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YESTERDAY seemed to have slipped out of next spring, the sky was so clear and the atmosphere so mild.

THE Senatorial fight at Charleston will furnish our Democratic friends some amusement among themselves. They won't turn Capital into a City of Brotherly Love.

GENTLEMEN of the Legislature: Don't let your political manoeuvers overshadow the movement for the development of the State. On this platform all the people stand.

ONE mail this week brought to the Board of Immigration and Development twenty-seven inquiries from persons who desire to find new homes. The good work goes on.

THE men who founded West Virginia were vigorous talkers. The debate on naming the State is worth reading from beginning to end. Many of the voices heard in that memorable convention are now settled; but the spoken word lives and instructs.

THE nail manufacturers of the Wheeling district are wise to recognize that the wire nail has a place in the market and has attractiveness enough to divide the field. Wheeling can make iron nails if that be necessary to retain her supremacy, and it seems to be necessary.

Naming the State—A Little History.

As pertinent to the question of renaming the State, the INTELLIGENCER prints to-day in full the debate in the convention that fixed upon the new State its present name.

The ordinance providing for a division of Virginia was the act of the now historical convention that assembled in Wheeling June 11, 1861, and held an adjourned session in August following. Like the States General of France, that convention was a body armed with all the original rights and powers of the people. The State government of Virginia, by the act of secession and by acts of alliance with the Confederate States, had abdicated. The people of Virginia who adhered to the United States were without government, and proceeded through this convention to get up a new State government for Virginia by a series of measures so happily conceived in right and in law that one of the leading actors in it said years after the work had been consummated, if it were to be done then with all the light of subsequent events, perhaps no single step could have been more wisely taken.

That Convention, recognizing the justice of the demand made by trans-Allegheny Virginia for a separation from the "body of death" (as Gov. Peirpont used to style Old Virginia) ordained by act of August 20, 1861, that a separate State should be set up within a prescribed territory if the people therein voted that they wanted it. The language of the ordinance is:

"The people of Virginia, by their delegates assembled at Wheeling, do ordain that a new State, *to be called the State of Kanawha*, to be formed and erected out of the territory included within the following described boundary," &c.

At the same time delegates were to be chosen to frame a constitution "for the government of the proposed State," to act if the vote on the question of separation should be (as it was) in the affirmative. That convention, under the ordinance, met in Wheeling November 26, 1861. On the 3d of December, it took up for consideration what was to be the first article in the constitution of the new State, being the first section of the first report of the Committee on General and Fundamental Provisions. Mr. Van Winkle was chairman, and the report was from his own hand. It provided that—

"The State of Kanawha shall be and remain one of the United States of America."

Promptly a motion was entered by Harmon Sinsel, of Taylor county, to strike out "Kanawha." The debate that followed will be found pertinent and interesting. Some of the speeches are quite crisp, and none more so than those made by the three delegates from Ohio county, Mr. Lamb, Mr. Paxton and Mr. Battelle, all of whom emphasized the point that we wish especially to consider in this connection, that the convention had no authority to change the name.

Mr. Sinsel's claim that the constitutional convention had unlimited powers in every direction—"all the powers of the people," as he said—is so clearly fallacious that it seems strange a man of his good judgment and intelligence could have fallen into such an error. True they had all the powers of the people whom they represented for the specific, limited purpose for which they were called together; but they did not represent all the people of Virginia as did the convention under whose ordinance they were acting.

That ordinance, while leaving the free to make such a constitution as they pleased in all other particulars, had limited them as to two things: First, it had chosen the name for the State, as was regular and proper; and second, it had specified the territory that might be embraced in it, and it is good sense, as well as good legal construction that what is specified by the superior body is excluded from the discretion of the inferior.

When a Territory of the United States is to be entered into a State, Congress, acting for the United States Government, passes an enabling act, prescribing a name for the State, and authorizing the Territory to frame a constitution and apply for admission under it. In the division of Virginia the convention that authorized it by the ordinance of August 20, stood in precisely the relation to the proposed new State that Congress does to a Territory about to apply for admission; it had unlimited control of the territory concerned and the right to prescribe the new name under which it might become a State.

The ordinance was to all intents and purposes an enabling act; and the convention created by it, when it came to frame an organic law "for the government of the proposed State," had no more authority to change the name prescribed than any territorial convention would have to adopt another name than the one prescribed for them by act of Congress, or than it would have had to embrace more territory than permitted by the terms of the ordinance.

Of course the invalidity of the action taken was cured by the subsequent consent of the Virginia Legislature, and the confirmatory action by Congress and all departments of the United States. But, all the same, it is clear that Kanawha was not only the original but the rightful name of this State, out of which the State was wronged by what Mr. Van Winkle wittily described as a little too much hankering in the convention after "the flesh pots of Egypt."

BOOKS.

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The new edition of Worcester's Academic Dictionary retains all the good of the excellent old work and adds much new and valuable material. The results of a world of original research and of a consultation of the best authorities are compressed within convenient compass, so that the book is offered at a low price. The article on the principles of pronunciation is of very great value. Worcester stands so high that it is unnecessary to praise it.—*J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia.*

While the history of a people or a time is not to be learned from the Lives of its leading features, the instructive and interesting side lights which well done biography throws on history must always have a valued place in literature. Moreover, one who has read the history of the time in which Melternich figured, the Napoleon of Napoleon, is eager to know more of this great historical figure than general history tells. Who that would trace the accumulating "cause" of suffering Ireland can hope to be even fairly informed with the personal story of O'Connell? The very name of Beaconsfield (Disraeli) is a luminous chapter in the history of Great Britain, a dazzling apparition in the stupendous politics of the Old World. The three remarkable men whom we have used by way of illustration are the subjects of the first three volumes of the Statesmen Series, edited by Lloyd C. Sanders—a series intelligently projected and thus far of very great value. Each volume is small and written in an easy, captivating style. The "Life of O'Connell" is particularly admirable, for it is really the first thing that may fairly claim the title and yet not repel the reader by its bulk. The INTELLIGENCER advises its readers to secure these little books as fast as they appear.—*J. B. Lippencott Company, Philadelphia. Stanton & Davenport, Wheeling.*

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Chicago Tribune.

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How to Kill Beeves.

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