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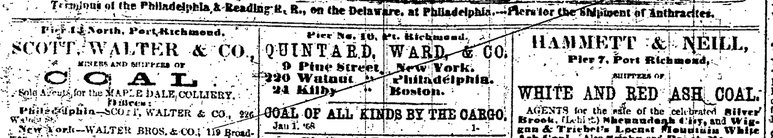

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Twenty-two years since they were first introduced into this country from Germany, during which time they have undoubtedly performed more cures, and accomplished more genuine good than any other remedies known to the public. FEVER AND AGUE, DEBILITY, Chronic Diseases, Diseases of the Liver, Stomach, Kidneys, and all Diseases Arising from a Disordered Liver, Stomach, or Intestines, Debility from any Cause whatever, PROSTRATION OF THE SYSTEM, Induced by Severe Labor, Hardships, Exposures, Fevers, &c. There is no medicine extant equal to these remedies in such cases. A tone and vigor is imparted to the whole system, the appetite is strengthened, food is enjoyed, the stomach digests promptly, the blood is purified, the complexion becomes sound and healthy, the yellow tinge is eradicated from the eyes, a healthy glow is given to the cheeks, and the weak and nervous invalid becomes a strong and hearty being. PERSONS ADVANCED IN LIFE, and feeling the need of time weakening heavily upon them, will find in all the attributes of the TONIC, an elixir that will add new life into their veins, and infuse in a manner the buoyant spirits of more youthful days, build up their shrunken forms, and give health and happiness to their remaining years. NOTICE. It is a well-established fact that fully one-half of the population are good-for-nothing dyspeptics, because they neglect the first symptom of liver complaint, which could, if taken in time, be cured by a few bottles of Hoofland's German Bitters. Such things are also said with equal force of our Secretary. Nor is it forgotten that the Senate, by two solemn votes of more than two-thirds, has twice insulted him to stay at the War Department, the President to the contrary notwithstanding. The people will not easily understand on what principle of Constitution, law, or morals, the Senate can twice instruct the Secretary to stay, and then, by another vote, deliberately surrender him a prey to Presidential tyranny. Talk of a somersault; talk of self-stultification; are not both here? God save us from participation in this disastrous wrong, and may He temper it kindly to our afflicted country. For myself, I cannot despair of the Republic. It is a life boat, which wind and wave cannot sink; but it may suffer much and be beaten by storms. All this I clearly see before us if you fall to displace an unfit commander, whose power is a peril and a shame. Alas! for all the evil that must break upon the country, especially in the suffering South, as it goes forth that this bad man is confirmed in the prerogatives he has usurped. Alas! for that peace and reconciliation, the longing of good men, now postponed. Alas! for that security, so important to all, as the only foundation on which to build, politically or financially. This, too, is postponed. How can people found a government or plant or buy unless they are first secure. Alas! for the Republic, degraded as never before, while the Whisky Ring holds its orgy of corruption and the Kuklux Klan holds its orgy of blood. Alas! for the hearts of the people bruised to unutterable sadness, as they witness the cruel tyranny installed anew. Alas! for that race so long oppressed, but at last redeemed from bondage, now plunged back into another hell of torment. Alas! for the Unionists, white and black alike, who have trusted to our flag. You now surrender them to those persecutors, whose representative is before you for judgment. They are the last in my thought, as I pronounce that vote which is too feeble to protect them from intolerable wrong and outrage. They are fellow-citizens of a common country, brethren of a common humanity. I offer them, at this terrible moment, the sympathy and fellowship of a heart that suffers with them. So just a cause cannot be lost. Meanwhile, may they find in themselves and in the goodness of an overruling Providence, that succor and protection which the Senate refuses to give.

AFRAID TO TRUST GENERAL GRANT. To the Editor of the Press: Sir: The day after the nomination of General Grant by the Chicago Convention, one of the need-to-be good Republicans said to me: "I presume the nomination pleases you, but I am afraid to trust him." For the benefit of such Republicans, let us look back a few years. After Grant had conquered Vicksburg, weary and worn with fatigue of body and mind, he fitted himself for a comfortable quarters, and prepared to enjoy the rest and quiet he so much needed, and had so richly earned; but scarcely was he settled when the cry rang through the country, "Grant must come to Richmond or all is lost;" and when, soldier-like, without a murmur, and with as little delay as possible, he prepared for the great work, the telegraph flashed over the wires the joyful tidings that "General Grant was on his way to take command of the Army of the Potomac," who that loves their country did not breathe easier and step lighter; and who that did not but carried a heavy heart? None dared to trust him then. On the contrary, in him was all our hope. What he could not accomplish, we felt could not be done. The soldiers of the country will not fear to trust him, for who, like him, aided all the preceding upon him, ceased not to consider their personal feelings and comfort? Well do I remember the morning, shortly after the surrender of Vicksburg, when the order was issued furloughing for thirty days a certain number of men daily from each regiment until all had had an opportunity to visit their homes. How the weary were refreshed; how the disheartened took fresh courage; how the sick tried to get well.—What a scene! Everything that looked like a furlough was quite upon was rushed into service; the whole army was writing the joyful news home that they were coming; they did not know exactly when, but whenever their turns came. Go where you would there were but two words to be heard, GRANT and HOME. But as the adage has it, "Easy talking, but hard doing." The conveyance of the furloughed was not forthcoming, and the poor fellows had to wait and wait, and, as the days passed by, their hopes, so long deferred, began to sicken, and many, very many, fell by the way-side, victims to the cruelty of those who, for political purposes, had thus trifled with their feelings. The furlough system was soon abandoned, and the men had to take their chances with the rest of the army. The Chicago Convention, composed of men who had served their country in the field, and who had seen the sacrifices made by the soldiers, and who had seen how they had been trifled with, and how they had been sacrificed to political necessity, in their patriotic zeal, forgetting all else, nominated the man who was the idol of the soldiers, and who was the only man who could have been nominated and have a chance of being elected. Now, the question is, shall the soldiers be disappointed? Shall the hopes of the Union men be crushed? Shall the country be sacrificed? Shall the Republic be imperiled? Shall the Rebels be encouraged? Shall the Union men of the South be left to the tender mercies of their foes? Shall the Union men of the South be left to the tender mercies of their foes? Shall the Union men of the South be left to the tender mercies of their foes