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The Philadelphia textile manufacturers, the condition of whose business made it necessary to reduce wages, and whose works in consequence have been closed by strikes, report evidences of an improvement in business, says an exchange. These evidences appear in the form of increased inquiries as to prices in future. It is thought by them that if these inquiries continue, there is a prospect of their mills starting up about the middle or last of April, at a better offer of wages to their employees. The suspension of these mills has been at a loss to the employees of at least seventy-five thousand dollars per month in wages.

The Mississippi papers are boasting of the manly and independent spirit of Mr. Lamar. The Vicksburg Herald says: "Secretary Lamar has begun the right kind of civil service reform in his department. He proposes to assume the responsibility, and it is but just for him to select his own agents to perform the work. For him to do otherwise would be for him to consent to be a mere figure-head in the interior department, and an irresponsible adviser of the president. In other words, it would be for him to consent to play a similar role in the interior department to that which Judge Key played during Hayes' administration in the postal department, with possibly similar disastrous results."

Of the many arguments brought forward, says the New York Sun, in favor of the admission of French women to the franchise, one of the strangest is that which rests their claims on the traditions of the country. Plutarch, it is gravely pointed out, mentions that at one period in its history Gaul was governed by a senate of women; and Sainte-Foix, in his work on Parisian antiquities, maintains that so long as this system of government lasted the Gauls had always the best of it in their encounters with the Romans. Brennus himself was but the lieutenant of these ladies. When the Druids wrested the supreme power from the hands of the women, the glory of Gaul began to decline, and the Romans soon reduced the country to subjection.

BREWSTER'S FANCY FURNITURE. Attorney General Garland, it seems, says the Savannah News, does not find the surroundings in the office set apart for his use entirely to his liking. The office is fitted up something after the style of an art furniture shop. It is full of all sorts of bric-a-brac. The walls are covered with gorgeous paper and are adorned with fine pictures. Elegant rugs are scattered about the floor. A magnificent screen stands in front of the fire-place. On the tables are many curious and handsome but useless articles. The chairs and sofas are the finest that money can purchase. Attorney General Brewster spent a good many thousands of dollars on the room. He appeared to devote more time to furnishing it than to the business of his department. The committee of appropriations refused for a long time to make an appropriation to pay for the stuff that Mr. Brewster had put into his office, and it was not until he went to the capitol and said to the committee that if an appropriation were not made he would leave nothing but the bare walls for his successor, that the necessary amount was provided for.

Attorney General Garland doesn't know what to do with the fancy articles that fill every available space

about the room, and it is said that as soon as he can, without occasioning gossip and thereby hurt the ex-Attorney General's feelings, he intends to have much of the useless trunk packed up and sent to the lumber room in the loft. Attorney General Garland is a plain man, and he likes plain, substantial furniture. If he were compelled to dress in such fancy clothes as those which adorned Mr. Brewster's person and to ride in such a gorgeous carriage as that used by the ex-Attorney General in order to fill the office acceptably, he would resign doubtless at once. Mr. Brewster was known for his peculiarities in dress and for his liking for display. Mr. Garland will be known for his close application to the duties of his office and for his opinions bearing upon the administration of the affairs of the government.

Railway Register: In reading the English comments upon American railways one cannot help noticing the self-complacent nature of the remarks. "Such and such things may do in America," they say, "but not on this side of the Atlantic." This oleaginous sanctity would be more impressive if less were known of the financial history of England. From the days when London went wild over the South Sea bubble until now England has been the birth place of a majority of wild-cat stock jobbing schemes. Even the engineers swindling dodges, originating in America, go over to London to find sharpers to help them float their worthless obligations. Although British railways may be conservatively and honestly managed, London is the sure market for the financial rubbish of the world. The biggest case of railway mismanagement ever recorded in America is that of the Atlantic & Great Western, a property owned and managed in England.

Becher and the Cabinet. From a New York Letter. Rev. Mr. Becher is entirely satisfied with the Cabinet. "As to Mr. Manning," he says, "the very reason which induces most men to find fault with him makes me glad that he is to be one of Mr. Cleveland's constitutional advisers. He is used to studying deeps and shallows and currents and shoals of human nature. No one accuses him of not being honest and patriotic, and the President needs some man about him with the knowledge of the trained politician. It is true that managing politicians represent the machine, but it is also true that they bring with them the fresh breeze of popular wants. Mr. Whitney also is an excellent selection. Everybody knows Bayard. Not to know Bayard would be like not to have known Daniel Webster in the olden time. I never met any one who did not deem him thoroughly honest and able. I don't think he could ever be induced to sympathize with or countenance trickery. His moral tone is very high, and his sterling integrity and sincerity will have a purifying influence in the Cabinet. I like Lamar, because he is honest, and has proved himself able and wise in public councils; also, because he was born and bred in the South, and came out of the great conflict a man. I have no more doubt of his present patriotism than I have of my own. I know Mr. Vilas, too, and I like him. Because these men have not been engaged actively in public affairs, people say they are a raw team, and will need a great deal of breaking in. Well, even if they are a little raw, they are thoroughbred stock. Of Endicot and Garland, I also have a high opinion."

People's Agents Must be Watched. Harrisburg Patriot. But we, the people, must not go to sleep and trust the execution of our beneficent purpose to the officials whom we have chosen. That is not a safe course. They are entitled to our intelligent and organized support while they push forward on correct lines of principle and policy; and they will require stern rebuke from the democratic people should they depart from them. Eternal vigilance is the price of everything worth having in government. Let the people, therefore, embody themselves in Jeffersonian associations, study the principles of our matchless system of government—so easily perverted by Federalist misconstruction, and yet so perfect under the democratic interpretation of Federal functions—and stand ready to uphold the true and strike down the false among our officials. Here, for instance, is civil service reform, so called, about which there is amazing confusion of ideas and of tongues. Let the Jefferson associations look into this, and, having ascertained what kind of civil service reform Mr. Jefferson introduced when the democracy first came into power after the federalist spoils party of Hamilton, they will have found the genuine article. The rascals must go.

John Murry, of Henderson county, Texas, lost four children within 24 hours from some choleric complaint. They were all interred in one grave, holding their four coffins.

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E. T. LANE, WATER STREET, DEALER in Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, house-furnishing goods, building material; plumbing, tinning, etc.

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ON and after Sunday, November 2, 1884, Passenger Trains will leave and arrive as follows: NEW ORLEANS EXPRESS.

Leave Jacksonville daily at 7:40 a.m. Arrive at Jacksonville daily at 8:00 p.m. Arrive at Waycross daily at 10:00 a.m. Arrive at Thomasville daily at 1:00 p.m. Arrive at Chattahoochee daily at 3:30 p.m. Arrive at Pensacola daily at 6:00 p.m. Arrive at Mobile daily at 8:00 a.m. Arrive at New Orleans daily at 11:00 a.m. Arrive at Savannah daily at 12:00 p.m. Arrive at Charleston daily at 1:30 p.m. Connecting at Chattahoochee with Pensacola and Mobile for Pensacola, Mobile, New Orleans, Texas and all trans-Mississippi points. Passengers for Brunswick take this train, arriving at Brunswick via B. & W. Railway at 12:45 p.m.

Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars Waycross to Pensacola, Mobile and New Orleans.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE EXPRESS. Leave Jacksonville daily at 1:25 p.m. Arrive at Jacksonville daily at 12:30 p.m. Arrive at Callahan daily at 1:00 p.m. Arrive at Waycross daily at 3:00 p.m. Arrive at Jessup daily at 5:25 p.m. Arrive at Savannah daily at 7:30 p.m. Arrive at Charleston daily at 10:00 a.m. Arrive at Washington, D.C., daily at 11:00 a.m. Arrive at New York daily at 6:00 a.m. Pullman Buffet and Sleeping Cars Jacksonville to New York without change.

JACKSONVILLE EXPRESS. Leave Jacksonville daily at 7:00 p.m. Arrive at Jacksonville daily at 7:30 p.m. Arrive at Callahan daily at 8:00 p.m. Arrive at Waycross daily at 10:00 a.m. Arrive at Jessup daily at 12:30 p.m. Arrive at Macon daily at 2:00 p.m. Arrive at Atlanta daily at 4:00 p.m. Pullman Buffet and Sleeping Cars via Jessup, Jacksonville to Cincinnati, Columbus, and all points West and North. Atlantic and East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroads for all points West and Northwest.

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AN ORDINANCE. AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING CONFORMITY TO CITY SURVEYS AND PROVIDING CITY SURVEYORS TO FURNISH CERTIFICATE.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Palatka, Florida, as follows, to wit: SECTION 1. From and after the passage of this Ordinance, no person shall erect any person or persons to enclose any lot or erect any house or houses on any lot in said city beyond the boundaries of the lots on any street of said city as established by the survey of said city in extension of the City Council, or beyond the boundaries of their lots on any street, as hereafter fixed by a survey made under the order of the City Council of said city in extension of the City Council.

SECTION 2. Be it further Ordained, That this Ordinance shall not confer cases where fence or enclosure, or buildings are erected on any lot on any street, as hereafter fixed by a survey made under the order of the City Council of said city in extension of the City Council, or on which a building or buildings have been erected, beyond the boundary line on the street as established by city survey, was enclosed or said buildings erected previous to the passage of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. Be it further Ordained, That any person or persons violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be liable to have any such enclosure or buildings removed, by order of the Mayor of said City, and, further, fined in a sum not greater than Five Hundred Dollars, or imprisoned for not more than thirty days, at the discretion of the Mayor of said city.

SECTION 4. Be it further Ordained, That when any person or persons violate the provisions of this Ordinance, the said Mayor in the trial of such case shall add no evidence to the fact of the violation, but shall certify as to the survey from the City Surveyor, or evidence showing the loss of said certificate, or evidence that the lot enclosed, or on which a building or buildings have been erected, beyond the boundary line on the street as established by city survey, was enclosed or said buildings erected previous to the passage of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. Be it further Ordained, That the City Surveyor, on application of any party or parties for a survey of any lot, shall make the survey in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, fixing the boundaries of such lot or lots on all streets by which the same is bounded, and issue to the party or parties a certificate of such survey under his hand, charging the party or parties the sum of Five Dollars for such survey, and the sum of Five Dollars for each and every lot surveyed.

Passed February 11, 1885. J. H. MERRYDAY, President pro tem. Attest: LOUIS FALK, Clerk. Approved February 12th, 1885. A. V. MOUNT, Mayor.

FACTS VS FANCY. Facts are, that Harry Heath makes a specialty of difficult repairing of fine watches, jewelry, chronometers, and kinds of nautical, surgical, electrical and medical instruments, and understands all complicated mechanical combinations and how to repair them. As to fancy, the ladies fancy the way he finishes his jewelry repairs, which come out new every time, for his work always take it to Harry Heath, in the Calhoun block on Lemon street, Palatka, Fla.

Administrator's Notice. Six months from the date hereof I will apply to the County Judge of Putnam County, Florida, sitting in prolate, for my final discharge as administratrix of the estate of Charles V. Hutelins, late of said county, deceased. November 22, 1884. BESSIE A. HUTCHINS.

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