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SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 21.

Organize! Register! Vote!

Is the rallying cry of the enemy. It ought to be ours. We hear from all parts of the State the most encouraging accounts of the progress of organization among Union men and registration of the Union voters. Only in this city both seem to lag. How soon shall we have a thorough organization of the Union men that will bring out the whole strength at the May election? How soon may we be able to announce that every Union voter in the city is registered? Don't put off till another day what you ought to do at once. Register without delay, and be sure that all your loyal neighbors do likewise.

IT MAY seem to some of our citizens a comparatively unimportant matter whether the Union party is successful or not in the coming Spring elections. It may appear to them that it makes little difference whether the amendment to the Constitution is ratified or rejected. Perhaps they say to themselves, there are but few returned rebels here and they are not bad citizens; and they may feel unwilling to keep up an enmity by making a distinction politically between them and others; many feel, in short, that whatever others may do, they are not going to give themselves any further trouble about matters of State politics.

Now this may be a convenient way to shuffle off a responsibility, but the responsibility cannot be evaded in that way consistently with duty. In a general way every person owes something to the common welfare. Every man invested with the high privilege of an elector owes a sacred duty to the body politic. The institutions of a free government rest precisely as much on him as on any one else; and he is simply a coward and recreant if he fails to regard the obligation or discharge the duty. No good citizen can maintain himself upon the theory which some of our people appear to adopt. A principles right in itself admits of no unlimited extension. But suppose we carry out the idea that one voter may ignore elections and stay away from the polls. Suppose it should happen that a great many, or all of those entertaining the principles of the Union party, should feel as some of our friends in this city appear to feel and should entirely neglect to go to the election this Spring, what would be the result? Our enemies don't neglect matters of this kind, and a radical revolution would have taken place in the State, and the principles which our soldiers carried through the rebellion on their baynots, and which many of them sealed with their lives would be overturned in a day. Any Union man who neglects his duty as a voter, says by such neglect (whatever commendable motives he may credit himself with) that so far as he is concerned he don't care if this is the result.

We are aware that there are many loyal men in this city who feel very little sympathy with the rest of the State. Some of them believe that this city and the Panhandle belong naturally to Pennsylvania. They regard the present arrangement as vastly better than the old connection with Virginia, but still not all they could wish to confer the greatest advantage on Wheeling. Whether they are right in this or not, we ask these persons to be practical, to accept things as they are and make the best of them. Let us remember that it is ever much easier to make things worse than better. The city of Wheeling cannot have a government of its own. Our destiny is of necessity interwoven with that of the State to which we belong. The welfare and prosperity of this city must depend very greatly on the political complexion of the State. Its interests will either be promoted or its advancement in wealth and prosperity retarded by the State legislation; and while it will have important interests independently of any State laws, yet it must be governed by those laws which may have a profound influence upon its commerce and manufactures.

It follows of necessity that this city has as great a stake in the election this Spring as any community in the State. If our citizens feel no sympathy with the gallant Union men of the border counties who stood like a wall between us and the enemy through the trying hours of the war, and who cannot even live there without the Amendment, we ought not to forget that we are all in the same boat so far as results are concerned.

Mr. Stansbury

Henry G. Stansbury, who has been nominated for Supreme Judge, is a native of New York, but moved to Lancaster, Ohio, where he studied and practised law for many years. He then went to Cincinnati, and having lived there for some years, went to Newport, Kentucky, to reside, while he practised law in Ohio. He was originally an old Whig, and voted for Buchanan. But, in 1860, being a personal friend of Mr. Lincoln, he voted for him, and has since been for sustaining the war. Lately he has been in Washington, in close and intimate relations with the President, and rumor says he wrote the late veto of the Civil Rights bill, or, at least, prepared the legal part of it. He is about sixty years of age, and is considered one of the ablest lawyers in the country. It is against his prospects for confirmation that he is from Ohio, which State has already one Judge and the Chief Justice. There is a considerable diversity of opinion as to his confirmation. Nothing will probably be done for some days, as the House has passed a bill, which is now in the Senate, reorganizing the Court, and which only provides for eight Judges besides the Chief Justice. This bill is now before the Senate Judiciary Committee, and should it be passed, no confirmation will be needed.

A VERY neat operation has just been commenced by that pure and virtuous body of Democratic officials, the Common Council of New York. The street railroads of that city have been in trouble for several days, in consequence of a strike of their car drivers, and the Common Council take advantage of the circumstance to threaten them with proceedings for the forfeiture of their charters, on the ground of non-fulfilment of their conditions. Every one who knows New York will understand that this threat is nothing more than a notice that the Aldermen and Councilmen are in want of money, and require the companies to furnish a handsome sum without any unnecessary delay.

THE Staunton *Spectator* announces that Messrs. John Janney, Alexander H. H. Stuart and William Martin, "the Commissioners elected by the General Assembly of Virginia, to treat with West Virginia on the subject of re-union of the States, or the adjustment of their relative proportions of the public debt, will hold a preliminary meeting in Richmond on the 8th of May, to interchange opinions, and make such investigations as may be necessary to put them in possession of all the facts necessary for the intelligent discharge of the duties confided to them."

Prospects for the May Election.

General T. M. Harris thus writes in the last Ritchie *Press:*

The editor *pro tem.* of this paper, has just returned from a tour of inspection in the counties of Marion, Harrison, Upshur, Barbour, Lewis and Wood.

He finds the people everywhere, waking up to the importance of the crisis, and beginning to realize fully, that the issue is simply who shall rule the State—its friends, or its enemies; loyal men, or rebels and rebel sympathizers. He addressed large and enthusiastic crowds of loyal men in all the above named counties, and has the pleasure to report, that he did not, in all this intercourse with the people, find one man whose loyalty has been unquestioned and unquestionable during the war, who will not support the Constitutional amendment, except one poor deluded member of the rebel State Convention at Clarksburg, from the county of Ritchie and he is so good a man, that we feel sure he will come out from amongst the unclean, with whom he found himself there associated. The fire of patriotism and loyalty is beginning to blaze and burn, just in proportion as the rebel plans and purposes are developed, and the people uniformly go home from these gatherings with a firm and fixed determination to give to rebels and traitors as complete an overthrow in the political contest upon which we are just entering, as they did when the appeal was to the sword. The spirit of '61 is being revived; and we shall carry the constitutional amendment as certainly as the day of election shall arrive, if we but do our duty in organization and effort. We had the pleasure of meeting many old army friends and acquaintances, and found them still "*in for the war.*"

At Marion we had the pleasure of meeting our old friend Capt. Maulsby, who will carry the marks of his courage and devotion with him to the grave, and many others whom we would like to mention if we had space. At Clarksburg we met our old friends, Gen. Northcott, Capt. A. Moore, Maj. Haymond, Maj. Bowen, Capt. Gwin Minter, Lieut. O. P. Boughner, and many others. At Buckhannon we had the pleasure of meeting with our old friends Col. Darnell, Capt. Gould, Lieut. Lewis, Maj. Hurst, Capt Havener, and many others. At Philippi we met many gallant officers and men, and so on all through.

Disinfecting Recipe.

Dr. Herbert Baker, the successful competitor for the Hastings Prize Essay, for 1866 was led, by a series of observations and experiments on this subject, to the following conclusions:

1. For the sick room, free ventalation when it can be secured, together with an even temperature, is all that can be required.

2. For rapid deodorization and disinfection, chlorine is the most effective known.

3. For steady and continuous effect, ozone is the best agent known.

4. In the absence of ozone, iodine, exposed in the solid form to the air, is the best.

5. For the deodorization and disinfection of fluid substances undergoing decomposition, iodine is the best.

6. For the deodorization and disinfection of solid bodies that cannot be destroyed, a mixture of powdered chloride of zinc, or powdered sulphate of zinc with sawdust, is best. After this a mixture of carbonic acid and sawdust ranks next in order, and following on that, wood ashes.

7. For the deodorization and disinfection of infected articles of clothing, &c., exposure to heat at 212 degrees Fahenheit is the only true method.

8. For the deodorization and disinfection of substances that may be destroyed, heat to destruction is the true method.

THE following interesting account of the origin of the "Pickwic Papers" is published in the English papers on the authority of Mr. Seymour, the artist who contributed the first illustrations:

"It is true that the original plan was to give the adventures of a club of cockney sportsmen, and the idea and title of the work was my father's who had so far matured his plan as to show it to Mr. McLean, and afterwards to Mr. Spooner, who had some idea of publishing it, and proposed that Theodore Hook should write the letter-press. We have reason to infer, from an entry in the artist's book, that the first four plates were etched before he showed the work, and that they were afterwards re-etched, and modified, in some degree, to suit Mr. Dicken's views—which circumstance may account for the style of his letter to my father, writen just after the first number appeared, where he seems to claim a share of merit in originating the design."

THREE hundred and forty Indians, of the Yellow Medicine tribe of Sioux, the remnant of Little Crow's band, who committed the massacre in Minnesota in 1862, and were taken prisoners by Gov. Marshall, have been sent up the Missouri River, to be settled in a portion of one of the Territories, where they will be watched and kept out of mischief. One of them boasts that he killed and scalped a dozen white women. Thirty-nine of the ringleaders of the massacre were tried and hung, but Little Crow made his escape with a portion of his band. These Indians, of whom about one hundred and fifty are squaws, have been held as hostages ever since.

THE Augusta (Georgia) papers announce the advent in that city of Miss Ann Eliza Leak, who was born in that State without arms. She is represented as exceedingly attractive in her personal appearance, and as exhibiting the most wonderful dexterity in the use of her feet. She writes with her toes much better than most people do with their hands, besides knitting, sewing, embroidering, crocheting, and doing all kinds of needlework, with astonishing ease and rapidity.

THE Omaha (Nebraska) *Republican* of the 9th says: "We learn to-day by telegraph that the greatest excitement prevails among the Mormons, and a fixed determination on their part to drive out, or exterminate the Gentiles. Eight men have recently been assassinated, four on yesterday, while the editor of *The Vidette*, with all other Gentiles, has been notified to quit the country or fare worse. Placards are posted up in Salt Lake City notifying all Gentiles to leave immediately."

ORNITHOLOGICAL TRICHINA.—The Erie *Dispatch* says: "We saw a curious thing a day or two since at Charley Nunn's. A meadow lark, which had been killed and brought in among some pigeons, was examined, and found to be almost exclusively composed of worms, from half an inch to two inches in length. The flesh was completely pierced through and through with hundreds of them. Has trichina got among the birds?"

THE Detroit *Tribune* learns that the ice at Mackinac on the 4th inst., was two-and-a-half feet thick, solid as a blue, and at least one-and-one-half feet of snow on it. Far out in lake Huron, beyond Bois Blanc Island, there is a solid sheet of ice. There is good crossing from Middle Village to Pine River, and from Cross Village to Beaver Island. The straits will not be open before the 1st of May.

THE WHEAT CROP.—We have made inquiry of farmers residing in different parts of the county, respecting the prospects for a good wheat crop, and the reports are very unfavorable. Thousands of acres sowed in wheat are being plowed up for corn and oats. The best of fields will not yield half a crop. The cause is attributed to the unfavorable weather during the winter.—*Fairmont Vedette.*

EAGER TO DISTINGUISH.—The Providence (R. I.) *Journal* asserts, on the authority of a Washington correspondent, that a Virginia clerk in the Interior Department at Washington, having been ordered before the board for the examination of clerks, the other day, was asked this question: "Mr.——, you are a grammarian?" He answered, "No sir, I am a Virginian."

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"THE LIGHT OF LOVE; OR, THE DIAMOND AND THE SNOWDROP" is a story of passionate love, jealousy, intrigue, and revenge, in which the most striking contrasts of character are presented. The principal personages are individualized with amazing power. They stand out in strong relief, like the figures seen through a stereoscope lens. Their mental traits are so distinctly marked and so widely different that it seems almost incredible that they should all be the creations of one intellect however versatile and powerful. From the strange juxtapositions and collisions of natures as opposite as light and darkness, or ice and fire, the most extraordinary escapades and adventures arise, and an intense and overpowering interest—which depens with every chapter—is engendered in the mind of the reader. Wild and wonderful as the story is—abounding in scenes that alternately touch the heart, charm the fancy, stir the soul with indignation and horror, and enlist its profoundest and tenderest sympathies—it is still true to nature. Each actor in the lifelike drama—good or bad—is consistently evil, or consistently innocent and virtuous. The minor characters are modeled with as much skill and genius as the stars of the group upon which the main interest centres; and the vivacious humor which relieves the dark shadows of plot and counterplot, is as racy and brilliant as the pathos is deep and touching.

The story opens in a sequestered villiage on the banks of the Wye, one of the most beautiful rivers of England, a portion of the patrimony of the Earl of Lavington; Baron of Erewood, whose castle and baronial domicile lie in the immediate neighborhood. The lovely hamlet of Erewood-in-the-Dale is about to be the scene of a festival, to be given by the Earl (who has just returned from a long sojourn abroad), on the occasion of his son and heir's twenty-first birthday. The reader is introduced to the villagers—who are in a flutter of excitement about the coming fete—and to the Earl, his son Lord Erewood and the Lady Astarte Vavasour, his beautiful and passionate daughter.

The scene is calm, peaceful, and picturesque but strong passions are at work amid its calm beauty. The Earl is a prey to some secret grief, which renders him gloomy and reticent; the frank, ingenuous heir is desperately in love with an artless village beauty, and the haughty and beautiful Lady Astarte is madly attached to the Earl's secretary, Eliot St. Croix, a young man of singular personal and mental attractions, who reciprocates her affections, but is too honorable to take advantage of her partiality. The Earl receives a visit from the young Baron Neville, a nobleman in the neighborhood, who congratulates him on his return, and whom he introduces to his daughter, the Lady Astarte, with the evident wish that she shall receive him as a suitor. This young Baron is a cold, sardonic, most unpropossessing personage, of whom, for some undisclosed reason, the Earl seems to entertain a mingled feeling of fear and dislike. His introduction interrups a scene between the lady and the secretary, in which her tenderness has all but betrayed the latter into a declaration of his passion. The interview between the supercilious Neville and the Earl's daughter, in the presence of the Earl, brings out the special characteristics of each in strong relief, and is exceedingly interesting. Then there is a wonderful description of a scene between Lord Erewood and the father of the village-beauty, of whom his Lordship is enamored, a forester on his father's estate—in which herescues the forester from the clutches of a limb of the law, who is about to hurry him off to prison for a debt generously incurred in behalf of a supposed friend. This little tie episode takes place in the forester's cottage, and in the presence of his fair daughter, and a more exquisite passage could scarcely be found in the whole range of modern fiction. Returning home, Lord Erewood finds the young Baron Neville with his father and his sister, and is introduced to him. The Earl is nervously anxious to make the young men good friends, but the brusque and half contemptuous manner in which Neville addresses him, offends young Eresdale, and a bitter conversation ensues between them, which comes very near ending in mutual defiance. With this sharp colloquy—marked by the keenest and most effective sarcasm on the one hand and insolent rudeness on the other, the fourth chapter (with which the first installment of the story in the

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LADY ASTARTE VAVASOUR (his daughter.)
ELLIOT ST. CROIX (the Earl's Secretary.)
AMBERLY (the Earl's Forester.)
DAME AMBERLY (wife of the Forester.)
CHLORIS AMBERLY (their daughter.)
LAWYER WOOLCOMB (a black sheep of the profession.)
GARFORTH (Steward of the Castle, in love with Chloris.)

It will be evident to all who read the opening chapters that Garforth, the steward, is to play an important part in the "strange, eventful history," which must necessarily grow out of the embarrassing dilemmas in which the prominent dramatis personæ are placed. He is intensely jealous of the attentions of Lord Erewood to Chloris Amberly, and makes his first appearance on the scene as a spy, dogging the footsteps of the young nobleman, and muttering vows of vengeance, which his nature (outlined by the author in a few graphic touches) tells us he will leave no stone unturned to fulfill. As an expression of concentrated passion, the curse impreated by this dark and dangerous man upon the head of Erewood, while following him through the forest, may be called diabolically sublime.

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