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Henry J. Raymond.

When, at the commencement of the present session of Congress, it was the fashion with some of our Conservative friends to laud this little demagogue as a becoming pattern of Republican moderation, your correspondent, from a thorough knowledge of the man's insincerity, predicted that before the session was over his eulogists would have occasion to regret their precipitancy. That prediction is more than verified in his course on the plan of the Central Directory to keep out the South till after the next Presidential election. Raymond spoke against it, and then went and voted for it. His chopping and changing disgust even the Radicals of his own district, while honest men of every political faith heartily despise him. It is a shame that New York should be so misrepresented, but in the next Congress the grievance will be rectified. Master Raymond will have permission to stay at home and edit the *Times*. He never would have got into the rump Congress even, but for the foolish division in the Democratic ranks—just such a division as enabled that other Radical jumping-jack, Wm. E. Dodge, in the eighth district, to elbow out Hon. James Brooks. The probabilities at present are that there will be no such division next fall, and that therefore the Jacobins who bought and stole their way into the capitol, as if from this city, will no more be heard of after the rump Congress has executed its mission.

Queen Victoria and the Fenians.

A London correspondent of the New York *Tribune* writes:

An interesting anecdote of the Queen's humanity and attachment to her army has just come to my knowledge. You may have noticed in the news from Ireland the trial of a Sergeant Darragh for Fenianism, of which he was found guilty and sentenced to be shot. When the warrant was brought to the Queen for signature, her consent was urgently solicited on the ground of the necessity of making an example, and at length obtained, though she burst into tears in the act of according it. Within an hour afterwards she sent for the warrant again and tore it to pieces—and God bless her for it! The act will effect more towards extirpating Fenianism in the ranks—if it exists there—than all the constables, spies, lawyers, judges and hangmen within the fair seas of Britain could do.

A Notable Pedestrian.

A St. Louis paper, referring to the expected arrival of Mr. F. Schaefer, a noted German foot-traveler, in that city, from La Crosse, Wisconsin, says:

He is now about thirty years of age, considerably deformed, but of an enthusiastic mind. He was born in Carlshafen, in Kurhessen, and at the age of nine years became so interested in the study of history that he determined to see the world himself. He was poor, but this did not deter him. His first trip on foot and alone, with no money, and no baggage save what his knapsack contained, was in 1847, when he was very young, and continued through the German States and Russia. Afterwards he continued on through Europe to Great Britain, and thence into and through that country. Not long since he came to the United States, landing in Boston, traveling on foot to Washington, and from that city west. He goes from St. Louis across the country, through Utah, to California. Schaefer is feeling well, and enjoys his migratory habits exceedingly well. His ambition seems to be to travel over every part of the globe on foot, and he bids fair to accomplish that object now. His expenses are very small, and these are made up to him by friends whom he makes wherever he goes. His portfolio contains, among other things, the autographs of crowned heads, distinguished literary, scientific and political men, wherever he has been, and is a curiosity, with sketches and testimonials, which have been given him by all he has met. The energy of the man entitles him to success in his travels.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston.

The Selma *Messenger*, of the 13th, says the stockholders of the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad yesterday unanimously elected Gen. Joseph E. Johnston President of that road. There were others who had claims, and strong ones, to the presidency of the road, but they were promptly and generously waived in favor of this distinguished soldier and gentleman. There is no doubt whatever of Gen. Johnston's acceptance of the position thus flatteringly tendered him, and we may safely congratulate this Company upon having enlisted his eminent talents in the prosecution of their great enterprise of connecting the Lakes and the Gulf. The city of Selma also may well be proud of having thus added the honored name of Joseph E. Johnston to the muster-roll of her citizens.

Samuel Rogers and Henry Kirke White.

It may be emphatically said of Rogers, that the distinguishing features of his mind are elegance and good taste. No criticism however astute can convict him of anachronism or hyperbole. He is strictly correct. No stray roses hang redundantly about his poetic wreaths. The fault is, that art rather than nature guides their arrangement. As we vainly seek in the cultured pasture wild wood graces of the forest, so shall we explore with profitless care the writings of Samuel Rogers, if flights of original genius and bold, strong thoughts are the rewards demanded by our zeal.

If sorrow and song are usually associated—if poverty and the muse are frequent companions, as is generally believed, then Mr. Rogers is a fortunate exception to the rule. An affluent banker, with a comfortable aspect of ease and good living, he yet woos the muse "con amore," and has won, in hours of relaxation from less exalted pursuits, the poet's laurels as well as the scholar's fame. The friendship of Sheridan and Byron could be shared by no common man, and the dedication of one of the most splendid poems of the last named great poet is sufficient evidence of his lordship's admiration of Rogers. Windham and Fox were also his intimate associates.

The author of "Italy" never rises to the hight of Byron or Campbell, not being endowed with their enthusiasm or grasp of intellect, but his pictures are nevertheless life-like and beautiful. High bred and debonaire in deportment, his hospitality is unbounded, and he discovers warm interest in all that promotes the good of his fellow-men. Reverse the picture, and we see a pale, thoughtful, intellectual face, with an expression at once ingenuous, modest and subdued. This is Henry Kirke White, whose early years were dedicated to the stocking loom, and of whom one of his teachers declared that he could make nothing. Sapient teacher! well qualified, indeed, for his calling. When reviewing the early history, trials and irrepressible genius of this remarkable and gifted bard, whose brilliant career was shortened by misfortune, but who has left irrefragable proof of mental and moral greatness, we are tempted to ask:

Why, stern misfortune, dost thou shed
Thy chilling blight on early fame?
When genius bows the drooping head,
Yet can no kind compassion claim?

The same sentiment is beautifully expressed by Mrs. Norton:

"Oh, there is need for permanent belief
In the all-equal world of life to come,
Else would our erring fancy blindly roam,
And ask, with all a heathen's discontent,
Why joy's bright cup for some should sparkling foam,
While others, not less worthy, still lament,
And mix the cup of tears their only portion sent?"

There are deep melancholy and despondency blent with noble strains of eloquence, discoverable in those records of heart and mind, bequeathed us by the bard of Nottingham—so touching in their unmistakable application—so dreary in their resistless influence! This has been esteemed a fault by some—nay, we have heard good judges of poetry, with hearts responsive to all that is grand, pathetic and beautiful, condemn sadness in verse—why? Because they have themselves achieved success, and wailing notes are not in accordance with the temper of their minds.

Poor Henry, with all his great powers, was obliged to seek patronage. The name of a great lady was prefixed to his first published poems; alas, they fell unheeded from the press. The reviewers—that remorseless and autocratic clique—dismissed him with thrusts which rankled in his sensitive heart, blasted his health, sowed the seeds of death in his corporeal organization, but could not dim the glories of a mind which rose superior to poverty, oppression, the arrogance of place, the false dogmas of professional criticism. He died, and died young, overborne by a tide of adverse fortune, and the almost superhuman efforts which he made in the acquisition of knowledge which he loved for its own sake, and pursued with death-defying energy. No nobler or more effective illustration of his genius can be offered by any commentator than that which he himself has left in the following lines, doubtless already familiar to our readers:

"When marshaled on the mighty plain,
The glittering host bestud the sky;
One star alone of all the train,
Can fix the sinner's wand'ring eye.

"Hark! hark! to God the chorus breaks,
From every host, from every gem:
But one alone, the Saviour, speaks,
It is the star of Bethlehem.

"Once on the raging seas I rode.
The storm was loud—the night was dark,
The ocean yawned—and rudely blowed,
The wind that tos'd my foundering bark.

"Deep horror then my vitals froze,
Death-struck, I ceased the tide to stem;
When suddenly a star arose—
It was the star of Bethlehem!

"It was my guide, my light, my all,
It bade my dark foreboding cease;
And through the storm and danger's thrall,
It led me to the port of peace.

"Now safely moor'd—my peril's o'er,
I'll sing, first in night's diadem,
Forever, and forever more
The star!—the star of Bethlehem!"

A Specimen Church Radical.

In his address to the General Assembly (O. S.), Thursday afternoon, the Moderator, Dr. Stanton, referring to differences of opinion in that body, upon "vital questions," used these words:

"That rebellious defiance of lawful authority which has racked the nation to its foundations during four years of war, still rages within the precincts where it was born, the Church of God."

In what terms shall such an assertion, so utterly void of even the semblance of truth, be fitly characterized? How poorly does any professional zeal for the "truths of the Bible" tally with such recklessness of statement as is here exhibited!—*St. Louis Republican.*

Aid to Sufferers.

The New Orleans *Times* of yesterday says:

The prompt and generous action of Gen. Baird, in sending relief to the sufferers in the overflowed region, is worthy of the highest praise. Yesterday we announced that he had sent fifty barrels of flour and twenty barrels of pork to the sufferers by way of the Opelousas Railroad, and we now learn, through John Lombard, Esq., that fifty additional barrels of flour and ten of pork were sent last evening to Lafourche, to the care of Tuttle & Bevan, Plaquemine. Twenty barrels of the flour and four of the pork are to be distributed at Rosedale, for the lower part of Grosse Tete and Maungoin, Iberville, by the Rev. John Philson and Mr. H. R. Slack, and the remainder, for Lavonia and Tordoche, by the Rev. John A. Smylie and Mr. A. B. Thompson.

Secretary Chase's Son-in-Law.

The Washington correspondent of the *Commercial* thus speaks of the son-in-law of Secretary Chase. He says:

That overruling Providence, without whose volition even a sparrow cannot fall to the ground, may have had a beneficent and wise purpose in view in sending the Hon. Wm. Sprague ("Little Spraguey" they call him in the reporter's gallery, and when he rises to orate they say he "speaks his little piecey") to the Senate. It is more easy, however, to account by natural causes for the fall of a sparrow than for the election of Sprague. A brick or a shot gun will produce the former result, by the operation of the laws of gravitation, and Providence does not so much will the decease of the poor bird as to refuse to suspend the laws of nature in response to which the feathered tribe yield to the pressure of a brick or the force of a buckshot. In the case of Sprague's election, the object so far must be a matter of faith, which is, we are reliably informed, the evidence of things not seen and the substance of things hoped for.

Mr. Sprague is the youngest man in the Senate, and the smallest in physical, as well as mental, stature. There is a boyish look and air about him, and he is, withal, a handsome man, the cynosure of female eyes, and the focus of innumerable opera-glasses. He looks good-humoredly at the world through a pair of glasses which give him the appearance of a college student, or an inspiring curate in the penultimate stage of his divinity course. He seldom addresses the Senate, and then invariably from carefully prepared manuscript, and not unfrequently in such a stumbling and hesitating manner as to cause his auditors to wonder that he is not more familiar with Chief Justice Chase's handwriting, which, it is proper to remark, is very hard to decipher.

This distinguished Senator from Rhode Island made an announcement the other day that may be said to have put the political world on tip-toe of expectancy. He proclaimed himself in favor of "manhood suffrage" in the District of Columbia, and said that when a bill having this purpose in view was introduced, he would demonstrate that, by conferring the right of suffrage upon the colored population here, Congress would go far towards solving the problem of reconstruction.

Subduing a Prisoner by Chloroform.

The Cleveland *Herald* gives an account of the execution of a murderer, named Cooper, at Ravenna, Ohio, on the 27th of April. He had made several desperate attempts to escape, and when the sheriff came to shackle him, he swore that no one should enter the cell, and that the irons should never go on him while he was alive. He was perfectly wild with excitement. His eyes glistened through the barred door like those of an infuriated tiger. He raved and tore around his cell like a madman, cursing and swearing in the most blasphemous manner. The sheriff found that it would be impossible to confine him without considerable assistance. He, therefore, called in several prominent men of the town to consult as to the best course to be pursued. Among them was Dr. D. B. Jennings, who proposed that chloroform should be used to subdue the enraged murderer.

It was at first objected to by some, but Drs. Keyes and Graham being consulted, it was decided that that was the only means of accomplishing the desired end. Two large syringes were procured that would each hold about one pound of the subtle fluid. They were filled with the chloroform, a bed quilt procured to place over the grating of the cell door, and, after everything was prepared, the contents of one of the syringes were discharged in the cell, and luckily struck Cooper full in the face. He was somewhat taken aback by this novel procedure, and told them to come on with their doctors' stuff, but they would never subdue him in that manner. A second discharge of the chloroform laden syringe, however, did the work.

In less than four minutes from the time of the first injection of the chloroform, the raging man was quiet, and sank down on the floor, perfectly helpless. The sheriff and his assistants took him out into the corridor of the jail, where the manacles were placed on his legs and arms. In about fifteen minutes he revived, but the deed was done and he was unable to do further harm. As soon as he became able to speak and move, he raised his manacled hands, and said, with a wicked oath, "Gentlemen, you have showed a good deal of wit, but you are a set of cowards." This took place on Wednesday. He was hung on the following Friday.

A Sponge Bath.

Kendall, of the New Orleans *Picayune* relates the following, which occurred in his presence recently, at Baden, in Germany: "At this juncture we were joined by an English party, when the subject matter brought under discussion was bathing. "I take a cold shower bath every morning when at home," said John Bull. "So do I," retorted Brother Jonathan. "Winter and summer," continued the Englishman. "My system exactly," responded the Yankee. "Is your weather and water cold?" inquired John Bull. "Right chilly," continued Jonathan. "How cold?" inquired John. "So cold that the water all freezes as it pours down my back and rattles upon the floor in the shape of hail!" responded the Yankee, with the same cunning twinkle of the eye. "Were you in the next room to me, in America," he continued, "and could hear me as I am taking my shower-bath of a morning, you would think I was pouring dry beans upon my back." The Englishman shrugged his shoulders, as with a chill, and marveled.

Cheap Salt in Abundance.

On Petite Anse Island, in the southern part of Louisiana, there is a bed of rock salt covering over one hundred acres, which, during the late war, supplied nearly the whole of the trans-Mississippi district. Twenty-one million pounds were taken from it in three months. Immediate steps are now taking to develop the mine. This salt is found in quantities that are inexhaustible—may be quarried out of the bed where it lies like rock—is very pure and very accessible. Why cannot salt from that vein be laid down in St. Louis at about two-thirds the cost of salt brought here from any other quarter?

THE Mayor of Alexandria, Va., has inaugurated a movement to prevent the reannexation of that city to the District of Columbia.

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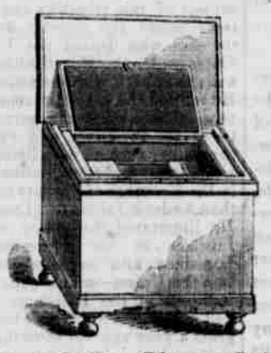

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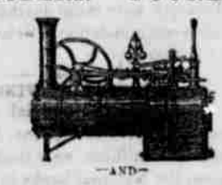
WESTERN  FOUNDRY.

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