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The Philosophy of Annexation.

When the leading editorial article in yesterday's Times-Dispatch was written we had not seen the communication from Captain William J. Dimmock on Annexation. We are gratified, however, that this distinguished architect agrees so entirely with the line of argument followed by us in discussing this subject.

This fact may be observed by a visit to cities as near by as Washington and Baltimore. It is truly an object lesson to citizens of Richmond to visit the suburbs of either of those cities and see how carefully the outlying districts are laid out by the city authorities.

One thing in conclusion about the city of Buffalo: So far as we were able to observe in a recent visit to that place, there are no long rows of tenement houses welded together, such as are to be seen in Richmond and Baltimore.

Recent Anti-Trust Activities. Now that the election is over and the ascendancy of the Republican party for the next four years is overwhelmingly assured, the natural inquiry arises as to the probable course that the administration will pursue with reference to the trusts.

Seeking Foreign Trade. The merchants of America have long been eager for the markets of the far East. We have bought much from the Orientals, but they have not until recently been buying goods of us.

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tion to \$300,000. In this form the bill passed unanimously. It was the first real anti-trust legislation in ten years.

The next important act of this session began under the patronage of Mr. Littlefield, of Maine, and was an absolute thorough-going and radical measure. It provided that no common carrier should transport any property produced, manufactured or sold in violation of any of the anti-trust laws, and authorized recovery of treble damages by anything done in violation of this act.

These interesting facts are gleaned from a special from Seattle to the Philadelphia Ledger, and go to show that American merchants, in spite of the protection theory, realize that proper development of American industries demands other than "home market" for American products.

So much for legislation. In the matter of legal enforcement of these laws the administration has not been altogether idle. The first case that came up was in May, 1903, when the beef trust was prosecuted in Chicago and Judge Grosscup issued an injunction restraining this trust from allowing its agents to refrain from bidding against each other or from bidding up meat temporarily to induce great shipments and then reselling at bid when the shipments reached the market or from agreeing among themselves upon prices or from making agreements with the railroads for rebates or discriminatory rates.

As soon as Wyser was nominated by the Democrats of the Ninth District, says the Staunton Dispatch, "we stated the fact, which we had learned from investigation, that the Republicans had gone carefully over the district six months before the election and paid the poll tax for every registered voter or person qualified to register, who was known to be a Republican."

A special to the Washington Post from Parkersburg, W. Va., says that all Democratic negroes of Fairmount have been warned by the Republicans of their own race to leave the city, on pain of being driven out. This interesting bit of news is respectfully referred to the New York Evening Post and the Boston Transcript, with the recommendation that they demand a congressional investigation.

If Colonel Waterman believes that the situation is as bad as he pictures it, it is base desertion for him to run off to Europe and leave the rest of us to bear the whips and scorns of "the sweetest gentleman who ever scuttled a ship."

It will be hard to convince Governor-elect Douglas, of Massachusetts, that the Democrats do not commit criminal blunder in not nominating him for the presidency.

Jailed for Stealing. Sam Jones, colored, was sent to jail for four months yesterday by Justice John on the charge of taking \$5 belonging to J. L. Weisiger.

Not in foot-ball. Somerville Journal. The moral is, of course: Don't kick! It won't do any good; For everything will have to go as Nature thinks it should.

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By Kate Upson Clark.

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NOVEMBER 19TH IN WORLD'S HISTORY

- 1530. The diet at Augsburg issued a severe decree against the Protestants, which was sanctioned by the Emperor, Charles V.
1628. John Felton, who killed the Duke of Buckingham, favorite of King Charles I. of England, executed at Tyburn.
1704. The Iron Mask (Masque de fer) died at the Bastille in Paris, after an imprisonment of forty-two years. This mysterious personage is supposed to have been the twin brother of the king, and various authors have attempted to prove his identity with other characters of that day. It was at first believed that the mask, which he was compelled to wear constantly on pain of instant death, was made of iron. But it was composed of black velvet, strengthened with whalebone and fastened behind the head with a padlock. He was confined for imperious reasons of State, but was treated with the utmost deference and respect.
1744. A single battalion of Prussians, under Wedel, disputed the passage of the Elbe at Solnitz for five hours, against the whole Austrian army; and, under the fire of fifty cannon, thrice repulsed the Austrian grenadiers. Wedel lost two officers and 100 men killed and acquired the title of Leonidas.
1794. The treaty signed at London between England and America, called Jay's treaty.
1800. Battle of Ocaña; the French, under Soult, defeated 60,000 Spaniards. Joseph Bonaparte commanded in person in this battle under Soult.
1812. Americans, under Colonel Pike, made an incursion into Canada, assaulted and carried a British post, burned their blockhouse and returned with only five wounded.
1813. American Commodore Porter took possession of an island in the South Sea, called by the natives Nooaheevah, which he called Madison's Island, in honor of the President.
1831. James A. Garfield born.

Half Hour With Virginia Editors. The Lynchburg Advance has not surrendered yet. It says: A party that triumphs at one election may be beaten at the next. That very thing has happened so often that it would be foolish for Democrats to despair in the face of their defeat to-day. There is no telling what may happen in the next four years. A Democratic tidal wave may sweep the country in 1888. Democrats still live, and live in hope of better fortune next time.

The Frederickburg Free-Lance says: No man from the North has ever lived among Southern people for any length of time without becoming impressed with the righteousness of the South's attitude on racial questions, and we have much of sufficient ability to carry this question to the doors of those who do not live among us and to impress them that we are right. At the South, however, the attitude of negation. In this matter we have few heathen at our own doors. Let us begin a campaign of missionary work among our brethren at the North, and stop blindly following the leadership of those who understand us no better than do those who openly denounce us as the oppressors of a benighted race.

The Norfolk Ledger takes this view of it: With a combine of tobacco growers as well as a combine of tobacco manufacturers, the tobacco users may be said to be in the hands of the Philistines.

A Few Foreign Facts. A short time ago Liberia sent representatives to Germany to examine the sources whence a large part of Liberia's imports are derived. The trade relations between the empire and Liberia are decidedly in the former's favor, hence personal contact between the representatives of both countries must make for even better results.

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