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SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1894.

Workings of the Primary. Our first primary held under the recent Act of Assembly making frauds against our primary election plan punishable...

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In the matter, it is not even a new question. The celebrated Missouri compromise contained a similar provision. That is to say, that compromise stipulated that certain customs-duties provided for in that compromise should be operative in full for only a stated number of years, and should after the expiration of that term be reduced, or possibly some of them were to expire by limitation of law.

Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee, a leading Democrat in the national House of Representatives, says, so it is reported in yesterday's papers, that the Voorhees bill is more popular in Congress with the income-tax feature attached to it than it would be without that feature.

The agreement to let that tax-law cease to be operative at the end of five years was entered into because although the tax is a popular one, yet there are a few Democrats in one or both branches of Congress who had to be placated by some sort of concession before they would consent to the passage of the Voorhees bill with the income-tax in it.

This, however, is mere conjecture. It does not seem consistent with the probabilities of the case that the promise to limit the operation of the income-tax to five years should be accepted as a compromise by the men who declare an income-tax to be unjustifiable, undemocratic, unstatesmanlike, and unjust.

If that tax ever became incorporated again into the revenue laws, it will never afterwards stand a ghost of a chance of repeal. At the time the last national income-tax was repealed, the war was but a short distance in the background, and the Republican party was so popular because it had carried the country through a successful war, that the Republican Congress could safely take the action it did.

But it must not be forgotten that the Democrats in the House of Representatives and the Republicans in the Senate have not yet caucused upon the features of the tariff bill to which the Democrats of the Senate Committee on Finance have yielded their assent.

The proceedings at Birmingham, Ala., with reference to a pension for Mrs. Jefferson Davis are not clearly given in the dispatches which we have read, but we haven't the least idea that the veterans (as we have seen it stated) turned "the cold shoulder" to the widow of their President because of late she has found it convenient to live in New York.

Mrs. Davis has been living in New York for several years because she has business affairs there to which she must give her personal attention. Her purpose, as expressed upon her last visit here, was to come to Richmond to reside, and we have never heard of the abandonment of that purpose, but we know that circumstances (which we have no authority to make public) have prevented her carrying it out.

The wigwag in which the veterans held their great reunion at Birmingham is named "The Winnie Davis Wigwag," and the meeting resolved upon free measures to secure funds for building a monument to Mr. Davis in this city—both of which facts go to show the veterans' affection for the Davis family.

It is true that a committee heretofore appointed by the veterans to secure from southern Legislatures a pension for Mrs. Davis reported that they had had no success; but the reason for their failure is well known. Most of the Legislatures are not authorized by their State Constitutions to give pensions to non-residents, and in some instances where this question probably would not have been raised as a legal barrier, it was believed that Mrs. Davis did not need the help the veterans asked.

We repeat, we do not know exactly what was said and done at the Birmingham meeting—the press reports are meagre—but we undertake to say that there is no justification at all for any such statement as that the veterans of the southern Legislatures, of whom the committee spoke, gave Mrs. Davis "the cold shoulder."

The matter of a pension for Mrs. Davis was discussed among Mrs. Davis's friends here in Richmond a year or two ago, but was not pushed in the Legislature, as there was an impression prevailing among members that Mrs. Davis's financial circumstances were not such as to make it necessary for her to have State aid. There was much misapprehension on the subject. Few people were aware that she had met a heavy loss in connection with the publication of her memoirs of her husband—the New York publishers having failed in business at the very time that she expected to receive from them a large sum of money as her share of the profits of the book.

We do not understand that Mrs. Davis is anything more than a sojourner in New York. She has never given up her residence in Mississippi, and Mississippi is her home, though she may, and we hope will, remove to Richmond. She wishes to live here because the graves of her husband and children are here, and because this city is dear to her by reason of the four eventful years which she and her husband spent here. Moreover, we suspect that Mrs. Davis believes—as the Dispatch believes—that her presence in Richmond would hasten the day when the monument to the memory of her husband would be erected.

So away with "the cold-shoulder" suggestion. Richmond passed through the agony of a primary election yesterday. Strangely enough it seemed to be conducted on the principle of a free fight, open to any voter, Democrat or Republican, no restriction being made except that the voter in the primary should support the nominee at the city election next month.

The Wheeling Register says that Speaker Reed will soon be the honored guest at a banquet of the American Club in Pittsburgh, and Mr. McKinley will carefully read the newspapers the next morning. Mr. McKinley need not fear Mr. Reed. If their qualifications and claims were equal they would nevertheless not run on equal terms for the Republican nomination for the presidency.

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Philadelphia newspaper remarked the other day that the name of Libby has unpleasant associations for the surviving soldiers of the Union. Remarking upon this remark, the Richmond Dispatch says that the late Mr. Libby—a native of a northern State, unless his recollection is at fault—did business in the big warehouse subsequently used as a military prison, and that Libby Hill is a public park several hundred yards distant from the site of the Libby warehouse. The Dispatch adds: "If Confederate monuments offend the eyes of the Grand Army of the Republic, Richmond isn't the place for the Grand Army to come to. We have half a dozen such monuments here."

The Contest in the Tenth. (Richmond letter, Index-Appel.) Hon. H. D. Flood, member of the Senate from the Appomattox district, was in the city a day or two ago, and told his friends it was his purpose to make a complete canvass of the Tenth District for the Democratic nomination for Congress. His friends have already done some organizing in his behalf. As it looks from Richmond, it will be difficult for any man to defeat Mr. Flood for the nomination this year. He has several elements of strength, not the least of which is that he is a son of John Randolph Tucker. Mr. Flood is a hustler, and it is not unlikely that he will have the silent support of senator-elect Thomas S. Martin. There is some talk of Captain S. H. H. Pizant, of Botetourt, and Senator Charles P. Jones, of Highland, entering the race, and should they become candidates, Mr. Flood's chances would be considerably improved.

At the Polls. (New York Tribune.) When lovely woman stoops to folly, And finds to late that she has paid the price, What charm can sooth her melancholy? What art her ruined flocks restore? The only art her grief to cover, To show the men they've found their match, To square accounts with brutes who shove her, And spoil their prospects in to scratch.

Don't feel well. Why? Oh! I don't know. Worry I expect. Worrying about what? Well, you know the servants are a heap of trouble. The children worry me a heap. I am broken down. In the morning I generally have a headache; Along towards evening my back feels as if it would break. Every time the baby cries I nearly jump out of my skin, I am so nervous. Your system needs toning up. Why not take Brown's Iron Bitters the best strengthening medicine made. It will give you a good appetite, make your blood rich and pure, give you strength, make life a pleasure. Not only take it yourself, but give it to the children. It is pleasant to take. Small dose. The only iron medicine that don't blacken the teeth. But get the genuine—it has crossed red lines on wrapper.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held on WEDNESDAY, the second day of May, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of the company, in the city of Norfolk, Va., when an election will be held for thirteen directors for the ensuing year, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE IVANHOE LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the office of the company at Lynchburg, Va., at 12:30 o'clock WEDNESDAY, May 9, 1894. IRA DUMONT, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HOLLYWOOD CEMETERY COMPANY will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce on TUESDAY, 8th May, 1894, at 9 o'clock P. M. R. S. BROOKE, Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the CLIFTON FORD WARE COMPANY will be held at the office of C. E. Wellford, 1004 Broadway, Richmond, Va., at 12 M. WEDNESDAY, May 1, 1894. C. E. WELLFORD, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MASSON TEMPLE ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA, SECRETARY AND TREASURER OFFICES, will be held at the office of the company at Richmond, Va., on March 30, 1894. J. EDWARD HENNINGER, Secretary and Treasurer.

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What Causes Pimples? Clogging of the pores or mouths of the sebaceous glands with sebum or oily matter. The plug of sebum in the center of the pore is called a blackhead, comedo, or comedone. Nature will not allow the clogging of the pores to continue long, hence, Inflammation, pain, swelling and redness, later pus or matter forms, breaks or is opened, the plug comes out and the pore is once more free. There are thousands of these pores in the face alone, any one of which is liable to become clogged by neglect or disease.

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