreath—because you have never sunk the man in the fanatic hero!

"Accept, too, our kindest wishes long as you 'little river' shall steal down with its waters to the sea. Go, and may the remnant of your stormy life be passed in peace, and when it closes, may it be calm and beautiful as your setting sun, which long throws its mild rays back to gladden and to bless the world."

Gen. Scott, says the report in the Lewistown Gazette, standing before Capt. W. H. Irwin and Dr. Joseph Henderson, (the latter a Captain under Scott at Chippewa and Lundy's Lane, and the former a Captain under him in Mexico), appeared to be deeply affected, and briefly replied, in substance, as follows:

"My Fellow-citizens: I am happy to meet with you here in this beautiful Valley of the Juniata. This kind reception was unexpected, and the sentiments of the beautiful speech just made by one of your number have touched my heart deeply. A manifestation of my countrymen's esteem I cherish as my highest honor, and this of yours shall ever live fresh in my memory.

"Again and again, I thank you all for your kindness, and assure you it has excited the most grateful feelings of my heart, while to meet my old associates in arms awakens emotions which language fails me to express."

Capt. P. F. McCoy and some other soldiers of the Mexican war, as well as who could do so, grasped the hand of the old hero, but the ears having been detained beyond the usual time, the General was yet speaking, the signal was given, and the train sped on its way westward amid loud and oft-repeated cheers.

General Case—George Withersell. Mr. GEORGE WITHERSSELL, of the Democratic free meeting, on Friday, did not give all the facts. Mr. Withersell asked in a becoming manner if he might ask a question, to which he replied was made. He asked for permission a second time, amid cries of "Go on," "sit down," &c., from John Fitch and other leaders of the party here; when Gen. Case inquired if he was a Democrat or Whig. To which Mr. W. replied that he was a "Democrat, died in the wool!" General Case said he would answer his question. Mr. W. then asked if he (Mr. C.) was acquainted with Mr. Pierce in Congress. Gen. Case said "Yes—no; not much; but he knew the man now." Mr. W. asked if Mr. Pierce did not vote against all appropriations for river and harbor improvements. Gen. Case admitted that he did; "but that he did so as the representative of New Hampshire, which State was opposed to that policy.

Mr. James Lyons, by this time wrought up to a good degree of anger at the remarks which have been made about his recent political course, issues his Manifesto, declaring that he "will take his stand" with Toombs, Stephens, Jenifer, and others, "in opposition to the Seward-Scott party." As there is no such party in existence, and as it is a "figure of the brain" of politicians, probably, when Mr. Lyons comes to find that he is in entire error, he will retract his steps. We like always to be charitable. But we say, as we said yesterday, in the case of Mr. Jenifer—Mr. Lyons takes himself off, only.

As a Senator, he (Pierce) stood in the foremost rank with Clay, Webster, Benton, and Calhoun.—Wytheville Republican.

Our people must have very treacherous memories, for they were perfectly ignorant of the existence of such a man previous to his nomination.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.—The Democrats of the city of New York have made the following nominations for Congress in the several districts comprised within that city:

Third District, Hiram Walbridge; Fourth, Mike Walsh; Fifth, Wm. M. Tweed; Sixth, John Wheeler; Seventh, Wm. A. Walker; Eighth, Francis B. Cutting.

Lieutenant G. W. May, who fought under Gen. Scott, and was twice wounded in the war with Mexico, has for some time past been doing good service, as his old commander in New York, Pennsylvania, and the New England States. Lieutenant May is not a man of fortune, but impelled by a sense of duty has thrown personal interest aside to raise his voice for the Conqueror of Mexico.

Hon. Robert Toombs is stumping the State of Georgia in favor of the election of Hon. Daniel Webster to the Presidency.—Ech.

It is said he finds stumps in his progress that stump him most amazingly. When the beam begins to quiver he will know where to go.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—No. 1. BY S. S. RANDALL.

All education worthy of the name must be based upon CHRISTIANITY; and no teacher, be his intellectual qualifications what they may, who is not in heart and in life, in practice as well as in profession, a CHRISTIAN, should be allowed to find a place in our public schools. I make this assertion with a full sense of its responsibility, and in the conviction derived from many years of observation and experience in the practical workings of our systems of elementary public instruction, that it is to the absence or neglect of this essential element that the work of education has, in many instances, proved so comparatively inefficient.

By CHRISTIANITY, however, I do not mean that narrow, sectarianism which would exclude from the pale of salvation or acceptance with the common Father all who differ in opinion and doctrine from those who claim to be the only authorized expounders of its mysteries; not that sectarianism which shuts its eyes to every form or manifestation of Christian truth, faith, and duty not embraced within the peculiar and distinctive tenets of particular churches; but that broad, beautiful, and comprehensive CHRISTIANITY which animates and pervades the sacred Scriptures, and demands the consecration of the heart, the intellect, and the life to the love and practice of "whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report;" which carries forward the innocence and reverential affection of childhood through all its subsequent advances in the rugged pathway of life to its close; and during the bright and unclouded morning of its existence implants those germs of sound principle, unswerving integrity, and pervading kindness and love which are destined to bloom and flourish in the courts of heaven for ever and ever.

The morning hour, which should thus be consecrated to moral culture, while it would be spent in the most agreeable and pleasant interchange of sentiments and principles, destined with many, if not with all, to take deep root in the heart and the life, and to "bring forth fruit, some thirty, some sixty, and some an hundred fold," would constitute a fitting preparation for the subsequent exercises of the day. The intellectual faculties would be in a better condition for that mental discipline which the acquisition of science involves; and in proportion as the practical utility and noble purposes of knowledge have been better comprehended and understood, will its prosecution become pleasurable and agreeable. In this way moral and intellectual instruction may be made to go hand in hand, the intimate and reciprocal relation between them being thus become more and more fully realized, and all the energies of the expanding being directed to the attainment of a liberal and comprehensive education, embracing the whole nature, and in harmony with every faculty of the mind.

A NEW CURSE FOR BRONCHIAL AND CONSUMPTIVE COMPLAINTS.—DR. CARLWRIGHT, of New Orleans, communicates to the Boston Medical and Surgical Journal an article entitled: "The Sugar House Cure for Bronchial, Dyspeptic, and Consumptive Complaints." It is stated that a residence in a sugar house, during the rolling season, far surpasses any other means of restoring flesh, strength, and health, lost by chronic inflammation of the chest, throat, or stomach. The rolling season is the harvest, when the canes are cut, the juice expressed and converted into sugar. In Louisiana it commences about the middle of October, and ends at Christmas, but is sometimes protracted into January. Dr. C. says the vapor is most agreeable and soothing to the lungs, and in his own case entirely removed a distressing cough. He stood for hours in the sugar house inhaling the vapor, and drinking occasionally a glass of the hot cane juice. This is a fact interesting to invalids.

PROFANEY REBUKED.—A true extract from the "General Order Book" of Gen. Washington, under date of 29th July, 1779:

"Many and pointed orders have been issued against that unmeaning and abominable custom of swearing—notwithstanding which, with much regret, the General observes that it prevails, if possible, more than ever. His feelings are continually wounded by the oaths and imprecations of the soldiers, whenever he is in hearing of them. The more he thinks of it, the more he is provoked, and he is permitted to exist and enjoy the comforts of life is necessarily impeded and profaned, in a manner as wanton as it is shocking. For the sake, therefore, of religion, decency, and order, the General hopes and trusts that officers of every rank will use their influence and authority to check a vice which is as unprofitable as it is wicked and shameful. If officers would make it an invariable rule to reprimand, and, if that does not do, punish, soldiers for offenses of this kind, it could not fail of having the desired effect."

SINGULAR DISCOVERIES.—It is stated in one of our English papers, that the work of draining the Lake of Harlaem, has led to the discovery of an immense mass of human remains deeply imbedded in the mud, and placed precisely on the spot where, according to a topographical chart, laid down in 1511, and which has always been considered as perfectly accurate, the unfortunate village of Nierenkerk was situated, and which in 1539 was swallowed up by one of those irruptions of the North Sea, which formed the immense Lake of Harlaem.

It is stated in the Sandwich Island papers that tobacco seed from the Island of Cuba has been planted in those islands, and the account states that the crop is not only abundant, but that the cigars manufactured from the tobacco are of the finest quality and flavor, equal in every respect to the best regalias of Havana.

A firm in Portsmouth, N. H., have recently perfected a new spinning machine, which promises to entirely supplant the old method of hand spinning, as well on account of the superiority of its workmanship and durability of its manufactures, as the great saving in manual labor which it effects.

STROKE BY LIGHTNING.—During the thunder shower of Saturday, the northern arm of the stone cross on the steeple of the Cathedral was struck by lightning, and shattered into a thousand pieces.—Cincinnati Gaz.

It is proposed, in one of the English journals, that a delegation of English Bishops should be allowed to attend the general convention to be held next year in New York.

The St. Paul Minnesota says: "An old soldier who resides in the interior of Michigan, a strong Democrat, writes to a friend in St. Paul, that he with plenty of other Democrats in his neighborhood, are going for his old commander, Gen. Scott."

John Duff brought his wife to America. Her talent, long concealed, burst forth twenty-five years ago, at Boston, when she became a great tragic actress.—Ech.

The Missouri Clay Monument Association has resolved to erect a monument in St. Louis at a cost of \$75,000.