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—H. M. CARPENTER,
Hudson, N. Y., writes this on the 21st of January, 1880.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 2, 1880.

JUDGE FIELD.

SOUND IN DOCTRINE, BRAVE IN DEED.

An Ardent View of His Fitness for the Democratic Candidacy.

For the INTELLIGENCER.

Four years ago Mr. Tilden was pre-eminently the man of the hour. Probably no other Democrat could have been elected at that time. But living as he does, in these years of our Lord, the period between 1876 and 1880, is a vast tract. Much has happened. Men and issues have changed. We lost the fruits of that victory, and the responsibility for the loss is still undetermined. Mr. Tilden did not become president, but he ceased to be governor of New York and last autumn the party itself under his leadership was driven from power in the state. The questions upon which he acquired the confidence and won the support of his own people are settled.

Mr. Tilden is an older and a feebler man than he was then, and he may not really desire the nomination. He has not said that he does, and his nearest friends have entered into intrigues for the succession which imply that he does not. Some of them are not forward in the way that can mean only the conviction in their own minds or that of their friends that Mr. Tilden is not a candidate in the sense that he desires to make the battle a second time in his own name, or feels equal to the duties of the office if he should be elected. We may fairly assume then that Mr. Tilden is not in the field until he tells us plainly that he is, and until he puts a quibus upon these friends of his who are candidates, on the sole ground that they are severally his candidates.

No man having a vote at Cincinnati will strive more earnestly than the writer hereof to secure justice to the great man who reorganized the party in 1876, supported it with the reform issues raised by his own official conduct in New York, and led it to the first victory it had won in twenty years. But the Democratic party will not suffer its leadership to be transferred like a mere chattel, or to be made the subject of any testamentary arrangement. If Mr. Tilden wants the nomination let him say so, and the convention will canvass the grounds of his claim with a favor no other way possible. If, on the other hand, he manfully retires and expresses candidly his preference for another, his advice will weigh heavily. But the party is not particularly charmed by the reports of the intrigues, and maneuvers in Cincinnati. Mr. Tilden, while Mr. Tilden may exert a great influence at Cincinnati by a bold and honorable course, the nomination cannot be disposed of by testament to any of the hungry expectants who hang around his house like eager leeches, and who will not let him go until he has been made a martyr.

When he pitches upon an heir he must bring him out and show him to the people; since their consent will probably be of more importance than that of the caucus and women of the household. The people and their delegates at Cincinnati may develop a preference which could not be set aside by an edict, round, vigorous, imperial in every word, and still less by the small uncertain whisper that comes, or seems to come, from Granary Park.

We may, therefore, I think, consider Mr. Tilden as one of the men who has chosen to come into it, and we need not concern ourselves about his wishes concerning a candidate until he shall see fit to designate his choice. In the meantime, while the anxious expectants assure us he is moribund, and busily drafting the last will and testament which is to be a part of our property, perhaps we may, without serious offence, deliberate upon the matter ourselves, and determine what we would do with the estate, if only Mr. Tilden and his heirs would allow us.

We must carry the country now or never. A failure against Grant means the end of free elections, the practical subversion of the present constitution, the heart of the Democratic party broken, and its disbandment, or its future existence as a mere conspiracy against the personal government at Washington. This is the thought in the popular mind. It is the thought upon which the election will turn. It is the issue upon which every Democrat will cast his ballot and upon which thousands of Republicans will cast theirs. The man therefore who embodies most clearly this position to centralization and personal government is the man of the hour to-day, as Mr. Tilden was the man of the hour in 1876. Then the issues were matters of administrative reform, economy, retrenchment, and the restoration of official integrity and decency. They are now superseded by a greater. The constitution itself is in danger; the republic quivers in every nerve with apprehension of a death blow. Mr. Tilden ran against a weak man, an obscure governor of a Western state, who, being defeated by him, was lifted up by his head by force and fraud. The candidate of today must run against the unscrupulous soldier who swept Mr. Tilden aside in '77, who is the type and symbol of all that is threatening to the liberties of men and states, and who comes, seizing power a third time, with a grasp as rigid as a fixed man. Who is the man to meet him at the polls, and equally important, to meet him when the votes shall have been counted?

He must be one who can command the full vote of the Democratic party, and one who, when elected, will defend the right of the people to have the president of their choice, and will not cover his eyes before a drawn sword. He must have been always a consistent and faithful Democrat. He must be one who had no lot in the surrender of 1876-77; and he will be all the better if it appears that he not only resisted the adoption of the electoral bill, but fought the false count at every step, and followed his last blow at the consummated fraud, with a heart-felt judicial anathema. Such is the man the people want. And if in addition to these qualifications he has proved himself the foremost defender of the rights of states and of people against federal centralization—the champion of the republic against the empire—he would be elected as certainly as the sun should rise on the 21st of November, and he would be found in the White House as certainly as it should set on the 4th of March.

Invite your readers to examine fairly and fully the history and character of Stephen J. Field, of California, and see if they do not find in him the man with every quality and every qualification required to carry the country, and to execute its judgment. To one great Democratic citizen in particular—to that Samuel J. Tilden, whose confidence is hourly abused by men who dodge in the shadows of his house—by men who report him to-day as in favor of the bill as it was handed out from the secrecy of the Senate committee-room and gave no sleep to his eyelids or rest to the sole of his foot until he had succeeded in forcing

it unnamable down the throat of the reluctant House, and thrown away the last chance of Mr. Tilden gaining his office; by men who will to-morrow report him as in favor of some one else, and dishonor him with the imputation of making a sham caucus, intending to betray his followers into the support of a ticket they would otherwise oppose—to this Samuel J. Tilden Judge Field's nomination ought to be especially acceptable. Of all men in Congress, at the bar, or on the bench, Judge Field made the most gallant and strenuous resistance to the Great Fraud. He fought inch by inch in all its forms, and phases—the South Carolina case, the Florida case, the Louisiana case—each separate fraud which combined to make the Great Fraud. Does Mr. Tilden, in common with the American people, who were cheated when he was elected, desire the man who made of gratitude for the splendid struggle he made in the electoral commission in defense of their rights? Would he or any other good Democrat be willing to see him pushed aside to make room for any of the facile Congressmen who voted to abdicate the constitution and power of the two houses, and to create a juggling commission, whereby to cast dice for the destinies of forty million of freemen? No! If Mr. Tilden has a choice beyond himself that choice is necessarily Judge Field. If he wishes only that honorable discharge from the constitution and power of the two houses, which he himself has given, he would naturally desire that his place should be occupied by one, who in the crisis of 76-77 had stood inflexibly true to him and to the country. Indeed, Mr. Tilden has said, at least once, and it is the only authentic speech of the kind that ever fell from his lips, that, himself aside, Judge Field would draw more votes than any candidate the Democrats could name.

The people realize the extent to which the centralizing process has gone. Our government to-day is no more like the government of 1876 than it is like that of the patriarchs. The constitution, under which we live resembles that of 1789, about as much as the present British constitution resembles that of the septuagery. The federal has gradually given place to the imperial, until state rights are merely geographical obstacles. Power has stolen or is stealing toward the centre, and we are liable to awake from our dream of local self-government in the chilling shadow of the empire. It is near; one more defeat of the states rights party, one more stamp of the iron heel on the states rights idea, and the federal will be a reality. Power has stolen or is stealing toward the centre, and we are liable to awake from our dream of local self-government in the chilling shadow of the empire. 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