

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO IN TENNESSEE.

It is not a generally known historical fact that from 1774 to 1784 the territory now known as Tennessee formed a part of North Carolina, and that in 1785 the Tennesseans, becoming dissatisfied with their government, organized a state government under the name of "Franklin," which was maintained for some years. The state organized afterward disbanded, and Tennessee was again annexed to North Carolina. The following is among the laws passed by the legislature of the state of Franklin. We copy it as found in a speech by Daniel Webster on the currency of 1838:

Be it enacted by the general assembly of the state of Franklin, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from the first day of January, 1789, the salaries of the officers of this commonwealth be as follows:

His excellency, the governor per annum 1000 deer skins,

His honor, the chief justice, per annum, 500 deer skins.

The secretary to his excellency, the governor, 500 raccoon skins.

The treasurer of state, 450 raccoon skins. Each county clerk, 300 beaver skins.

Clerk of house of commons, 200 raccoon skins.

Members of the assembly, per diem, three raccoon skins.

Justices fees for signing a warrant, one muskrat skin.

To the constable for serving a warrant, one mink skin.

Enacted into the law the 18th day of October, 1789, under the great seal of the state.

BAD MANNERS OF HUSBANDS.

A friend was spending the day with me the other day, and while she was here our pastor called. After he left the friend said: "Did you ever notice with what respect Mr. Conrad speaks of his wife and how courteously he treats her at all times?" I nodded assent, and my friend went on: "I suppose my husband is as good a man as ever lived, but his mother did not train him to be courteous to ladies. His sisters were his slaves, and thereby he is spoiled as a husband. I wish I could train several hundred boys to be husbands for the next generation. Do you suppose they'd consider it their prerogative to drive the girls out of the easiest chair, take the sunniest corner of the room, the best place by the light, throw books, papers or slippers down for some one to put away, and grow up with the idea that a wife must be the valet and the rest of the household stand respectfully by to obey orders? You smile, but this is anything but a subject to laugh over.

"I really believe husbands never think how their unkind ways hurt. They don't realize the difference to us—for instance, in their manner when they come to dinner. All day the wife has been alone with the children and servants, and is more hungry for a kind word from her husband than an epicurean feast. He comes in just as the dinner bell rings. 'For a wonder dinner is once ready on time,' the husband says. 'Couldn't he have saved the heart stab by saying, 'That's a pleasant sound to a hungry fellow,' and what hinders him from adding, what would be milk and honey to a weary soul all the rest of the day—say, all the rest of her life—'You are a good wife, Cornelia.' And if dinner is not quite ready why need he say, 'Of course not; never is.' In working mottoes for the home, why hasn't some one taken Wesley's remark: 'I'd as soon Swear as Fret,' instead of hanging up 'I Need Thee Every Hour.'

"When I think I have a hard time I just think of the women who have no servants, but who themselves care for the children, wash, iron, cook, mend, churn, milk, carry wood and water, all for less than an Irish servant girl's wages. Of course men appreciate their wives, of course they do, but they keep their polite manners and courteous way for—other men's wives. One time James thanked me for giving him room beside me at a concert, and then sort of apologized for being polite by saying he thought it was my sister Mary."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

We referred recently to the right of the State of Texas to dissolve into several states without consulting the Federal Government except to demand admission for such new states. This statement having been questioned, we beg to quote from the Act of Annexation:

"New States of convenient size, not exceeding four in number, in addition to said State of Texas, and having sufficient population, may hereafter, by the consent of said State, be formed out of the territory thereof, which shall be entitled to admission under the provisions of the Federal Constitution."

Here, then, is the authority for making five states where there is one, and getting ten Senators where now are two. Texas is as large as all the original thirteen colonies, leaving out North Carolina. In the Electoral College of 1892 she will have twenty-four votes, and in ten years more will cast the heaviest electoral vote of any state in

will amount to \$80,000,000 and her Democratic majority is 163,000. It must be said for her that she is the most American of any state in the Union, and is likely to remain so, for she attracts American rather than foreign immigration.—S. F. Alta.

A dispatch from Chicago says: In spite of the confident assertions of the Republican organs that Gen. Palmer's defection would have no effect upon the Grand Army, news of other Democrats following his example come in every day or two. Yesterday Col. J. B. Nulton, Anthony Connolle, A. H. Doughty and Dr. Eherie Wilson, of Carrolton, who have been among the most prominent Grand Army men in the interior of the State, sent in their resignations. They are Democrats and say they cannot stand the Republican proclivities of the order.

A dispatch from the south says that colored farm tenants in various parts of South Carolina have become imbued with the idea that they will not be required to pay their rents now that General Harrison has been elected President.

Hotel Arrivals.

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ST. CHARLES.—G L Kinsley, L Hale, St Louis, Mo; J S Niles, E D Wenban, A P Butler, S F; Mr and Mrs John Jack, Annie Firmin, A F Jack, J W Keystone, A J Ratcliff, W Walker and family, Jas Mathena; R A Kamy, Harrisburg; J A Blair and wife, Chicago; G E Bushnel, Sardine Creek; G H Garrett, Portland.

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