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FORGIVENESS OF OFFENSES.

FRANCIS... The Paris Conferences continue... as to their result we have of course only rumors...

The real difficulty of the French Empire is finance... For many years the expenditure has been several millions beyond the revenue...

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THE ARREST OF AN ENGLISHMAN IN PARIS.—The English embassy has had its share of excitement likewise, caused by the extraordinary behaviour of the police towards an English subject...

THE COMMISSION DES HOSPICES is preparing a very strong protest against the measure for the sale, either voluntary or forced, of the property belonging to charitable foundations...

The following appeal is addressed by the Unvers to the Siecle:—“We warmly exhort the Siecle to set aside its prejudices against the Ultramontanes, to join us in pleading before public opinion and government the cause of the poor man's property, menaced by a measure the immediate advantages of which are uncertain...

THE MEMORIAL D'AMIENS states that M.M. Courtiel and Hyenne, principals in the two duels with Mi de Pene, and M. Roge, second to these gentlemen, all three officers in the 9th Regiment of Chasseurs, in garrison at Abbeville, have been summoned by the Judge d'Instruction of Versailles to appear before him, and undergo an interrogatory.

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the Home-office for the use of the provincial press... I understand, couched in soothing and conciliatory terms. The answer to inquiries by telegraph as to the effect of the Circular was that the directors of the foundation in three important places, said to be Douai, Lille, and Troyes, had begun by resigning their functions.

The question of Algeria, which has occupied the Emperor's attention so long, is said to be now decided. The government of that dependency will be given to Prince Napoleon on the terms he has demanded, namely, full powers to administer it without being under the control of a Minister in Paris.

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THE UNIVERS contains the following remarks on the withdrawal of Lord Ebury's motion for a revival of the Liturgy:—

“The arguments which decided the fate of this motion may be summed up in a few words. A revival of the Liturgy would have produced division in the ranks of the clergy, and have proved to the world the little unanimity existing in the Legislature on the principal dogmas of Christianity. This confession is precious, since it proceeds from Anglican bishops or from persons enjoying great authority in their Church.

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SPANAIN.—The Times Madrid correspondent gives us the following trait of the O'Donnell, highly characteristic of his proud Irish blood.

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that of Lieutenant Vaurien. They cling to the superstition that blood is a detergent for insult, and that you can prove that you did not cheat at cards by proving that you can lunge in carte. So they permit their valuable citizens to be killed in duels by anybody who can get a small sword and a second.

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NECESSITY OF NOBILITY.—The immortal exclamation of one of Virginia's illustrious sons, “Give me liberty or give me death,” would not now find much favour in the old Dominion. The popular cry in that State now appears to be “Give me negroes or give me death.” The Richmond Whig publishes a long article, in which the argument is sustained that a white man in Virginia, unless he owns negroes, falls at once into the degraded position of a vagabond, and becomes, in fact, a nigger in everything but complexion. To avert the possible calamity of the whole white race becoming extinct in that State, the Whig proposes that the State shall endow every slaveless white man with a negro, at the public expense, to save him from becoming a pauper and a vagabond.

Need we recapitulate the long, black list of crimes—unpunished crimes—that have been committed during the past three or four years? Need we open the grave to point to the victims of assassination? Need we bid the tears of the children of murdered citizens to start anew? Need we revive the memory of the days when brutal, bloody terror flourished over us? Shall we call the roll of the honorable men of high standing who have been assaulted while in the act of exercising the high and sacred right of suffrage? Our readers would not thank us for drawing again in detail this damnable, bloody record of crime in New Orleans. We know it is fresh in their memory. We know that the fanatic yells of rascal mobs still echo in their ears. We know that they have not forgotten the murders of 1855, '56 and '57. We are aware that they know in person or by name the villains that have robbed, beaten, assaulted or murdered the citizens of New Orleans. They know by whom, when, and for what, the reign of Thug terror was established. They know its origin, they know its cause, they know its abettors and its chief actors. But all efforts to punish such crimes have heretofore been thwarted. Association, cunning, fraud, terror, partisanship, private pledges, or something else, has always interposed to shelter scoundrels from the averring hand of the law. How long must our fair city continue to groan under this load of unpunished crime? Is a repetition of all these outrages to be invited by a refusal to punish well known assassins? We have much faith in reaction. The cup is often filled to the brim before it is dashed aside. There is a time when forbearance ceases to be a virtue; when will that time come for the citizens of New Orleans? The skirts of the metropolis of the South and the Queen of the Mississippi Valley are red with the blood of her children; when will she vindicate her fair name by dealing just punishment to the guilty?—Louisiana Courier, May 27.

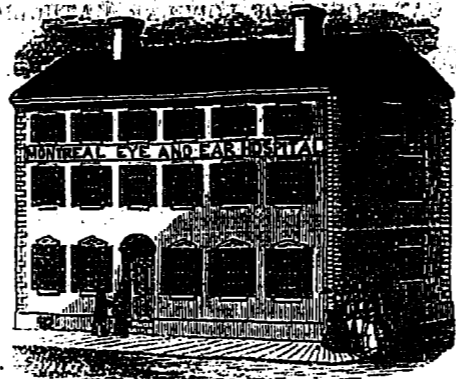
PRESBYTERIANISM ON MARRIAGE.—The Presbyterians are once more afforded an illustration of what happens to people who undertake to interpret the Bible according to their own caprices, and make its interpretation the rule of their religion.

MUNICIPAL REVOLUTION IN NEW ORLEANS.—For a long time this city has been the prey of pickpockets, assassins, and other desperadoes, inasmuch as that after nightfall a man was never safe in walking the streets alone, and every one was compelled to go well armed for self-protection. These enemies of morality and civil order were so numerous as to hold a balance at elections, by means of which they would succeed in placing in office those from whom they had reason to expect impunity for any crimes they might commit; and consequently criminal law in New Orleans has, to a great extent, been a farce.

In a very short time, according to the reports from Quebec, we may expect such an arrival from the shores of America as no Englishman has ever yet seen. The spectacle will consist of a new Regiment of the Line, imported whole and entire from the other side of the Atlantic. In succession to the 99th, now the last regiment on the list, it will be numbered the 100th Regiment of Foot, but it will be dignified also with a Royal title, and will be inscribed in full as “The Prince of Wales's Royal Canadian Regiment,” under which designation it will form part and parcel of the regular infantry of the army. As we are informed, the corps is already nearly complete, and its appearance in England may be anticipated within a few weeks.

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