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The betting in New York continues in favor of Van Vynck.

A monster glass trust, with a capital of \$30,000,000, was formed at Camden, N. J., the other day.

It is estimated that Europeans must pay Americans this year over seventy million dollars for cereals.

A white rose is to be the distinguishing emblem on the Prohibitionists' State ticket in Nebraska this fall.

An honest man in New York who picked up a certified check for \$20,000, was rewarded by the loser with \$10.

Mayor Strong thinks that the Bliss letter will cost General Tracy from 3,000 to 10,000 Republican votes.

Secretary Long has decided that the new torpedo boats shall be painted a bottle green. This may make the ocean blue.

Bank clearings in the United States during the past week increased 32 per cent. over the clearings for the corresponding week last year.

It is said that hotel porters in Europe keep each other posted as to the tipping habits of travelers by the way they paste labels on their bags.

The Dole government of Hawaii is young, but it has already increased the bonded debt from \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000 and the floating debt from \$200,000 to \$750,000.

Senator Gorman has written an open letter to Publisher Edwin F. Abell of the Baltimore Sun, in which he offers to relinquish the leadership of the party in Maryland if Mr. Abell will accept it and support the ticket.

Now that Miss Cisneros was released from prison and spirited away from Havana apparently with so little trouble, the question arises, why does not some one steal General Weyler himself and bring him to New York? asks the Paterson Call.

THE DEATH OF CHARLES A. DANA.

The death of Charles A. Dana, the venerable editor of the New York Sun, which occurred Sunday, was the passing away of one of the truly great journalists of the century, and, it may be said, the last of that class of famous editors whose intense personality and signal ability rendered famous and influential those journals, the opinions of which they absolutely controlled. Mr. Dana was looked upon as the nestor of the American press. He was remarkably brilliant and versatile as a writer, trenchant and vigorous in strife, a terrific fighter and thoroughly original. As an antagonist of persons or policies he was unrelenting and bitter, and his pen left wounds that were seldom healed. He asked no quarter and gave none. As a friend of a cause or a person he was untiring in the use of his great powers to promote or assist the one or the other.

Dana has passed away and his like will not soon be found again. Indeed, the present system of American journalism precludes the idea of such a great personality. The "impersonal" is the present feature of the newspaper. It is the Journal, not the individual, that is now considered. The Journal lives—the individual dies—and possibly it is best that it should be thus.

THE NEGRO NORTH AND SOUTH.

A paper in New York called The Age, and published specially in the interest of the negro race, gives the following from one of that people concerning his trip through the South, and his observations as to the educational advantages afforded the negro in the South as compared to the same at the North. He says: "In the South there are schools for colored children as well as schools for white children, and the colored schools are taught by colored teachers."

"In the North colored children may get an education, may fit themselves for teaching, but there are no schools here for them to teach. There are few situations in the North for educated negroes."

"My advice to the Northern negro is to go South, where negro character is understood, and where negroes of integrity, education and ability are appreciated and respected by the better class of whites."

"I have been asked whether I intend to go South, and have answered that I do. The sober, industrious and enterprising negro has more opportunities for advancement in the South than in the North."

These are facts which may be verified at any time by all who choose to take the trouble of doing so.

SOUTHERN PROGRESS.

A writer in the Philadelphia Ledger contributes the following to that paper concerning the progress which is being made by the people of the South along certain lines:

"The Southern farmer is beginning to diversify his crops. He no longer stakes his all on cotton and prospers or falls as that staple is remunerative, or unsuccessful. He is giving greater attention to cereals,

to fruit and to garden produce, and finds the results greatly to his satisfaction. Mining operations are being conducted on a more extensive scale, with greater intelligence and system, and the products are being marketed in a more business-like way. Manufacturers show a wonderful growth, and the South is preparing to supply its own needs in this particular by making up the finished article with the raw material and the labor at its door. Notable progress is shown in the textile trades. With its own cotton and the fleece of its own sheep the South is getting ready to make its clothes and towns veritable hives of industry."

The South is working out its own destiny in its own way, and is already far advanced along the high road of prosperity. No country under the sun has shown such recuperative power as has the South since the close of the war, and there are yet great things in store for the section not yet dreamed of.

A VOTE WINNER.

The Baltimore Sun thinks that Major J. Hoge Tyler, the Democratic nominee for Governor of Virginia, may not be as eloquent as Senator Daniel or endowed with the argumentative powers of some others of the Democratic campaigners, but that "he is a hand-shaker from away back, which takes immensely in the rural district, whilst in anecdote and humor he is making a decided hit. In a recent speech in Richmond he is quoted as saying: 'This is the driest ticket that the people of Virginia were ever asked to vote for. Jack Montague never drinks anything but Dan river mud. Ed. Echols doesn't know the difference between wine and cherry juice. As for myself, I never drink anything stronger than unspiced buttermilk.' In Alexandria, Saturday evening, in a speech which seems to have delighted his audience, Major Tyler declared that he had not been able to discover any solid proof of the good times promised during the Presidential campaign. He certainly took a gloomy view of the situation in Virginia, for he asserted that much of the land was so poor that 'we will have to fertilize our graves in order to insure a resurrection.' Major Tyler further said that the ticket of which he was the head was entitled to support 'because it was made up of a black-headed man, a red-headed man, and a bald-headed man, variety enough to suit everybody.' The news of Major Tyler's humor has spread throughout the State, and he is overwhelmed with invitations to speak," says our contemporary, and it is right.

NOTES AND OPINIONS.

The average value of the nation's hay crop for the past eight years is estimated at \$450,000,000.

The Japanese government has made a contract with the Illinois Steel Company for 25,000 tons of steel rails.

Laundry rates in certain portions of Kentucky have been advanced on account of the great scarcity of water.

The Japanese government now issues every day three weather charts, which include observations in China and the Lin-Kui Islands, enabling captains to ascertain the movements of storms several days in advance.

The Court of Appeals of New York has held that it was no ground for a new trial because the jury in a murder case attended church on Sunday in the custody of the sheriff and heard a sermon on the prevalence of crime.

In the Supreme Court at Concord, N. H., yesterday, the first sentence ever passed on a New Hampshire offender under the habitual criminal law of 1893 was passed on George True, a burglar, who was sentenced to forty-five years' confinement upon three counts.

PERSONALS.

J. Pierpont Morgan, before going to Europe, denied that he was scheming to possess the railway canal.

A Boston paper remarks that "the New York World and the New York Journal haven't found out yet what they will do in the present Mayoralty campaign." There is good reason to believe that they intend to do each other.

Porfirio Diaz Jr., only son of President Diaz, of Mexico, arrived in New York the other day on his way home from London, where he spent a year studying engineering. He is 24 years old and is a captain in the Mexican military engineers.

The oldest retired officer in the United States navy is said to be Captain Francis Martin, of the revenue marine service, who now lives in Detroit. He was born in 1800. The captain saw the funeral of Napoleon I., at St. Helena, where his vessel, the Valliant, went at the time for water.

General Miles, the commander of the United States army, who has just returned from his European trip, is quoted as saying that the German army is one of the finest in appearance in the world, but he thought its fighting qualities did not exceed those of the respective armies of France, Russia and England.

long my throat was filled with sores, large lumps formed on my neck, and a horrible ulcer broke out on my jaw,—says Mr. O. H. Elbert, who resides at No. 222 St. and Avenue N., Galveston, Texas. He was three times pronounced cured by prominent physicians, but the dreadful disease always returned; he was then told that

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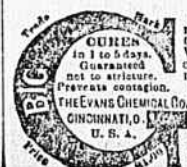
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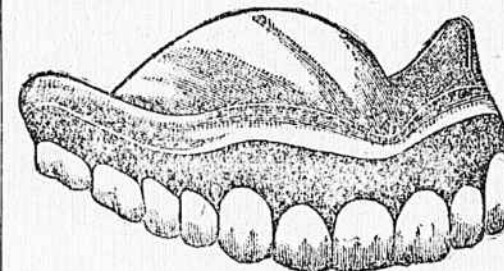
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