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THE INAUGURAL.

President Garfield's Address Upon the Past and the Future of the Nation.

WASHINGTON, March 4

The following is President Garfield's inaugural address :

FELLOW CITIZENS: We stand to-day upon an eminence which overlooks a hundred years of national life—a century crowded with perils, but crowned with the triumphs of liberty and law. Before coutinuing the onward march let us pause on this height for a moment to strengthen our faith and renew our hope by a glance at the pathway along nope by a glance at the pathway along which our people have traveled. It is now three days more than a hundred years since the adoption of the first written Constitution of the United States—the articles of confederation and perpetual union. The new republic was thus beset with danger on every hand. It had not conquered a place in the family of nations. The decisive battle family of nations. The decisive battle of the war for independence, whose centennial anniversary vull soon be gratefully celebrated at Yorktown, had not yet been fought. The colonists were struggling not only against armies of a semilation but explicit the article of a great nation, but against the settled opinions of mankind, for the world did not then believe that the supreme authority of government could be safely entrusted to the guardianship of the people themselves. We cannot overestimate the fervent

of liberty, the intelligent courage the saving common sense with love which our fathers made the great ex-periment of self-government. When they found, after a short trial, that the Confederacy of States was too weak to meet the necessities of a vigorous and expanding Republic, they boldly set it aside and in its stead established a na-tional Union, founded directly upon the whole of the people, endowed with full powers of self-preservation and with ample authority for the accomplishment of other great objects. Under this Con-stitution boundaries of freedom have been enlarged, the foundations of order and neare have been strengthened and and peace have been strengthened and the growth of our peop'e in all the bet-ter elements of national life has vindicated the wisdom of the founders and given new hopes to their descendants. Under this Constitution our people long ger from without and secured for their mariners and flag equality of rights on all the seas. Under this Constitution twenty-five States have been added to be be under the seas. framed and enforced by their own citi-zens to secure the manifold blessings of original thirteen States, and a popula-tion twenty times greater than that of 1780. The supreme trial of the Constitution came at last under the tremend ous pressure of civil war. We ourselves are witnesses that the Union emerged from the blood and fire of conflict puri-fied and made stronger for all the bene ficent purposes of good government. And now, at the close of this first century of growth with the inspirations of its history in their hearts, our people have lately reviewed the condition of have lately reviewed the condition of the nation, passed judgment upon the conduct and opinions of political par-ties and have registered their will con-cerning the future administration of the government. To interpret and to exe-cute that will in accordance with the Constitution is the paramount duty of the Executive.

necessary rights of local self-govern-ment, but it does fix and establish the permanent supremacy of the Union. The will of the nation, speaking through the voice of battle and through the amended constitution, has fulfilled the great promise of 1776 by proclaim-ing "liberty throughout the land to all the inhabitants thereof." The eleva-tion of the negro race from slavery to the full rights of citizenship is the most important political change we have known since the adoption of the Con-stitution of 1787. No thoughtful man can fail to appreciate its beneficent ef-fect upon our institutions and people. It has freed us from the perpetual dan-ger of war and dissolution. It has added immensely to the moral and in-dividual forces of our people. It has liberated the master as well as the slave from a relation which wronged and en-

liberated the master as well as the slave from a relation which wronged and en-feebled both. It has surrendered to their own guardianship the manhood of more than 5,000,000 people, and has opened to each one of them a career of freedom and usefulness. It has given new inspiration to the power of self help in both races by making labor more honorable to the one and more necessary to the other. The influence of this force will grow greater and bear of this force will grow greater and bear rich fruit with the coming years.

No doubt the great change has caused serious disturbance to our Southerr communities. This is to be deplored Southern though it was perhaps unavoidable. But those who resisted the change should remember that under our institutions there was no middle ground for the negro race between slavery and equal citizenship. There can be no permanent disfranchised peasantry in the United States. Freedom can never yield its fullness of blessings so long as the law or its administration places the obstacle in the pathway of any virtuous citizen.

The emancipated race has already made remarkable progress. With un-questioning devotion to the Union, questioning devotion to the Union, with a patience and gentleness not born of fear, they have "followed the light" as God gave them to see the light." They are rapidly laying the material foundations of self support, widening the circle of intelligence and beginning to an or the blassings that gather round to enjoy the blessings that gather round the homes of the industrious poor They deserve the generous encourage-ment of all good men. So far as my authority can lawfully extend, they shall enjoy the full and equal protection of the Constitution and the laws.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

The free enjoyment of equal suffrage is still in question, and a frank state-ment of the issue may aid its solution. It is alleged that in many communities negro citizens are practically denied the freedom of the ballot. In so far as the truth of this allegation is admitted, it is answered that in many places ho local government is impossible if mass of uneducated negroes are allowed to vote. These are grave allegations So far as the latter is true, it is the only palliation that can be offered for oppos-ing the freedom of the ballot. Bad local government is certainly a great evil which ought to be prevented, but to violate the freedom and sanctity of the suffrage is more than an evil-it is a crime, which, if persisted in, will de stroy the government itself. Suicide is not a remedy. If in other lands it hot a remedy. If in other lands it be high treason to compass the death of the King, it should be counted no less a crime here to strangle our sovereign power and stiffe its voice. It has been said that unsettled questions have no pity for the repose of nations. It should be said with the utmost empha sis that this question of suffrage wil It will never give repose or safety to the na-tion until each within its own jurisdic-tion makes and keeps the ballot free and pure by the strong sanctions of the law. But the danger which arises from ignorance in the voter cannot be denied It covers a field far wider than that of negro suffrage and the present condition of that race

It is a danger that lurks and hides in the sources and fountains of power in every State. We have no standard by which to measure the disaster that may be brought upon us by ignorance and vice in the citizens when joined to cor-ruption and fraud in the suffrage. The voters of the Union, who make

twenty-five States have been added to government, can transit the coming the Union with constitutions and laws thority to no successor save the coming the dard enforced by their own citi- generation of voters, who are the sole generation of voters, who are the sole heirs of sovereign power. If that genlocal self government. The jurisdiction eration comes to its inheritance blinded nosande area fifty times greater than that of the fall of the Republic will be certain and remediless. The census has already sounded the alarm in the appalling figures which mark how dangerously high the tide of illiteracy has risen among our voters and their children. To the South this ques-tion is of supreme importance, but the responsibility for the existence of slav-ery did not rest upon the South along ery did not rest upon the South alone.

of the highest importance to our moral and material well-being invite us, and offer ample scope for the employment offer ample scope for the employment of our best powers. Let all our people, leaving behind them the battle-fields of dead issues, move forward and in the strength of liberty and the restored Union win the grander victories of peace. The prosperity which now pre-vals is without a parallel in our history. Fruifful seasons have done much to se-cure it, but they have not done all. The preservation of the public credit and the resumption of specie payments so successfully attained by the adminis-teriors. tration of my predecessors, have ena-bled our people to secure the blessings which the seasons brought.

THE FINANCES.

THE FINANCES. By the experience of commercial na-tions in all ages it has been found that gold and silver afford the only safe foundation for a monetary system. Con-fusion has recently been created by va-riations in the relative value of the two metals, but L confidently helieve that metals, but I confidently believe that arrangements can be made between the leading commercial nations which will secure the general use of both metals. Congress should provide that the com-pulsory coinage of silver now required by law may not disturb our monetary system by driving either metal out of circulation. If possible such an adjust-ment should be made that the purchas-ing power of every coined dollar will be exactly equal to its debt-paying power in all the markets of the world. The chief duty of the National Government in connection with the currency of the country is to coin money and declare its value. Grave doubts have been entertained whether or not Congress is au-thorized by the Constitution, to make any form of paper money legal tender. The present issue of United States notes has been sustained by the necessities of mer but such measurabould demend for war, but such paper should depend for its value and currency upon its conve-nience in use and its prompt redemp-tion in coin at the will of the holder and upon its compulsory circulation. These notes are not money, but promises to pay money. If the holders demand it the promise should be kept. The refunding of the national debt at a lower rate of interest should be accom-plished without compelling the with-drawal of the national bank notes and thus disturbing the business of the country. I venture to refer to the posicountry. I venture to refer to the posi-tion I have occupied on financial questions during a long service in Congress, and to say that time and experience have strengthened the opinions I have so often expressed on these subjects. The finances of the government shall suffer no detriment which it may be possible for my administration to prevent.

INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE.

The interests of agriculture deserve more attention from the government than they have yet received. The farms of the United States afford homes and employment for more than one half oar people and furnish much the largest part of all our exports. As the govern-ment lights our coasts for the protection of mariners and the benefit of commerce, so it should give to the tillers of the soil lights of practical science and experience. Our manufacturers are rapidly making us industrially independent and are opening to capital and labor new and profitable fields of em-ployment. Their steady and healthy growth should still be maintained. Our facilities for transportation should be promoted by the continued improve ment of our great interior waterways and the increase of our tonnage on the ocean. The development of the world's commerce has led to an urgent demand for shortening the great sea voyage around Cape Horn, by constructing ship canals or railways across the isthmus which unites the two continents. Va-rious plans to this end have been suggested and will need consideration, but none have been sufficiently matured to warrant the United States in extending pecuniary aid. The subject, however, is one which will immediately engage the attention of the government, with a view to a thorough protection to American interests. We will urge no narrow policy, nor seek peculiar or exnarrow policy, nor seek peculiar of ex-clusive privileges in our commercial route, but, in the language of my pre-decessor, I believe it to be "the right and duty of the United States to assert

tion, invading neither the rights of the tion, invading neither the rights of the States nor the reserved rights of the people, it will be the purpose of my administration to maintain the authori-ty of the nation and in all places within its jurisdiction to enforce obedience to all the laws of the Union in the inter-ests of the people; to demand rigid economy in all the expenditures of the government and to require the honest government and to require the honest and faithful service of all executive of ficers - remembering that the offices were created not for the benefit of incumbents or their supporters, but for the service of the government.

And now, fellow-citizens, I am about to assume the great trust which you have committed to my hands. I appeal I appeal for that earnest and thoughtful support which makes this government in fact, as it is in law, a government of the people. I shall greatly rely upon the wisdom and patriotism of Congress and of those who may share with me the responsibilites and duties of adminis-tration. And, above all, upon our ef-forts to promote the welfare of this great people and their government, I reverentially invoke the support and blessings of Almighty God.

Collision on the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad.

The train leaving Washington at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, to which the car bearing Mr. Hayes and party was attached, came in collision with a south bound train of empty passenger cars, deswn by two drawn by two engines, near Severn Station, eleven miles from Baltimore. The trains were running at the rate of forty miles an hour. The engine and three or four of the passenger cars were thrown from the track and several cars telescoped, while the shrill hiss of escaping steam and cries of the wound-ed and affrighted passengers added to the confusion. Almost all on the train were thrown from their seats, and the next instant were scrambling wildly from doors and windows. The tender of the passenger engine was driven through the front of the first Pullman car, occupied by a special party from Shamokin, Pa. This car in turn was crushed half way through the second, while on all sides were smoking and steaming masses of debris, formed by the shattered engines, which were al-most completely demolished. The first engine of the two bound to Washington was twisted on one side and had wed the earth for yards. . Wyman Young, of Shamokin, Pa.,

and John Oliver, baggage master, were instantly killed. The following were injured : Edward Williams, right ankle instantly killed. The following were injured : Edward Williams, right ankle fractured ; J. A. Weaver, badly cut. over the left eye and ear; J. W. Si-monds, cut on left side of head ; D. D. Domer, a scalp wound ; W. P. Morrall, back of head cut; D. D. Geiger, fingers and head cut; J. Johnson, conducter Pullman car, right ankle cut; porter of Pullman car, leg broken.

ohn Oliver, baggage master, killed: d. Freeburn, engineman, skull fractur d; John Unglaub, head cut and badly H.

DANVILLE, March 7.-Nine-tenths of the stone building known as the hospital for the insane, at this place, are now a total ruin, nothing but the nak-ed walls remaining. No greater calamed walls remaining. No greater calam-ity has ever befallen the Commonwealth or brought more sadness and sorrow to hundreds of households. A few minutes after eight o'clock Saturday even-ing, during the chapel hour, the dread-ed cry of fire was raised by some of the attendants, and on making a hurried examination smoke was discovered issuing from the door leading to an unoccupied ward on the female side of the great building, in what was known as the east wing. The hospital containas the east wing. The hospital contain-ed about four hundred and ninety patients, one hundred and eighty of whom were females, and the next move was to change those in the threatened part of the building to the side appar

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

PUBLIC SALES .- Messrs. D. Sharer and C. Deckert, administrators of the late John L. Rockey, of Spring township, offer a large number of the personal effects belonging to the deceased at public sale, on Friday, March 11. Among the articles numerated in the attractive sale bills already printed are several head of young cattle, good milk cows, wagons, reapers, harness, cultivators, ½ interest in separator and horse power, &c. These articles are in good condition. It is one of the best opportunities of the season.

-On Thursday, March 10, a sale will also take place at the residence of D. M. Weaver, one mile northwest of Pine Grove Mills, along the White Hall road. Three splendid cows, six head of young cattle, one combined champion reaper and mower, one sulky cultivator, one gum spring grain drill, sixty feet of belting-3 inches wide, &c., are upon the bills which advertise the sale. Sale to begin at one o'clock.

-A sale of valuable real estate will take place from the store of J. C. Sample, at Pine Grove Mills, on Saturday, March 12, at one o'clock P. M. The land described for sale is located about one mile east of Pine Grove Mills, and is bounded by the lands of John Brett, David and Reed Barr, William Bloom, Mr. Archey and Tussy Mountain. It contains forty-tree acres, a good house and an apple orchard. Possession given on April 1.

-A sale which will attract the attention of those desiring to purchase farm stock and implements is the one to take place at the residence of Mr. George Koon, on the farm of Robert Kendal, in Benner township, one mile east of Pleasant Gap, on Thursday, March 17. It will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. Among the stock and implements for sale are three colts, one Excelsior reaper, a Centre Hall corn planter, plows, harrows, cultivators, &c.

JURORS FOR THE AFRIL COURT .-- The next term of Court for this county will begin on the fourth Monday, (28th day), of April for which the following Grand and Traverse jurors have been drawn :

GRAND JURORS.

R. C. Cheeseman, Belle Aaron Runkle, Potter, Pat McCann, Rush. R. C. Chessensan, Beilefte, Pat Kelly, Snow Shoe, Aaron Rowkie, Potter, George Fravel, Snow Kass, George Erkle, Ferguson, Vinton Beckwith, Tajo
Samuel Eoy, Walker, John S. Emerick, Miles, William Biel, Spring, J. A. Houter, Haiff Moon, W. E. Shaffer, Walker, J. A. Houter, Haiff Moon, W. B. Shaffer, Walker, J. A. Houter, Haiff Moon, W. B. Shaffer, Walker, J. Molholland, Burnaide, G. W. Gray, Patton, TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WERK, T. K. Gower, Liberty, Euring, G. Gomer, J. Marker, J. Molholland, Burnaide, G. W. Gray, Patton, John B. Gohesen, Ferguson, John B. Gohesen, Ferguson, John B. Gohesen, Ferguson, John B. Gohesen, Ferguson, John H. Stover, Union, J. J. Fleicher, Walker, Chas, E. Vearick, Marker, D. C. Gingrich, College, Jeremish Jones, Miles, B. K. Wassen, Kerguson, J. J. Fleicher, Walker, D. C. Gingrich, College, Jeremish Jones, Mile, Jeremish Jones, Mile, Man H. Stover, Union, A. J. Pietcher, Walker, Dan H. Stover, Union, Marker, Haton, Morgan M. Lucas, Boggs, W. Facholds, Bellefnet, Balel Irvin, Haston, W. J. Renolds, Bellefnet, B. M. Sauton, S. J. Herting, Gregg, K. K. Brand, Bernaide, John H. Stover, Union, Marker, Bellefnet, Balel Irvin, Haston, W. J. Renolds, Bellefnet, B. M. Sauton, S. J. Heilefnet, Balel Irvin, Haston, W. J. Renolds, Bellefnet, Henry Reseer, Patton, James Gates, Sp E. G. Van Pelt, 1 Abel Campbell

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M. Morison, Bellefolte.
John S. Auman, Gregg.
C. Mingie, Bellefolte.
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John Meyers, Harris.
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bruised on legs and side; Robert Oliver, E. M. Sceen, G. F. Reise, Jacob Rider, Robert Everbart and William Talbott, train hands, were more or less cut and bruised, but none seriously.

The Danville Asylum Destroyed.

LEAVING THE PAST BEHIND.

Even from this brief review it is man ifest that the nation is resolutely facing to the front, resolved to employ its best to the hold, resolved to employ its best energies in developing the great possi-bilities of the future. Sacredly pre-serving whatever has been gained to liberty and good government during the century, our people are determined to leave behind them all those bitter conbilities of the future. Sacredly pre-serving whatever has been gained to liberty and good government during the century, our people are determined to leave behind them all those bitter con-troversies concerning things which have been irrevocably settled and the further dissussion of which can only stir up strife and delay the onward march. The supremacy of the nation and its laws should be no longer a subject of debate. That discussion, which for half a century threatened the existence of the Union, was closed at last in the high court of war hy a decree from which

UNIVERSAL EDUCATION.

The nation itself is responsible for the extension of the suffrage and is un-der special obligations to aid in removing the illiteracy which it has added to the voting population. For the North and South alike there is but one reme-All the constitutional power dy. All the constitutional power of the nation and of the States and all the volunteer forces of the people should be summoned to meet this dan-ger by the saving influence of universal education. It is the high privilege and sacreu duty of those now living to edu-cate their successors and fit them by intelligence and virtue for the inheriintelligence and virtue for the inheri-tance which awaits them. In this be-neficent work sections and races should

debate. That discussion, which for half a century threatened the existence of the Union, was closed at last in the hind court of war by a decree from which there is no appeal, that the Constitution and the laws made in pursuance thereof law of the land, binding alike upon the States and the people. This decree does not disturb the autonomy of the States nor interfere with any of their

across the isthmus that connects North and South America as will protect our national interests." THE MORNON CHURCH. The Constitution guarantees absolute freedom. Congress is prohibited from making any law respecting an establish ment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof. The Territories of the United States are subject to legislative authority of Congress, and hence the General Government is responsible for any violation of the Constitution in any of them. It is therefore a reproach to the government that in the most popu-lous of the Territories the constitutional guarantee is not enjoined by the people and the authority of Congress is set at naught. The Mormon Church not only naught. offends the moral sense of mankind b sanctioning polygamy, but prevents the administration of justice through the ordinary instrumentalities of law. In my judgment, it is the duty of Congress, while respecting to the uttermost the conscientious convictions and religious scruples of every citizen, to prohibit within its jurisdiction all criminal practices and piety of that class which de-stroy the family relations and endanger social order. Nor can any ecclesiaatic al organization be safely permitted to usurp in the smallest degree the functions and powers of the National Government.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

THE CIVIL SERVICE. The civil service can never be placed on a satisfactory basis until it is regu-lated by law. For the good of the service itself, for the protection of those who are entrusted with the appointing power against the waste of time and obstruction of the public business caus-ed by the inordinate pressure for place

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At No. 509 Montgomery street, San Francisco, can be seen an expensive suit of clothes, consisting of merely a dress coat and a pair of pantaloons, the cost of which, nevertheless, is \$700. The suit has been made for Colonel W. N. suit has been made for Colonel W. N. Armstrong, one of the members of the suite of King Kalakaua, and is for use on State occasions. The front and borders of the coat are ornamented with a mass of gold embroidery, six or eight inches wide, consisting of leaves and sprigs worked by hand with gold bullion wire. The pantaloons have stripes formed of leaves of the same coatly material. costly material.

Mrs. H. H. Ingham, of Monroeton, Mirs. H. H. Ingham, of Monroeton, Bradford county, waited upon a niece attacked by scarlet fever. In wiping the patient's mouth the saliva came in contact with a sore on Mrs. Ingham's hand, causing her death. The niece recovered.

The town of Millheim is located in Penn's Valley, about two miles from Coburn Station, on the Lewis-burg. Centre and Spruce Creek Railroad, wish sar-roundings that make it a

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