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In speaking of nullifiers, I mean the party which calls itself anti-Benton. I have no objection to their writing that name. It implies nothing against them; for, if elected to both the State and National Legislatures, they would be well for him to ponder.

Arise for the day is passing. Rise up for the day is passing. Your brethren are cast in armor. And forth to fight are gone.

Four places in the ranks would you. Each man has a part to play. The past and the future is nothing. In the face of the stern to-day.

Arise from your dream of the future. We gather for the hour of truth. Of storming the airy fortress. Of bidding the giant yield.

You future of the day is passing. O' God, (God grant it may). But your arm is never stronger. As the past is never sadder.

Arise! If the past never returns. Her sunshine and storm forgo. No chains so unworthy to hold you.

As these of a vain reality. Sad or bright, she is lifeless ever. Cast her phantom arms away!

No look back, have you the lesson. Of a nobler life to-day. Arise! for the hour is passing.

The sound that you dimly hear, Is your enemy marching to battle. And from dream of a coming battle, You will waken and find it past.

Stay not to brighten your weapons. Or the hour will strike at last. And from dream of a coming battle, You will waken and find it past.

POLITICAL REMINISCENCE. There was one politician of much prominence in this country; able, true, and trusted by his party.

Through ambition and ungoverned passions he fell; but like some classic temple, he long remained majestic in his ruins.

He traveled, however, the downward road until he came to the bottom, and is now followed by the Democracy. It results from course we mean Thomas H. Benton.

Of wish his Sun had had a nobler setting. We copy his letter to his friends in Missouri, a few days before the election in which he was defeated.

It is characteristic of the man in his last days, and will interest the reader to the Democratic voters of St. Louis.

Crizes. With thanks for its strength and unanimity, which you have given me in the primary election, as your candidate for Congress.

It comes from the people, and vindicates their right to select, as well as to elect their own candidates.

The harmony and success which had attended this first effort at the primary election system proves its excellence, and I trust will be uniformly followed by the Democracy.

It results from first principles, and is found to be as easy of practice as it is just and beautiful in theory.

I am also gratified to see that there are three tickets in the field at St. Louis, both for Congress and all the county elections.

One for the Whigs, and one for the Nullifiers. It is the right way. The three parties exist, and principle will play no part in hand in this election.

It is the first time, therefore, in any quarter of the world, that we are aware of. This will render it necessary to begin early upon the new crop.

Every farmer knows the effect of his procedure. If he has to go into his corn field in October before gathering time comes, to supply the deficiencies of the old crop, he will be very apt to be hard run.

As to the product of the last harvest in this country, while in some districts the yield has been small and the quality inferior, in others, it has been abundant and good.

We therefore assume that it is an average crop and will justify the exportation of many millions of bushels.

As to Europe, according to the representations of the agents, they are correct, the crops in Spain, Italy, and in most if not all of Germany are very fine.

From France the accounts are not so satisfactory. The papers agree that throughout the month of June, when the wheat was in bloom, the rains fell in torrents, plus torrennelles as the French say.

The wheat was nevertheless indolged, but no serious injury had been done. But the nature of wheat in France is very different from what it is here, France being very fertile in wheat.

Great damage must have been the result. We know that heavy rains in May, when our wheat is in bloom, are invariably followed by a crop deficient in quality and quantity.

We infer from this circumstance that France, if she makes enough for domestic consumption, cannot be the case now, if the wheat continues. As already stated, it is probable the Danubian countries will scarcely produce enough for its own consumption; and Russia will not permit the export of any wheat from her territories to feed her enemies.







WHY BLESS HER, LET HER GO. Some time ago I fell in love with pretty Mary Jane. And I did love her as I should love her back again. Alas my hopes, a dawning bright, were all at once quenched by her saying she was a chap I don't know where, and fell in love with him!

Table with columns for months (January to December) and days (1 to 31), used for a calendar or accounting purposes.

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A GOOD HIT FOR A YOUTH. An old chap in Connecticut, who was one of the most niggardly men known in that part of the country, carried on the blacksmithing business very extensively, and as generally the case in that State boarded all his own hands, and to show how he despised the men who they ate, he would have a bowl of bean soup dished up for himself to cook, while that of the hands was set before them boiling hot. One of the boys was rather unlicky among the hot-irons frequently burning his fingers. The old man scolded him severely one day, for being so careless.

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