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Amusements This Evening.

Albaugh's Grand Opera House—"Lights o' London."
Ford's—Miln.
Herzog's Museum.—"The Danites."
Dime Museum.—"Monte Cristo."
Theatre Comique.—Variety.

"THE WASHINGTON CRITIC."

The proprietors of this paper, after diligently considering the advisability of changing its name and under what title to rechristen it, arrived at a conclusion this morning.

During the past ten days or a fortnight several hundreds of new names have been suggested—many of them excellent and appropriate—and a candid judgment has been passed upon the merits of each. In the meantime numerous protests have come to hand, earnestly, and, in some cases, even pathetically, protesting against making any change at all.

The committee to whom the subject was referred are also of the latter opinion, and having patiently investigated the question in all its phases, report unanimously to the effect that the old name be retained.

This report we have adopted, with only a slight modification, and the paper will, therefore, enter upon its new era under the title of THE WASHINGTON CRITIC.

To the many friends who have exhibited such kindly interest in the matter, we extend our grateful acknowledgements, and trust that none will be disappointed with our decision. Abundant assurances are already at hand that the citizens of Washington are taking a substantial interest in the future prosperity of THE CRITIC, and that so long as we continue to make it more and more worthy of their confidence and support, they will be entirely satisfied with the cognomen it has borne so long.

Consul Morgan's Democracy.

According to the rule recently announced by Senator Hawley, to criticise an Administration is to detract from the splendor of the greatest Government the sun ever shone upon. By the same rule, therefore, to praise any part of the Administration of an opposite party not only makes one a patriot, but renders him a proselyte to the party in power. At least this is the law of measurement which Republicans applied to James M. Morgan, the new Consul-General to Melbourne.

Mr. Morgan, it appears, wrote a pamphlet in Mexico, in which he praised Mr. Blaine's foreign policy, in order to quiet the commercial relations between Mexico and this country, which he thought had been disturbed by the nomination of Mr. Blaine. Because he interfered at the proper time to demonstrate his loyalty to the Government of the United States—whatever it might be—the Republican party immediately seized on the idea that he was perforce a Republican.

We fear that the era of fraternal feeling will be older than it is when Republican leaders come to admit that one may be a patriot and yet be a Democrat. More time and some trepanning are still necessary to regain that equilibrium of patriotism which characterized this country thirty years ago. True, the war Democrat and the Mugwump are with us in powerful numbers, but their skill and judgment must be strained to the utmost to convince the Republican party that all those "rebels" who who were not killed during the war, have either had their political disabilities removed, or else are hoeing corn and sowing wheat.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

There is one officer of the Government who has already attracted popular attention by reason of his evident faithfulness to duty, his unfailing courtesy and his strong convictions. That officer is Joseph S. Miller, Commissioner of Internal Revenue. He is not a mugwump. He is not a sniveller. He seems to have a childlike faith in the sublimity of his action whenever he "turns a rascal out," and it is evident that he proposes to purge the revenue service of its barnacles and its offensive partisanship, if it takes the last barb on the wire fence of civil service reform.

Ever since Mr. Miller's induction into office he has attempted the herculean performance of keeping open house, open office and free communication for everybody who had the slightest business with the Commissioner. Approachable at all times and under all circumstances, he has added thereto the hospitality of the Virginia gentleman, and shown conclusively that he has adopted President Cleveland's maxim, "A public office is a public trust."

But Commissioner Miller is sick to-day. Even his powerful constitution could not wholly withstand the onslaught of the office-seekers, and he has become the temporary victim of his own good nature. Mr. Miller's many friends are sincerely desirous of his speedy recovery.

All Quiet at Battleford.

Riel's rebellion does not appear to be prospering at a pace commensurate with its notoriety. True, there was a massacre at Fort Pitt, and everybody expected the blow to be followed up by a massacre of the garrison at Battleford. But public expectation was wrong. The Indians made many threatening demonstrations at Battleford, but they waited until the Canadian troops appeared and then decamped without ceremony. If the Kansas theory be true, that "the only good Indian is a dead Indian," the troops should have followed the half-breeds into the wilderness and brought about some reparation for the massacre at Fort Pitt.

The art of civilized warfare—which means a harvest of dead men in the open field by grape and canister—seems entirely foreign to the Indian nature. The noble red man massacres, and inasmuch as his wrongs are deemed personal, he wreaks summary vengeance after his own individual fashion. It is this fact which makes his wars irritating.

But Canada appears to be thoroughly aroused to the situation, and two or three powerful blows at Riel will now stamp out the rebellion and restore peace to the settlers. In the meantime, it might not be a bad idea for the Canadian statesmen to work out an Indian policy that will do justice to the Indian and secure permanent peace.

THE colored mugwumps of Baltimore are mugwumps no longer. Recognizing the great and solemn fact that a Democratic Administration is in power, they reach at once the practical conclusion that it is to the best interests of the colored race to embrace the Democratic cause to secure full rights of citizenship. There is a levelheadedness in this proceeding which we commend to the prayerful consideration of their white brethren of the same independent persuasion.

CAPTAIN DAWSON of the *Charleston News and Courier* assumes all the responsibility of having recommended the appointment of Colonel Morgan as Consul-General to Melbourne. He asked the appointment as a personal favor, but would not have done so had he not known Mr. Morgan's personal and political record to be unassailable.

"NEVER was the interest in Southern development so great as it is now," says the *Richmond State*. It is stated on good authority that there is not a Southern State in which considerable Northern capital has not been invested since the 4th of March, and the "rebels" are "yelling" for more.

A CONNECTICUT oysterman is putting up a thousand selected bivalves on a direct order from Queen Victoria. Considering the numerous black eyes which Mr. Gladstone has been getting of late, the order is probably based upon a great public necessity.

IT is now believed that the Admiralty office was blown up by the explosion of Tennyson's poem. We hope this is not "too late! too late!"

PEOPLE IN GENERAL.

The widowed Lady Ampthill has been appointed Lady-in-Waiting to Queen Victoria in succession to Lady Abercromby, who recently resigned. The post is worth £500 a year, and the duty consists of six weeks' attendance at court in each year.

General George B. McClellan will deliver the Decoration Day address at the Antietam National Cemetery. It will be his first visit to the place since the battle. While in Hagerstown General McClellan will be the guest of Colonel H. Kyd Douglas, who was on Stonewall Jackson's staff.

A banquet was given at Providence, R. I., last evening to the Hon. Isaac Bell, the new Minister to the Netherlands.

A sister of the famous naval officer, Oliver H. Perry, is living in Ames, Iowa, at the rare old age of 112 years.

Representative Ethelbert Barksdale has announced that he will not be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Mississippi. Ex-Governor J. M. Stone is strongly indorsed for the nomination.

The remains of President Garfield at Lake View Cemetery, Cleveland, are still kept under military guard.

Governor Hill of New York was in consultation with Mr. Tilden at Greystone yesterday.

Minister Gladstone has a brother Thomas who is over 90 years of age and a Tory.

Paul H. Hayne, the Southern poet, is six feet tall and 55 years old.

Ex-Congressman Townshend of Ohio thinks that Judge Foraker will be the Republican nominee for Governor of Ohio and that Governor Hoadly will probably run against him on the Democratic ticket.

Representative Randall remained quietly at his Philadelphia hotel yesterday and declined to receive visitors.

General W. S. Hancock was in Philadelphia yesterday on private business.

The Washington correspondent of the *Philadelphia Times* is "quite sure that Mr. Hendricks would at any time exchange his present position for a seat in Congress or the Governorship of a State, for to a man of his intellect and love of power a mere honorary office is no more than a meal of sugar plums to a hungry laborer."

AMUSEMENTS.

ALBAUGH'S GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—In "The White Slave," which is to be presented at Albaugh's Grand Opera-House next week, a contemporary says that Mr. Campbell has produced a spectacular melo-drama dealing with a purely American topic, that of Southern slavery, and if the work be not monumental, the treatment of its subject is nevertheless masterly and clever, and calculated to win for its author a more substantial reward than that of mere renown as a playwright. Opinions may differ as to the artistic excellence of the play; its originality may be questioned; it may be claimed that its situations are conventional; that its tableaux are but reproductions of others gone before; even granting all these, it cannot be gainsaid that "The White Slave" appeals unerringly to the popular taste, and that it will therefor take its place among the standard successes of the day.

FORD'S OPERA HOUSE.—Negro minstrelsy is always a popular form of amusement, and when done by a company such as will be here next week, it cannot fail to draw crowded houses. Thatcher, Primrose and West, who open an engagement on Monday evening, have been before the public for years, and their company has the reputation of being the best of its kind before the public. Special attention is directed to the engagement of Mr. William Muldoon in his wonderful representations of ancient and modern statuary. There will be but four performances—on the first three nights of the week, with a matinee on Wednesday afternoon. Box sheet is now open.

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THE AMAZONS.—The newly organized East Washington military company of young ladies known as the "Amazonian Manipulators" has elected the following officers: Captain, Miss Della Jarboe, re-elected; first lieutenant, Miss Annie Cross; second lieutenant, Miss Emma Lane; first sergeant, Miss Clara Price; second sergeant, Miss J. Heinline; corporals, Misses Lizzie Hughes, Belle Heinline, Katie Grinan, and Rachel Crawford. The company now numbers seventeen, with seven applications for admission awaiting action.

THEATRE COMIQUE.—The season of light opera at the Comique opens on Monday evening. Change of opera will be made nightly. Last evening's *Every Evening* of Wilmington says of the company that it appeared in "Fatinitza" before a large and enthusiastic audience, presenting the delightful work excellently well. Miss Gordon, in the title role, sang her music admirably, and artistically interpreted her role. She was well supported by Messrs. Morgan and Brown and Miss Webster, and the performance was uniformly good and enjoyable throughout. This evening "Giroflé-Girofla" will be repeated at the request of a number of opera patrons. It was given on Wednesday evening by the company, and the sprightliness of the work and the excellence of the presentation created a desire for its repetition, to which the management obligingly assented.

The Lion and the Bear.

A party of sailors and marines from the English man-of-war now at the naval anchorage were in the city yesterday afternoon, says the *Portsmouth, Va., Times*, of April 24. The red coats of the marines attracted considerable attention. We interviewed some of the party and were told that the English ship and the Russian corvette, now also here, were in the port of Havana together recently, and that when the Russian left the Englishman followed her, which accounts for their being here together, and confirms the belief that the English lion is watching the Russian bear on this side of the Atlantic.

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