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Advertisements making less than a square...

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Refuge of Oppression.

From the New York Observer.

EARL SHAPTESBURY'S LETTER.

THE WIVES OF ENGLAND TO THE WOMEN OF AMERICA.

THE WIFE OF SHREFFSBURY HAS A LETTER IN THE LONDON FLAME, IN WHICH HE SAYS:

I request you to insert in your paper this letter...

THE MISERABLE POOR OF ENGLAND AND IRELAND.

Common origin, a common faith, and a common cause...

We do not shut our eyes to the difficulties, nay, the dangers...

And the speculations of debased humanity that have been...

From the Boston Morning Post.

APPEAL TO THE PHILANTHROPIST!

FROM BOSTON TO BOSTON!

MILLARD FILLMORE.

When Millard Fillmore is forgotten by the American people...



THE LIBERATOR.

BOSTON, MASS., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1852.

NO UNION WITH SLAVEHOLDERS!

Yes! it cannot be denied—the slaveholding lords of the South...

Selections.

From the Boston Traveller.

THE EMPIRE OF HAITI.

ITS CLAIMS TO THE FAVORABLE NOTICE OF AMERICANS.

FROM THE BOSTON TRAVELLER.

MESSES. EDITORS:—In accordance with your kind invitation...

THE next seat of the carriage or the same with him...

And now, the Theatre is open, where it has long been actually before...

THE DISCUSSION.

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From the New York Evening Post.

A DIFFERENCE, AND THE CAUSE OF IT.

A Virginia paper, discussing the industrial prospects of the Southern States...

For a long time after the organization of our government...

It is not our purpose, even if we had the ability to do so...

THE 'PREACHER' ABROAD.

A late number of the New Orleans Pioneeer contains the following advertisement...

THE CHURCH TERMAGANT.

We have read lately, more in sorrow than in anger, a sermon on Rev. Theodore Parker and Reform...

THE CHURCH TERMAGANT.

We have no quarrel with any man for admiring Mr. Parker...

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NEW ANTI-SLAVERY MOVEMENT.

A remarkable movement has been commenced in England...

The address was read by the Duchess of Sutherland...

The Affectionate and Christian Address of many Thousands of the Women of England...

A common origin, a common faith, and we sincerely believe...

We will not dwell on the ordinary topics, on the progress of civilization...

BRITISH ANTI-SLAVERY ADVOCATE.

We have read with increased satisfaction the second number of this publication...

There are many reasons why this address should be presented rather by the women than by the men...

ANTI-SLAVERY AGITATION.

The political agitation of the country is over for the present...

Our readers will doubtless observe with much pleasure the interest manifested by the Earl of Shaftesbury...

The Boston Bazaar.—The interest which this instrumentality for promoting the Anti-Slavery cause has long excited in this country...

THE DEATH OF DANIEL WEBSTER.

This distinguished orator and senator, by common consent the most eminent and highly gifted man in America...

The Rev Mr. Alden, the parish minister, having read an appropriate passage from Scripture...

These gross mis-statements are going the round of English papers, and excite neither surprise nor disgust...

Mr. Giddings—I spoke of the manufacturers of slaves, and not of slavery—it is the manufacturer of slaves alone...

THE TARIFF-DEBATE IN CONGRESS.

Mr. Millson (Va.) expressed his views on the tariff, contending that the abolition of duties on raw materials...

Mr. Giddings (Ohio) remarked, it had been well said in a Whig paper, that protection is growing more and more inimic...

Mr. Johnson (Tennessee) inquired whether the gentleman who had said that one species of labor only was protected...

Mr. Jones (Pennsylvania) inquired whether he understood the gentleman to say that the Democrats sanctioned and sustained the Christiana riots?

NO UNION WITH SLAVEHOLDERS!

BOSTON, DEC. 24, 1852.

VISIT TO PENNSYLVANIA.

The contrast between an anniversary meeting of the Pennsylvania Anti-Slavery Society and one of the Massachusetts A. S. Society is somewhat striking...

How shall recruits be secured for 1856, or for any and all times? Of course, the free soil press will do its duty...

Free lectures and free documents, in our judgment, are mainly to be relied upon in this warfare.

In order that this may be done, the elect and faithful must sustain the lecturers by liberal contributions.

The anniversary of the Pennsylvania Society is held in the interior, (and wisely, for that reason.)

no sign of hurry or bustle in coming together, or in the proceedings, but every step is taken methodically...

We wish the Pennsylvania Society contained a larger infusion of anti-slavery Presbyterianism, Congregationalism, Methodism, &c. &c.

On the score of hospitality, our Quaker friends are unapproachable: and it is proffered with such evident pleasure and whole-heartedness...

From West Chester, we accompanied our beloved friends JOHN and HANNAH COX, (among the truest of the true in the anti-slavery ranks.)

During our stay at Kennett, we attended two sessions of a quarterly meeting of Friends, held at the "Squares," and were invited to participate in the proceedings...

Did he foresee or mould the future, who was never John the Baptist, but always Caiaphas, with timid counsel that man—ever some bearer of a new gospel—should die, lest the whole nation perish?

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DANIEL WEBSTER.

DANIEL WEBSTER is dead. If the Fugitive Slave Law could have died with him, he would indeed have slept in blessings.

We have nothing to do with him here as a Jurist or an orator; nothing with his private character. Were we to pause a moment at that saddest of all sad sights, his death-bed, it would be only to remark the pitiful flattery with which it has been described and dwelt on...

The two Whig Chiefs have gone, and we find we have had Oberlin and Faneuil grinding in the mill of the Cabinet and the Senate House, and never knew it! Strange that he, one of the great trio, whose public and private life would best bear the closest scrutiny...

Perhaps it does not concern us here whether he was a great man. The slightest analysis, however, of most that has been said of him, even by those who begin by emphatically pronouncing him great, will show how utterly unworthy he was of the epithet.

It is acknowledged by most that his life was, as a whole, a failure—that he failed to impress any great or original idea upon his times; that he not only failed to carry any great measure, but never conceived or originated one; that he so far mistook either himself or his times, that of most national questions, he has stood, at different periods, on both sides, and that his last opinion was always the erroneous and the losing one.

He talked against slavery constantly up to 1850, but never exerted a title of anti-slavery influence, or stirred one heart against the system. Giving the lie, in that disastrous year, to all his empty rhetoric, this great light in falling drew not after it one of heaven's hoar.

If the elephant turned from the van, he neither carried any way with him, nor crushed any in his retreat. Kidnappers at heart, who would have been silent, though not converted, had he spoken for Liberty, may have given him thanks when he descended to lead their ranks.

These men had elaborated for him a policy, prepared for him a public, created for him a North, built for him and showed him a way, and asked of him only the easy virtue of walking in it.

The two years that followed this change are allowed, on all hands, to have been the most laborious, active, and able of his whole career. Tried by the tone of the public press, or by any other test, his influence was as great as ever; and this so-called great man talked every day and everywhere, wrote to every body, and on all occasions; his vigor of thought, his energy, were marvellous; instead of seventy years, it seemed the May of youth and bloom of lustiness.

Yet what did he effect? Horace Mann, whose humblest friends Mr. Webster sought to persecute with the pettiest malignity, was re-elected by increased majorities. A Free Soil Senator succeeded to his own chair; Massachusetts recoiled from the party that had owned her for fifty years; Syracuse laughed him to special scorn; no single vote, south of Mason and Dixon's line, could be begged to do him even the honor of a nomination; while, for political adherents, he fell into hands which have linked his name only with ridicule.

What is greatness in statesmanship? It is, in one form, by instinctive sympathy or pre-eminence of talent, to understand and guide your own times; in another form, it is to outrun your own age, and mould the future. Had Webster either of these? Did he understand or guide his own age, who was always only first among the leggards; whose friends boast for him, as proof of "practical statesmanship," that he so often sacrificed his convictions to popular opinion; and yet who, strangely awkward, always contrived to make the sacrifice just when the people were coming round to his own opinion.

Did he foresee or mould the future, who was never John the Baptist, but always Caiaphas, with timid counsel that man—ever some bearer of a new gospel—should die, lest the whole nation perish? who dropped from the revised edition of his works his best anti-slavery speeches, at the very moment when looming on the horizon was that great movement against slavery, so momentous that before it all American history since the Revolution is destined to pale and fade away?

To be a great American, one must have a glad, sublime, and fearless faith in the people, in the safety of trusting them with their own Government and Institutions. None of Mr. Webster's speeches are hopeful, but of late years he seems to have had no faith at all.

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FREE SOIL SOMETIMES HARD SOIL.

It has been my fortune this week to lecture in the hall of Free Soilers in Millbury and Grafton, where the Free Democrats outnumber the other parties...

THE COLORED PEOPLE IN CANADA—DO THEY NEED HELP?

Mr. Garrison—From your kindness to myself while in Boston, as well as from your interest in the fugitives in Canada, I am persuaded you will give me a hearing in your behalf...

and had an audience all told of twenty-five, and got a collection of fifty cents, which came within four dollars of paying expenses. To-day it stormed, and the prospect of increasing expenses to no purpose induced me to come home, where I shall enjoy a brief hour of the truest rest earth knows...

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of the Constitution.—The Society shall give deeds to none but landless refugees from American slavery. The presence of this article is the source of opposition from the free colored people...

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Death of Dr. W. F. Garove.—Many of the Christian reformers and philanthropists of this country are familiar with the name and character of Dr. Garove...

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ANTI-SLAVERY BAZAAR.

The National Anti-Slavery Bazaar was opened on the morning of WEDNESDAY, the 22d of December, at 10 o'clock, in HORTICULTURAL HALL, School street...

AN EDITION FOR THE MILLION.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN FOR 37 1/2 CTS. Now offered to the repeated and earnest solicitations of numerous friends of humanity...

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

Mrs. MARY BROWN, in Dutton Place, 13 South street, needs employment. She is an intelligent and capable woman...

THE PROPHECY.

By the old Colored Bard. 'Hush as the truth,' we're bound to cry on, Despite the cool advice of Iox...

THE FREE DEMOCRATIC VOTE.

Annexed is the Free Democratic Vote in the United States, at the recent Presidential election, as near as it can now be ascertained...

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