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☞ Under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 21, 1871, a Territorial government was organized in the District of Columbia. Its results have thus far fully realized the expectations of its advocates. Under the direction of the Territorial officers, a system of improvements has been inaugurated, by means of which Washington is rapidly becoming a city worthy of the nation's capital. The citizens of the District having voluntarily taxed themselves to a large amount for the purpose of contributing to the adornment of the seat of Government, I recommend liberal appropriations on the part of Congress, in order that the Government may bear its just share of the expense of carrying out a judicious system of improvements.—*President Grant's Message.*

SAM BOWLES vindicates his title to the "Cheap John of New England journalism" in various ways. He has just sent us a copy of his *Republican*, containing a marked article about a second-hand press which he recently purchased. We take no interest in Mr. Bowles' second-hand press. We do not want to know anything about it. We do not care to advertise it. When he prints a respectable paper and returns to the ranks of decent journalism, we shall be happy to notice and to welcome him.

THE IMPEACHMENT of Harrison Reed, of Florida, gives satisfaction, we are glad to see, to the various Republican papers throughout the country who are opposed to fraud and corruption and in favor of the reforms marked out by the Administration. The New York *Times*, in commenting on Governor Reed's impeachment, says: "Under his regime the taxes of the State have been enormous, the legislation has been scandalous, the public credit has been substantially ruined, and the treasury has been literally emptied, so that at last accounts the comptroller did not command public funds sufficient to purchase a postage stamp."

MR. CHASE seems to have given up all hope of the Presidency. In this connection some significance is attached to a statement, said to be by authority, in the *Freeman's Journal*, of Cooperstown, New York, the organ of Judge Nelson, of the Supreme Court, which reads as follows:

"Chief Justice Chase has dismissed all thought of being a candidate for President this year, and is in favor of the nomination of Senator Trumbull as the opposition candidate. Mr. T. is understood to be a revenue tariff man, and opposed to a high protective tariff. The health of Judge Chase is not sufficiently restored to admit of the excitement of a political campaign such as we are likely to have this year, a fact which he fully realizes. Most of the leading Democrats of this State are at present inclined to accept Senator Trumbull as 'the man,' but appear any precipitate action."

THE ENTERPRISE OF THE REPUBLICAN. The REPUBLICAN and the New York *Herald* contained the fullest and best reports yesterday of the obsequies of the late Archbishop Spalding in Baltimore. They were the only journals in the country that printed the full text of Archbishop McCloskey's sermon. Our cotemporaries in New York, Baltimore and Washington would, of course, have been glad to print the splendid sermon of the archbishop, but it so happened that there was only one available short-hand reporter in the Monumental city on Monday, who was specially engaged for the REPUBLICAN and the *Herald*. It is of course no new thing for the REPUBLICAN, as it certainly is not for the *Herald*, to be ahead of all its cotemporaries in printing the news of the day, for that, after all, is the first business of a modern journal. But on this occasion we take not a little credit to ourselves that we are ahead not only of the Washington but of Baltimore journals.

NEW ENGLAND FOR GRANT.

The Boston *Journal*, in an article on the subject of the next Presidency, says:

"We think we know the political sentiment of New England, and we find it wholly and heartily for Grant. Practically, to use an old political phrase, *New England is solid for Grant*, and we are unable to see any ground for his existence among the Republicans here. A political popularity such as the Republican President and gatherings of the Middle States, the West and the South, we note the evidences of the same appreciation."

The same paper, which has hitherto been regarded as the home organ of Mr. Sumner, gives it as its opinion "that the President has maintained his popularity with the country intact, and that Mr. Sumner, in lately opposing his renomination, has forfeited the sympathy of the very class of Republicans who stood by him in the San Domingo matter." Similar accounts come to us from all sections of the Union. It was only yesterday that one of the leading Republicans of New Jersey, who has never held office and never expects to hold one, and who is one of the largest merchants in the State, said: "I am satisfied with the administration of President Grant, because he has administered the affairs of the Government fairly and honestly, notwithstanding all that Mr. Schurz and the New York *Tribune* may say to the contrary," and turning to a leading New Jersey Congressman, "If you want my check to help you in the next campaign, you can have it."

PROMOTIONS! THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

In our yesterday's issue, in noticing the violations of the law of promotions in the quartermaster's department by President Johnson, we did not wish to express less sympathy for those meritorious officers who have for six years been deprived of legal status by the late President's injustice than for those officers who have held a place which, by the laws of the country, did not belong to them.

An examination of the records of the War Department will show that the officers selected to be promoted over the heads of their brother officers in the same Department through the partiality and favoritism of President Johnson, were in no respects the superiors of the officers overshadowed; and this is the opinion of our honored Commander-in-Chief and of army officers generally.

We were in error in supposing that there was a "momentary forgetfulness of law," as President Johnson was informed what the law was in the case, and was advised by one of his staff officers not to violate it; but to no purpose. The law stood somehow in the way of "my policy," and *must* be violated.

The name of one of the officers of the quartermaster's department, who he believed had stood in the way of that policy in South Carolina, was three times sent in by Secretary Stanton for his lawful promotion, and as many times stricken out by the acting President.

It is no hardship or injustice to an officer to give him his legal *status*. Those officers who for six years have been deprived of their *legal rights*, and now ask no retrospective action as regards pay, might with propriety call their case a hard one. The President and the Secretary of War have done all in their power to undo this injustice by sending to the Senate a corrected list, and these officers look with entire confidence for the favorable action of the Senate of the United States.

— An Indianapolis paper has this singular personal announcement: "M. O. Lee, of the *Commercial*, has gone South for the benefit of his wife's health."

STATESMANSHIP.

Moral sentiment statesmanship is something peculiar to this country. We do not scoff at or reject it, and it is in no spirit of fault-finding that we approach the claims of Senator Sumner to a monopoly of the article.

In this wicked, practical world, the existence of a man controlled by an idea—visionary and delusive, perhaps, but lofty in conception, and far-reaching in conclusions—is something wonderful, and to be contemplated with feelings akin to that of the pagan for his fetich. The admirers of Mr. Sumner have abundant reason for cherishing this sentiment. No man could show more persistency in following after strange gods, and admiring and advocating measures objectionable to his party and intended to injure those he should be in honor bound to benefit and defend. We care not for the abstract right in his theories. All who have had any experience in the South, and know of the actual condition of affairs, acknowledge the great need of amnesty. To this all men agreed, whether radical Republicans from South Carolina, or realous party men in Louisiana and Arkansas. If these men were purely selfish they would join the Massachusetts Senator and keep from a participation in the Government the brain and heart of the Southern reconstructed States. But moved by feeling of sympathy for actual woes, and knowing from sad experience the grave-like gloom spread over the vast expanse of our Southern territory, representative Republicans from the South have elevated themselves above the plane of self, and became in a measure statesmen rather than partisans. For this they are arraigned as untrue to the cause of human rights, and in some cases insulted on the floor of the Senate. Mr. Sumner's statesmanship may be filled with the moral sentiments, but if his State and the country do not consider it spurious, it will be so much the worse for Massachusetts and the country.

No man can go on forgetting the present needs and pressing demands of the hour while pursuing a will-o'-wisp; no man can insist and persist in annoying his friends and destroying or hampering party measures but at some time he will have put himself outside the pale of consideration and destroyed his efficiency for all good. Mr. Sumner is doing this as fast as possible. He will have no counsel. Steady-going Senators may find objections of a constitutional character, men of far-seeing wisdom and approved judgment may declare his actions in the Senate as savoring of madness and opposed to every principle of common law as well as of common sense—it matters not to Mr. Sumner. He is riding his hobby-horse of moral sentiment statesmanship; and a hobby-horse is not a hobby-horse if not ridden at all times and in all places. No man does this so complacently as Charles Sumner. He jogs along as steadily under the carcass of the sensible Sawyer as when serenely viewing his supposed admirers in the gallery. Like Sterne' Shandy, he lags in his bantling and takes up weeks of valuable time only to find he has wounded his listeners and converted nobody.

The patience of that admirable body called the American Senate holds out well, while for the hundredth time Mr. Sumner states his position, as did, indeed, Captain Shandy at the siege of Namur, although not deeply interesting or valuable except to those comparatively fresh, and to whom time is of no value. The wounds received by the sentimental Shandy plead for patience on the part of his bored brother, and so we must bear with brother Sumner, although some persons will uncharitably remark that the interests of the republic would be as well served had Shandy and Sumner exchanged injuries.

Ardent Republicans in Senator Sumner's own State object to actions at times unreasonable as well as unpatriotic; but as all Massachusetts knew Mr. Sumner's peculiar turn of mind they should not have elected him, unless happy to follow Charles when he shall choose to lead. To quote the Boston *Journal*, "the wisdom of Mr. Sumner's course in persisting in the union of his civil rights measure with the amnesty bill is at best questionable," and a matter to be considered by the business men of Boston, who look upon the waste of weeks as unnecessarily expensive as well as useless on a matter of doubtful expediency, when a little less egotism and obstinacy would have given the country peace and comparative prosperity.

Statesmanship may consist in not doing things; the policy of the moral-sentiment politician may be to make language a means of concealing his thoughts, and consequently Mr. Sumner, having recorded a vow to defeat amnesty in order to embarrass the President, used his civil rights amendment dodge as a means. The class who have hitherto looked up to Charles Sumner as the moral and political exemplar of the American people, will not admire these spiteful and doubtful tactics. The attempt of Mr. Sumner to injure his party and the Administration will recoil upon himself, and Sumner's statesmanship be voted a sham and a fraud too transparent to deceive anybody.

THE REFORM EDITOR.

"They will invite the young gentlemen of the President's official family and of Colonel Lost's mess to come before them and purge themselves in a quiet way of any imputation on their honor or integrity."—*New York Tribune.*

The above is what the *Tribune* had to say in reference to the Congress investigating committee and the forthcoming examination of Generals Porter and Babcock in this city in relation to the New York custom-house. As Mr. Greeley is absent from the city at present, and as his favorite editor, who wears a velvet coat and a gold chain, and marches up and down Broadway with a copy of Buckle under his arm, is in charge of the paper, it is to be presumed that that exemplary young gentleman wrote the sentence which we have placed at the head of this article.

The trouble with this young man is this: he knows that his own character is not the best in the world, and he is naturally anxious to prove that everybody else is bad and corrupt as he is. He knows that he was in the pay of Mr. Lincoln's enemies in 1864 in this city, and that he received a regular monthly stipend for advocating Mr. Chase's nomination. This same gentleman also knows that he was an agent of the whisky ring in this city some years ago, and that he made the money in a certain speculation of that character by which he was enabled to purchase an interest in a Western newspaper.

Generals Porter and Babcock have invited and courted investigation, and it ill becomes the person, against whom the charges that we have made that are in newspaper circles matters of common notoriety, to point insinuations against their honor and reputation in the columns of the New York *Tribune*. Mr. Greeley would do well to inquire in whose pay this person is now.

PERSONAL.

— Bishop Williams, Protestant-Episcopal bishop of Connecticut, is seriously ill.

— The friends of Gen. D. E. Sickles give him a public dinner in New York on the 22d of February.

— The Chicago *Republican* passes into the hands of J. Young Scammon as a decided Grant and tariff paper.

— There are now residing in Rome between thirty and forty American painters and sculptors. Some of them have been living there for thirty years.

— The steamers of the Potomac Ferry Company are now making regular hourly trips between Washington and Alexandria, from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

— Galusha A. Grow, Ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, is in New York. Mr. Grow has become connected with railroads in Texas, and now resides in that State.

— The late Archbishop Spalding once told his beloved children: "The Catholic Church is of all nations, of all colors, of all peoples; there is no distinction of color with God, and there is none with the Catholic Church."

— W. A. Hunt left the city last night to meet the Republican Ohio State Executive Committee, of which he is a member, at Columbus, Ohio, to-day. Important matters, pertaining to the approaching political campaign, are to be arranged.

— Telegrams from Bombay announce that the assassination of the Earl of Mayo causes intense excitement throughout India. In Calcutta and Bombay the murder is the universal theme of conversation, and all business is suspended.

— A young man who has been swindling numerous persons, including Gen. Breckenridge, under the pretence of being Gen. Lee's nephew, was detected in his operations at Frankfort, Ky., on Monday, and escorted from town, with the intimation that his return would be dangerous for himself.

New Advertisements.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT THE SUBscriber has obtained from the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a Special Term, letters of administration on the personal estate of EDWARD KELLY, late of Washington county, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of February next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand this 10th day of February, 1872.

feb12-3t* A. W. KELLY, Administrator.

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G. J. Hall, 319 14th street southwest.
Wm. H. Elsbach, 1005 D street southwest.
Henry Tolman, Howard University.
Catholic Boys' Asylum, O st. bet. 5th and 19th s. w.
J. H. Ridenour, 318 Eighteenth, bet. I and K s. w.
Dr. W. B. Spaid, 305 E street northwest.
Mrs. Spalding, cor 1st. ave. and Second st. s. w.
J. Hahnebeck, 457 E street northwest.
——Cattell, 548 Sixth st., bet. Pa. av., and D streets.
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☞ W. J. WALL & CO. WOULD CALL the attention of buyers to the sale of that elegant Brown Stone Front Dwelling House, corner of K and Sixteenth streets, by order of the United States Government, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, February 15, at 3 o'clock, in front of the premises.

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☞ EUREKA BUILDING ASSOCIATION—The fourth monthly meeting for receipt of dues, &c., will be held on THIS WEDNESDAY, 14th instant, at 7 o'clock, p. m., at Columbian College Law Building. Those desiring shares are invited to attend, as the subscription books are about to be closed.

J. T. PRATHER, Sec'y. J. M. HANSON, Pres't.

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☞ LIQUOR DEALERS.

An adjourned meeting of the Liquor Dealers' Association will be held TO-DAY (Wednesday), the 14th inst., at Masonic Hall, Pennsylvania avenue, between Four and a half and Sixth streets, at 8 o'clock, p. m. All members interested are requested to be present, as business of importance will come before the meeting.

P. SCHLUH, Pres't.

WM. FRONK, Sec'y. feb13

☞ A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE held under the auspices of Veteran Home Building No. 2, at the charter of the Masons' Home, on FRIDAY, the 16th instant, at 7 o'clock, p. m. Several eminent speakers have offered their services, and every one, far and near, is respectfully invited.

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☞ KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—THE Grand Lodge will assemble at K. of P. Hall, corner of Ninth and E streets, on THURSDAY, 15th inst., at 10 o'clock, a. m., to attend the Funeral of P. C. Jno. W. Cross. Dress, dark clothes, black gloves, and funeral regalia. The order will be recognized by the Grand Lodge. Fraternal attendance is requested.

feb13 CLARENCE M. BARTON, C. G. and Scribe.

☞ FRANKLIN LODGE, No. 2, K. OF P.

Every member is requested to be present at the Hall TO-DAY, at 1 o'clock, to attend the funeral of P. C. Jno. W. Cross.

GEO. Y. HASSELL,

Recording Scribe.

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☞ K. OF P., THE OFFICERS AND MEMbers of Mount Vernon Lodge, No. 3, are requested to be punctual in attendance THIS EVENING, at the meeting of the fraternity of this jurisdiction are also invited to attend. P. C. C. RUSSELL, of Missouri, will deliver an address on the Principles of the Order and its Growth in the Western Country.

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☞ ARMORY CO. D, W. L. I., U. S. WASHINGTON, February 12, 1872.

A special meeting of the Company will be held at the armory on WEDNESDAY EVENING, February 14, at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Lieut. J. H. DUBART.

By order of

R. C. LEWIS,
Capt. Comd'g. Co. D, W. L. I.
J. J. McCARTY, Secretary. [Star.]

☞ THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF the members of the Eleventh District at St. Paul's chapel, Eighth street, between D and E, TO-DAY (Wednesday), February 14, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as there will be business of importance to be transacted.

Per order: J. L. KEAWEN, President.

A. SNEIDER, Secretary.

feb14* For the General Republican Committee.

☞ THE SECOND NEW JERSEY RECEPTION AND SOCIABLE will be given at Masonic Temple, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 6, 1872.

☞ ATTENTION, REPUBLICANS OF THE FOURTH DISTRICT.—There will be a meeting of the Republicans of the Fourth District, for the purpose of electing three members to the Republican Central Committee, to be held at Beckett's Hall, on THURSDAY, February 15, at 7 o'clock, p. m. All voters are requested to be present.

By order of

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☞ OHIO REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION. The Ohio Republican Association will give their third Soirée and Reception at Masonic Hall, on THURSDAY EVENING of this week, February 15.

R. C. POLK, Secretary.

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☞ COPIES OF THE REPUBLICAN CAN be obtained every morning at the News and Stationery Store of JAMES BELLEW,

feb6-6m 707 Seventh st., bet. G and H northwest.

☞ REMOVAL NOTICE.

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☞ TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, Jan. 24, 1872.

Whereas satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Georgetown," in the city of Georgetown, in the county of Washington and District of Columbia, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide a national currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.

Now, therefore, I, HILAND R. HULBURD, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Georgetown," in the city of Georgetown, in the county of Washington and District of Columbia, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the act aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of (L. S.) office, this 24th day of January, 1872.

HILAND R. HULBURD,

Comptroller of the Currency.

(No. 1926.)

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