

The American Congress—Our Hope for the Union is in the West.

To-day the American Congress assembles under circumstances of more than usual delicacy. Most of the far-reaching statesmen, the well-tried patriots, are no longer the people's counsellors. Excitement pervades the ranks of party, the representatives of which are almost evenly divided in the U. S. House of Representatives.

Not so with the word West—it is one of stamina, stability, hope, assurance, patriotism. The extremists have at last found out that the West is the backbone of the Union. We pretend to have no influence or connection with mere parties, but profess to have an undoubted right to appeal to the Western members of Congress to overlook mere partisan considerations, both in the organization of the House and in subsequent business, so as to command the respect and secure the support of other portions of the people's strength.

Disunion.

South Carolina unnecessarily afflicts herself about national troubles, and talks again of a Southern Confederacy. The West will allow of no dissolution of the Union. In fact, disunion is impossible. We remind the South of Madison's statesmanlike views. In June, 1833, James Madison, the venerable sage of Virginia, thus wrote to Henry Clay, of Kentucky: "It is painful to see the unceasing efforts to alarm the South by imputations against the North of unconstitutional designs on the subject of slavery."

This card of disunion has been played out. Let South Carolina table her disunion resolutions and move for the appointment of a committee to arrange for a convention to be composed of delegates from the districts along the line from Charleston on the seaboard, to the Ohio River at Cincinnati, for the completion of a new bond of Union—the Cincinnati and Charleston Railroad.

The New York Herald represents, in the North, a mischievous element, which is fomenting an unnecessary distrust toward the free States, and magnifying the wrong committed toward the South. This is no time for the language of denunciation, or for encouragement to a withdrawal of Southern members from Washington to Richmond. Oh! for a General Jackson at this crisis. The clamor with which the South is beset, and is ringing out about the free States, is mainly political effect. Indecision is a few should not provoke a condemnation of the many. Stop that hoarse, raven cry of disunion.

With Madison, we say: "The happy Union of these States is a wonder; their constitution a miracle; their example, the hope of liberty throughout the world. Note the ambition that would meditate the destruction of either."

Build More School-houses.

The State-house at Columbus has cost with one-fourth of the reputed expenditures made for all the School-houses in the State. We do not know that, except as to the appearance of a magnificent edifice on the High-street of our State Capitol, we are much better off in the way of Legislation than we were in the old structure that cost less than \$10,000. The annual expense of the present State-house is enormous. When the expenditure of proper sums for School-houses is complained of, we should be reminded of the great importance to the State of these structures, for in them the future controllers of the destiny of the State are to be educated.

It is our impression that the Cincinnati School Board would find it economy to the purse and valuable to the health and comfort of small children, to select lots, not more than three or four squares apart, and for cheapness, in rear of those fronting on streets, but accessible by a narrow alleyway from the pavement. There could be erected at little cost a small School-house, only two stories high, with play ground around it. The larger scholars could be accommodated in a few school buildings further apart—the Intermediate Schools above, and the District School, upper-grades, below. Parents, we learn, object to sending their small and large children to different School-houses, the larger ones caring for the smaller ones; but our suggestion is that the schools for primary scholars shall be but a short distance, in thickly populated districts, from the residences of the parents. As the city is extending its population toward the West End, lots for School-houses should be obtained now while they can be purchased at moderate prices.

The Humor of the People.

An Illinois Governor, in giving his experience, remarks that it is a maxim with many politicians just to keep along even with the humor of the people, right or wrong. Any measure was to be considered right which was popular for the time being. The politician feels assured that if he supports a bad measure when it is popular, or opposes a good one when it is unpopular, he will never be called to account for it by the people. It is believed that the people never blame any one for mis-leading them; for it is thought that they have too good a conceit of themselves to suspect or admit that they can be misled. A misleader of the people, therefore, thinks himself safe if he gives present popularity to his measures. In fact, it is true, that a public man will scarcely ever be forgiven for being right when the people are wrong. New contentions forever occurring will make the people forget the cause of their resentment; but their resentment itself, or rather a prejudice which sinks into it, will be remembered and felt when the cause of it is forgotten. It is the perfect knowledge of this fact by politicians which makes so many of them ready to prostitute their better judgments to catch the popular breeze; and so it will always be until the people have the capacity and the will to look into their affairs more carefully. Any reform in this particular must begin with the people themselves, and not with politicians. Reformation must work upward from the people through the government, and not from the politicians down. As a general thing the government will be the type of the people. As politics is about to end in upon the people of the West like an epidemic, we caution voters of both parties to hear, reflect and act for themselves.

Death of Alfred Kelly.

This lost a useful citizen by the death of ALFRED KELLY, of Columbus. His career as a public man commenced in Ohio with his appointment as one of the Commissioners of the Ohio Canal, which was commenced concurrently with the Common School enterprise. Internal improvements and finance engaged his after life. In all his engagements, whether as surveyor, banker, railroad director or senator, he brought to bear a fund of good sense, of practical judgment and great honesty of purpose. He was twice elected to the State Senate from Franklin County—in 1841 and in 1851. He at one time was a Representative in the Legislature from Cayahoga County, and twice also Representative from Franklin County. Such men as Mr. Kelly in the Halls of Legislation, or ranks of business, honor our race. He was a sturdy, solid man, whose merits will be long respected in Ohio and where ever he was known. He died at his residence in Columbus on Friday morning last. He was born at Middletown, Conn., November 9, 1789.

Filter Your Water.

Cincinnati, as have the people on the banks of the Mississippi, has become used to muddy water. Mr. CORRY, who has been striving to create a public sentiment in favor of a more extensive use of western salted provisions on the Continent, must counsel some of the Cincinnati packers and curers of pork and beef, to be more particular in using the very cleanest article of salt, and to filter the water of which they make their brine. If hams are dipped during the muddy condition of the river in a freshet, or even into water from the Canal, on being opened in Europe, a dirty slime is found to have accumulated on the meat. Many esteem this to be an additional relish. Our guess is, that Frenchmen do not eat such meat, and if they should indulge in salted meats they could not seriously object to Cincinnati-cured hams. Those of our packers who have observed the most care in this matter of cleanliness have established the best reputations abroad.

Fictitious News in London—A LARGE ITEM MADE UP OF NOTHING.

One of the hobbies of the London Times, and other dailies of the great English metropolis, is to abuse the American Press for its falsehood and unprincipled corruption. Yet in the London Morning Star, just received, is a paragraph, (of a kind which frequently occurs,) affirming to their own readers the conviction of a habit of falsehood wholly unknown in our country. The contradiction of a paragraph manufactured out of order, merely for "news," is thus given: "In reference to a paragraph which has gone the round of most of the newspapers, to the effect that an inquest was held at the Royal Scaptoe Hotel, Chertsey, before Mr. Woods, Coroner for Surrey, on Miss Angelina Caroline Bosanquet, daughter of the late Admiral Bosanquet, who committed suicide by taking laudanum, with particulars of evidence and names of witnesses and relatives, Mr. Samuel Bosanquet, of Dirington Court, near Monmouth, writes: I have caused inquiry to be made of Mr. Woods, who is, in truth, the Coroner for Surrey, and the reply is that Mr. Woods has held no such inquest; that there is no such hotel as the Royal Scaptoe, nor any such medical man as Mr. Germaine, (the one named,) at Chertsey; and that there is no other Chertsey. There never was an Admiral Bosanquet, and I can say that there never was an Angelina Caroline Bosanquet. The other names mentioned, viz: Miss Amelia Jane Harrington, daughter of the late Colonel Harrington, (the cousin,) and the Hon. Mrs. Fortescue, (the aunt,) and Captain Beaufoy, seem to be equally fictitious."

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PAINFUL ACCIDENT IN KENTUCKY.

A fatal accident occurred at the distillery of Mr. Wm. T. Bush, in Clark County, Ky., recently. During the rain of that day, Mr. Bush, his son, and a young man named Coons, took shelter in a shed, the loft of which was filled with corn. The heavy wind and rain precipitated the structure and its contents upon the heads of the occupants, crushing the neck, and of course, instantly killing young Coons, badly bruising Mr. Bush himself, and almost, if not quite, fatally injuring his son. Young Bush was not expected to recover.

Execution of a Negro.

Green, the negro who murdered his master, and to whom the Governor of Missouri refused to grant a respite of a few weeks, was executed at St. Joseph, Mo., on Friday last. He displayed great firmness on the scaffold, betraying no emotion whatever, and manifesting no regret for the crime he had committed.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

[NOTE.—In consequence of a break in the wires between Pittsburg and Philadelphia, we are without our usual Sunday evening dispatches.—R.R.]

AN ANECDOTE OF GENERAL SCOTT.—"Don't Die With a Horrible Pronunciation."—The "Journal" publishes the following anecdote of Gen. Scott: In the heat of one of the most desperate battles in Mexico, the General saw a critical point where an advantage was likely to be lost, except by a prompt though rather dangerous movement. He galloped up to see of the officers of a volunteer corps, and gave the order. The man was willing enough, but, while galloping up his reins, he remarked, in the most avowed drawl of Yankee dialect: "Well, it does seem to me that I could hope doing better a little while ago!" "Sir," thundered out the General, the words are done and have. You've only twenty minutes to live, and for God's sake don't die with such horrible pronunciation in your mouth!" and waving his hand to the astonished captain with imperative repetition of his order by gesture, the splendid horseman galloped off to follow up his victory in another crisis of the battle.

MORE SILVER DISCOVERIES IN CALIFORNIA.—The Los Angeles Star of November 12 understands that another discovery of silver ore has lately been made in that section of country, and it is said to be of extraordinary richness. The location is in the vicinity of Bear Valley, about one hundred miles from that city. Considerable attention seems to be given to the mining interests of that district, and we have reason to believe that the various leads are well worth the attention of capitalists, and that they will be worked to great advantage. A party left there during the week to examine the above claim, with the intention of investing in the enterprise.

MORE CARD WRITERS.—Those two singular geniuses, Stephen H. Branch and Lola Montez, are once more addressing the public through the newspapers; the first to beg pardon of every body he has libelled, and to solicit means to get his wardrobe out of the pawn shop; the second to assure the American public that, in her lecture she broad, she never traduced the United States.

LAW REPORT.

SUPERIOR COURT.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE NATIONAL THEATRE SUE FOR AN ALLEGED BREACH OF CONTRACT.—T. A. Morton vs. John Bates. This action was submitted for judgment on the 27th inst. by the court, by letter of the 27th of August last, of John Bates, and his (plaintiff's) letter of acceptance, he was engaged as actor in the principal parts of leading characters in the legitimate drama, and she repaired him as a correct actor; he played his parts satisfactorily, and was paid at the end of the fifth week; and being discharged in damages—his amount laid in his petition being \$1,000.

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MARRIED.

SMITH—GILVIN.—In Indianapolis, on the morning of the 21st, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. Gilvin, by the Rev. B. F. Foster, Mr. John G. Smith to Miss Jennie V. Gilvin.

DIED.

REILLY.—On Saturday morning, December 3, at 9 o'clock after a lingering illness, Mary B., wife of John W. Reilly, aged 72 years. Her funeral will be held hereafter.

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