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VALE OF "MIGHT-HAVE-BEEN."

For fear a good point, or points, made in a communication of Mr. H. E. Owen, of Weems, in our last issue, may be overlooked or not strike the casual reader with the force it should we extract a part of the article and herewith reproduce it:

"How can we exhibit? We can build a house of oyster shells. We can have a pool of live fish, daily supplied with fresh fish; an enterprising oyster packer can have from ten to fifteen shuckers at work, and market for his stock as easily be found on the (Jamestown) Exposition grounds. We can make a show of our canned goods. We can make an excellent show of our hard crabs. There are many other ways we can show off. We can also let it be known that we can take a vessel drawing 24 feet as high up as Bowlers light-house; that Carter's creek is a safe harbor at average low tide for boats of 15 feet draft and under; that we have farms to let and for sale. Let us be up and doing now before it's too late."

"That's the spirit which should inspire us. Lying supinely waiting like Micawber, for something to turn up, will bring only regret. Nothing can be accomplished by it, and we will remain among the unknown. The State Board of Fisheries will make an effort to have our section decently represented, but it must have the help of our people."

A DESERVED REBUKE.

The rank and file of Democratic newspapers are heartily disgusted at the stand of many big dailies that arrogate to themselves all the virtue and brains of the Democracy of the country. They may glory in being free lances but they should get from under the cloak labelled "Democracy" and appear in their true light. Without wishing to draw particular attention to our able "independent" Richmond papers—for they are but among the many such—we desire to reproduce the following from a "Reader" in the Farmville Herald, laying stress on the closing paragraph:

Editor Herald:—I read with interest your defense of that stalwart Democrat, Wm. Randolph Hearst, and with genuine relish your stinging rebuke of the Times-Dispatch and News Leader. They are generally on the side of the enemy and it is high time they were put on the uniform of the G. O. P. and make bold and open fight for its principles.

If nine-tenths of the Democrats are always wrong the remaining tenth should say so and have the decency to quit.

READER.

Mr. H. Jeter Hajdon, formerly connected with the Sentinel, but who for the past several months has been what agent at Burton's, has accepted a position as business manager of The Journal, a daily newspaper of Fredericksburg, Va., and will leave with his family for that city about the 15th of November. The Sentinel, which Mr. Hajdon labored so faithfully to make the popular and influential paper it is today, is pleased to congratulate him upon his good fortune and to recommend him to the people of Fredericksburg as a gentleman of the highest integrity and a newspaper man of talent and experience.—Southside Sentinel, Urbana.

The CITIZEN, in whose office Mr. Hajdon served from apprenticeship to assistant-foreman, hastens to add its testimonial of the character and ability of Mr. Hajdon, to wish him well in his new field of operations and to commend him to the tender mercies of the good people of the Old Burg. We regret that he leaves the lower Rappahannock for the upper waters, but trust that it is symbolical of a rise in life and profession.

A country paper lays down this rule of etiquette: "When a lady and gentleman are walking in the street, the lady should walk inside of the gentleman."—New York Tribune.

The Tribune's paragrapher is the Smart Alec that when visiting a truck farm wanted to know if they grew oysters from oyster plant (sal-sif) seed, and the same chap that asked to see the cow that gave butter-milk.

THE horrible assassination of Democracy, in New York particularly, calls forth a burst of righteous indignation against renegade Democrats and traitor press. In cooler moments a new deal and re-organization should be had.

"Cut the cards and call the deal off that Tappanhook muddle. Ring the changes and let us have peace—incidentally, saving printer's ink and hard feelings."

ELECTION RETURNS

Rather Chilly for us Democrats, But as Usual a Slaughter in The House of (Supposed) Friends.

POLITICAL MAP LITTLE CHANGED.

The vote in Lancaster county for Congressman is as follows: Irvington, Jones (Dem.), 65; Bristow (Rep.), 3. Weems, Jones, 40; Bristow, 3; White Stone, Jones, 80; Bristow, 5; Island, Jones, 16; Bristow, 1; Kilmarnock, Jones, 30; Bristow, 5; Courthouse, Jones, 51; Bristow, 11; Litwain, Jones, 58; Bristow, 7; Ottoman, Jones, 40; Bristow, 1; Total, Jones, 381; Bristow, 36; Jones' majority in county, 345.

Most of the polls in this county were laid in opening, and some in Northumberland did not open until 11 o'clock, owing to lack of interest, the judges not putting in an appearance.

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. Lottsburg, Jones, 43; Bristow, 9; Reedville, Jones, 51; Bristow, 15; Burgess Store, Jones, 60; Bristow, 22; Heathville, Jones, 61; Bristow, 15; Lillian, Jones, 58; Bristow, 17; Wicomico, Jones, 50; Bristow, 4; Harvey's Whf., Jones, 23; Bristow, 5; Total, Jones, 326; Bristow, 87; Jones' majority in county, 239.

RICHMOND COUNTY. Newland, Jones, 64; Bristow, 7; Warsaw, Jones, 108; Bristow, 11; Emmerton, Jones, 53; Bristow, 21; Sharps, Jones, 43; Bristow, 13; Farnham, Jones, 52; Bristow, 7; Total, Jones, 320; Bristow, 59; Jones' majority in county, 261.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY. Colonial Beach, Jones, 38; Bristow, 9; Oak Grove, Jones, 31; Bristow, 11; Montross, Jones, 57; Bristow, 10; Oldhams, Jones, 52; Bristow, 9; Hague, Jones, 52; Bristow, 12; Kinsale, Jones, 30; Bristow, 3; Baynesville, Jones, 11; Bristow, 3; Warensville, Jones, 13; Bristow, 1; Total, Jones, 358; Bristow, 68; Jones' majority in county, 190.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY. Middlesex gave Jones 195, Bristow 115. This was Bristow's home, and gave him his largest vote.

OTHER PLACES.

Judge Saunders wins in Governor Swanson's old District (Fifth) by 500 or 600 majority.

Sleep, Republican, is re-elected by about twelve hundred, a greatly reduced majority, in the Ninth District.

Nine Democratic Congressmen and one Republican in the Virginia delegation.

Maryland returns three Democrats and three Republicans.

The Republicans control the lower House of Congress by about sixty majority, being the same as before. They have gained in the U. S. Senate.

New Mexico and Arizona voted to enter the union as a single State.

Nebraska was a Republican landslide.

HEARST DEFEATED IN NEW YORK. Hughes, Republican, defeats Hearst, Democrat, for Governor of New York, by 64,000. Bruce, Republican for Lieutenant-Governor, pulled through with only 10,000. The Tammany Democratic ticket won out in Greater New York.

Hearst carried Greater New York by 74,000, but Hughes captured the rest of the state by about 140,000.

Republicans expected a greater victory, and all their press is disturbed and says that the small majority is a warning for better Republican government. The returns show convincingly that Hearst was terribly defeated and that he really was elected. Democratic bolters conspired with the Republicans and the machinery was in the latter's hands.

DIRECT ELECTION OF SENATORS.

Those who are insisting on changing the constitution of the United States so that senators may be elected by direct vote of the people are invited to note the product of the State primary election, which is practically the same as election by direct vote, in the states of Tennessee and Arkansas. In the former Ex-Gov. Bob Taylor, who is noted for nothing except being a good fiddler and an all-round good fellow, has defeated Senator E. W. Carmack for re-election, probably the least smart man in the United States senate from the south, a statesman and man of affairs and a man of the highest character.

In Arkansas Jeff Davis, the gubernatorial buffoon, who is regarded universally as the commonest man in public life in the country, has been named in the primary, and elected by the legislature. Until now Arkansas has ranked among the chief states in the union in the character of its senators, many of them like the late A. H. Garland, attorney general under Cleveland, but now dead, being men of great ability, and all of them like J. H. Berry and James K. Jones, men of eminent respectability.

If the legislature can do any worse than this, we are indeed in hard lines.

THE PREVAILING TENDENCY.

There is nothing so lacking in human nature as the ability to see the best in men, and nothing so general as the habit of finding fault with everything and everybody. Is there any community where such sentiments as these do not prevail: "There are no honest men; everybody is tainted with the curse of the day—graft. No goodness in the world; everything gone to the dogs and no hope of anything better. Country going to smash—is smashed in fact, already. All going down to ruin?" We think, and so hopeless seems the task of obliterating such sentiment and exterminating the croakers that it is now seldom undertaken.

Isome communities that class of people preponderate and the community remains with them in poverty and desolation; in others are found a majority of cheerful, hopeful, honest, energetic, condescending people who look for and find the best in everything and everybody about them, and hand in hand with these the community presses onward to happiness and prosperity.—Southside Sentinel.

MORE REPUTED SHANGHAIING.

(Monday's Times-Dispatch.)

In a remarkable letter just received here, and now before Governor Swanson and the Federal authorities for an investigation, eight men, claiming to be in a state of bondage on an oyster boat in Chesapeake Bay, recite a story of daily suffering and want and cruelty, and invoke the aid of the authorities in relieving them of an unbearable plight.

The letter is addressed to Dr. Charles M. Hazen, of Bon Air and Richmond. The present instance, however, does not appear to be one of "shanghaiing" proper, but of a system of peonage, since the writer of the letter, Nelson Woolridge, a negro, sets forth that the eight men concerned signed a contract to work with the master of the dredging boat a month, and then alleges that their names were placed in a forged signature to a contract for labor until Christmas. The letter is as follows:

"Tangier, Va., Nov. 1, 1906.

"Dear Sir,—I write you these few lines to let you know that there is eight men out here in slavery, and I ask you, please give this to the Governor, because we need freedom. "I will tell you how we are treated. He gets us up at 4 o'clock and goes to bed about 10 or 11 o'clock at night. He won't give us time to eat dinner or supper. If we don't get up or do as he says, he throws a gun in our face and threat to kill us. He beat a fellow to day, he kicked him in the face and stomach, and then shot him in the head. He don't care if we fall overboard. He has kick and beat everybody on board. He only gives us a slice of raw sausage and about three spoonful of beans for dinner. He promised all at richmond office that he would work for the 16. We are dredg oysters. We left richmond on the 3 of October, and he promised to pay from that day, and went and got our names to stay until Christmas with him, and there is no man that said our names. He said that no man was going home before Christmas. He said that we would have to stay a month, after a month if we did not like it we could go home, and we have been here a month, and we want to go home; and we are pleading to you for help. He don't give us stamps or pencils to write to our peopel. He had got a boy here under age. He said he dont give a dam for any of uncle sams men."

"I will close by pleading for freedom, and all names that are on here for the sake of Nelson Woolridge, "Peter Hunsar, shot, "Joe Williams, "John Henry, "Wesley Williams, "Eddie Jenkins, "Charlie Logan."

The letter came in a stamped envelope, and contained on the border the name of "Andrew Crockett." The man's wife also received a letter, which was enclosed in the envelope directed to Dr. Hazen. In this letter Woolridge says that he will probably go to the Potomac this week. He gives, however, no clue as to his location, the name of the boat on which the men are confined, or the name of the master of the boat, unless, indeed, it be "Andrew Crockett."

The letter was shown last night to Governor Swanson, who said that he would consult with United States Marshal Treat, and exert every endeavor possible to have the men liberated and the alleged peonists brought to justice. Governor Swanson explained that all navigable waters are under Federal jurisdiction, and that the matter will have to be placed in the hands of Federal officers, as was done last year, when Marshal Treat and his deputies did the famous piece of work on the Chesapeake bay in liberating several men who had been "shanghaiing," and bringing the shipmasters to justice.

LATER.

(Times-Dispatch of Wednesday.)

With the issuance yesterday of three warrants for the arrest of captains of oyster sloops now cruising in the Chesapeake Bay, another active pursuit of the oyster pirates and shanghai men was inaugurated by United States Marshal Treat. Mr. Treat has started for the Chesapeake Bay, and will in a few days make the arrests. The captains are now in the bay, and it is expected that they will be arrested at Tangier Island, where they make their headquarters.

One oyster captain, West Williams, or William West, as he sometimes calls himself, who was arrested Monday on account of the retention of Philip Everett was bailed in the sum of \$250 by the United States Court in Norfolk. His case was postponed until the November term of court.

HEALTHFULNESS OF EASTERN VIRGINIA ARTESIAN WATERS.

All the information thus far gathered by the field assistance of the Hydrographic Branch of the United States Geological Survey, who have been engaged in investigating the occurrence and character of the underground waters of eastern Virginia indicate that many of the flowing wells of the region supply waters that have distinct medicinal value. As a rule the waters may be described as alkaline-carbonated, though freshly drawn water from some wells has a slight odor of sulphurated hydrogen, and the alkalinity of the water varies considerably from area to area. In general the waters contain comparatively small percentages of sodium chloride, yet they are so decidedly alkaline as to render their use beneficial to persons suffering from gout, rheumatism, and other diseases caused by a uric acid diathesis. In all of the communities where the artesian waters are in general use there are persons who are loud in their praises of the good they have received, and such evidence is corroborated by local physicians.

Aside from their therapeutic value, the artesian flows of eastern Virginia have other merits as table waters. They are usually very "light," copious drinking in hot weather producing no sensation of heaviness. That they are germ-free is shown by their keeping perfectly clear on shipboard for months. At one or two important towns, once noted for the prevalence of typhoid, the introduction of deep-well supplies has been followed by almost complete absence of the disease. At other places a great reduction in the prevalence of malaria is reported. Indeed it is even said that a few small hamlets where malaria and ill health resulting from malaria once kept a local doctor busy, the general use of artesian water has sufficed to put him out of business.

JONES FOR GOVERNOR.

Mr. Smith Brockenbrough is in the city on a business trip from the First District. Mr. Brockenbrough was something of a figure in politics here several years ago. (He said today that Congressman Jones would be a candidate for Governor next time, and that his chief opponent for the nomination would be Judge Mann.

JUDGE DEMANDS OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH DAY.

Judge William I. Clopton, of Manchester, Va., who was sitting in a case which involved the question of profaning the Sabbath, delivered the following instructions to the jury:

"The court instructs the jury that the statute, section 3799, is not based on any religious tenet or belief, and cannot be sustained as a religious measure, but solely as one of police regulation on the ground of public policy.

"The court instructs the jury that the words 'a work of necessity,' as used in section 3799 of the Code, are properly defined to be 'a work indispensable to preserve life, limb, health or property of one's self or family, or to prevent injury to others or their property.

"To illustrate: A man on the Sabbath may legally cut his tobacco or help his neighbor so to do, when it is in danger of destruction by frost, or he may work to preserve a crop of hay spread on the ground to dry, to save it from destruction by impending rain, if he necessarily for such work be manifest; but he cannot work his crops in the field, as is his ordinary custom.

"Or a druggist on the Sabbath may sell medicines or fill prescriptions for the use of the sick, but he cannot legally sell cigars, tobacco, brushes, mirrors, soaps and other articles of merchandise usually kept in such stores, for the latter class of sales is not 'a work of necessity.'"

FISH AND OYSTER NOTES.

Owing to failure of the whale fisheries, the price of whalebone is now \$15,000 a ton.

The Philadelphia Record parades Crisfield, Md., as a curiosity because it is built on oyster shells. That's nothing. They say Hampton, Va., is built on crab shells.—News Leader.

When the eggs of the oysters are thrown into the water, there are so many of them that they look like a milky cloud. Each baby oyster is about as large as the head of a pin; but it has its own tiny shell. It floats about easily. By and by they fasten themselves to a rock or to some other safe thing. The floor of the shell is the oyster's cradle, and he lies quietly in it all his life. If you count the ridges on the roof of his house you can tell how old he is, for you will find a ridge for every year.—The Goodson Gazette.

Some time ago an oyster-breeder in Morbihan, France, called the attention of the Academie des Sciences to the appearance of unknown algae that threatened to ruin the oyster-beds established at the mouth of the river Vannes. These algae (which the breeders called "ballons") assume the form of little brownish-green leather bottles or wine-skins, which stick to the oysters, and which, microscopic at the start, very soon reach the size of a large hen-egg. Formed of a very thin, elastic and rather frail coat, these bottles, usually full of water, fall in upon themselves at the moment of low tide. They become empty then by the vents in their exterior; but, in virtue of their elasticity, they fill up again with air. At the return of the tide, they thus form a float more than sufficient to raise up the oyster that serves them as support. Therefore at each great tide, when the beds are wholly uncovered, the oysters are seen to disappear in the offing upon this automobile alga. These "ballons" are frequent in all warm seas, abounding notably in the Mediterranean and in the straits adjacent to the Atlantic. They have never been seen farther north than France. They no doubt came upon the hull of a vessel, and having found in the gulf of Morbihan a suitable water, multiplied there. Hitherto no other effective means has been found of combating this alga, than to sweep the beds with prickly fagots.

WILL VISIT CHIEF IF IT COSTS LIVES.

The government is having trouble with dissatisfied Indians in Wyoming, and another Indian war may be precipitated.

"We are going to visit Chief White Cow Bull, of the Cheyennes, at any cost, and will not be taken back to Utah to starve. We would rather die first," is the substance of the answer of Chief Kannap, of the Utes, to the soldiers.

As the Utes are continually on the move in small bands, cowboys are hired by the soldiers as scouts to keep track of the Indians. The main Ute band is going rapidly toward the Cheyenne reservation. Two more troop trains are reported out of Fort Robinson, following the first train unloaded at Arvada.

Colonel Helzel, who was government scout and interpreter in the battle of Wounded Knee, says the Indians mean fight and gives it as his opinion that they have sent messengers to seek the assistance of the warlike Cheyennes. The Indians say they want President Roosevelt to give them the Powder River Valley for a hunting ground and persist in their determination not to be taken back to Utah.

\$25 EACH FOR PHEASANTS.

The forest and game law of the State of New York was declared constitutional in a decision handed down by Justice Greenbaum in the case of The People vs. The Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

It was claimed that the proprietors or lessees of the hotel had in their possession 174 English pheasants, the penalty for having pheasants being \$25 for each bird. The defense contended that the law was unconstitutional, as it discriminated against portions of the State by declaring there should be no close season for pheasants and that they should not be killed, except in Suffolk county, before the year 1910. Justice Greenbaum gave judgment in favor of the State, and directed that the defendant should pay the full amount of the penalties prescribed by the law, \$4,350.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Robert Sullivan, who departed this life October 17, 1906, aged 67 years and two months. He leaves a broken hearted widow and son to mourn his loss.

A precious one from us has gone, A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled.

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We never realize just how comfortable or happy we are until the toothache or some other thing comes along to put us out of business. Why don't we stop once in a while and tell ourselves how thankful we ought to be for our sight and our hearing, and good digestion. What? You have indigestion? Well it's your fault, give your stomach a chance. Teeth are different, they wear out chewing the rag so much.—Buster Brown.

An exchange vouches for the authenticity of the following answers by school children had the Britons? A strange and terrible one called religion of the dudes. What caused the death of Cleopatra? It was because she bit a wasp. What can you tell of Johnson? He survived Shakespeare in some respects. What is the spinal column? Bones running all over the body; it is considered dangerous. Name a domestic animal useful for clothing, and describe its habits? Ox. Doesn't have any habits because it lives in a stable. What is the function of the gastric juice? To digest the stomach.

NEWS ITEMS.

A young Danville white man was sent to jail for 15 days for beating his mother.

Piquart, who risked his neck and forfeited his chevrons to rescue Dreyfus from unmerited disgrace, has been made French Minister of War in the new cabinet.

The fall white potato crop on the Eastern Shore is now being dug. It is a comparative failure, as far as the yield goes. None of the truckers are digging over half a fair yield. The prices are good, and some are refusing \$2.50 a barrel for them.

President Roosevelt and party started yesterday for Panama. They came down the Potomac early yesterday morning on the yacht Mayflower. At the mouth of the Rappahannock the party transferred to the Louisiana, the newest and fastest of our battleships, which will convey them to the Canal zone.

POLITICAL.

Same old talkers, Same old screech, Same old sizzling, Red hot speech; Same old gestures, Same old thump, Same old hot air, On the stump! —Washington Times.

"Never more will I support the Republican party, so help me God. And I earnestly pray for its defeat and the wiping out of its existence." With uplifted hands, James H. Hayes, the noted colored lawyer and the erstwhile defender of the disfranchised blacks in the Federal courts in connection with the Richmond delivered himself of the declaration above quoted. The occasion was the meeting of the negro league which has charge of the campaign of Major Johnson, the colored Republican candidate for congress, running against Hanson, the "lilly white" candidate.

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