

UNIVERSAL AMNESTY.

The resolution carried in the New York convention recommending that the President expunge exceptions from his last amnesty proclamation, expresses, if we do not mistake, a sentiment which is fast becoming prevalent throughout the North.

And, we also take it, the growing sentiment at the North in favor of universal amnesty means much more than agnecy in a narrow and technical sense. The popular mind is given to large and unqualified conceptions.

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A LESSON FOR WARMTH, DUNN AND THE REST.

The New York Tribune is moved by the recommendation of Gov. Scott to the South Carolina legislature that all political disabilities be abolished, so that every citizen may vote and hold office, no matter what relation he held to the late war, to pronounce the message in which it occurs a "model of wise and generous statesmanship."

THE CRESCENT has not minced phrases, as our readers are well aware, in commenting on the temper exhibited by the carpet-baggers and their adherents who have commenced to play the part of Louisiana legislators in the Mechanics Institute. But we must confess that the CRESCENT is surprised by the Tribune in stinging commentary on the vindictive and tyrannical propensities expressed by that faction in its legislative projects as thus far developed.

And if South Carolina is, as the Tribune asserts, "fairly on the high road to lasting peace," because of the contemplated abolition of political disabilities in that State, then Louisiana must be on the high road to chronic trouble and distraction, because of the evident purpose of the men who are now acting as her legislators to perpetuate political disabilities, and, by every possible expedient, to widen the scope and intensify the bitterness of political proscription.

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EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS, ETC.

Eugene rises with the sun. Young prohibits pig in Utah. Lucille Western is playing in San Francisco. Albert is in Paris and Rosini has dined here.

Queen Victoria's "breakfasts" are from half-past four to half-past seven p. m. The New York Leader considers the theft of molasses a sycopittous act. Maggie Mitchell is going to row for a prize in Savannah, July 9th.

Of all our emigrants, the Germans and Irish are the soonest naturalized; and the English last of all. The latter seem to retain a stronger feeling for their mother country, and have generally less sympathy with our people and institutions than other foreigners.

THE VEGETARIAN THROUGHOUT THE WORLD have been brought to grief by the report of Mr. Hewlett, officer of health for Bombay, who states that while the general mortality is 1.89 per cent, among the 61,994 non-flesh eating castes belonging to the higher grades of society the mortality amounts to 2.65 per cent.

Celebration of the "Ugly Club" of the University of Virginia.

Mr. Clifton inaugurated the proceedings of the occasion by a humorous and well-delivered little speech, in which he made many good hits, and concluded by introducing Mr. Wylie, of Virginia, the presenter of the candy to the "little man."

From the Richmond White.

Mr. Hamilton, on accepting the prize, diffidently, yet sweetly, concluded by alluding to such "sublimely attainable" but, if attained after all a slippery pinnacle of fame, where no one but those self-conscious of power might safely stand.

THE PRESIDENT NEXT INTRODUCED Mr. Shewalter, of Missouri, the presenter of the boots, Mr. J. C. Reed, of Virginia, being the recipient, he being considered the ugliest man of all the ugly. The presenter, in describing the ugly man, seemed to think himself unable to rise to the height of the great deformity, although he said that Reed was a "great old fellow, which astonished the audience, and appealing to the ladies if they ever saw so "ugly" a man, and no reply being elicited, he declared it as the verdict of five thousand ladies that Mr. Reed was the ugliest man ever seen by them.

TAKING GOVERNMENT BONDS.—The following is the classified vote in the House of Representatives agreeing to Mr. Cobb's resolution to lay a tax of not less than ten per cent. upon the interest of United States bonds. The Democrats are marked in Italics:

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SEVENTH DAY.

MONDAY, July 6, 1868.

The Senate was called to order at noon, Lieut. Governor Dunn presiding. Thirty-five members present. Sambola appeared in his seat as usual, but his name was not called.

Mr. Campbell introduced the protest of Mr. Gray, against the seat of Mr. E. Bacon, senator from the fourth senatorial district. Mr. O'Hara introduced a protest of Barrett P. Lamey, contesting the seat of Mr. W. F. Blackman, of Washburn, Bossier and Bienville.

Mr. Lynch was very glad to see the Democrats so well represented, and desired the yeas and nays called on the laying on the table. He preferred postponing the bill. The reading was tabled unanimously. Mr. Jewell then moved a reconsideration.

Mr. Lynch, in the course of some remarks, said that there was "a slight possibility" of ousting some senators. Mr. Bacon remarked that the apprehensions of delay on the part of the senators were groundless.

Mr. Lynch called for the previous question. Mr. E. L. Jewell rose to a point of order. The amendment in the Senate of the United States, and of all States, was ignored; there was no such thing known.

Just Opened.

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\$10,000 Reward.

STOLEN FROM THE CANAL BANK, THIS DAY, a pack made up for the Southern Express Company, addressed to MORGAN'S SONS, New York, containing FIFTY THOUSAND (\$50,000) DOLLARS in Legal Tender Notes of \$1000 each.

CH. JUMONVILLE, Cashier, New Orleans, March 26, 1868.

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National Convention Goals.

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A Card.

I hereby inform the public that, on the 2d inst., I purchased a Quarter Ticket to the GEORGIA STATE LOTTERY, Combination Class No. 36, and that said ticket contained the Three First Draw Numbers in that class, drawing a Fourth of the Capital Price of that date amounting to SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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James A. Gresham.

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