

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

About the beginning of this century, while the revolution was raging...

My uncle, Sir George Trevor, was, as all the world knew, high in the administration...

"At the time I speak of, the chief clerk was an elderly man of the name of Parker...

"If you do, the game is up," I trust in fact, he would not be so much surprised...

"The morning Parker presented himself before my uncle with a visage pale with wear and trembling with excitement..."

"What are you doing?" said my uncle, and the letters were handed to the expert...

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FROM THE JOURNAL AND COURIER.

Yellow Fever—Its Nature and Ravages—A Graphic Description by One Who Has Seen it at Work.

WESTVILLE, Sept. 4, 1878. In view of the fearful epidemic now desolating the South, I think a sketch of the characteristics of the dread scourge may interest some of your readers...

Who are the victims?—Over 90 per cent of the population of the State, and the quality of the subscription to the paper is sufficient to show that the breadth and depth of the appreciation of this form of investment...

There need be no insult, for he will know nothing of it; neither will any one else. "I will permit it, sir."

"But," said Parker, whose official notes made him unwilling to break off the negotiations in this manner, "what pretense have you for doing this? Mr. Beaumont, and not to the other clerks?"

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A Lesson to Milk Dealers.

Surgeon General Woodworth, of the United States Marine and Hospital service, has called attention to a "wholesale lesson" given by a medical officer of health in Clifton, England, to a farmer whose pump had become the source of a typhoid fever epidemic...

How a street-collar won a suit—All things are fair, so it is generally thought, that a man should not be denied his rights...

The New Haven Register makes this savage attack upon the Labor Reform and its candidate for Congress, Judge Phelps, by advertising—

"For sale—dog cheap—A brand-new political dog in numbers, but perfectly innocent in platform. What it lacks in size it makes up in wind. Apply to A. Group, New Haven, Conn."

The terrible condition of affairs in Memphis is painfully illustrated in a recent issue of a newspaper printed in that city. We quote the opening paragraph:

"We are doomed. It is hard, as we write in our agony, to tell our fellow citizens that we are doomed. It is hard, as we write in our agony, to tell our fellow citizens that we are doomed..."

Charlotte Pitt is coming to her native land once more. The cost of the common wine of Cyprus is only two cents per gallon...

Spiders drop a line by every post. "My dear Charles—Although we had an accident with the carriage, and the accident was a very serious one, yet we are all well..."

The Man-who-was-not-afraid-of-yellow-fever has urgent business north, which will keep him at the springs until frost—New Orleans Times.

There was a meeting of the Hay Fever Association, at Bethlehem, N. H., the other day. This association now numbers two hundred members...

The New York Elevated Railroad are using second-hand engines, at least sixteen were used in New York...

It is said by those who know, that there are more private equippages and a finer display in horseflesh at Saratoga than ever before known...

The Scovill Manufacturing Company of Waterbury, having presented Brigadier-General Smith with a set of solid gold buttons for his services in the late war...

A farmer, speaking of the thinness of his hay crop, said, "The grasshoppers have all gone up trying to jump from one blade of grass to the next..."

Somebody has discovered that whenever the rain is out and holed in the tramp makes his appearance on the stubble and denudes the soil...

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Notice. I have hereby given to the people of this State notice that I have received from the State of New York a commission as Auditor of the State.

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FOR SALE. A House and Lot, in a healthy location on the First Street, between Cedar and Pine Streets.

The Silent Melody.

"Bring me to the Sinner's Path," said my uncle, "I have a letter from your mother, and she writes that she is very well."

"I cannot see its finished part, Scarce can my trembling fingers hold The pillars frame so long their own; It had some wrecks—awful age, We both are wrecks—long ago,"

"What a time Time too long has played! The solemn strain that knows no change, And where of old my fingers strayed The chords they find are new and strange— Yet strings—long ago, I know— We both are wrecks of long ago."

"We both are wrecks—a shattered pair— Strange to ourselves in Time's disguise What joy the lover's eye will find— That brought the tears from Marian's eyes? Ay! trust me—under-breath of now Hearts could be melted long ago!"

"Or will ye hear the storm-song's crash That from his dreams the soldier woke And bade him face the lightning flash? When battle's cloud in thunder broke? Wrecks—wrecks! but wrecks!—the time was when We two were worth a thousand men!"

"I clap thee! Ay... mine ancient lute— Nay, guide my wandering fingers... They love to daily with the wire As Isaac plied with Emma's hair 'Hush! ye shall hear the famous tale That Marian called The Breath of June'"

And so they softly gather round; Rapt in his hushed trancel he seems; His fingers move; but not a sound! A silence like the song of dreams "There! ye have heard the air," he cries, "That brought the tears from Marian's eyes!"

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