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prominent paper of 1844, which spoke of Henry Clay as a gambler, a libertine and a defamed and the outrages which were heaped upon him may be well guessed from Ma Clay's eulogy of his native state, Kentucky. He said: "When I seemed to be assailed by all the rest of the world, she interposed her

cities a man is put up for office he is made the target. The fact that he is up is prima facie evidence that he must be brought down. His public life and his private life are scrutinized, and all the electric lights are turned on. How often it is that men have gone down under such things. In every autumnal election the air is filled with carrion crows scenting carcasses, Cawl Cawl Cawl There are newspapers in the United States that in the great autumnal elections take wild license for liberty. They are filled with calumny. The editorial columns of such papers reek with it; their columns are stuffed with it. There are newspapers in the United States which in the great populer elections breakfast and ding was only was indecency. They wallow in it. Swine like the mire. They give more for one quill full of it than a whole hogshead of decent product. There are in these great autumnal elections men sitting in editorial chairs who write with a quill, not plucked from the stupid goose or the sublime eagle, but from a turkey buzzard! Ghouls! They tip the city sewer into their editorial inkstands. Defamation of character is one of the curses of the American ballot box today. In your great presidential elections who can tell from what he reads who is the man he ought to vote for! Bad men sometimes applauded, good men denounced.

Another powerful foe of the sacred chest, the ark of the American covenant, the ballot box, is the rowdy and drunken caucus. THE PART THE SALOON TAKES IN POLITICS.

The ballot box does not give any choice to a man when the nominations are made in the back part of a groggery. When the elector comes up he has to choose between two evils In some of the cities men have come to the ballot box to vote, and have found both names such a scaly, greasy and stenchful crew they had no choice. You say vote for somebody outside. Then they throw away their vote. Christian men of New York and Brooklyn, honorable men, patriotic men, go and take possession of the caucuses. First having saturated your pocket handkerchiefs with cologne or some other disinfectant, go down to the caucus and take possession of it in the name of the Lord God Almighty and the American people, though after you come back you should have to hang your hat and coat on a line in the back yard for ventilation.

In some of the states politics have got so low that the nominees no more need good morals than they do a bath tub. Snatch the ballot box from such men. Where is the David who will go forth and bring the ark of the covenant back from Kirjath-jearim? Do you not think politics have got to a pretty low ebb in our day when a Tweed could be sent to the legislature of New York, and a John Morrissey, the prince of gamblers, could be sent to the American congress?

Now, how are these things to be remedied? Some say by a property qualification. They say that after a man gets a certain amount, of property-a certain amount of real estate -he is financially interested in good government, and he becomes cautious and conservative. I reply, a property qualification would that off from the ballot box a great many of the best mon in this land. Literary men are almost always poor. A pen is a good implement to make the world better, but it is a very poor implement to get a livelihood ordinarily. I have known scores of literary men who never owned a foot of ground and never will own a foot of ground until they get under it. Professors of colleges, teachers of schools, editors of newspapers, ministers of religion, qualified in every possible way to vote, yet no worldly success. There has been many a man who has not had a house on earth who will have a mansion in heaven.

There are many who through accidents of fortune have come to great success while they are profound in their stupidity, as profound in their stupidity as a man of large fortune with whom I was crossing the ocean, who told me he was going to see the dykes of Scotland! When a member of my family asked a lady on her return from Europe if she had seen Mont Blanc, she replied: "Well, really, I don't know; is that in Europe?" Ignorance by the square foot. Property qualification will not do. The only way these evils will be eradicated will be by more thorough legal defense of the ballot box and a more thorough moralization and Christianization of the people. That ark of the covenant was carried into captivity to Kirjath-jearim, but one day the people hooked oxen to a cart, and they put this ark on the cart, and the cart was taken to Jerusalem-the ark the covenant coming with the shouting and thanksgiving of the people. And though the American ballot box, the ark of the American covenant, our sacred chest, has been carried again and again into captivity by frand and iniquity and spurious voting, believe it will be brought back yet by prayer and by Christian consecration, and will be set down in the midst of the temple of Christian patriotism. Whose responsibility

Yours and mine. A poor soldier went to a hair dresser in London. He wanted to get back to the army. He had overrun his furlough, and wanted some help to get back in quick transit. The money was given to the poor soldier, who said to the man who had offered the kindness: "I have nothing to give you in return but this little worn out receipt for making blacking." He gave it not thinking there was any value in it especially, and the man who took it did not suppose there was any special value in it; but it yielded the man who took it \$2,500,000, and was the foundation of one of the greatest estates in England. And that little vote, that insignificant vote which you take out of your pocket-insignificant in your sight and insignificant in the sight of others-may start an influence that will last all through the progress of this gov-

SOME CONCLUSIONS IN REGARD TO VOTING. I charge you then as American citizens to remember your responsibility on the first Tuesday of November. It will begin early, the snow storm of suffrages. It will snow all day-snow on until noon, snow on until night. The flakes will fall in every town and village and neighborhood, the white flakes, The octogenarian will come up, his hand trembling, and with spectacled eye he will scrutinize the vote and drop it and pass on. The young man who has been waiting for his time will come up and proudly and blushingly deposit his first vote and pass on. The capitalist will come up with bediamonded finger and the laborer with hard fist, and the other. Snow storm of suffrages, and then these white flakes will be gathered to-

will slide down in expression of the will of the people. Stand out of the way of it! In the awful sweep of this white avalanche let political fraud go down a thousand feet un-

ening night, but the stars sprinkled amid the bars of morning cloud. We are going to have one government. Mexico will follow Texas into the Union, and Christianity and civilization will stand side by side in the halls of the Montegumas. And if not in our day, then in the day of our children, Yucatan and Central America will come in dominion, while on the north Canada will be ours, not by conquest-oh, no, American and English swords may never clash blades-but we will woo our fair neighbor of the north, and then England will say to Canada: "You | 400 lbs. Canadian Yarn in all Colors. are old enough for the marriage day," and then, turning, will say: "Giant of the west, go take your bride," And then from Baffin's bay to the Caribbean there will be one govwith one destiny-a free, undisputed, Christianized American continent. God save the city of Brooklyn! God save the commonwealth of New York! God save the Union!

7,710,000,000 francs besides the "ordinary It is related of a Lincoln, Neb., man that

he journeyed to California in order to see an old enemy executed. Philadelphia is to have another industrial

school. The manual training system is very popular in that city. A crocodile tamer is the last king in the

animal subduing world. His name is Peronnet. He is a citizen of Giers, and he is going to take himself and his crocodiles to Paris for the coming season. It is computed that this year's corn crop, if loaded for railroad shipment, would fill

2 878,571 cars and make a train that would

around the world. Christianized Chinamen are becoming numerous enough in New York to make a new quarter for themselves near University place, and Mott street is being rapidly abandoned to the heathen.

An Atlanta book dealer keeps numerous | Boys' Wool Shirts and Drawers. files of local papers in order to supply the demand for back numbers. He finds it a lucrative business, too, oftentimes getting as much as \$5 for a single paper.

It is the fashion to cover flower pots with ornamental covers made of cretonne over cardboard. The cretoune is selected to look as much as possible like oriental china, and the observer pretends not to see the cloth.

Several German ladies enjoy a very good practice as dentists. Among the more successful is Fraulein von Domming, who was trained in Philadelphia, and now practices at Wiesbaden. Another, Fraulein von Oertzen, practices in London.

The supreme court of Utah has entered a final judgment dissolving the Mormon Church corporation and escheating the property to States, where it will be hotly contested. Prince Bismarck recently gave a fete to his

servants and tenants at Friedrichsruhe to celebrate the dispatch to Berlin of 5,000 telegraph poles cut in his forests. Bismarck has supplied Germany with 100,000 telegraph poles during the last ten years. A Nebraska man has organized a band con-

sisting of a concertina, a triangle, two drums, a pair of cymbals and a mouth organ. He plays the entire combination himself, and would make a mighty showy organization if he could only afford to hire a drum major.

The family of Admirable Dupont possesses a much prized heirloom in the form of a pearl breastpin. This pin has been worn by the brides of the family at their nuptials for over a century past. No one but a bride bearing the Dupont name is allowed to wear the pin. Good luck is believed to accompany the wearer.

L. Smith, of Valdosta, Ga., has a pair of brass spoon molds that were made four years before the revolution. They were first owned line to the present owner. The rule in the family has been for the youngest boy to get

Who Were the Skilled Builders?

One of the mysterious ruined cities of southern North America is that of San Guivera, near the western point of Texas. This was known to the early Spanish explorers, but being at present forty miles from water it has seldom been visited. A late surveying party found the ruins to be of gigantic and substantial stone buildings, one of which was four acres in extent. The indications point to the former existence of a dense population. To the southward is a stream of lava from one to ten miles wide and forty miles long, and the surrounding country is most arid and desclate. No inscription, no legend tells the tale of the great city or of its fate. -Arkansaw Traveler.

Case of a Young Moonshiner.

A curious case of moonshining was developed in the Federal district court here today when Bascom Johnson was placed on trial. He gave in his age as 17 and said he had been running an independent still for five years without the knowledge of his father. He explained that he used a powder can for a still, a coffee pot for the cap, and connected them together with a gun barrel, which served for a worm. He could mash a peck of meal at a time, from which he could get a pint and a half of whisky. He had for his customers all the boys of the neighborhood. The scene of his ingenuity was in Franklin county.-Atlanta Cor. Chicago Tribune.

Started by a Bugle.

The putting on a short time ago of the fast express between Edinburgh and London has revived memories of the old inhabitant nas to English railroading forty years ago, and one of these alleges that he can remember when the train for Edinburgh was started by a bugle playing "I'd be a butterfly." The passenger cars were as much like stage coaches as possible, the baggage was carried piled on top and the guards sat like drivers on top also. - Brooklyn Eagle. ..

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