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THE SECRET OF MR. SLIDELL'S SUCCESS.

The majority of American politicians of the last generation achieved success in public life by their personal magnetism and fearless use of the masses, and by their persuasive eloquence, publicly or privately employed. Mr. Clay and Mr. Douglas are notable illustrations of this. Both were men of inexhaustible powers of speech, and both had the faculty of fascinating their hearers and imparting to them the enthusiasm of their own natures. Most of the admirers and followers of those distinguished men had been attracted to them simply by their speeches, at the Bar and in political assemblies. Mr. Slidell was indebted for his success as a public man to qualities of a different description. He was a man of few words, indemonstrative and unemotional. He was not an attractive nor a voluble speaker, and was almost unknown to the people except by name. He was cold and reserved in his manners even to his personal friends. As still water runs deep, his outward appearance deceived many persons, who to this day do not understand his character. We have heard him spoken of as a political trickster and a man of deep cunning. But those who knew him best, tell us that his promotions were due to do such means as trickery or intrigue. Mr. Slidell was a man of indomitable energy, and whatever he undertook to do, he threw himself into the work heart and soul. He was also eminently a man of business and his extensive knowledge of men and things added to his native sagacity enabled him to adopt the means best calculated to the end he had in view. When he entered into public life he adopted politics as a profession, and abandoned the practice of the law. He studied politics and made it his business to practice them. We are told by his personal friends that he was the best informed man in Louisiana on that subject. He knew all the prominent men of the different parches of the State, as well as those of other States, and through them kept himself thoroughly informed of the strength of parties. As a party leader he was unsurpassed, and as a judge of men few were his equals. He chose as his coadjutors those who were competent to aid him and had none of that weakness which some of his contemporaries have exhibited and which led them to surround themselves with mere flatterers and toadies. His great natural talent at its true worth, and therefore never manifested any jealousy of it. He is credited with another valuable and indispensable quality in a public man. He never broke a promise. If he recommended any one to office, it was almost certain to an appointment. But Mr. Slidell was very far from being a dictator, as many believe. We have told that he always manifested a respectful deference to those who held different opinions from his own.

If the war had not taken place there is no reason why he might not have acted as the President of the Union. He was one of the ablest and strongest men in the Democratic party, and had performed services to it of the highest value. The loss of his life teaches what resolute men of will, tenacity of purpose, good judgment and strict fidelity to men and principles are almost certain to accomplish in the affairs of life.

An Answer Wanted from the Republican.

The *Republican* does not furnish us with a reply to our inquiries of Sunday last, concerning the use upon which the Grand Duke of Jefferson parish acted in the case of the murder of Caldwell Means, Lawes and Lowenberg, in Avoyelles parish, and proceeding to the court in Jefferson to get a dismissal of the murder—Fisher and Two Officers. We are very anxious to see the law, and how repeat our inquiry to the *Republican*. And while upon this subject we ask, by our contemporary also to refer us to the law authorizing the Governor of Louisiana to issue an order to a General commanding him to release prisoners held by him for trial under a judicial warrant. The Governor sets forth in the order addressed by Sheriff Kline of Ascension parish, directing him to release the two Wilsons, that he does so because he has learned from the Attorney General intends to enter the court to enter upon its records a *nolle prosequi* at its next regular session for months hence. But how does the Governor know that the court will grant such a request? Is discretionary with the court, and what right has the Attorney General to decide that the citizens have been in jeopardy and cannot again be tried? This is also a question for the court and not for the Governor or the Attorney General. We hold that the indictment and all the proceedings in Jefferson parish were illegal and the action of the court is nullity. Ray's Revised Statutes, 1870, contains these articles which are now the law regulating change of venue:

Section 1028. No change of venue in a criminal case shall be awarded until the defendant shall be arraigned and shall have pleaded "not guilty."

Section 1031. No change of venue in a criminal case shall be awarded until the party accused shall have been arraigned and shall have pleaded "not guilty." But after the plea of "not guilty" entered, make application to the Judge in Chambers for a change of venue. *Provided*, That such application be considered as a part of the answer to the indictment in the same manner as if said accused had pleaded "not guilty."

SUGAR PLANTERS.—The attention of sugar planters is directed to the advertisement in these issue of Mr. Nelson Slater, No. 129 Spain street, New Orleans, who offers his services in the putting up and boiling of sugar between now and the grinding season.

LARGE FIGS.—Mr. John Lambias has submitted to us for inspection a specimen of figs grown in his garden in the Fourth District of New Orleans. It is the largest we have ever seen, being about the size of a large lemon.

W. R. Bayley, Esq., has just been elected Chief Engineer of the New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Railroad. He is well connected with the Opelousas road and has been Division Engineer of the New Orleans, Mobile and Texas road.

Mr. Wadsworth Carey (a nephew of Mr. Clay), President of the Baltimore *Gazette* Company, died at New Orleans, and has gone to Cincinnati to attend the funeral. He is to go to Kentucky, and thence to New York and Boston. He is to return to Louisiana to attend the State Republican Convention and assist in its organization.

Governor Warmoth has no fear of opposition, but he wants everybody to work harmoniously in the party organization; that the Warmoth ticket may be elected by a good majority. Consequently he looks to an arrangement by which he will secure the State Senator that he seeks, the re-election and election for Governor, does not care particularly whether he be accomplished by out-and-out Radical or Liberal. He has no prejudice towards Conservative interests, as is of course, working for General Amnesty, and will seek to assist the Convention in favor of the Presidency in 1872.

Mr. HENDRICKS FORMALLY NOMINATED.—Indianapolis, July 25. The Democratic Central Committee of Indiana in this county unanimously declared that Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks the choice of Democracy of Indiana as their candidate for the Presidency in 1872.

The London *Athenæum* has this paragraph: "It is very odd, we suppose, like by the Battle of Dorking, so much point out to those who have not already guessed it, that the general commanding the army corps to which the force supposed to be attached, who carried out many than any two years, and been made a peer for services performed when quite an old man, is Lord Napier, while the artillery general killed by a round shot is Sir Harry

The New Orleans Bee.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

To the New Orleans Bee.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Jules Favre Resumes His Practice at the Bar.

Cholera in the South of France.

Negro Riots at Porto Rico.

HOME NEWS.

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Statements of Mr. Van Trump.

Further Details of the Late Explosion at New York.

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FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The official journal announce as a result of the rigid inquiry into the explosion of the government powder works at Vincennes, that it is fully proved that the cause of that shocking event was purely accidental.

Seventy deputies to the Assembly have received imperial communications from large numbers of their constituents expressive of desire they cast their votes for the prolongation of the term of office of Thiers. French legations at Dresden, Darmstadt, Hamburg and Weimar have been suppressed.

Paris, Aug. 1.—Jules Favre appeared to-day in his barrister's robes at the palace of justice. He has resumed the active practice of the bar.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The cholera appeared in South France. Measures have been adopted to prevent its spread, if possible.

London, Aug. 1.—Duke of Buccleuch is ill and will not be able to preside at the celebration of the centenary of Sir Walter Scott.

Prince Arthur's pension of £15,000 per annum having passed both Houses, received the royal assent.

There has been no new cholera case at Hull. Steps have been taken to localise the disease.

Marshal Bazaine is in London.

Mortimer won the Brighton stakes—Stockwise second, and Gertrude third.

London, Aug. 30.—There is a growing uneasiness in the public mind over the fact that the cholera ravages in Russia are terrible. The scourge has not yet passed the frontier. The closest watch has been instituted to prevent the disease's progress. Apprehensions exist whether or not it has advanced into Germany as heretofore.

London, Aug. 1.—Rain fell over the greater part of the sea, and the Government has prescribed regulations to be enforced upon all ships from the Baltic ports.

Halifax, Aug. 1.—The yacht race for the Prince of Wales Challenge Cup takes place to-day. There are six entries.

Porto Rico, July 27.—A riot occurred in the capital on the 20th, during the performance of some music in the Public Square. Negroes threw stones at the soldiers, who then drew their sabres and charged on the negroes, killing two, two others were badly wounded. One negro it is expected will be shot next week. The Captain General proclaimed martial law, and the troops patrolled the streets and searched houses for arms.

These disturbances are the result of the late election. Everything is again tranquil, but martial law is still continued.

Rumors are current of a disturbance in May-a-guaz.

Sidney, New South Wales, July 1.—The new steamship Adelaide, the first of the mail ships, left with a full freight, including wool for California.

A rich tin mine has been discovered.

Three of the crew of the ship Storm Bird was killed by the natives of New Hebrides.

There has been several earthquakes within a month.

Heavy shipments of coal has been made for California.

Fresh pearl shell beds have been discovered in Australia.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Felix K. Bunet has been appointed United States Commissioner, vice Parker resigned.

The Cabinet session to-day was attended by all the members, excepting Postmaster General Cresswell, who was represented by one of the Assistant Postmaster's General.

Conditions took a wide range, and many important subjects were considered, besides which the large amount of routine business which had accumulated heavily since last session was disposed of.

The Pleasanton-Boutwell imbroglio was a topic of considerable interest, but the discussions were not characterized by any difference on the point of adjusting the difficulties by supporting the Secretary of the Treasury, but therefore became considered certain that Commissioner Pleasanton will be removed, and it is more than probable that Deputy Commissioner Douglass will succeed him.

The question of appointing an assistant under the Washington treaty was a feature of to-day's consultation, and, without positive official endorsement, it can be said with probability Charles Francis Adams will be designated to that office by the Secretary of State.

The debt statement shows a reduction of $8,300,000.

Coin balance in the Treasury, $85,000,000. Currency, $8,000,000.

During the month of July the amount of national bank currency was $1,780,000, and under the law for the same amount, three per cent. must be retired.

Mr. Von Schlozer, the new German Minister, was presented to the President to-day, when the customary speeches were made. After receiving the credentials the President said: In addition to the time arising from the extensive commercial intercourse, and from the mutual interest, which in common bind the United States to Germany, there is a further bond between them from their circumstance that many of our best citizens are natives of your country.

Mr. Westenberg from the King of the Netherlands, was also presented to the President.

The President appointed several Postmasters at unimportant stations to-day.

Washington, Aug. —Miss Phoebe Carey, sister of Alice, is dead.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The *Patriot* publishes an authorizing report of the evidence taken by the Ku Klux Committee, furnished by Hon. P. Van Trump.

The statement published in the *Star* is pronounced untrue. Many essential particulars, and facts perverted in others, with the view of producing a false and partisan impression.

The testimony shows that there are four counties, viz: Laurens, Chester, York and Spartanburg where acts of violence have been committed on both sides.

The whites and blacks are nearly equally divided in population, and the carpet-bag rule by which the negro is forcibly put over the white man, has produced a bad, and even a dangerous state of feeling.

The poor whites are mostly aggrieved by an oppression which is intended to make them the inferior of recent slaves, steeped in ignorance for ages. Every thing has been done to aggravate the latter's hatred, and to outrage the social condition of their families.

It is in proof that the negroes disguised as Ku-Klux committees many outrages.

The testimony given by the negroes was of the lowest kind and utterly unworthy of belief.

Many were attracted by the per diem of $5.

The statement concludes: There is no political feeling of any kind in the unfortunate disturbances which have occurred in these few counties of South Carolina: they result from mal-administration, corruption, robbery, carpet-baggism, and especially among the poor laboring white men from a wicked purpose on the part of the authorities and of the Legislature to assert black supremacy and degrade them with negro rule. That is the head and front of the real and most serious difficulty. It is a question of race, which as South Carolina is now administered, is sustained by Federal power, threaten the gravest consequences.

The white mechanic and laborer when he finds the worst crime protected and pardoned, the law an engine of persecution, and political power abused, in order to oppress him with more degradation, to outrage his wife and children, will remember that was the sacrifice what it may. He may be uneducated and plain, but he is still an American and proud of his race."

Washington, Aug. 1.—Further extracts from Van Trump's statement, on the eve of the last election, Governor Scott organized fourteen negro regiments and armed them with 7400 Winchester rifles and 100,200 rounds of fixed ammunition. These regiments were distributed in different parts of the State, and especially where their presence would be most like ly to excite bad blood.

This proceeding was rendered more offensive by the fact that the whites who had become enraged, were refused the same privilege to protect themselves. A company which had been in existence long before this time was disarmed and disbanded by the Governor. In the Radical statement it is broadly alleged that ten negroes were taken from the jail in Chester and murdered by an armed band, but the facts connected with this transaction are all intentionally suppressed for effect.

They were (as follows: A company of some 25 armed negroes proceed in that neighborhood and openly announced their intention to shoot the first white man they should meet. Soon after a poor draymen named Stevens, with one arm, who was universally regarded as a worthy and amiable man was driving along the road with a barrel of whisky in his cart. He was stopped by this band of ruffians and the whisky demanded. He told them it was not his property but gave them a flask of his own and started.

After going a short distance the negroes fired at his cart and struck it in several places. A man, who had joined Stevens on the road, fled for his life, and he himself, seeing the armed negroes in pursuit, abandoned the cart and sought refuge in a neighboring cabin. He was followed by the wretches, and, against the efforts of the negro woman, whose humble shelter he had sought, and his own, he was taken out.

After drawing six or five of the gang took him into the woods and riddled his body with balls. The perpetrators of the outrage were arrested and put in Chester jail, but before being secured they killed the Deputy Sheriff, Smith, who served the process. Suddenly a negro came from Columbia, with what purported to be a writ of *habeas corpus* from the Radical Judge, Thomas, at Columbia, but attested in no proper form.

The sheriff called into council the leading lawyers in order to determine what course he should pursue in regard to this informal and irregular requisition, which bore no evidence of genuineness, and came in on an envelope of Adam's Express Company. In the mean time the news spread, and a vigilance committee aroused into indignation, knowing how Governor Scott had pardoned the worst criminals by hundreds, and believing it to be a trick to carry off the murderers, determined to administer stern justice themselves by making an example to check this outlawry.

They took the prisoners out of jail by force and executed them summarily. One of the number was released by the declaration of a white man that he was believed to be innocent of the atrocious crime of which the others were guilty. While this act of vengeance is deprecated, the extraordinary provocation and the alarm created by the armed blacks, as to their violence, must be considered in connection with it. The other statement might be expressed with equal effect, but this illustration is sufficient for the present.

One of the principal witnesses named Owen, in the cross examination, admitted himself to be a thief.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The President has recognized Theodore Wagner Consul from Nassau, during his vacation.

Samuel Wakefield has been appointed Postmaster at New Iberia.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The Olympics of this city beats the Eclipses of Brooklyn, to-day, by a score of 12 to 9.

PROBABILITIES.

The low barometer will probably continue in Iowa on Wednesday, and local storms are to-day from Missouri northwards. Similar storms of large dimensions are probably now extending from Virginia and the northeastward. No important general change in the weather is indicated.

WEATHER REPORT.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The barometer has varied but little on the Pacific and Rocky Mountain stations since Monday after noon. It remains low from Lake Huron to Mississippi, and westward rainy or threatening weather has prevailed to-day on the coast of Texas, as well as from Missouri to Wisconsin. The barometer has risen from Pennsylvania northward and eastward. The temperature has varied slightly in the interior, but elsewhere has not materially changed, except at a few isolated points. Cloudy and threatening weather is reported this afternoon from Key West, and from North Carolina to New Jersey, as also in northern Ohio. Rain has been reported since Monday from Virginia to Massachusetts, and local rains from Michigan to Minnesota.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.

New York, Aug. 1.—United States Commissioners Belknap and Lowe, has been busily engaged all day making arrangements for a thorough investigation into the cause which led to the explosion at the Westfield. They are determined to make a full and searching enquiry, and elicit such facts as will disclose where negligence or culpability existed. For this purpose numerous witnesses have been summoned to testify in the case, and the probability is the investigation will commence before the Commissioners.

New York, Aug. 1.—Only two victims of the late explosion remain at the Centre Street Hospital—Patrick Buckley and a girl of seven years; the latter was identified this morning as child of Jewish parents, named Leiderhoff, 151 Thomson street. The parents are among the wounded at the Jewish Hospital. Her sisters, Anna and Lenore, were killed. Only slight hopes of recovery of Patrick Buckley.

Boston, Aug. 1.—During a storm at Haverhill four barns were struck by lightning, and one burned with several valuable horses.

The mail steamer Delta, from Bermuda, reports a fire at Point-a-Pitre, Guadaloupe, nearly the whole town was burned and 30,000 people left without shelter. Sugar ready for shipping was destroyed.

Much of the town will be rebuilt entirely of wood after the destruction by earthquake in 1845. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Memphis, Aug. 1.—John J. Worsham, formerly proprietor of the Worsham House, and a 32d degree Mason, died last night of typhoid fever.

White Sulphur Springs, Va., Aug. 1.—The eleventh session of the American Bonded Association commenced here this morning, pursuant to adjournment. Dr. W. H. Morgan, of Alabama, in the chair. Fortyfive members were present, and considerable accessions are expected by to-night's train.

The Association have agreed to a morning and evening session.

Besides transacting any important business the session adjourned until half-past three o'clock.

In the morning session Dr. Judd read a paper on dental physiology, which was discussed at length by Drs. Atkinson, Taft, and others. It went over to the morning session.

The various standing committees were then appointed. At 1 o'clock the Association adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Washington, July. Aug. 1.—The Association will be in session several days.

Burlington, Vt., Aug. 1.—The corporation of Vermont University voted to admit women.

Long Branch, Aug. 1.—Veanvius won the first race: Midday won the second. Time 1:43¾. Alma won the second.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—A wife from Nevada, finding her husband and a woman together in a hotel at Stockton, shot the woman, three times fatally. Wife and husband arrested.

Western Union Telegraph Superintendent Grant is very ill.

Amador mines quiet. America sailed for China with the largest freight ever taken by an outgoing steamer.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

London, Aug. 1.—Consols. 93¾@93¾. Bonds 93¾. Turpentine 42s.

Paris, Aug. 1.—Rentes 73f. 47c.

Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet. There were sales of 9000 bales, of which 1000 were for export and speculation.

Manchester market heavy. Turpentine declining, 39s 6d@39s 9d.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 1.—The day in Wall street was without any notable event. Gold was very dull and steady. Foreign exchange was firm. Government bonds were steady and very strong on small transaction. Some of the leading bears in the stock market who covered their shorts are now assisting the bull cliques in getting up the prices with a view of putting out short time on higher figures. The discountable range from 5 to 7. Exchange closed on a basis of 109½@109¾. Gold, 1861, 115; 5-20s of 1862, 114¾; 64s, 113¾; 65s, 113; new 1024's, 5s, 113; 8s, 113¼; 10-40s, 105¾.

New York, Aug. 1.—Cotton steady; sales of 2158 bales; uplands at 19¾c. Flour, Southern is dull and lower; common to fair extra $5 40@6 50; good to choice $6 55@9. Freights firmer.

New York, Aug. 1.—Money 5@6. Sterling 10. Gold 13¾@13¾. Governments steady—5-20s of 1862, 114¾; Tennessee bonds strong and active—Tennessee 73; new 73; Virginia 64; new 79; Louisiana 65; new 61; Levees 69; 8s, 64; Alabama 69; 5s, 67; Georgia 81; new 86; North Carolina 42; new 26; South Carolina 72; new 55.

[Previous Dispatches.]

London, Aug. 1.—The vote of censure was defeated in the House of Lords.

The Government was defeated in the House on an amendment to the election bill.

The Aldermen met at Guildhall and granted six months' leave of absence to Recorder Gurney to act as a Commissioner to Washington treaty.

There is a steeping increase over the progress of the cholera. It has not passed the confines of Russia, by the regular route, and all possible precautions have been taken. Sanitation, to prevent its progress, has been adopted, though some cases have appeared at Hull, which is on the route of emigration from North Germany to America.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Counterfeit $20 bills of the United States National Bank of Washington are circulating.

E. S. Meeker, arrested on a charge of counterfeiting, gained his freedom by walls and escaped.

New York, Aug. 1.—The number of dead recovered from the explosion is 70, wounded 192, of whom probably twolands will die.

The *Sun* says the Spanish under Polavieja were completely defeated by Quesada, a few days after landing, with a loss of 260 killed and 300 wounded.

The Tammany of this city, 3000 strong, sent a request last night to the committee of the Italian National procession on the 26th inst. The request will be cheerfully considered next Monday night.

Dragging for bodies at the scene of the explosion was resumed at daylight, but up to noon with no result.

New York, Aug. 1.—BASE BALL.—The Savannah Club, of Savannah, Ga., and the Excelsiors, of Brooklyn, played on the Capitoline Grounds to-day, the Southerners winning by a score of 19 to 16.

New York, August 1.—Arrived out—Abyssinia. The steamer Manhattan reports: Off Sist, near Absecom Light House, bearing northwest, three quarters west, in 6 fathoms, passed the wreck of a schooner with bow out of water and spars alongside—a very dangerous wreck, lying in the track of vessels going down and up.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The President has arrived. A full Cabinet is on the spot.

M. Schaeffer, from the German Empire, has presented his credentials.

Versailles, Aug. 1.—The Assembly voted only on imports, to which there was no opposition.

The tax on raw materials, including cotton, has been postponed for future consideration.

Rome, Aug. 1.—The elections in the Roman States were anathetic, two-thirds of the voters abstaining from voting. The Moderate candidates generally have been successful.

Constantinople, Aug. 1.—The publication of a Turkish newspaper has been stopped by the Government in consequence of an attack upon the Pope in its columns.

Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Noon.—Cotton opened quiet; uplands 9¾d.; Orleans 9¾d.; sales to-day 10,000 bales. Corn 30s. 9d. Pork 46s. Beef 98s. Lard 48s.

London, Aug. 1.—Noon.—Consols 93¾@93¾.

Frankfort, Aug. 1.—Bonds 93¾@93¾.

New York, Aug. 1.—Noon.—Stocks dull but strong. Gold steady at 113¾@113¾. Governments dull and steady. State Bonds dull and steady—Tennessee very strong. Money easy at 3. Exchange, long, 10; short, 10¾.

The Prospective Annexation of England to Germany—The London Times on Treitschke's Letter.

The *Times* comments as follows on the letter to the *Allgemeine Zeitung*, which we publish in full for our readers:

The clerkly virtues of the author, that it is a medley of fragmentary facts; nevertheless, so placed together as not to betray their connection with any plan. As such, it will amuse the most ardent English lover and admirer of his country quite as much as it can the German outsider, incapable of discerning how far it is true, how far it is false. But the German artist, though he has a flair for satire as we stand, does not seem able to take us as we are, and as we change. This is the very thing which we are most cautious. We are singularly mixed in our composition and inconsistencies, and admit of being described as the very opposite of what the German makes us. There is a great deal of inability here to a sovereign who to nine out of ten must be a mere name, and that of large dimensions and not individualized. The mass, certainly the most laborious and industrious part of them, are the least disposed to envy or rank and power. They are proud to have a duke, a marquis, an earl, or a baronet for their neighbor, but the proprietor of the mine, the cotton or the iron lord. Upon the whole, the great fault of the English people is that they are not sufficiently dissatisfied with their position to save money and to rise in the world. They who do make money show generally a strong disposition of spending it, even in a contemptible manner, while for the rest we must certainly go across the Channel to see the accumulation and dissemination of the working classes which the German lays at the door of our political fault, for the inequality of the crime. But be it now or not, the North Germans mind that all nations have their Saturnalia, some of a religious some purely social character. Such a character has the Carnival in Munich, and in no country in the world have the small carlarts have ascribed so much money, time and industry to the gratification of the people generally or those belonging to them. Philantropy may almost be called the prevailing folly of the British people. Our satirical friend ridicules our numerous religious developments, shared alike by the different members of Parliament, statesmen and working classes, in order to sneer at them; but he is not perhaps aware that he and they may not be the impostures and hypocrisies he imagines.

Again, certainly the student of British history may miss the intrepidity of a Pitt, the pride and scorn of a Castlereagh, and the high daring of Canning, but it is some compensation for their absence that we really there is no occasion for them, and they would be out of place. We are not at war with all Europe, as we have been, and as the work that Castlereagh did or attempted, and Canning's story is a double-edged sword, which in military duties, on occasions, it is true that we have made great changes lately; and in a period of change such as we have been accustomed, replaced by other proposals; and, as it has invariably turned out, the ancient has had more than its due, and most of the many, be, fairly considered, peasants. But this is the way in which we effect our revolutions and it will certainly compare with any other country to bear that terrible name in other countries. Power is passing gradually and silently to a new class, and thus far that basis has not disappointed expectations by subsiding under the new burdens. Our worst enemy will have left the country very much what it was. But all these changes bring us to the last and most critical point—the patriotism of the people. The German is not aware of the fact that we show what no other nation can show, or ever did show—more than a century of peace, and the powerful government which party is insurgent; and it is my opinion that the present national feeling would be found to be on the side of the governments in the field; would uphold that one of them which Congress had refused to supersede, if found that it had been unfairly superseded by the other.

Sidney Smith once gave a lady twenty reasons against her proposed marriage. The bright fair; another to remember all the pleasant things said to her; another to throw a fit, another to sugar-plums on the chimney-piece, and a female simmering on the hob.

Some of the dealers offer for sale amounts of City Treasury Notes [illegible] cent. discount and set it.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE BEE,
TUESDAY EVENING, August 1, 1871.

COTTON.—The sales to-day embraced 300 bales, as a rule of ordinary to low ordinary and ordinary, and full prices for good ordinary, with a decided advance. We advance one-quarter cent according to grade, and give also the following list, which are for over-counting of its 5700 bales, and are for average lots, with the outside quotations added:

	Average	Receipts
Low Ordinary	18	1,000
Ordinary	18½	1,000
Low Middling	19	1,000
Middling	19½	1,000
Good Middling	20	1,000

The market opened with a fair enquiry and a more confidence on the part of factors who were unwilling to meet the demand except at the prices ruling on yesterday. Operations at the start were restricted by light supplies, and holders of the ordinary grades realized fuller prices, especially for strict ordinary, which some brokers quoted at 18¾@19c. Ordinary sold at 18¼c, good ordinary at 19c, low middling at 19¾, and strict low middling at 19¾.

The sales for the past three days sum up 2300 bales. The receipts since Friday evening were 3955 bales, embracing 461 from other delivery ports, and 2194 proper against 1921 proper for the corresponding time last year. Receipts proper since August 31, 1,638,367 bales, against 1,628,267 last year. The exports comprise 8032 bales, embracing 1486 for Boston, 3486 to New York, and 66 to Providence.

The Exchange reports: "Good demand at quotations. Sales of 2300 bales, of which [illegible] were ordinary and [illegible] low middling."

TOBACCO.—Has been in fair demand since our report of last Friday, the sales amounting 310 hhds, viz: 11 hhds at 4sc, 14 hhds 5@7c, 7 hhds 8c, 5 hhds 9c, 3 hhds 10c, 20 hhds 11c, 3 hhds 12c, 2 hhds 13c, 2 hhds 14c, 20 hhds 15c, 10 hhds 16c, 20 hhds 17c, 15 hhds 18c, 20 hhds 19c, 20 hhds 20c, 15 hhds 21c, 10 hhds 22c, 10 hhds 23c, 10 hhds 24c, 10 hhds 25c, 10 hhds 26c, 10 hhds 27c, 10 hhds 28c, 10 hhds 29c, 10 hhds 30c, 10 hhds 31c, 10 hhds 32c, 10 hhds 33c, 10 hhds 34c, 10 hhds 35c, 10 hhds 36c, 10 hhds 37c, 10 hhds 38c, 10 hhds 39c, 10 hhds 40c, 10 hhds 41c, 10 hhds 42c, 10 hhds 43c, 10 hhds 44c, 10 hhds 45c, 10 hhds 46c, 10 hhds 47c, 10 hhds 48c, 10 hhds 49c, 10 hhds 50c, 10 hhds 51c, 10 hhds 52c, 10 hhds 53c, 10 hhds 54c, 10 hhds 55c, 10 hhds 56c, 10 hhds 57c, 10 hhds 58c, 10 hhds 59c, 10 hhds 60c, 10 hhds 61c, 10 hhds 62c, 10 hhds 63c, 10 hhds 64c, 10 hhds 65c, 10 hhds 66c, 10 hhds 67c, 10 hhds 68c, 10 hhds 69c, 10 hhds 70c, 10 hhds 71c, 10 hhds 72c, 10 hhds 73c, 10 hhds 74c, 10 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