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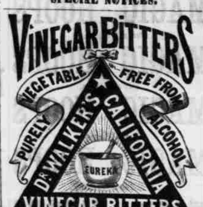

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To the people of the United States:—

The administration now in power has rendered itself guilty of wanton disregard of the laws of the land, and of usurping powers not granted by the constitution; it has acted as if the laws had binding force only for those who are governed, and not for those who govern. It has thus struck a blow at the fundamental principles of constitutional government and the liberties of the citizen.

The President of the United States has openly used the powers and opportunities of his high office for the promotion of personal ends.

He has kept notoriously corrupt and unworthy men in places of power and responsibility, to the detriment of the public interests.

He has used the public service of the government as a machinery of corruption and personal influence, and has interfered with tyranical arrogance in the political affairs of states and muncipalities.

He has rewarded with influential and lucrative officies men who had acquired his favor by valuable presents, thus stimulating the demoralization of our political life by his conspicious example.

He has shown himself deplorably unequal to the task imposed upon him by the necessities of the country, and culpably careless of the responsibilities of his high office.

The partisans of the administration assuming to be the Republican party, and controlling its organization, have attempted to justify such wrongs and palliate such abuses, to the end of maintaining partisan ascendancy.

They have stood in the way of necessary investigations and indispensible reforms, pretending that no serious fault could be found with the present administration of public affairs, thus seeking to blind the eyes of the people.

They have kept alive the passions and resentments of the late war, to use them for their own advantage; they have resorted to arbitrary measures in direct conflict with the organic law, instead of appealing to the better instincts and latent patriotism of the southern people by restoring to them these rights, the enjoyment of which is indispensable to a successful administration of their local affairs, and would tend to revive a patriotic and hopeful national feeling.

They have degraded themselves and the name of their party, once justly entitled to the confidence of the nation, by a base sycophancy to the dispenser of executive power and patronage, unworthy of republican freemen; they have sought to silence the voice of just criticism, and stifle the moral sense of the people, and to subjugate public opinion by tyrannical party discipline.

They are striving to maintain themselves in authority for selfish ends by an unscrupulous use of power the which rightfully belongs to the people, and should be employed only in the service of the country.

Believing that an organization thus led and controlled can no longer be of service to the bests interests of the republic, we have resolved to make an independent appeal to the sober judgment, conscience, and patriotism of the American people.

RESOLUTIONS.

We, the Liberal Republicans of the United States, in national convention assembled at Cincinnati, proclaim the following principles as essential to just government:

1. We recognize the equality of all men before the law, and hold that it is the duty of government, in its dealings with the people, to mete out equal and exact justice to all, of whatever nativity, race, color or persuasion, religious or political.

2. We pledge ourselves to maintain the union of these states, emancipation and enfrachisement, and to oppose any re-opening of the questions settled by the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments of the constitution.

3. We demand the immediate and absolute removal of all disabilities imposed on account of the rebellion, which was finally subdued seven years ago, believing that universal amnesty will result in complete pacification in all sections of the country.

4. Local self-government, with impartial suffrage, will guard the rights of all citizens more securely than any centralized power. The public welfare requires the supremacy of the civil over the military authority, and the freedom of person under the protection of the *habeas corpus*. We demand for the individual the largest liberty consistent with public order, for the state self-government, and for the nation a return to the methods of peace and the constitutional limitations of power.

5. The civil service of the government has become a mere instrument of partisan tyranny and personal ambition, and an object of selfish greed. It is a scandal and reproach upon free institutions, and breeds a demoralization dangerous to the perpetuity of Republican government.

6. We therefore, regard a thorough reform of the civil service as one of the most pressing necessities of the hour; that honesty, capacity, and fidelity constitute the only valid claims to public employment; that the offices of the government cease to be a matter of arbitrary favoritism and patronage, and that public station shall become again a place of honor. To this end it is imperatively required that no President shall be candidate for re election.

7. We demand a system of federal taxation which shall not unnecessarily interfere with the industry of the people, and which shall provide the means necessary to pay the expenses of the Government, economically administered, the pensions, the interest on the dublic debt, and a moderate annual reduction of the principal thereof; and recognizing that there are, in our midst, honest but irreconcilable differences of opinion with regard to the respective systems of protection and free trade, we remit the discussion of the subject to the people in their congressional districts, and the decision of Congress thereon, wholly free from executive interference or dictation.

8. The public credit must be sacredly maintained, and we denounce repudiation in every form and guise.

9. A speedy return to specie payments is demanded alike by the highest considerations of commercial morality and honest government.

10. We remember with gratitude the heroism and sacrifices of the soldiers and sailors of the Republic, and no act of ours shall ever detract from their justly earned fame or the full rewards of their patriotism.

11. We are opposed to all further grants of land to railroads or other corporations. The public domain should be held sacred to actual settlers.

12. We hold that it is the duty of the government in its intercourse with foreign nations to cultivate the friendships of peace by treating with all on fair and equal terms, regarding it alike dishonorable to demand what is not right or submit to what is wrong.

13. For the promotion and success of these vital principles, and the support of the candidates nominated by this convention, we invite and cordially welcome the co-operation of all patriotic citizens without regard to previous political affiliation.

The same platform, word for word was adopted by the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore—not a word more or less. And Horace Greeley and B. Gratz Brown nominated unanimously.

We have published in detail the State debts Grant's carpet baggers have created in the South, but here is the aggregate in ten Southern States :

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THE TRAITORS AND THE TRUE MEN.

Every Liberal Republican, according to the organs of the Office-Holders Party, is in some way a person of bad character, whose departure from the organization is matter for congratulation, and whose support of Mr. Greeley will be of no service. What a lot of disreputable men, then, the Republican party in the past must have had in its chief places! Thus:

Speaker of the House of Representatives, XXXVIIth Congress, Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania.

Speaker of the House of Representatives, XXXIVth Congress, and Chairman Foreign Relations Committee since, Nathaniel P. Banks, of Massachusetts.

Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, United States Senate, for many years, Charles Sumner, of Massachusetts.

Chairman of the Judiciary, United States Senate, for many years, Lyman Trumbull, of Illinois.

Chairman of Committee on Claims, House of Representatives, ex-Gov. Austin Blair, of Michigan.

Chairman of the Post Office Committee, House of Representatives, Gen. John F. Farnsworth, of Illinois.

Chairman of the Committee on Manufactures, United States Senate, ex-Gov. William Sprague, of Rhode Island.

Member Foreign Relations Committee, United States Senate, and since 1860 one of the most successful and valued orators and editors of the Republican party, Maj. Gen. Carl Schurz.

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Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, House of Representatives, XXXVIth and XXXVIIth Congresses, John Hickman of Pennsylvania.

Governor of Illinois, and former Commander of the Fourteenth Army Corps, Gen. John M. Palmer.

Chief-Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, former Governor of Ohio, Senator, and Secretary of the Treasury Salmon P. Chase.

Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, one of the founders of the Republican party of the West, David Davis, of Illinois.

Finally, of the five Free-Soil Senators who helped organize the Republican party one is for Grant, one is taking no part in the contest, and the other three are for Greeley; of the Republican electors in the State of New York in 1868 over one half are already declared for Greeley; of the four surviving members of Abraham Lincoln's Cabinet three ardently support the Liberal cause. The people are asked to believe all these men traitors to Republicanism of which they have been prophets, and to the Republican party which they founded and led. They are asked to accept instead of these traitors, as the only true men now, and the rightful Republican leaders, Roscoe Conkling, Simon Cameron, O. P. Morton, Zachariah Chandler, and Matthew H. Carpenter.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

THE REAL REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The Democracy, or that division of it which followed Silas Wright and Martin Van Buren in concert with the abolition and a portion of the whig, comprised the original Republican party. The purpose was to put limits to chattel slavery, and that accomplished, to resume old relations. Had it not been for the war this would have long since been accomplished, for the Democrat was no less one on every question of principle because he withdrew temporarily on such an issue, and the abolitionist was even more democratic on that subject than either of the other parties. The Liberal move simply brings men together again who believe alike on economic and financial questions—the others being definitely settled. It is an obvious and natural relation, and a duty of the hour. Nearly all the really great minds of the Republican party have given in their adhesion to the reform movement. The accession of such men as Sumner Trumbull, Schurz, and a thousand other great names, means something more than a scramble for office. It means that the real democracy of the country are again in harmonious accord—that the grand old party, purified and refined, is again to resume its ancient control as in the days of Jefferson and Jackson.

On the contrary, little is left of vital force to the Radical party but copperheads and bummers. All its principal leaders were the most servile tools of the slave power. Grant voted for James Buchanan. Butler voted in the Charleston convention more than a hundred successive times for Jeff. Davis against Stephen A. Douglas. Logan was a secessionist to the last moment of personal safety. Carpenter was a copperhead throughout the war. Morton was a Johnson man, and so on to the end of the chapter. The men whose stupid follies divided the old democracy of the country, are now radical leaders, while those who adhered to principle are in the Liberal ranks. Parties have changed sides again—and honesty is in close alliance to get rid of an element which ruins whatever it touches.—*St. Paul Pioneer.*

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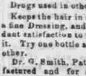
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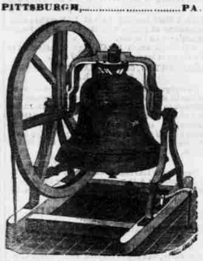

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