

**SUFFRAGE TRACTS.**

**APPEAL FOR IMPARTIAL SUFFRAGE.** By a Lawyer of Illinois. In "THE REVOLUTION" of two weeks ago we gave a favorable but well deserved notice of a pamphlet with the above title. A few copies are now on our shelves for sale. Price, single copy, thirty cents.

Also may be had at our office : **THE MORTALITY OF NATIONS.** By Parker Pillsbury.

**WOMAN AND HER WISHES.** By Thomas Wentworth Higginson.

**RESPONSIBILITIES OF WOMAN.** By Mrs. Nichols, now of Kansas. Single copies of these three ten cents.

Also, **REPORT OF THE LAST MEETING OF THE AMERICAN EQUAL RIGHTS ASSOCIATION,** containing speeches by Mrs. Mott, Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Gage, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Sojourner Truth, Henry Ward Beecher, and many others. Price twenty-five cents.

**WOMEN AS CLERES IN WASHINGTON.**—Readers are cautioned not to overlook our Washington letter by Mrs. Holmes. Her facts are gathered with much labor and given with equal caution. The closing paragraph alone must send blushes of shame over every American cheek not already bronzed into insensibility.

**PRIZE FIGHTS—GOOD FOR OHIO.**

EVERY state in the Union and out of the Union should imitate Ohio, unless it has preceded it with a statute similar to or severer than the following, just passed by the House of Representatives of that state :

Sec. 1. That if any person actually engage as a principal in any premeditated fight or contention, commonly called a prize fight, every person so offending shall, on conviction, be imprisoned in the Penitentiary and kept at hard labor not less than one year, nor more than ten years, and pay the costs of prosecution.

Sec. 2. That if any person shall engage, be concerned in, or attend any such fight or contention as described in the first section of this act, as backer, trainer, second, umpire, assistant or reporter, such person shall, on conviction, be fined in any sum not less than fifty dollars, and imprisoned in the jail of the county not less than ten days, nor more than three months, and pay the costs of prosecution.

**ALL HAIL THE HORSES!**

**REV. MR. BEECHER,** it is said, has a heaven in store for horses in future worlds. We hope he is right about it. The French, however, insist on eating their fellow-immortals, and New York, it is said, is proposing similar sacraments. But every intelligent horse would be glad to know that the society in this city for preventing cruelty to animals still exists, with the excellent and humane Mr. Bergh at its head, as witness his card below :

New York, Tuesday, March 17, 1868.

To the Editor of the New York Times :

I have seen in your edition of yesterday an article copied from the *Round Table*, intimating that the undersigned, discouraged in his efforts to carry out the merciful purposes of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, was about to resign his office.

This is an error which I hasten to correct, as I have not the remotest intention of so doing, even under the most adverse circumstances, and certainly not in view of all the successes which are rewarding the labors of the Society, here and elsewhere, through our humane example. I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

**HENRY BENSON,** President.

**FANNY JANAUSCHEK** has cleared \$7,000 in twelve performances out West.

**LITERARY.**

Messrs. Moorhead, Simpson, & Bond, 60 Duane street, have laid on our desk the following books, in addition to Notices in last "REVOLUTION" :

A Treatise on Emotional Disorders of the Sympathetic System of Nerves ; by William Murray, M.D., M. R. C. P. London. Second American edition.

Chronic Alcoholic Intoxication, with an Inquiry into the Influence of the Abuse of Alcohol as a Predisposing Cause of Disease. By W. Marcy, M.D., F. R. S., Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, London, and Assistant Surgeon to the Westminster Hospital. First American can, from the second English edition.

Father Tom and the Pope ; or, a Night in the Vatican. An Irish theological controversial book of infinite wit, brogue, ancient Irishisms, modern bulls and blunders. Republished from *Blackwood*, where it appeared many years since, and was attributed at the time among others to Lord Brougham, and to the Duke of Wellington, who, it was claimed, "understood the Irish vernacular to a dot."

Life Among the Mormons, and a March to their Zion. By an officer of the U. S. Army. Dedicated to Rev. John P. Newman, D.D.

Slave Songs of the United States. Set to Music. With a very interesting introductory essay on the origin of the slaves' songs, tunes, and other peculiarities, with directions for singing.

All these books are handsomely got up, bound in cloth, and may be had as above.

Of the first named, on Emotional Disorders, Dr. Murray says :

"Seeing that it is this class of disorders which supplies the charlatan with fit patients to work upon, and that their gloomy fears give him ample scope for the most exaggerated statements, and for the use of treatment which too often only protracts suffering, it is hoped that an exposition of their ailments will protect these sufferers from imposition, and direct them to a rational source of relief."

But "THE REVOLUTION" must protest against much of the treatment of Dr. Murray. No worse emotional diseases exist than those caused by alcoholic stimulants and tobacco, and to prescribe these as remedies so freely as does this treatise shocks all our common sense. It is time such remedies, especially for this class of diseases, were banished from the abodes of men. But we like the book well till it reaches the remedial chapters ; and admire the purpose and spirit of the author throughout.

The work on Chronic Alcoholic Intoxication, by Dr. Marcy, is a warning ; and so is, in some sense, a suitable accompaniment to Dr. Murray. Both works properly belong to the medical profession, among whom differences are known to exist on the uses and abuses of stimulants, wide as the poles.

The March to Mormondom is a right readable book, letting daylight into many of its dens of darkness and uncleanness. But we may extend our remarks too far.

The April number of the *Phrenological Journal* is fresh, racy, vigorous. Among the portraits and characters are, Adelina Patti; Isaac Jennings, M.D.; Allen A. Griffith, the Western Elocutionist; Charles I. of England; King and Queen of Greece; Revs. M. J. Raphael, S. M. Isaacs, Isaac Lesser, A. De Sola, Dr. Adler, Dr. Illovy, and six other prominent Jewish Divines ; Articles and Sketches on Phantasmagoria—Association of Ideas in Memory ; Who shall be Chief? or, Mrs. E. O. Smith on "The Family;" The Pipe and its Story ; Irordinate Affection, by Rev. G. J. Geer, D.D.; Dissipation—Disease ; Our Congressmen, etc. Price, only 30 cents a number, or \$3 a year. Address S. R. Wells, 389 Broadway, New York.

We are indebted to our excellent friend, Andrew Jackson Davis, for two beautiful volumes of his published works, but do not know how properly to notice them. One is entitled : A Stellar Key to the Summer Land. Illustrated with Diagrams and Engravings of Celestial Scenery. The other *Arabula* ; or the Divine Guest. Containing a New Selection of Gospels. The former contains about two hundred pages, the latter four hundred. Both published by William White & Co., 158 Washington street, Boston. New York : *Banner of Light* office, 644 Broadway.

Believers in the Spiritual philosophy must greet these works as valuable additions to their standard if not sacred literature. The Gospels contain excellent selections out of the writings of saints and sages, from the Vedas, Zend Avesta, Menu and Confucius to St. John (G. Whitaker), St. Theodore Parker, and many others.

The Stellar Key reveals suns and systems beyond the thought of Kepler or Newton, the discoveries of Herschell or Lord Rosse ; glories which eye hath not seen, unaided by added inspirations, "like other suns, risen on mid noon," but glories already possessed and enjoyed by myriads unnumbered and unknown, and awaiting all the loving and true while the generations succeed each other.

**RECONSTRUCTION AS IT IS.**

TEENNESSEE is in the Union. The other rebel states are not. And yet it is doubtful whether any one of those ten, presents such a pandemonium of chaos, horror and misrule as does Tennessee. Let the republican party carry out its present plan of reconstruction, and bring the states all in, and should they prove like her, they would go the way of Sodom and Gomorrah by spontaneous combustion, if not by fire and brimstone from heaven. A party that could bow down to Brownlow, worship Andrew Johnson with presidential honors and accept such loyalty as Tennessee proffered and now presents, must have travelled, read history and studied philosophy to frightfully little purpose.

**WOMEN AS POLICE.**—It is often asked would you make women police officers? It has already been done. A society, at least of women exists in this country, for the discovery of crimes, conspiracies and such things. The chief of this band was Mrs. Kate Warn, a native of this state, who lately died in Chicago. She was engaged in this business, fifteen years ago, by Mr. Pinkerton, of the National Police Agency. She did good service for many years in watching, waylaying, exploring and detecting, especially on the critical occasion of President Lincoln's journey to Washington in 1861. In 1865 she was sent to New Orleans, as head of the Female Police Department there.

**UNTORED.**—The Supreme Court of Windsor county, Vermont, at the February term, divorced twenty-one out of twenty-five pairs that applied for that remedy to insupportable ills. In delivering the judgment in one case Judge Bartlett remarked : my associates think from the evidence a divorce ought to be granted, and I think so too, from what I know of the parties. I do not think they ought to be yoked up together any longer, more than any other cattle.

**THE GOOD WORK ONWARD.**—The Boston *Journal* says it is feared the Universalists of Weymouth, Mass., may lose their beloved pastor, Rev. Olympia Brown, as she has been offered \$1,000, over and above all expenses, to devote the next year to lecturing upon the enfranchisement of women. Senator Pomeroy pronounces her as good a stump speaker as he ever heard, either man or woman, and better than any woman he ever heard. She has done a good work in Weymouth, and proved that a woman can be successful as a minister.

**A CONVERT.**—It was doubted that the New York *Herald*, had experienced religion. But it now says the only practical support the democrats of Connecticut had last year from the newspaper press was that furnished by the *Herald*; and it adds, this shows that a sentiment of morality, piety and probity is deep-rooted among the people, which is the foundation stone of society, and upon which is based everything that is good in our institutions!