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WILL THE DEMOCRACY PROTECT THE PEOPLE?

The people, protection of the people, economy, reduction of taxes, reform and all such phrases flow as glibly from the smooth and oily tongue of a Democrat as Falernian wine into the stomach of a toper. They wish to gain favor with the people, to convince their dear friends that they are in earnest, and to this end they flew with amazing alacrity, albeit against the wishes and interests of the people, to a silly opposition to the Centennial bill. Now, if that opened a little leak at the spiggot of the Treasury, we propose to show them where there is a mighty flow at the bung-hole, and then to ask them what they propose to do about it. When they see a magnificent chance to win their immortality by really protecting the pockets of the people they will surely embrace it. It stands to reason they will, for are they not pledged to reform, to a rigid adherence to statutes, to give to monopolies their quietus, and to stick a cross through the hearts of all robbers at the public crib? Certainly they are, and we feel that we are doing them a distinguished service when we point out the way for them to notably redeem some of their pledges. We propose to uncover for their gaze a perfect bonanza of fraud and corruption, and to offer them a golden opportunity for the expiation of a long list of sins of omission and commission in the past.

The New York *Tribune*, Mr. Jay Gould, the Union Pacific railroad, are institutions most all Democratic politicians have heard of, and as the relations now stand between the Pacific railroads and the people there is a loss to the people of over $3,850,000 of the people's money annually, in round numbers $10,000 a day. What will Congress do to obviate this loss? The whole matter rests with the Representatives of the people, who, when they constructed the statutes under which the roads were built, expressly reserved the right to alter and amend them as the interests of the people might demand. The railroads referred to now absorb $3,800,000 per annum of the people's money to support them, and this enormous sum is given to a concern that is dividing $40,000 a day, or $14,600,000 per annum, among its bond and stockholders. Now, it is stated in section 22 of the act of July, 1864, in aid of the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean, "that Congress may at any time alter, amend, or repeal this act," and in the original act of July 1, 1862, section 18, the authority to alter, amend, or repeal is distinctly reserved. In the report of the Government directors—Messrs. James F. Wilson, John C. S. Harrison, J. B. Brewer, J. H. Millard and John A. Tibbetts—a letter dated Union Pacific Railroad Company, New York, February 9, 1875, and signed by Sidney Dillon, president, is printed, from which the following is an extract: "The "bonds are accumulating on the interest "account, also uncollected until principal "is due, will amount to the very large ag-"gregate of over $7,000,000, though the "actual amount advanced by the Govern-"ment was only $27,236,512. For this "very large amount the Government has "only second mortgage, and if it be al-"lowed to accumulate without any provi-"sion being made to meet it, the company "will probably be utterly unable to pay it." Now, section 18 of the act of 1864 makes it competent for Congress to demand what the road cost, including the sums used to corrupt Congress, the income bonds, &c., &c. It is also within the power of Congress by the act to reduce fares and transportation when the profits of the road amount to over ten per cent. on the capital involved.

Without putting too fine a point upon it, it is susceptible of proof that the profits now amount to over ten per cent. per annum. Will some virtuous Democratic member of Congress look into this matter? Will he stand still, fold his arms and quietly see the people bleeding to the tune of $10,000 a day to support a giant monopoly dividing, beyond this, as profits, $40,000 a day? The maw of Jay Gould is insatiate. It will never be satisfied. Like the daughters of the horse leech, his cry will still be "give' give'" Are the people to suffer longer this extraordinary tax in order to pamper with additional millions the appetite of robbers? Herein is work for the enthusiast in reform.

JAY GOULD'S SENSE OF HONOR.

The New York *Tribune* has evidently forgotten the history of the cases of Jay Gould and Jim Fisk as managers of "Erie" in the courts of New York and New Jersey. Speaking of Mr. David Dudley Field's connection with the ring six-million suit as counsel for Tweed it says:

"There never was a criminal so vile that he could not find a lawyer to defend him, and under certain restrictions it is entirely proper for counsel to undertake the defense of men whom they know to be rascals. But until now we never knew of a prominent member of the profession, with a character to lose, who would condescend to take money from an acknowledged thief in payment for services in preventing the recovery of stolen goods, stated in plain English, Mr. Field's transaction with Tweed amounts to the following: 'You have stolen six millions,' says the counsel; 'everybody knows that; it isn't worth while to deny it. Well, give me, say one million and I will surrender all the rest of my business and devote myself, by the tricks of the law, to keeping for you the remainder.' Tweed agrees; 'serve out a term in the penitentiary; get into an easier jail; runs away, and leaves Mr. Field to carry out his agreement. This is an essentially immoral and disgraceful action. Judge Westbrook calmed Mr. Field's agitation the other day by assuring him that the Court found nothing unprofessional in his conduct, and he was quite right, for the Court can only take notice of what comes officially before it, and Mr. Field's behavior in court was naturally regular and decent. But society looks further and judges otherwise, and no sophistry can convince respectable men that it is professional to aid a thief in concealing his plunder."

We think it was nine millions that Jay Gould disgorged to the Erie Company, as a compromise of suits against him for treble the amount. Just how much he paid his lawyers for assisting him in arriving at this accommodation has never been satisfactorily stated, but if Tweed really gave Field a million there can be little doubt that Gould paid his counsel at least three times that sum. Indeed, it is fair to presume that the charge made here by Gould's organ against Field is based upon Gould's knowledge gained from experience as to the cost and value of such professional services. The amusing part of this business, however, is the virtuous indignation indulged in by the *Tribune* over the immorality and disgrace involved in the transaction, coupled with the profound ignorance of all precedent in such matters. We have no word to say in palliation of the conduct or crimes of Messrs. Gould and Tweed, nor any opinion to express regarding the professional conduct of Mr. Field until we have better authority than Jay Gould's organ for the charge against the latter. Our object is simply to call attention to the fact that Jay Gould, the plunderer of one corporation, after having profited by the efforts of able counsel, is utterly devoid of sympathy or charity for his brother plunderer, Tweed, and his brilliant legal adviser. His pathetic regard for Mr. Field's reputation with "society" and with "respectable men" is announced with as much apparent confidence as though he was acquainted by experience with the vision of the former and by intimate association and breeding with the convictions and judgment of the latter.

CENTRAL PACIFIC MONOPOLY.

We are glad to observe from the proceedings of the Senate on the 9th instant that Mr. Sargent, one of the ablest and most conscientious men who have ever represented California in the United States Senate, takes the same view of the trans-continental railroad question as to the necessity of competition as those advocated in these columns.

The bill for the extension of the time for the Northern Pacific railroad being under discussion, Mr. Sargent said: "I am disposed to look with some favor upon legislation that will give us a competing line to the Pacific, realizing as I do, and as do the citizens of my State, the burdens that are imposed upon us by a monopoly." The Senator, of course, alludes to the exactions of the Union and Central Pacific companies, the latter of which particularly makes the most unjust discriminations against certain localities. In fact, the entire trans-continental traffic is now subject to the most onerous exactions, from which there is no possible escape, except in the construction of an independent competing line. To suppose that this very monopoly intends in good faith to construct such a line is simply absurd. Even if a new road should be built, under the auspices of the men who now control the Central Pacific, we cannot see how the country would be benefited, as it is against all human probability that the two lines would compete with each other. We are, therefore, clearly of the opinion that the best interests of the whole country demand early and favorable action on the Texas and Pacific bill, now before the committees of the two Houses, and that its passage promises the only satisfactory solution of this great question. Its postponement to another session would so strengthen the influence of the monopoly, now so dangerously powerful, that relief through Congressional legislation might prove practically impossible.

THERE is a small mutual admiration society down in South Carolina. Governor Chamberlain, Treasurer Cardoza and one Thompson, the editor of a so-called "leading Republican newspaper," compose it. They say all manner of pleasant things about each other, and just now are laughing in their sleeves at the supposed success which has thus far attended their efforts to turn the honest yeomanry of the State over to the tender mercies of the Ku-klux Klan. This trio have not always been on such pleasant terms with each other, as the following extract from a letter written by Cardoza, on February 19, 1874, to a committee of the tax-payers' convention, will show:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE STATE TREASURER,
COLUMBIA, S. C., February 19, 1874.

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I respectfully request that the committee would communicate with me in writing only, for the following reasons: The chairman of that committee, J. G. Thompson, esq., of Beaufort, is a violent personal enemy of mine, who for the last two years has indulged in every conceivable form of personal abuse and misrepresentation of me, individually and officially, in his paper, the Beaufort *Republican*, now the Port Royal *Commercial*.

This gentleman was a well-known broker and street hawker in State paper during the administration of my predecessor in office, Hon. Niles G. Parker, with whom he was on intimate and confidential terms.

This gentleman was also very intimate with Mr. Gary, the Bolters' candidate in opposition to myself for the treasurership of the State, and he did not hesitate to resort to every base and mean effort to secure the accomplishment of his end—the election of his friend. It was very natural for him to do so, for that friend, as auditor of the State, had given him very large contracts for printing tax duplicates, for which there was no appropriation, and which, therefore, I have declined to pay until the State does make an appropriation therefor.

My own self-respect would prevent me from communicating with such a person except in writing, in order that I may not be misrepresented by one who has shown such a proclivity for so doing, and who, under the guise of patriotism, I believe to be seeking the accomplishment of personal ends.

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Very respectfully,
F. L. CARDOZA,
State Treasurer S. C.

To Messrs. ——— and others, Committee of Taxpayers' Convention.

Such was Treasurer Cardoza's opinion of the man whose word is now law among the Chamberlainites, and who is leaving no stone unturned to produce a conflict between the races in South Carolina. We shall have more to say about this man and his antecedents in a few days.

EDITORIAL GOSSIP.

There will be one hundred Centennial buildings, covering about seventy-five acres of ground.

It is now rumored that Wendell Phillips is going to marry the Modoc heroine, Wi-me-na. Ah, women ah.

Mark Twain is going to Europe, and a friend reminds him of the urgent necessity of deporting himself as it becomes an author and a gentleman; otherwise he may get punched by a passenjare.

Upon receiving the news of Senator Christiancy's marriage in Michigan all the old spinsters in the State opened their mouths with one accord and pronounced the Michigander a "goose."

The man who can't scratch up a relative in Philadelphia within the next few months will never be happy. Think of it. A cousin, uncle, or even a mother-in-law with a good, comfortable house and a spare room in the Quaker City, and the Centennial coming on apace. It's a delightful sensation is the thought of such a thing.

In reply to an inquiry respecting a statement made in these columns a few days since that Virginia was rivaling Mississippi in mob-law demonstrations, we announce that the data was taken from an exchange which had laid the violence at the door of Virginia instead of West Virginia, where the lynching and mob force violence actually occurred.

Pendleton has returned. The gentleman George has ruthlessly torn himself away from the gorgeous banquets, the wildly-glaring torchlight procession, the thrilling strains of martial music, the flatteries and blandishments and serenades of Georgia, and is once more ensconced in the quietude which surrounds his home fireside. Hendricks breathes freer.

The New Haven *Union* says: "The New Haven Democrats owe it to themselves to send a solid delegation to the State convention pledged to oppose all attempts to foist a hard-money platform on the party." There is going to be a great deal of fiddling in the Bourbon camp on this subject, and the music will be paid for by that party in the coming campaign.

According to Jeff. Davis, the Southerners "will be magnanimous enough to live on equal and peaceful terms with the people of the North, provided the latter behave themselves respectfully." It will come quite natural for the Northern people to accommodate the South in this respect, but there is really no necessity for Jeff. Davis to dictate their course. If his insurance is not worth any more than his assurance in this matter the policy ought to sell for ten cents on the dollar.

Von Bulow recently said: "Another thing about American women which delights me is the size and character of the ear. That is one of the first things I look at. A handsome ear is a wonderful feature about a woman. When it is well rounded and finely chiseled it is a magnet to any man of taste." There never was anything remarkably delicate about Von Bulow's appetite that we are aware of, but if he could only catch a West End girl's ear, our word for it his hunger for that article would be appeased. Beautiful, indeed, they would wake an angel's envy up.

The gallant exploit of the able Senator from Michigan, Mr. Christiancy, has sent a searching thrill of hope and ambition through the female circles of the country. They now look upon a Treasury position as the chief end of woman, and fairly yearn for a place in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. But if they stop to reflect a moment the truth will flash upon their minds that most of the Senators who come to Washington are married men, who bring with them the most robust, beautiful and accomplished wives in the country. We never like to blast hopes, but we cannot resist the temptation to put a damper on in this case.

Here is a simple problem in addition, which furnishes a remarkable result. An ex-Confederate at the Capitol has charge of raising and lowering the flag at the opening and closing of the daily sessions. His patriotism, however, forbids him doing the act himself. He therefore hires a negro, paying him for his services ten cents per day. Now, as there will probably be one hundred and eighty days in the present session, his patriotism is going to cost him just eighteen dollars. When he was appointed to the position he said "he liked the pay, but not the work, and that he would rather hoist the stars and bars than the stripes and stars." The result of the problem is this: The Democratic House has elevated this man to a position which is manifestly distasteful to him, and they will add materially to their meagre reputation by subtracting him from it, or at least by reducing his disloyalty, so that it will not appear quite so repulsive to those who believe in the flag of the nation. If they insist on keeping this man we shall insist that the eighteen dollars be made up to him, even though it becomes necessary to reduce the salaries of our army chaplains.

While General Banks, in his Centennial speech, was saying, "Let the earth hide the past," the firm of West, Johnson & Co., of Richmond, were publishing the old ordinance of secession passed by the Virginia Convention in 1860-61. The Richmond *Enquirer* has this to say about it: "West, Johnson & Co., of this city, send us a copy of a valuable publication made under their supervision. It is a *fac-simile* of the ordinance of secession passed by the Virginia Convention of 1860-61, with all the signatures. This document, and its publication in this form at a reasonable price, not only ensures its preservation, but places a copy within the reach of everybody." Just why it is necessary for the happiness of the Southern people that this document should be preserved is not clear. It ought to be to them as repulsive as the bloody knife is to the sight of a conscience-stricken murderer. Why do they want to preserve this infamous document? Why do they seek to make a sacred memento of an enactment which has laid waste the best interests of the State and filled its broad fields with the bones of her best men? Do they desire to preserve it as a model after which to mold another in the future? or is it simply a wish to perpetuate it as a household treasure—a sort of heirloom for their children and children's children? If the good people of Virginia really desire to let the earth hide the past they will cease this folly of hallowing the official documents of treason.

IT APPEARS that some evil genius has been overhauling the official reports of Treasurer Cardozo, of South Carolina, from which the annexed itemized statement is made, showing that Democratic newspapers in that State hungered after the spoils as ravenously as the greediest Radical sheet in the land. The amount was expended for one year's official advertising:

PAYMENT FOR ADVERTISING ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Aiken Weekly Journal, Dem.	$1,125 43
Columbia Daily Union, Rep.	2,253 00
Columbia Weekly Union, Rep.	1,126 00
Newberry Herald, Dem.	1,048 84
Marlboro' Times, Dem.	1,408 00
Horry News, Dem.	111 24
Clarendon Press, Dem.	700 00
Greenville Enterprise, Dem.	305 40
Camden Journal, Dem.	1,088 42
Darlington Southerner, Dem.	4,412 00
Charleston Daily Republican, (old,) Rep.	4,625 70
Georgetown Times, Dem.	704 90
Yorkville Enquirer, Dem.	1,707 90
Keowee Courier, Dem.	225 00
Christian Neighbor, Dem.	524 50
Pickens Sentinel, Dem.	1,016 00
Working Christian, Dem.	1,694 70
Beaufort Times, Rep.	6,210 70
Charleston Sunday Times, Rep.	6,210 70
Charleston News, Dem.	5,099 47
Chesterfield Democrat, Dem.	1,955 00
Charleston Courier, Dem.	5,948 84
Peoples and Gleaner, Dem.	3,383 00
Spartanburg Republican, Rep.	1,223 75
Sumter Watchman, Dem.	1,644 00
Aiken Tribune, Rep.	1,253 10
Southern Guardian, Dem.	1,255 50
Missionary Record, Dem.	4,801 00
Orangeburg News, Rep.	1,000 00
Colleton Gazette, Mows.	1,334 25
Barnwell Journal, Dem.	1,191 49
Total	$75,000 00

I have no right to permit any one to inspect my vouchers, except those who are legally authorized to do so.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, yours,
(Signed) F. L. CARDOZA,
Treasurer South Carolina.

BEAUTY AND GENIUS.—HE LOVES Me.—The Big Pine Rode and Would Company have a few choice seats at the National Theatre THIS EVENING, corner First and D streets northwest. fe12

ON AND AFTER FEBRUARY 10 A REduction of twenty-five per cent. below the regular retail prices on all brands of Havana and Key West and Domestic Cigars, and all kinds of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco and Smokers' Articles, at M. GOLDSTEIN'S California Cigar Store, 611 Pennsylvania avenue, under Metropolitan Hotel. feb10-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.

MUST SELL AND WILL SELL.

VIRGINIA BOARDS, good, $15 per M.
JOIST and SCANTLING, all lengths and sizes, $15 per M.
5-8 WHITE PINE SIDEING, $30 per M. formerly $40. LATHS, $2 50 per M; formerly $3.
Good VIRGINIA FLOORING, $25 per M.
CEDAR POSTS, 20 and 30 cents.
All other kinds of LUMBER, dressed or rough, at less than market prices. A small lot of Oak, Ash and Walnut that I will sell at one half the usual prices. An early call will secure bargains.
GEO. H. JOHNSON,
fe4-3m Cor. Fifteenth and R sts. northwest.

TIN ROOFING,
BEST WORK AT LOWEST PRICES,
BY
TAYLOR & YOUNG,
442 Ninth st., bet. D and E Northwest.
feb3 6t

WATCHES.
ENGLISH, SWISS AND AMERICAN
Watches
BY ALL THE MOST CELEBRATED MAKERS.
A Large Assortment at Very Low Prices.
M. W. GALT, BRO. & CO.,
jan13-tf JEWELERS.

WEST END RESTAURANT,
1718 G Street N. W.,
THE FINEST STEAMED OYSTERS IN THE CITY.
Accommodations for Table Boarders. Open from 4 a. m. till 12 p. m. Hotels and families served with oysters in any part of the city or Georgetown and elsewhere free of charge. Persons will please leave their orders at the Restaurant, 1718 G street. The bar is stocked with the finest brands of liquors, and every convenient luxury that a first-class restaurant and the city market can supply will be found on my table.
jan-tf M. DEATLEY, Proprietor.

AWNINGS.
Awnings, Tents and Flags.
J. C. HOGAN, Manufacturer,
712 Market space, between Seventh and Eighth streets northwest. jap5-tf

AWNINGS, FLAGS AND TENTS.
M. O. COPELAND, MANUFACTURER,
ma 5-tf No. 468 Louisiana avenue.

WM. HENDERSON
CARPENTER AND BUILDER,
Massachusetts avenue, bet. Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.
(Residence 1719 Fourteenth street northwest.
All work executed promptly and faithfully. Terms moderate. fe15-1

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

☞ ST. PAUL'S ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, corner of Eleventh and H streets northwest. Services TO-MORROW MORNING and EVENING, at 11 and 7:30. Rev. S. Domer, pastor. fe12

☞ UNIVERSALIST SERVICES. Rev. C. H. Fay will preach in Tallmadge hall, on F street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, TO-MORROW at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school and Bible Class at 9:45. fe12*

☞ UNITARIAN SERVICES.—REV. Dr. HENRY W. BELLOWS, of New York, will preach in the Unitarian Church, corner Sixth and D streets, TO-MORROW, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. fe12*

☞ MT. VERNON PLACE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, corner Ninth and K sts. northwest.—Preaching TO-MORROW, (Sunday,) at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m., by Rev. A. W. Wilson, D. D. Public invited. (Star) feb12

☞ FOUNDRY CHURCH, FOURteenth and G streets.—The Rev. H. A. CLEVELAND, pastor, will preach SUNDAY, at 11 a. m., and the Rev. C. E. MARSHALL, D. D., the Pulpit Orator of Mississippi, at 7:30 p. m. Seats free. fe12*

☞ MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY at Wesley Chapel, corner Fifth and F streets, SABBATH DAY, February 13. Preaching at 11 a. m., by Rev. JAS. R. WHEELER. Sunday-school meeting at 7:30 p. m.—appropriate and interesting exercises, address by Wm. EMORY WOODWARD, and representation of the work of missions by three young ladies. The public cordially invited. The children's revival meetings will be held in this church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. fe12

☞ THE REV. E. P. HAMMOND, the noted Evangelist, is conducting Union Revival Meetings in this city daily:

SATURDAY, at 3:30 p. m., meeting for children and youth, in Foundry church.

SUNDAY, at 9 a. m., meeting for children and youth, in Wesley chapel, Fifth and F streets, and at 7 p. m., in Congregational church, Tenth and G streets, for general public.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, every night next week, at 7 o'clock. No meeting Saturday night.

LINCOLN HALL, every morning (except Sunday) next week, for Bible reading, prayer, address and conference.

Christian workers, penitent and ungodly invited. fe12*

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ OHIOANS TEMPORARILY RESiding at Washington are requested to meet at the Ohio Republican Congressional Executive Committee, 1006 F street, MONDAY EVENING, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a campaign club. Let all who are voters be in attendance. fe12-2t*

☞ THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between N. B. Clarke and C. J. Clarke, under the firm name of N. B. CLARKE & CO., insurance agents, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
C. J. CLARKE.
N. B. CLARKE.
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 1, 1876. febl1-3t

☞ A REDUCTION OF 25 PER CENT. below the regular retail rate for all brands of Cigars and Tobacco and Smokers' Luxuries at
M. GOLDSTEIN'S
California Cigar Store,
611 Pennsylvania avenue,
feb10-tf Under Metropolitan Hotel.

☞ SPECIAL NOTICE.—TO MAKE room for extensive alterations and our new Spring stock, we offer for CASH, at a reduction of 15 per cent. on our regular prices, all grades of WALL PAPER, WINDOW SHADES, and other goods in our line.
Gold Papers from 40c. per roll to $1 50.
Staple goods the lowest in the District.
The above for CASH ONLY, including same reduction on work.
No. 1223 Pennsylvania avenue.
February 1, 1876. fe4-8Tu Th Sa

☞ TO GAS CONSUMERS,
Notice is hereby given that on
May 1, 1876,
the net price of gas will be reduced to
$2.25 per 1,000 cubic feet.
CHARLES H. BAILEY,
Secretary Washington Gaslight Company.
jan31-30t

☞ SEND IN YOUR CARDS AT ONCE for the ALPHABETICAL BUSINESS DIRECTORY in the DAILY NATIONAL REPUBLICAN. Address Box 8, REPUBLICAN office.

☞ "CONGRESSMEN AND STRANGERS" and lovers of first-class "CIGARS" are hereby ordered to call at once on the
B-C CIGAR MAN,
and purchase a box of this celebrated B-C "CIGARS" for $1. A 10 cent Cigar for 4 cents.
920 F Street and 430 Seventh street.
☞ SIGN OF BIG CLOCK. ☜ jan15-tf

☞ RAILROAD TICKETS—TO CHICAGO, $12.50; Louisville, $16.50; Cincinnati, $14; Baltimore and return, $1.75. Can be had of BRAD. ADAMS, 512 F street, opposite Patent Office. jan12-tf

☞ YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, corner Ninth and D streets.
PARLORS AND CONVERSATION ROOM.
Evening Classes in German, French, Grammar and Arithmetic.
LITERARY SOCIETY.
Daily Prayer-meeting at 12:15 and 6 p. m.
SABBATH SERVICES in LINCOLN HALL at 3:30 p. m., conducted by the Young Men of the Association. Music led by Orran and Cornet.
YOUNG MEN'S MEETING (exclusively) at 6 p. m.
YOUNG MEN ARE CORDIALLY INVITED. dec16-tf

☞ SAMARITAN NERVINE, THE great nerve conqueror, cures epileptic fits, convulsions, spasms, St. Vitus dance and all nervous diseases; the only known positive remedy for epileptic fits. It has been tested by thousands, and has never been known to fail in a single case. Trial package free. Enclose stamp. Send circular, giving evidence of cures. Address, Dr. S. A. RICHMOND, Box 741, St. Joseph, Mo. no29-1y

☞ VEGETINE, PERUVIAN SYRUP and all other tonics and blood purifiers, Humphrey's Specifics and Witch Hazel, at the Temple Drug Store. nov6-tf

☞ REMEMBER JUSTH'S OLD STAND. He pays for second-hand Clothing, Boots, Shoes, &c., as "Fair (cash) Prices" as he always has, at 311 Seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh streets northwest. Note by mail promptly attended to. sep11-tf

☞ LUNG AND CHEST PROTECTORS. Hale's Honey and Tar, Bull's Syrup, Balsams, Expectorants and all cough remedies, at Temple Drug Store. nov6-tf

☞ DALLEY'S, TRASK'S AND other ointments, Gordshells, Carbolic, Rusis and all other salves, at Coughlin's Temple Drug Store. nov6-tf

☞ WILBOR'S, DE JOHN'S, MOLler's, Fougeras, Marvin's, Burnett's, Caswell's and other Cod Liver Oils, at Coughlin's Temple Drug Store. sep3-tf

☞ BOILING-HOT OR ICE-COLD TEA, COFFEE AND CHOCOLATE, PURE AND FRAGRANT,
Milburn's Unrivalled Soda,
1429 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,
oct28-tf Near Willard's Hotel.

☞ TEETH $7 PER SET, EITHER law, by Dr. A. FEIATT, graduate of Ohio College of Dental Surgeons, and of the Illinois Medical College, Chicago, 491 Seventh street, east side, corner of D. Gas and chloroform used in extracting teeth. jel1-tf

☞ DR. J. B. JOHNSON, OF ALEXandria, Va., offers his professional services as Surgeon, Physician and Oculist to the citizens of Columbia, under the Columbian Hotel. Office No. 1411 Pennsylvania avenue, between Willard's hotel and the Owen house. Office hours from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. my28-tf

☞ LEGAL AND OTHER BRIEFS PRINTED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE at the REPUBLICAN JOB OFFICE. no13-tf

☞ WRAPPING PAPER FOR SALE at this office.

☞ PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY compounded at COUGHLIN'S TEMPLE DRUG STORE, Masonic Temple. jan12

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BELMONT HOTEL,
621, 623 and 625 Washington st, Boston.
OPPOSITE GLOBE THEATRE.
Located in the centre of the city, and easily reached by street cars and stages. Elevator, steam and all modern improvements. Rooms, (European plan,) $1 per day upward. A first-class Restaurant and Private Dining Rooms, if preferred, at moderate rates. The most convenient location, a quiet and comfortable home, and first-class accommodations at prices adapted to the stringency of the times are the special advantages afforded at the "BELMONT." jan17-1y HARDY & CO., Proprietors.

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V. SHINN, PROPRIETOR.
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