

THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE.

The proclivity for hero-worship cannot be made a reproach to the American people, not because it is not true of them, but because it is inherent in human nature.

It was the sovereignty once impaled to rulers, but now recognized in the people, that gave government its present position.

We should thus expect to find the powerful and aspiring spirits of the land seeking state dignities through such discussions and antagonisms as should give to the employment and display of their talents.

Thaddeus Stevens is the ablest parliamentary politician of our day. The fertility of some minds may be in the line of his expedients. Some may be proud in what they think, but Thaddeus Stevens is powerful in what he does.

Mr. Clay had such a will. Added to it, he had a power of persuasion and personal attraction which has become settled by the world.

A perfect indifference to praise or blame, to applause or censure, is a mark of the quality of this quality is to give to favor or rebuke, from one who has it, all the moral weight of perfect disinterestedness.

But this indifference serves a still more important end. While working in the selfishness from another becomes in him but a privileged bluntness. Men who confess the universal obligation to be inoffensive are obliged, in politics, to multiply subtleties in order to reconcile courtesy with reticence.

In his exordium, the art of his oratory is displayed. With the simplicity of a plain man, in loud, declamatory, but not declamatory tones, he engages attention by a bold soliloquy, in which, with a sort of grandly dramatic grumbling about some trivial matter in ludicrous contrast with public business, he sharpens every hearer's sense.

Then, rising erect, the Leader lifts his long right arm with a wide sweep, the elbow in advance of the hand; contracts his beaming brows, throws up and back his lowering head, and with a sudden, straight thrust of his long neck, followed by the whole of his body, he sends forth, in a thundering tone, the iron bolt of his argument.

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SUMMER RESORTS.

EXCHANGE HOTEL, ATLANTIC CITY. The subscriber, grateful for past favors, tenders thanks to his patrons and the public for the generous custom given him, and begs leave to say that his house is now open for the season and ready to receive boarders, permanent and transient, on the most moderate terms.

GEORGE HAYDA, PROPRIETOR. MOUNTAIN HOUSE, ORESSON SPRINGS. On the Summit of the Allegheny Mountains. IS NOW OPEN FOR THE RECEPTION OF GUESTS.

SURF HOUSE, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, IN EVERY RESPECT, IS NOW OPEN. ADDRESS, WILLIAM T. CALEB, PROPRIETOR.

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U. S. SECURITIES. A SPECIALTY. SMITH, RANDOLPH & CO., BANKERS & BROKERS, 16 S. THIRD ST. 3 NASSAU ST. PHILADELPHIA. NEW YORK.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK HAS REMOVED. During the erection of the new Bank building, the citizens hurried to his neighbors to get the latest news, and the number returned to his seat.

THE WARM SPRINGS, NEAR HUNTINGDON, PENNSYLVANIA. This delightful summer resort, situated on the banks of the Susquehanna River, is now open for the accommodation of visitors.

THE TAMMANY HOUSE, NORTH CAROLINA AVENUE, NEAR THE DEPOT, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. The subscriber takes pleasure in informing his former patrons and the public that the above house is now open where he will be happy to receive all who may favor him with a call.

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CAMDEN AND AMBOY, PHILADELPHIA AND TRENTON, AND BELVIDERE DELAWARE RAILROAD. TOURISTS AND LEISURE TRAVEL. NIAGARA FALLS, MONTREAL, QUEBEC, THE WHOLE OF CANADA, ST. LOUIS, ST. CINCINNATI, SARATOGA, DELAWARE WATER GAP, ETC., ETC.

FOR CAPE MAY. Commencing MONDAY, July 2, 1866, Philadelphia, via Upper Ferry Market Street, Trenton, via 19th St., Cape May Accommodation, returning via the same route, Philadelphia, via 19th St., Cape May Express, returning via the same route, Philadelphia, via 19th St., Cape May Express.

BROWN'S MILLS BOARDING HOUSE. The former patrons and friends of the Boarding House originally kept by the Brown family at Brown's Mills, in the township of Pemberton, county of Burlington, and State of New Jersey are hereby informed that the subscriber is now ready to accommodate all who will favor him with their company.

WHITE HOUSE, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. WILLIAM WHITEHOUSE, PROPRIETOR. Transient and Permanent Boarders taken on Liberal Terms. UNITED STATES HOTEL, LONG BRANCH, N. J. IS NOW OPEN FOR THE RECEPTION OF VISITORS. BENJ. A. HOEMAKER, Proprietor.

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