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Thad. Stevens' Attack upon Secretary McCulloch and the President—Exciting Discussion.

The telegraph has already notified us of the assault of Stevens on the Secretary of the Treasury and the President, last Saturday. The following extract from the report of the proceedings of Congress on that day gives the particulars of the affair. The tax bill being under consideration in committee of the whole:

Mr. Stevens moved to amend the sixty-fifth section by striking out that portion which gives the appointment of a "Special Commissioner of the Revenue" to the Secretary of the Treasury, and to make it read that the said Special Commissioner shall be elected by concurrent action of both houses of Congress. He said he did this for the purpose of preventing the Secretary of the Treasury having more patronage, because he was prostituting his high office to party purposes. A member of this House went to the Secretary, this morning, for the purpose of obtaining an appointment in his District, and he was asked whether the party seeking the appointment was with the President in his policy, and the Secretary distinctly stated that he would make no appointment except of parties who sustained the President. It is time we build up a wall to protect those who sustain us. The Secretary of the Treasury, by this action, has been guilty of a malfeasance in office, and other subordinates of the President have also asserted that appointments will depend upon the feeling of the applicant upon the question of the President's policy. We should let it be understood that we are here as the grand inquest of the nation, and will pass upon these matters. We are recreant to our duty, and recreant to the interests of the country, if we do not stand by those who stand by us. It is time we say to our friends that we will not permit them to be destroyed by the recreant tools of a recreant President. A member of this House calls upon the Secretary of the Treasury to ask for an appointment for a constituent, and he is questioned as to the political status of the applicant, and is told by this Secretary that, in these appointments, he consults a certain recreant and apostate Senator. It is time this were rebuked. Let this appointment, at least, be taken from the Secretary, and let Congress elect an officer, as it has a right to do.

Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, said he deprecated such language, and regretted that the amendment had been suggested. He had striven in this bill to keep politics as far away as possible from the Secretary of the Treasury, and would vote against the amendment. He had not agreed with all the Secretary had done and said, but he regretted exceedingly that this subject should have been broached. The Indiana speech of the Secretary was sound and good, but the speech the other night was in very bad taste, and very unfortunate; but he (Mr. M.) still hoped politics would be kept far away from the department.

Mr. Hale, of New York, called attention to the fact that the Constitution clearly and plainly prescribed how and by whom appointments were to be made. Mr. H. then read the article of the Constitution giving the appointing power to the President, and he argued that Congress had no power of appointment whatever. He did not know whether the provisions of the Constitution would have any weight with the gentleman from Pennsylvania, (Mr. Stevens,) but he hoped it would have weight with the committee. He would inquire of the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Stevens) if he proposed to over-ride the Constitution in order to punish the Secretary of the Treasury for his "very wicked" speech the other night, and his "very wicked" remarks this morning to the member who applied to him for an appointment.

Mr. Stevens said this was not an office, but a mere agency, and the appointment belonged to this body. The gentleman from Vermont (Mr. Morrill) said he desired to keep politics out of the Treasury. It was for this very purpose that he (Mr. S.) had proposed this amendment, for the department, it seems, is regulated by politics, and not by finance; and the Secretary of the Treasury is prostituting his high office for unholy party political purposes.

Mr. Delano, of Ohio, said that, as he read the section of the bill referred to, the Secretary of the Treasury was empowered to appoint a "special commissioner of revenue," and consequently he was most certainly an officer, and this House had nothing whatever to do with the appointment. In what sort of an attitude would this committee place themselves if they took the power of this appointment from the Secretary? What has the Secretary of the Treasury done to provoke this attack? Is he a slave, that he must not speak his sentiments? Does he not have an opinion of his own? Must we all square our opinions by a regular line, at the dictation of an individual or individuals? An officer of the Government can have his opinions, and utter them if he wishes to do so. Just such acts as these were creating a very bad sentiment throughout the country. Why has the Secretary of the Treasury been denounced?

Mr. Stevens.—I denounce him because he is prostituting the patronage of the Government so as to make all think as he does.

Stevens persistently refused to give his authority for this charge, when the discussion was terminated by the committee rising.

Capital and Labor for the South.

We notice from time to time the departure from the Southern States for Europe of agents in the interests of Southern railroads, and of various manufacturing and industrial activities. They go to borrow capital for the purpose of resuscitating the fortunes of the South. Beauregard has just started to Europe on a mission of this kind in behalf of the Louisiana Railroad, and several of the Georgia and Virginia lines are about to be represented abroad by commissioners with a similar object in view. We trust that success will crown these efforts. There is no reason why the capitalists, who loan their money to almost any of the industrial enterprises of the South, should not reap large returns from it. The incomparable resources of the Southern States are but in the infancy of their development, and their growth from this time forward should be more rapid and vigorous than ever before.

Besides these efforts to obtain capital from abroad, we observe that there is more or less activity in attempting to secure European immigration for the South. Almost every State has, for this purpose, a Bureau of Immigration: and though few of the Southern States are, at this moment, in a condition to display such activity in this line as characterizes the Western States, yet all the Bureaus are of some value, if it be only in the way of extending invitations to settlers. Louisiana and Texas, however, are in a sufficiently sound financial and industrial condition to do something more than this; and a resident of the last named State, who has been visiting Great Britain for the purpose of encouraging immigration to the South-west, has come back with the report that labor and laborers to any extent can be obtained. We hope the Southern States will systematize their efforts in this matter so that those vast and fertile regions may obtain what they most need—skillful, industrious and honest cultivators. Immigration would not interfere with the opportunities of the negroes for obtaining a livelihood; for in the Southern tier of States, at least, every man of any color who is willing to work has a superabundance of profitable employment at his hands, and from many quarters of the South we hear constant and earnest calls for more laborers.

It is probable, moreover, that this summer will be a peculiarly favorable season for procuring a large immigration from Europe. The whole continent is agitated with the prospects of a general war. At such a time tens of thousands would be glad to escape to a country where peace is permanently secured, and where opportunities are held out to industrious people such as are not approached in any other country of the world. To Texas, especially, we are confident a heavy German immigration might be speedily turned. There are large settlements of this people there already, and though the persecutions they endured for their loyalty during the rebellion are well known abroad, yet the facts that the power of the Union is now firmly and finally fixed, and that order and freedom are permanently established, are equally well known.

Capital and labor—these are what are chiefly required in the Southern States to secure their future prosperity. These are what the enterprising men in the South should try to secure for it. We are glad to see that they are making efforts. And, so far as lies in our power, we shall try to aid in forwarding these efforts.

[*New York Times.*

Louis A. Colin, late a clerk in the banking house of Duncan, Sherman & Co., New York, is charged by one of the firm, Mr. W. E. A. Mackintosh, with embezzlement of money, railway bonds and other securities to the amount of $40,000. Colin, the alleged defaulter, is a native of Prussia.

Gov. Sutter, the first discoverer of gold in California, is supported by a pension from that State. Comstock, who found and gave his name to the great silver lode in Nevada, is a vagrant trespasser in Montana.

Orders have been issued for the removal of all the United States soldiers buried between Chattanooga, Resacca and Tunnel Hill, on the Nashville Road, to Chattanooga for re-interment.

Prof. Santom has been crossing the Rio Grande at Brownsville, on a single wire.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE Committee appointed by the citizens of Columbia to collect testimony concerning the burning of the city in February, 1865, request all persons, more particularly those at a distance, who have knowledge of facts relating thereto, to send affidavits, as soon as possible, to the undersigned. JAMES P. CARROLL,
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Resolved, That the citizens be requested to remove immediately from their premises all trash, etc., which may endanger the general health, and place the same in heaps in the streets, that it may be removed by the city carts, on and after Tuesday next, preparatory to the visit of the Ward Committees of the Board of Health, on Saturday, the 9th proximo.

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