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JOHN CLEMENTS,
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ONE would judge from the manner in which the hero of Arbor Springs Lodge breaks out about "Surveyor General rings" and "Job Stevenson," and all that sort of chaff, which his pet Grand Jury threshed out before his tearful eyes in the long ago, that the sensitive epidermis of our friend had been slightly pricked by somebody; but when that gentleman learns that neither the old nor the new regime of which he seems to live in mortal dread, have any influence or interest in the old HERALD he may feel easier. We throw this in by way of encouragement to our pugnacious friend, and for the reason that we don't want him to weary, or even pause, in his mission of clearing out the monopolies of the country. The HERALD is not a monopoly by any means, it is simply an humble witness by the way-side to testify of the great exploits of the sage of Arbor Springs, and others of his school, born to save the people from the law of the grasping monopolies of the age. Let us see, the last we heard was something about window glass!

DOUBTLESS the action of the supreme court of the United States, in declaring the civil rights bill unconstitutional, will bring down upon that tribunal much adverse criticism; more on account of the fact that this act of congress, along with many of the reconstruction acts, born of troublous times from which they sprang, was supposed to be of the things of the past, so far in the rear of the new era as to be seldom thought of, or remembered, by the fast going people of this country; supposed to be acquiesced in by all sections of the country and hence should not be disturbed. We notice the aged Frederick Douglass, whose great heart has bled for his downtrodden fellow man, with the black skin, through a long life of usefulness, despondingly dwells upon this decision, of the court of last resort, as a blow at his race. We, however, are not of that class who believe this decision will prove a blow to the colored race in any sense. The constitutionality of this measure was gravely doubted by many great legal minds, in both political parties, at the time of its enactment by congress. It was passed at a time when the bitter feelings between the people of the North and South was still at fever heat, and before society in that section of our American Union, which had for generations owned and controlled the colored man as a chattel and slave, had reconciled itself to the condition of affairs with slavery abolished, and their social status turned upside down by the ruthless hand of revolution; or as they termed it and looked upon it, by the power of conquest. Since that era a great change has unquestionably come over that section of the Union; prosperity with her golden wings, has been hovering over the South, manufacturing, trade, commerce, have sprung into existence in that section; a strong, toiling, prosperous people have taken the place of the old unprogressive s'avocacy of ante bellum days; and we are of the number that devoutly

believe that in these agencies, and these laws, rest the future prosperity of our country; rather than in any sort of legislation with tendencies towards social regulation among the classes.

The constitutional amendments, and legislation, defining the rights of the colored race prior to the enactment of the supplemental civil rights act, clearly establish the colored man's rights and status before the law; his social status, like that of every class, must and will be settled by other rules and laws than those enacted by our legislatures.

We do not believe that the determination of the illegality of this civil rights act, or law, will effect the status of the colored people one particle. That an ignorant prejudice yet exists in the minds of many people against the colored race is undoubtedly a fact; that it is fast dying out is also true; and that as time progresses and the races intermingle in trade and the other occupations of life it will gradually disappear, is naturally to be expected. Social matters must be regulated by communities, neighborhoods and individuals to suit themselves; hence we believe the time for the necessity of this legislation, which our supreme court says is beyond the scope of the constitution with its amendments, has passed.

THE CANADIAN SUCCESSION.

From the New York Tribune.

The Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise are receiving the farewell greetings of the Queen's Canadian subjects. Addresses of a complimentary nature have been read to them at Ottawa, Montreal and elsewhere; royal salutes have been fired and large crowds have gathered to speed them on their homeward journey. The popular enthusiasm, however, is lukewarm in comparison with the remarkable demonstrations which greeted them upon their arrival five years ago. It is natural that the leave taking should be less cordial and impressive than the welcome; but apart from the necessities of the case, it is evident that certain illusions which were entertained at the opening of the Marquis of Lorne's term of office have been dispelled, and that his true relations to the people of the Dominion are now more accurately discerned. At the outset his official station was overshadowed by his social distinction as the Queen's son-in-law. It was the presence of the illustrious lady by his side that gave significance to his appointment.

At the close of his term the Canadians are convinced that the attempt to stimulate the loyalty of the Provinces by the selection of the Princess Louise as Governor General has not been successful. It has been evident that the Princess has not enjoyed her stay in the Dominion, but has looked upon it as a period of exile, to be broken up by frequent journeys to England. The mimic court in the lumbermen's capital has been managed on principles of republican simplicity, and has left no social impression upon the public life of the Provinces. The Duke of Argyll's son is better liked now than he was when he came, but his relationship to the Queen has ceased to be regarded as a matter of political importance.

That Canadians have the practical instincts of Englishmen and Frenchmen colonists. They know that their future depends upon their own political genius rather than upon the character and services of the Imperial officials who temporarily represent the mother state. During the Marquis of Lorne's term of office a new economic system has been introduced, and the long series of deficits in the budgets of the Confederation have given place to a substantial surplus. There has been a marked improvement in their financial standing since the protective schedule was adopted. The credit is better in London; great works of internal improvement have been undertaken; and the stability of the Confederation has been promoted in many ways. The issues are of fundamental importance to the Canadian people, and their leisure is fully occupied with them and with reflections upon the tendencies of republican institutions across the border. The appointment of a new Governor General and the return of the Queen's son-in-law and daughter, dwindle into affairs of minor importance beside the political development and ultimate destiny of the Confederate Provinces.

AMPLE CROPS IN 1883.

From the New York Tribune.

The October report of the Agricultural Bureau is rather discouraging to those who have labored so hard to whittle down the crop of 1883 in order to push up the price. Only a week ago The Produce Exchange Weekly published elaborate calculations to prove that the wheat crop must be over 25,000,000 bushels less than the bureau estimate of September 1, but now comes the October report, embracing averages based on recorded results of threshing in the different States, and "stating that the final average of yields will not differ much from 11 3 bushels per acre. The aggregate will exceed 400,000,000 bushels, and may reach 420,000,000 bushels. The report of the 1 estimated a yield of 417,243,585, and the latest returns do not seem to warrant any material departure from that estimate.

Moreover, we have the detailed statement of injury to the corn crop by the frosts of September, which in the average years of 1882 reduced the yield to 1,200,000,000 or 1,300,000,000 bushels. The official return, after giving the averages of condition for the different States, says: "The product of the year will be close to 1,600,000,000 bushels," with more soft corn than "last year, mostly in regions that consume their entire crop." The largest crops ever grown were a little over 1,700,000,000 bushels; the crop of 1882

has been exceeded only twice, and the crop of 1882 has been exceeded only twice, and the crop of 1883 exceeds that by 4 per cent in acreage, but falls below it 3 per cent in condition. There can be no doubt, if these returns are correct, that the country has available, with its large surplus from last year, more wheat and more corn than it has ever yet been able to sell and consume in a single year.

The oat crop is altogether the largest ever grown, the bureau report making it about 500,000,000 bushels. The barley crop will average between one and two bushels to the acre more than that of last year, and will be nearly 50,000,000 bushels, also the largest ever grown. The potato crop is officially reported as in better condition than in any year since 1875, and the prospect is favorable for a large yield. It may be added, also, that the estimate yield of cotton is 4,000,000 bales, which, though less than the yield of last year, has been only twice exceeded.

With an abundant supply of all the great staples, this country ought presently to free itself from the embarrassments which attend business. The chief impediments to rapid recovery is the excessive speculation in products, which constantly interferes with their natural distribution and makes industry too dependent upon the result of gambling operations in a few chief cities.

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Philip B Dixon Defendant.

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October 19th, 1883. By R. B. Windham, Atty

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