

The One Friend.

The following will be new to our readers. We get the facts from a source which we know to be trustworthy.

President LINCOLN, on one of his early morning walks, while McCLELLAN, with the Army of the Potomac, was on the Chickahominy, dropped in at the War Office, and found the Secretary, as usual, up to his ears in business. Telegrams were thick upon his desk, and important reports from subordinates were at each elbow. The President nodded kindly and sat down.

As it chanced, Mr. Lincoln had seated himself by a small table upon which was a pile of papers held together by a spring clasp. He had seen too many papers of that description not to know what they were. They were petitions for office some as long as a "Corn Law" petition, and signed by the whole voting force of a district, others with not more than one or two hundred names, while others had come with fewer, and with still fewer signers. Some were signed by Governors, ex-Governors, and Members of Congress, and others had only recommendations of military heroes of fame and renown.

The office asked for was a valuable one. The former incumbent had been transferred to an important post in the West by Gen. Halleck, and a special detail by the Secretary had since been doing the duties appertaining to the vacant office. Mr. Lincoln took the applications from their clasp, and looked them over. His face lengthened, and his lips tightened, as his gaze became lost in the wilderness of names opened before him.

"Stanton," said he, "what are you going to do about this? Have you selected your man for the place?"

"Selected!" cried the Secretary, pushing away a lot of papers from before him, and facing about. "How is a man going to select? Look at the list of applicants, and look at the hosts of sponsors. Just at this moment I don't want to offend any body needlessly. I am obliged to offend enough any way."

"Here's a man really recommended," and Mr. Lincoln, holding up an application of great length, and bearing the signatures of men mighty in the political arena. "This man ought to be worthy."

"Look further, Mr. President, and you will find that petition thrown in the shade entirely."

"Mercy!" exclaimed the President. He had taken hold of a petition which unfolded itself to the floor.

"Go on,—go on,—you'll find more of the same sort," said the Secretary.

The President overhauled the heap, and near the bottom he came across a simple petition, bearing only the signature of the applicant.

"Poor fellow! Here must be a man without friends. Not one to speak a word in his favor. And how simply he asks for the situation—as though it were the office of pedagogue in a frontier school. Do you know the man?"

The Secretary took the petition and looked at it.

"Yes he said. 'He brought the petition with his own hand. He was introduced to you last evening, at Seward's.'"

"I remember," said Mr. Lincoln, with a brightening look. "The plainly dressed, quiet youth, who had his mother with him?"

"Yes."

"Say, Stanton, do you think him fit for the place?"

"I do, certainly."

"Then, as he seems so entirely friendless among the multitude who have friends without number, I will be his friend. He shall have it at last."

And President Lincoln took a pen and placed his strong autograph upon the margin of the young man's petition.

We need hardly add that the young man thus befriended received the appointment. We may add, however, that he proved himself a most worthy recipient of the good President's favor.

The Sweetness of Home.

He that has no home has not the sweetest pleasure of life; he feels not the thousand endearments that cluster around that hallowed spot to fill the void of his aching heart, and while away his leisure moments in the sweetest of life's joys. Is misfortune your lot? You will find a friendly welcome from hearts beating time to your own. The chosen partner of your toil has a smile of approbation when others have deserted, a hand of hope when all others refuse, a heart to feel your sorrows as if they were her own. Perhaps a smiling cherub, with prattling glee and joyous laugh, will drive sorrow from your careworn brow, and enclose it in the wreath of domestic bliss. No matter how humble that home may be, how destitute its stores, or how poorly its inmates are clad, if true hearts dwell there it is yet a home. A cheerful, prudent wife, obedient and affectionate children, will give their possessors more real joy than bags of gold and worldly honors. The home of a temperate, industrious and honest man will be his greatest joy. He comes to it weary and worn, but the music of the merry laugh and the happy voices of the children cheer. A plain but a healthy meal awaits him. Envy, ambition and strife have no place there, and with a clear conscience he lays a weary limb down to rest in the bosom of his family and under the protecting care of the poor man's friend.

The following Senators' terms expire with the present session: Francis D. Collins, of Luzerne county, Democrat; Wm. McSherry, of Adams county, Democrat; Wm. A. Wallace of Clearfield county, Democrat; Butler B. Strang, of Tioga county, Republican; James M. Weakley, of Cumberland county, Republican; Lafayette Fish, of Susquehanna county, Republican; E. W. Davis, of Philadelphia county, Republican; James L. Graham, of Allegheny county, Republican; Miesl S. Humphreys, of Allegheny county, Republican; Harry White, of Indiana county, Republican; A. K. McClure, of Philadelphia county, Liberal Republican.

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April 10, 1873-4f.

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Oct. 13, 1867.]

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Rye Whiskey, 7 years old,

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Stroudsburg, Pa. July 24, 73-6m.

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Carriage Work or Blacksmithing

DONE IN A

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pared, at his establishment, at the

corner of Simpson and Sarah streets, in

the borough of Stroudsburg, to make to

order, every style of

Carriage, Wagon,

and, in fact, everything in his line of

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Having first-class material always on

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In connection with his Carriage Shop

he has also a Blacksmith Shop, where

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The Millinery business will be carried on

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Patronage respectfully solicited.

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April 26, 1866.

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PORTABLE STEAM ENGINES,

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Call in and see my stock and Machinery.

G. SANFORD.

March 6, 1873.—4f.

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