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Stoves, &c.

(From the Monday Morning Express.)
A GREAT STOVE!
Two Barrels of Flour Baked in 12 Hours
WITH 43 POUNDS OF COAL.

YESTERDAY, WANDS & KINNICUTT, corner of Geauga, Beaver streets, baked up TWO BARRELS of Ware's Julian Mills Flour, IN TWELVE HOURS, with Forty-Three Pounds of Coal, in their STEWART'S COOKING STOVES.

The fire was made at 8 o'clock in the morning, and was not touched during the day, and when we were in the store last evening the fire was strong enough to bake for three or four hours. Such a stove as this is really
A GREAT "INSTITUTION,"
and can do as much work as some of the baker's ovens in our city. The bread is to be given to the poor of the city. In a week or ten days there is to be another baking,
EXPRESSLY FOR THE LADIES
of which due notice will be given.
THE STEWART STOVES
FOR SALE BY
JOHN INGERSOLL & CO.,
my13tf No. — Superior St.

STOVES
AND ENAMELED GRATES.
W. L. MARVIN, NO. 9 PUBLIC SQUARE, (South side) has just received fresh from the manufactory one of the largest and best assortments of
ENAMELED GRATES,
Ever brought to this market. He always keeps on hand the best, cheapest and most approved styles of COOKING and other kinds of STOVES
Manufactured Expressly for this Market, and Warranted to give perfect satisfaction.
He also is constantly supplied with an assortment of Wooden Ware and House Furnishing Articles, and has on hand and manufactures a large stock of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware, all of which MUST AND WILL BE SOLD, at wholesale or retail, for cash.
At Prices to Suit the Times!
All kinds of JOBBING, ROOFING, EAVE TROUGHING, &c., done by the most workmanlike manner, and on SHORT NOTICE.
☞ "The proof: the pudding is in the chewing of the string." —So please call before purchasing elsewhere, at the old and well known stand of
P. S.—Buck's Patent Hotel Cook Stoves, two sizes, $50 to $75 each.
W. L. MARVIN.
mr25-3m&w3 No. 9 South side Public Square.

Plumbing, etc.

M. PATTINSON,
PRACTICAL HOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBER,
No. 7 Park Row, back of Old Court House, on Square.
I MANUFACTURE AND KEEP constantly on hand a complete assortment of Copper, Lead and Iron Bathing Tubs, Marble, Pinn and Fancy China Wash Basins, Water Closets, common Lift & Force Pumps of the best description. Also, I keep the Genuine Patent Italian Stone Filterer, and all other articles in this line of business.
Having had over twenty years experience in this branch of mechanism, and the last four years engaged in the principal houses in town, I feel confident of giving entire satisfaction to all who may favor me with their patronage.
Hydrants, Tubs, Closets and Basins fitted up in the neat and most approved style.
Orders in the city and country promptly attended to.—Jobbing executed with neatness and dispatch
febl6-18t

Cleveland Plumbing Works.
ATWATER BLOCK, FOOT OF SUPERIOR STREET
J. B. Barnes & Co.,
PROPRIETORS.
THE ATTENTION OF THOSE intending to use the water from the
Water Works
is called to the great facilities of the above establishment of doing every description of
PLUMBING WORKS,
including the fitting up of
BATHING ROOMS,
Hot Water Fixtures and Fountains,
The proprietors keep constantly on hand every description of the
Best Finished Plumbing Materials,
or doing the most perfect work, comprising their choice selection of
Fountains,
of different sizes and patterns;
BATHING TUB,
of Wood, lined Tinned Copper and Zinc,
Lead and Galvanized Pipes,
the best and latest improved
WATER CLOSET FIXTURES,
Hydrants, Porous Glass Filters, Brass and Plated Cocks.
Including the Patent Self Closing Cocks recently introduced and highly recommended for use in hotels and to get out on order.
STEAM HEATING APPARATUS.
For heating Dwellings, Hotels, Stores, &c., of the latest approved kind, put up and warranted to give satisfaction.
A large and careful force of experienced workmen kept constantly on hand, expressly to attend to repairing and repairing Works.
Particular attention is invited to their facilities for fitting up HOTELS, DWELLINGS, SHOPS, SALOONS, BATHING SALOONS, &c., in a perfect manner, and on the most reasonable terms. my29
Plumbing and Steam Work
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Can be procured of J. B. BARNES & CO.,
jan18-dlf Atwater Block

Machinists &c.

H. KONIGSLOW,
Manufacturer of all kinds of
SMALL MACHINERY, LATHES, MODELS,
Rolling Mills for Jewelers and Dentists
SEAL AND OTHER PRESSES &c.
TURNING AND FINISHING GENERALLY.
54 Superior street, American Buildings, Cleveland, O.
Opposite the Weddell House. aug29 17t

Hats, Caps & Furs.

HATS! HATS! HATS!
The largest stock and greatest variety of
STRAW, PANAMA,
LIGHT CASSIMERE and
DRAB BEAVER HATS
Can be found at prices to correspond with the times, at
jun26 E. STAIR & CO'S, 15 Superior St.

EVERETT HAT.—SOMETHING new, nice and tasty. Call and see our large stock of white and colored straws for men and boys.
my19 B. BUTTS & CO., 25 Superior St.

LADIES' RIDING HATS AND GAUNTLETS.—Fine assortment now opening at
my29 B. BUTTS & CO., 25 Superior St.

SUMMER CASIMERE HATS.
L. BENEDICT & SONS
Are selling a beautiful
PEARL CASIMERE HAT,
For Summer wear.
They also have a full Assortment of Fashionable Black Cassimere and Silk Hats, at
15 SUPERIOR STREET

CHILDRENS' FANCY SUMMER HATS—In great variety, just opened at
my15 L. BENEDICT & SONS, 75 Superior St.

PALM LEAF HATS—White and Colored, for Men and Boys, at wholesale and retail.
my15 L. BENEDICT & SONS

YOUNG MEN'S STYLE OF SILK HATS—Just received. The prettiest style ever offered for young men. At BENTON'S,
ap4 Under Johnson House. 38 Superior St.

E. STAIR & CO., ARE PREPARED to furnish the
Spring Fashions
FOR
GENTLEMEN'S HATS.
The quality, style and finish of our
HATS
are (as usual) unsurpassed. feb10

1858.
Spring Style of Hats
OPENED
SATURDAY, MARCH 6th.
BY
L. Benedict & Sons.
mh6 15 SUPERIOR ST.

BUCKEYE HATS!
MADE OF
BUCKEYE
—BY—
BUCKEYES,
IN THE
Buckeye State!
Just the Hat for the season! Good and cheap! Call and see them at
E. STAIR & CO'S.
ja19 No. 15 Superior-st.

Coal Dealers

1858.
WM. J. PRICE. LINUS CRAWFORD. DAVID MORRIS.
PRICE, CRAWFORD & MORRIS,
(successors to CRAWFORD, PRICE & CO.)—Dealers in Briar Hill, Minera Hedge and Clay-pews Coal, by the cargo. Office, Government Pier, Cleveland, Ohio.
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T. P. Handy, Cash'r Com'l'l Bank ..... Detroit,
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1858.
I. C. PENDLETON & CO.,
DEALERS IN LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA, Briar Hill, Chippewa, Tallmadge and New Castle
COAL.
Office No. 2 Commercial Range, foot of Superior st.
ap19

NEWBERRY LUMP COAL.—This superior article of BITUMINOUS COAL, which is particularly adapted to domestic purposes, as well as for blacksmith use, can be had of the undersigned Agents for the Company.
Orders for city or foreign trade will be executed with dispatch, and Coal delivered at any part of the city of a quality which will not fail to please, if left at either of our offices, or at the store of Gaylord & Hammond, No. 29 Superior-st.
SCOVILL & WHEELER.
oct7 No. 61 River street and C. & P. Coal Pier.

COAL—COAL.
NOW IS THE TIME TO GET IN your Winter supply. We are daily receiving a splendid article for Stoves and Grates, which we sell at $5.00 per ton.
Parties wishing to purchase will do well to give us a call. All orders through the Post Office promptly attended to. Office and Yards on the C. & P. R. R. Pier and at the P. & R. R. Machine Shop, Lake street.
aug6 JOHN HAYS & CO.

Bankers.

J. Herdman & Co.,
11 Water Street, Cleveland, Ohio.
DEALERS IN GOLD AND SILVER Coin, Foreign and Domestic Exchange, Uncurrent Money, and Land Warrants. Collections in the United States, Canada and Europe, promptly attended to.
Agents for the Liverpool and New York Screw Steamship Line, by which Passage can be secured either to or from Liverpool at the advertised rates. Passage can also be secured from Liverpool to New York, Quebec and New Orleans, by the regular lines of sailing Packet Ships. Also, from Havre, Hamburg and Bremen to New York. Drafts furnished for any amount, payable throughout the Continent of Europe and Great Britain and Ireland. For further particulars apply at the Banking and Exchange Office of
J. HERDMAN & CO.,
apl7-dtf 11 Water street, Cleveland, Ohio.

H. L. WHITMAN N. S. STANDART C. W. STANDART
WHITMAN, STANDART & CO.—Bankers, and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Exchange. No. 7 Superior street. We draw direct on London and will furnish Drafts for any amount payable at all the principal points in England, Ireland, Scotland, France and Germany. Collections made on all accessible points throughout the United States and Canadas. mh19-ly

Millinery,

BONNETS.—A LARGE STOCK AT greatly reduced prices.
MORGAN & R'OT.
jy21

BONNETS—At half price the whole stock
jy19 W. WARREN.

MILLINERY GOODS.
BONNETS! BONNETS!
At Wholesale and Retail.
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A large stock recently purchased at greatly reduced prices, and can OFFER BARGAINS. Also a large and very choice assortment of TRIMMED BONNETS, that we now offer cheaper than ever before. Also, FRENCH FLOWERS, a fresh arrival and of very choice variety.
Also FRENCH DRESSES, ENGLISH do TARLETANNES, ILLUSIONS, JOINED BLONDES, Also, a large stock of BONNET RIBBONS, FRAMES, CROWNS, WIRES, REEDS, BRAIDS,
And everything pertaining to the Wholesale or Retail Millinery Trade can be found in great variety of style and quality, and the lowest possible prices of
MORGAN & ROOT'S.
jun21

MILLINERY GOODS.—MORGAN & ROOT are daily receiving from Manufacturers and Auctions a large assortment of Millinery Goods, and are now opening
100 Cases Bonnets, all varieties,
500 Cartons French and American Flowers.
And all the Minutia of Ladies Head-gear, which will be sold Wholesale or Retail, at astonishingly low prices, as we deliver with the times at the
CITY MILLS STORE.

TO THE LADIES.—We have just received a large and choice lot of new Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and some choice and new materials for Winter Bonnets, all of which have been bought very cheap and will be sold at 25 PER CENT LESS THAN FORMER PRICE. Call early and make a selection while the assortment is complete. At
SHAW & Co's.
dec8 125 Superior st.

ANOTHER INVOICE OF REAL SHAKER BONNETS.
A large stock of Russia Crash, bought cheap.
Bleached and Brown Shaker Towels.
Barnsley Linens, Pillow Cases and Sheetings.
Damask Table Drapery and Cloths, Doilies, Napkins, Damask Bordered Towels and Toweling.
TAYLOR, GRISWOLD & CO.
ap30

BONNETS!—LADIES BONNETS!—We have bought too many of them! Unless the Ladies buy two or three apiece we shall fail to sell them all. As an inducement we shall offer them so cheap there will be no economy in having the old ones "done over," as the new will be cheaper than the old one "fixed up."
MORGAN & ROOT
ap13

CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS—We have just received (from Auction) a large stock of Leghorn and Colored Straw Hats suitable for Boys and Girls, at at auction, which we will offer twice per cent. below the market prices, at S. HYMAN & CO.'S.
ap30 Corner Superior and Public Square.

MISSES FLATS AND SHAKER HOODS.—The goods are now ready—come and get one while you can—they are going fast.
39 Superior St., BENTON'S.
ap6 Cent. Paddle-k's Old Store.

THE GENUINE, ORIGINAL, North Union, Ohio Shaker Bonnets, colored. The first in market—received this day per "John" and his covered wagon.
mr18 TAYLOR, GRISWOLD & CO.

50 DOZ. KID GLOVES—The very best imported; and will be sold at 75 cents per pair.
deck S. RAYMOND & CO.

CITY & NEWS ITEMS

SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 21, 1858

PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL PRINTING.

☞ Plain and Ornamental Printing of every description done at the Printing Establishment of the *Leader* Office, on the latest improved and most rapid steam presses, in the best style, on short notice, and at reasonable rates. Particular attention paid to blank work. Every description of Binding done, especially Blank Books, Ledgers, Journals, Sales Books, Receiving Books, &c., &c.

☞ For late City News, see third page.
For Market Reports and Marine News, see fourth page.

Cleveland Manufactures.

GARDNER & VINCENT'S CABINET WARE ESTABLISHMENT.—GARDNER & VINCENT present to the public no ostentatious front at Nos. 46 and 48 Water street; but the unpretending exterior of their building is no indication as to the quantity or quality of the manufactured articles stored away in their capacious Warerooms, comprising every variety of style and quality of manufacture—from the magnificent parlor set down to ordinary goods—not made with a view to cheapness without excellence, but made with regard to *good goods* at reasonable prices. Their establishment has a front of about fifty feet—occupying about half of the first floor and the whole of the second; and a depth of twelve rods or one hundred and ninety-two feet. They employ at this time some twelve men—all their turning, &c., &c., being done in other establishments. They use no steam in the manufacture of their goods, and consequently no steam machinery. The frames of many of their elaborate rosewood sets are manufactured to order for them in New York, and brought from thence to Cleveland, and upholstered and finished under their own supervision; thus securing strong and reliable work, and combining with these qualities those of elegance and beauty. Some of the carved rosewood marble-topped tables offered for sale by Messrs. GARDNER & VINCENT are really wonders in this line; several fruit and flower pieces being especially noticeable for their perfection of execution and excellent imitation of the "original growth." A couple of sideboards attracted our attention from their elaborate and beautifully carved fruit pieces, and convenient arrangement of drawers and shelves. Tete a tetes, sofas, and lounges, in abundance, also grace the rooms of these gentlemen, and all of them of superior workmanship and design.

A large proportion of Messrs. GARDNER & VINCENT'S work is of the most magnificent description,—designed and finished in the highest style. Their parlor sets are especially splendid, and their carved sofas, easy chairs, office chairs, chamber furniture, &c., &c., unsurpassed in the country, east or west. The establishment is a credit to the city, and its old and established reputation for superior work is too extensively known to require any commendation at our hands.

We should have stated that Messrs. G. & V. do not at this time give employment to so many hands as in prosperous times—but keep enough men at work to meet the requirements of their trade. They sell many articles of fine furniture to residents of other cities and towns, and [illegible]

CLAM SOUP.—Clam Soup was served up to the patrons of the American yesterday. It was really excellent, and was discussed by the partakers with zest and relish. WINSLOW has made arrangements whereby his friends will be treated to similar luxuries fresh, and direct from New York.

[Communicated.]

MESSRS. EDITORS OF LEADER—*Dear Sirs*:—The *Review* says that Cyprien Ricaud is the richest free negro in Louisiana. I think the *Review* is mistaken. He is not even the richest colored planter, and the richest colored men of that State live in New Orleans, and own stock in all the various stock companies of that city, besides blocks of mercantile buildings. Their taxable property amounts to over four millions of dollars. I believe that I am as well acquainted with the history of the Ricard family as the editor of the *Review*, but I never knew that "they were satisfied with the ease and comfort they enjoy; and aspiring to no fancied privileges, their life passes smoothly." Mr. Ricaud is not an intelligent colored man; consequently his happiness consists in having power over still more ignorant men. But the high-toned intelligent colored men, of wealth accumulated in the State, live in Paris. Mr. Corderville and other Louisiana colored men I am acquainted with, reside on the Boulevards in winter, and at their country seats, near Paris, in summer. A QUADROON.

KEEPING THE TEETH CLEAN.—Microscopical examinations have been made of the matter deposited on the teeth and gums of more than forty individuals, selected from all classes of society, in every variety of bodily condition, and in nearly every case animal and vegetable parasites in great numbers have been discovered. Of the animal parasites there are three or four species, and of the vegetable one or two. In fact, the only persons whose mouths were found to be perfectly free from them, cleansed their teeth four times daily, using soap once. One or two individuals also passed a thread between the teeth to cleanse them more effectually. In all cases the number of parasites was greater in proportion to the neglect of cleanliness. The effect of the application of various agents was also noticed. Tobacco juice and smoking did not injure their vitality in the least. The same was true of the chlorine tooth wash, of pulverized bark, of soda, ammonia, and various other popular detergents. The application of soap, however, appeared to destroy them instantly. We may hence infer that this is the best and most proper specific for cleansing the teeth. In all cases where it has been tried it receives unqualified commendation. It may also be proper to add that none but the purest white soap, free from discoloration, should be used.—*Exchange.*

GOOD NEWS.—We learn that Lieut. MAURY has consented to visit our city during the ensuing winter, and deliver a lecture before the Young Men's Society. A discourse from one so pre-eminent for scientific attainments will be a rare treat to our citizens.—*Detroit Advertiser.*

We learn that arrangements have been made with Lieut. MAURY to deliver a lecture in this city. We are sure the simple announcement will be hailed with gratification by our citizens.

THE TENTH OF SEPTEMBER.—Every one is looking out for a grand gala-time on the anniversary of Lake Erie. That old gun at Put-in-Bay island will, on the tenth of next month, welcome steamers loaded with crowds of pleasure seeks from the ports along the chain of lakes all the way from Chicago to Buffalo. The fine steamer *May Queen*, Capt. Viger, will take a crowd from Detroit.

The Lake cities seem to be wide awake for a grand celebration at Put-in-Bay on the Anniversary of Perry's Victory, and initiatory steps should be taken at once in order to make the necessary arrangements securing concert of action.—*Det. Tribune.*

MORNING LEADER.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

For the Leader.

Bible Cause in Eastern Ohio.

The undersigned takes this opportunity to send out a call for a few laborers in the Bible cause. Having supervision of the Eastern portion of the State, I am now introducing a more efficient and systematic plan of operations than has heretofore been carried on, and will need for a time a few efficient men to labor as county agents in the carrying out of it. Pastors under whose eye this article may fall will confer a favor by laying it before any of their acquaintances possessed of the requisite qualifications, and requesting them to address the subscriber at Cleveland.

Many applicants have mistaken views of the duties of such an agency, and the qualifications necessary for it. I have, therefore, prepared a "*Manual of Instructions*," giving in detail the nature of the work and the *modus operandi*, with a copy of which I will furnish applicants by mail

Our object is to give every family an opportunity once a year of contributing to the Bible cause and thus promoting a public sentiment in its favor; to supply the held thoroughly and to keep it supplied with the Scriptures, and to pay over every year as much as possible to the American Bible Society to aid in supplying places more destitute. Our plan is to operate through the medium of auxiliary and branch societies; one of the former to be sustained in every county, and the latter usually embracing the boundaries of a township. The former are usually organized by the general agent; the latter are to be formed by the county agent for whom this call is sent out. The duties of these county agents are manifold. They are to be both collecting and distributing agents. They present the Bible cause to public congregations on the Sabbath, and visit from house to house with subscription papers and Bibles during the week. They establish and replenish depositories, write numerous letters, issue numerous circulars, and constantly mingle with the masses, the poor and the rich, the refined and the uncultivated, the pious and the profane.

It is the design to give good agents *permanent* employment. As their services will be generally needed in a single county but a portion of the year, the general agent by corresponding with and meeting the county committees, prepares the way for their labors in other counties so that they can find constant employment through the year.

As to the qualifications necessary:

First—The agent should be *pious*. His business is to *do good*. But unless his own heart is full of the love of God and his fellow men he will lack one of the most essential qualifications of usefulness.

2d—He should be *industrious*.

3d—He should be *self denying* and *energetic*. He should remember that there are obstacles and discouragements to encounter on every hand in the path of usefulness; but he should remember the responsibilities which rest upon him, and have no such words as failure or inefficiency in his vocabulary.

4th—He should be *educated*. He should have the ability to address public congregations with acceptance and carry with him every where such a deportment and address as shall reflect honor upon the noble cause which he advocates.

Men of education, enterprise and piety will here find a field of great usefulness. A fair and satisfactory compensation will be afforded to men of the right stamp, possessing the above qualifications and well recommended, upon appersonally or by letter.

T. C. HARTSHORN,
Agent A. B. S. for Eastern Ohio.
CLEVELAND, Aug. 16, 1858.

The Oldest Bible in the Country.

Under this head we recently published a description of a Bible belonging to the Rev. Dr. Duffield, of Detroit, which bears date 930. It does not however merit the appellation of the oldest Bible in the country, as will be seen by the following statement which we copy from the Boston Transcript:

There is in the library of Harvard College, a Greek manuscript of a portion of the scriptures that is older by one or two centuries, than Dr. Duffield's Bible. And in a private library in Cambridge there are several monkish manuscripts of the entire Bible, similar in every respect to that described. There is also in the same library and evangelistarium, or selections from the Gospels for the use of the Church—a folio volume of over 300 pages, written on parchment in the eighth century, i. e. 1100 years ago, and 700 hundred years before the invention of printing. This book is, of course, older by about 200 years than the Detroit Bible, and we have no account of any other book in this country of equal antiquity. We find an account of this and other bibliographical rarities in Rev. Luther Farnham's interesting little work —"A Glance at Private Libraries."

We notice an error in the description of the material on which the Bible belonging to Rev. Dr. Duffield is written. We believe the skins of goats and kids were never used for Bibleal manuscripts. The articles used for this purpose were vellum prepared from the skins of calves, and parchment from the skins of sheep.

A WALDENSIAN CHURCH.—The Waldenses have a church in Turin, the new system of religious freedom in Sardinia allowing them to worship openly in cities. Mr. Bryant, of the New York *Post*, recently attended services in their church, which he writes do not vary much from those of a Presbyterian church in New York except that the prayers were mostly read by the minister from a book, and the language—in the morning French, in the afternoon Italian. The congregation, composed of persons manifestly of different conditions in life, the opulent and the laboring, was not large, but its manner was attentive and devout.

NEW SCHOOL PRESBYTERIANS.—Minutes of the General Assembly for 1858 are issued. The total number of communicants is 143,510. The additions on profession of faith are 9,128; by certificate, 5,313; aggregate, 14,441. The total increase over last year is 4,395. Most of these statistics were made up at the sessions of the Presbyteries of the winter, and include but partial results of the prevailing revival. The church has contributed $88,439 22 to Domestic Missions; $64,556 70 to Foreign Missions; $65,571 87 to education; $60,592 52 to the publication cause; and $4,751 59 to the Commissioners and Contingent funds of the Assembly. The increase of members, &c., would have been much heavier, but for the defection of several Southern Synods and Presbyteries which have declared themselves independent, in consequence of the refusal of the General Assembly to cease talking about slavery.

PRAYERS BY TELEGRAPH.—At the Fulton-street prayer-meeting, on Tuesday, the Rev. Dr. DeWitt, the Rev. Dr. Marsh, Mr. Edward Corning, A. B. Wetmore, Esq., and the Rev. Mr. Landpir, were appointed a Committee to prepare and send, by the Ocean Telegraph, at the earliest possible period, a Christian salutation to the leading London Prayer meeting.—*N. Y. Times.*

SUICIDE OF A SPIRITUALIST.—Willis Upson, of Waterbury, Ct., hung himself a few days since. His mind had become unsettled by modern "spiritualism."

A Jew in Parliament.

The New York Churchman is full of indignation because Baron Rothschild, a Jew, has been permitted to take a seat in the English Parliament. The Churchman says:

England has given the lie to her high profession, and now presents herself before the world as a mere *whited sepulchre*. All her boasted Christianity has turned out to be a mere *sham*, the alliance thus formed with the enemies of Christianity—with the Jews, who crucified our Lord and Saviour, proves it to be a sham.

A most outrageous act of national treachery to the cause of Christ and His Church has been consummated, and the wrath of God hangs over England and England's Church.

The Churchman is a leading religious newspaper of the High Church Episcopal stamp. It is a sheet quite too good for this world, and its jeremaid over the admission of a Jew into Parliament, will provoke a general laugh.

For twelve years Mr. Rothschild has held in his hand the certificate of a regular popular election to the English Parliament and has been seeking admission. He consistently, as an Israelite, refused to take the usual oath for the Christian members of the body to which he was duly elected as a member. Parliament has at last yielded, and the ceremonies of his admission were interesting. The account says:

On presenting his credentials the oath of office was read to him in the usual form. He replied that his conscience would not permit him to take it in that form. Lord John Russell then presented a resolution authorizing the new member to omit from the form the words "on the faith of a Christian." The opponents of the measure, not withstanding their long and finally defeated contest, again entered their protest against the proceeding, but the resolution was adopted. Mr. Rothschild then demanded that the usual Parliamentary Bible be replaced by a volume of the Old Testament, and he pronounced the oath, omitting the objectionable words. This, of course, establishes the precedent for all future occasions of the kind, and the Jews may be regarded as fairly admitted to the duties and privileges of Parliament on the ground of their own ancient and peculiar faith. The question should have been thus determined long ago.

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