The Atlanta Daily Constitution

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 8, 1876.

BROAD SEALS."

Under this somewhat attractive caption, the patriotic editor of the Washington Chronicle writes a pair of essays on state rights. The argument is excellent—as good, in fact, as we have ever seen in a similar vein. The misfortune of it is, however, that these elegant contributions to our political literature were composed and published before the news from Oregon was received. The editor of the Chronicle appears to be a genuine convert to the theory of state rights—so much so that he would doubtlessly utter a vindictive howl were a democratic congress to attempt to go behind the "great seals" of the states of South Carolina, Florida and Louisiana; and it is more than probable that we should aid him in giving vent to his indignation. For since a Tilden elector bears the broad seal of the state of Oregon, any attempt of that kind would put the democrats to the unpleasant necessity of going behind the the broad seals of the governors of Florida and Louisiana to inquire into the infamous frauds perpetrated by the radical returning boards of those states. And yet such a contingency might be productive of good results. It would give the democrats an opportunity of presenting to the country, with all the impressiveness that springs from formality, the dastardly and desperate acts of the radical minorities in South Carolina, Louisiana, and Florida. After all, it may suit the purposes of the editor of the Chronicle to take a new tack in this matter when he learns that a Tilden elector in Oregon bears upon his certificate the impress of the broad seal of the state, it may be that the editor will change his patriotic front, and vociferously call for congress to go behind the "great seal" of that little gallant commonwealth. So be it. It will be somewhat troublesome and tedious for the democrats to wander again through the bristling forgeries, perjuries and frauds that have come to light in the three distracted states; but the result will be the same.

Our Uncle Samuel will be inaugurated and that will be the end of it. Really, we wish the editor of the Chronicle well. The ordeal through which his variegated patriotism will be compelled to pass, will in all probability be a fiery one. Let us trust it will survive the torture. Let us also hope that the editor will form one of the large and admiring audience which on the 5th day of March, will cheer lustily at the admirable inaugural which President Tilden will on that day deliver.

POSTAL AFFAIRS.

The people paid in the past fiscal year $33,263 874 for mail facilities. Of this amount $4 081,790 came directly from the treasury, being the excess of expenditures over the year's receipts. Mr. Tyner estimates that the deficiency of the next fiscal year will exceed six millions; but he evidently did not take into calculation the fact that a different lot of men will then manage the mail business.

The report teems with interesting facts. For example, it is stated that of something more than four million registered letters mailed, only 764 were lost, and 196 of these made were good The actual loss in this way was less than $13 000. 151 employees were arrested during the year for offences against the postal laws. Of the dead letters, 31,318 contained photographs, 20,367 jewelry, etc. The report contains plenty of similar facts; but it is almost silent on one interesting point—the straw-bid mail contract business That is a sensitive point with the administration.

The postmaster general is a warm advocate of the free delivery system. It is now in operation in eighty-seven cities, and the receipts from local postage—drop letters and the like—in those cities exceed the entire expense of the system by $84,375. In other words, it is more than self-sustaining. The carriers—2,269 in number—handled in the average 278,438 pieces each. Altogether they handled over six millions letters and newspapers.

Mr. Tyner asks—we hope in vain—for a restoration of the fast mail humbug. Just why one strip of the country should be provided with extraordinary mail facilities at the expense, and even to the detriment in some respects, of the rest of the country, we never could quite understand. If the department would give its undivided attention to the general betterment of the service—quickening the mails in places where they are unnecessarily slow and increasing the number of mails where too few are received—the country in general would be better satisfied.

THE radical editor of the Chattanooga Commercial seems to agree with us that the eminent polo professor of the New York Herald is not in favor of impeaching Grant. The articles advocating such action were probably contributed to the polo organ by its gifted confederate correspondent in Washington.

L. G. DENNIS, who concocted the Alachua county frauds, has the reputation of being (with the exception of Purman and Gleason) the most unmitigated scoundrel in Florida. If Stearns goes in as governor, this important fact will entitle Dennis to an office of trust and profit—three or four of which he now holds.

MR. Z L. WHITE, the staff correspondent of the New York Tribune, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Washington from New Orleans. Next to Mr. Charles Nordhoff, Mr. White is perhaps the fairest and most conscientious republican correspondent that ever visited the south.

WE desire to wait for a change in the moon before we become fully persuaded that Mr. J. Gordon Bennett, the well-known straddler of polo ponies is in favor of impeachment. If Grant is wise he will send a man to interview the S. of P. P. Otherwise his fate is sealed.

HOW TO REMEDY A GREAT NUISANCE.

The crossing of Whitehall, Pryor, Forsyth, and Loyd streets, by the railroads, has been a source of great annoyance to our people for a number of years. How to remedy it has been fully discussed time and again, but without developing any practical plan. Every day, and many hours in the day, pedestrians and vehicles are detained at each of these crossings, in rain, in sleet, and in sunshine, and as our population increases the nuisance increases, until it has become the greatest bother about our city. The passenger trains that glide in and out on the various roads never trouble any one, nor is there any detention from freight trains that pass through. It is the ceaseless switching of trains, back and forth, over these crossings that causes the nuisance, and it ought to be stopped. The railroad men who have control of it, say, when complaint is made to them, that they are compelled to switch their cars, and as the roads came here before the city, the city ought to remedy the evil. This is true. The city ought to devise some plan to prevent the nuisance and then compel the roads to observe the provisions. The plan of bridging the road or making tunnels will not do, for more reasons than it is necessary to enumerate. The only plan we see that is at all suitable to completely remedy this evil is to have the switching done outside the city. This can be easily accomplished by building the road once contemplated by the Southern Security company from the Georgia railroad across to the Macon & Western railroad. All the shifting of cars, and a number of the through trains would then pass over this road and no inconvenience would result at the crossings above named. We hope that our newly elected mayor and council will take this matter into consideration and devise some plan that will relieve our people, and we respectfully suggest to them the plan above stated.

MR CHANDLER'S DEPARTMENT.

The secretary of the interior begins his report with a discussion of the Indian question. He urges the dissolution of tribal relations and the conveyance of land in severalty. With the exception of the hostile Sioux the Indians are practically upon reservations, entirely under the control of the department.

About six and a half millions acres of public lands were disposed of during the year—a decrease of about half a million of acres as compared with the previous year's sales. One thousand six hundred and eighty-one more patents were granted however; and more land was taken up under the homestead and timber-culture acts.

The pension roll is diminishing. The maximum was reached in 1873. A still greater diminution is expected in the future. The whole number of names borne upon the pension roll at the end of the past fiscal year was 232,137. Three hundred and twenty of this number were widows of revolutionary soldiers. The disbursements on this score were $1,331,516 less than was expended for the same purpose during the preceding year.

The secretary is persuaded that the laws relating to the publication and distribution of public documents should be carefully revised and simplified. In his judgment, provision should be made for supplying gratuitously all the important public libraries of the country with copies of every valuable publication issued by the government, while individuals should be required to pay cost price for the same, exception being made of persons in official position, who should be provided with such documents as are essential to the proper discharge of the duties of their office. The custody and distribution of such documents should be confined to a single agency, so that there might be one source from which the publications of the government, or accurate information concerning them, could readily be obtained.

REDPATH thinks it is too bad that there is no registration law in Georgia. This is really too bad, but when it is remembered that one of the principal reasons why the negroes will not vote in Georgia is because they refuse to go through the formality of paying their taxes and registering. The trouble is that if they register they are compelled to pay their taxes. Redpath is endeavoring to out-Carroll Carroll—and he is succeeding.

IN response to numerous enquiries we desire to state that the reason we failed to erect our lusty fowl yesterday was because we thought it was fully understood that Oregon had been Cronin for Tilden. Let the procession move.

E. V. SMALLEY is writing to the New York Tribune from Washington. Smalley is the man who interviewed General Toombs some years ago, and was so fearfully "stuffed" by that grim humorist.

THE papers have discovered that Ruger is a powerful composer of literature. They quote this terse and lucid remark from his letter as a sample: "No act was done by the soldiers, except that of their presence, as stated"

RUGER ought to go to Oregon. It is true he is needed in South Carolina, but at the same time he could leave "a person" in charge of his vigorous constables.

FRED DOCKRAY, the editor of the Jacksonville(Fla.) Union, seems to be the most limber-jointed and feeble-minded patriot that ever engaged in journalism

RUGER is not only a literary composer of much vigor and originality, but he knows how to bulldoze democrats. He seems to have graduated under Piegan Phil.

THE eminent poet attached to the Burlington Hawkeye talks about Tilden's "enfeebled" frame. This is probably a joke.

BILL CHANDLER has retired from Florida, but where is Ampt?

THE southern carpet-bag statesmen are stout champions of liberty, freedom and all that sort of thing. Why shouldn't they be, when the penitentiary is staring every one of them in the face?—Baltimore Gazette

CAMERON'S MEN AND MONEY.

The report of the secretary of war is a brief document. It is long enough, however, to enable the youthful secretary to ask congress to vote $37,588,555 for the next fiscal year—a larger sum than has been asked of congress since Grant's last inauguration. Nor is this all; for the secretary adds that the probability is that "a deficiency appropriation will be necessary to meet the expenses during the latter months of the year." The crazy movements of troops in the past three months will crystallize in that shape. If the country must foot the bill, the house should at least insist on an itemized account that would expose the whole business. Let us know just what Rugerism costs.

The inspector general's report shows that 1,832 men of the regular army deserted last year. The expenditures on the national cemeteries were $146,958. The secretary says that it is believed during the present session of congress the war department will be in a position to submit, in a compact and complete form, so far as the data in its possession will admit, the war records of the confederate states for 1860 and 1861, and a portion of those of the United States for the same period. The compilation and publication of all the war records are now in progress.

UNCLE REMUS AND A DEMOCRATIC CHRISTMAS.

"What's de news?" asked a colored politician of Uncle Remus at Maddox's corner day before yesterday.

"News nuff fer ter las' you a week?"

"Ain't you seed de big chick'n rooster in de papers?"

"I ain't seed 'em."

"Well he's dar an' dar he's gwine fer ter stay ontell mister Tilden mounts de flatform. When you see dese big chick'ns in de papers wid dere mouf chuck full uv argyments, you jes' begin fer bet dat dey got dere craw full uv demmycratic corn. Hit's jes like blowin' a horn fer christmus."

"What you gwine do dem?" asked the colored politician.

"Oh, I m gwine ter knock erlong 'bout as usbuly, but I bing gwine wid de gang so dat when de demmycrat chris'mus do come, I kin hang up my sock wid de balance un 'em."

FACT AND COMMENT.

JEFFERSON Davis has returned to his home in Memphis

JIM BLAINE wants another war and another rifle contract.

CONGRESSIONAL motto for the winter: Oh let us be jawful.—EX.

CLARA MORRIS studies her death scenes at the hospital.

THERE are 160 religious denominations scattered throughout the United States.

IN the "Department of Justice" Judge Taft turns the pages of his law books with a bayonet.

OSTRICH rearing is the most profitable occupation in South Africa, only takes sixty acres to a bird.

THE vote of Nevada was: Hayes 10 286; Tilden, 9,197. This is the smallest vote cast by any state.

"JUDGE ROGER," William Cullen Bryant calls him and, doing so, shows how contradictory have been his rulings

CONKLING and Blaine haven't kissed and made up Neither knew that the other was in the senate on Monday.

DISRAELI is still reported verbatim for the London Times by the scribe who took down his maiden speech forty years ago.

WHEN your party does a mean thing you call it fighting for the right; when the other party does it you call it a despicable trick

PROGRESS is making tremendous strides in the Black Hills. Men wear coin in Custer City, and there is a canary bird at Deadwood.

THE New York Evening Post sarcastically calls Gen. Ruger Judge Ruger, and holds up his interpretation of constitutional law to ridicule and contempt.

GOV. COKE, of Texas, having been elected United States senator, vacated the executive office Thursday, and Lieutenant Governor Hubbard was installed in his stead.

THE old Countess of Montijo has gained her case against the Paris journal, which asserted that her daughter the ex-Empress Eugenie, was an illegitimate offspring.

THERE is one great beauty about the British constitution. It isn't one of those open-work creations of human genius that you can fling a bull through by the tail.—Brooklyn Argus.

CHICAGO reporters have to go around now with an escort to save themselves from immolation at the hands of the government's son, Freddie Grant.

LYON G. TYLER, son of the late President John Tyler, has been appointed professor of modern languages at William and Mary college. Mr. Tyler is a master of arts of the university of Virginia.

A letter to the Hartford Courant from Columbia, S. C., announces the death of James Webster Smith from consumption He was known as "Cadet Smith," and was the young colored man who was for a while at the West Point military academy.

IN the legislature of Nevada, there is a republican majority of 17 on joint ballot, the senate standing 12 republicans, 12 democrats, and 1 independent, and the assembly 34 republicans to 16 democrats.

THE vote of Louisiana was 161,000, the largest vote by 1,500 ever polled in the state. Yet the Hayes organs have too much cheek to assert that a democratic minority bulldozed thousands of republicans, and drove them from the polls.

AN imperial almanac, entitled the "Eagle," and issued at Paris circulates eighty thousand copies throughout France, and is regarded as a powerful instrument of propagating the imperial faith. It contains fifty portraits of eminent personages belonging to the Bonapartist party.

THE frightful havoc of the late cyclone by which a quarter of a million lives were lost, is not the only affliction of unhappy India. The cholera is again raging with terrible violence, and, the crops failing for want of rain, another famine is prevailing.

THERE are advertised in the English papers this month the meets of 119 packs of fox hounds 5 packs of stag hounds, and 33 packs of harriers—in all 157. The cost of maintaining them is not less than $20 000,000 a year, and the expenses arising out of hunting is probably more than as much again

CAPTAIN BOTTON, the man with a swimming apparatus, has been for a long time unheard of. His latest feat was a recent attempt to swim down the river Po, from Turin to Venice, a distance requiring from seven to eight days. After eighty-six hours in the water fatigue induced a fever, which necessitated his landing and relinquishing the attempt

DON CAMERON is reported engaged to a very beautiful young lady of Washington, who only utters the society of the capital this season. She is much above the average height, with that rich olive complexion supposed to be only perfected under Italian skies; her large brown eyes are full of intelligence, merriment and dignity"

IF Andy Johnson had been guilty of one-half the offenses against the constitution and the laws that have been committed by Grant during his administration as president—if there had been one-tenth of the evidence that he had been engaged in conspiracies against the liberties of the people that exists against Grant in regard to revolutionary measures in Louisiana and South Carolina—his impeachment trial would not have ended in a failure to convict.—New York Sun.

WHILE the republicans were claiming that the presidential election was still in doubt, a man in a saloon called out: "I'll bet that Tilden is elected!" "I'll bet that you are a liar!" replied a voice. The two clinched, rolled on the floor, and unselled around, and the "Illinois" finally had the other at a disadvantage. "Now will you admit that Tilden is elected!" he asked, letting up on the other a little. "No, I won't!" gasped the undermost, "but I'll admit great democratic gains all over the country."

THE secretary of the treasury to-day submitted to the house of representatives the estimates of appropriations required for the public service for the fiscal year ending with June, 18 8 These are for congress, $2,988,220; executive proper, $76,400; department of state, $1,442,657; treasury department. $165,248 85; war department, $54..56,855; navy department, $22,.01.968; interior department, $38 606,7.2; postoffice department, $6,636 647; department of justice, $1,432,990; department of agriculture $227,200; total, $299,811,668. These estimates are $15,000,000 less than those for 1877, and congress appropriated $17 500,000 less than the total estimates for that yer.

KING JOHN of Abyssinia has appointee Major Barlow, a British officer, to be generalissimo of all his forces, with suitable rank The new generalissimo will be the first European who has ever commanded a native force of Abyssinians. Colonel Gardiner Montgomery has been offered the appointment of chief of the staff.

THE lower part of Mr. Milton Sayler's face is buried in an irony-gray beard and moustache. He has a wide, prominent forehead, and a pair of handsome gray eyes which twinkle with good nature. He is scholarly but exceedingly l zy; his friends say that the only reason he has not married is because he has always been too lazy to propose. All this is confided to the world by a correspondent of the Philadelphia Times.

A PARAGRAPH concerning the demented "Empress" Carlotta occasionally drifts into the newspapers. The latest says: "Her distaste to society is so great that she will not even permit her maid to dress her Her memory regarding some things is, nevertheless, remarkable. One certain day she orders her bath to be got ready; this she does by writing an order on a slip of paper, and laying it where it will be seen, if her request is not attended to the order will be repeated in the same manner and attention called to the neglect."

AMONGST the numerous telegrams and letters of congratulation which Gov. Vance is now daily receiving was one from "the North Carolina boys" in Baltimore. After telling how much they were all tickled at the idea of his being governor this important little postscript was added: "Please send us your measure in full, as we desire to present you with the suit of clothes to be worn on the occasion of your inauguration." The governor says it's very insulting, and he's going to resent it, too, and that immediately, by sending his measure.—Charlotte N. C) Observer.

JEFFERSON DAVIS, whose presence in the city the present week has been assorted by some persons to be for mischievous purposes arrived on the steamship Adriatic on Saturday accompanied by his family and, as soon as his luggage was passed by a custom house officer took the five o'clock p. m. train for the south Mr Davis was met upon his arrival here by only one of his friends—Mr. E H Low, of the National Steamship company. Some one attempted to draw Mr Davis into a political discussion The latter merely said he hoped that when either Mr Hayes or Mr Tilden would be announced as having been elected president there would be no cause for doubt. Mr. Davis appeared feeble—New York Express

THE following shows the relative increase of the different religous bodies in England in seventy seven of the largest towns:

	1851.	1872.	Increase per ct in 21 years
Church of England	725,037	1,040 612	54 0
Wesleyan Methodists	235 706	316 91	34 0
Congregationalists	18 4 7	238 458	6 9
Baptists	139,520	211,477	53 0
Roman Catholics	7 .684	127 665	8 .0
Primitive Methodists	58 402	121 968	1..0
United Methodists	48 8 3	101,474	107 7
New Connection	49 731	74,691	47 0
Presbyterians	28,232	70 418	150 0
Unitarians	27 4 8	36 727	34 1
Society of Friends	3 221	25 861	11 1
Calvinistic Methodists	10 519	26 832	1.6

It would have been interesting to know what is the increase in the Nothing-in-Particulars who form a very large class.

SAMUEL COOPER, late adjutant and inspector general of the confederate army, died at Amherst, Fairfax county, Va., on the 3 inst. Deceased was born in New York in 1795 and graduated from West Point in 1815 In 1836 he was promoted Capt in, and two years later was made assistant adjutant general, serving during the Florida war with great gallantry as chief of Colonel Worth's staff In 1848, during the Mexican war, he was brevetted colonel for gallantry, and at its close he was appointed adjutant general of the United States army under General Scott, resigning to take part in the rebellion in 861. During the greater part of the war he resided at Richmond as adjutant and inspector general of the confederate forces, attached to the personal staff of Jeff Davis, and by his wonderful executive ability he won the confidence of the whole rebel army, in which he out ranked Lee in seniority. He was captured with Davis at Charlotte, N. C., and on his release retired to his farm near Alexandria. His wife is a sister of ex Senator J M. Mason, of Virginia, and is a daughter of General John Mason. His father was a general in the revolution He leaves a wife, son, and daughter, and a nephew a commodore in the United States navy. The deceased was in his 78th year

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The second and third meetings of creditors will be held at the same time and place.

dec9-d1t A. E. BUCK, Clerk.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

DISTRICT COURT of the United States—Northern District of Georgia, in the matter of William McNeal, Bankrupt—No 984

All persons interested are notified to show cause, if any they have, before Register Albert G Foster at his office in Madison, Georgia, on the 2 th day of December, 1876, at 11 o'clock a m, why the above named Bankrupt should not be discharged from all his debts.

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