

Lieutenant Governor.

The Raftman Journal speaking of ex-Congressman Patton in connection with the Lieutenant Governorship says: "In the session of 1861-2, when trusty and determined men were required, Gen. Patton was looked upon as one who could always be relied upon, and soon became known as one of the most active and efficient working members of that ever memorable Congress. During his two years service his course was highly acceptable to his constituents, and when offered a re-nomination, voluntarily declined."

Gen. Patton would, in our opinion, make a strong candidate. Of pure personal character and high social standing, he is also possessed of great energy and fine ability. He is a sound Republican, has a political record, free from blunder or stain. Among those who are likely to be named for the position we scarcely think a more trusty or worthy man than Gen. Patton will be brought before the Republican State Convention for nomination.

Persons intending to be candidates for office next fall, or any time thereafter should peruse the following extracts from the "bill to define the necessary and proper expenses incidental to the nomination and election of Senators, Representatives, State, Judicial and county officers," which has been passed by the House, and will in all probability be concurred in by the Senate:

It provides "That no person who shall hereafter be a candidate for the nomination or election to the Senate or House of Representatives, or to any office of the judiciary, or to any State or county office in the Commonwealth shall be allowed to pay or contribute, either directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing, or knowingly allow it to be done by others for him, either for the nomination, election, or appointment, except for his tickets, and distributing the same, for publishing his card, for printing circulars, and for circulating the same."

The second section makes it a misdemeanor to violate the foregoing provisions punishable by fine of not more than five hundred dollars, and imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding two years."

The third section follows the language of the Constitution, and declares that any person who shall refuse to take this oath shall forfeit his office, and if convicted of swearing falsely shall be guilty of perjury, and punished by fine and imprisonment not to exceed five years, and "be forever disqualified from hold any office of trust or profit in this Commonwealth."

The fourth section provides that in trial under this act "no person shall be permitted to withhold his testimony upon the ground that it may criminate himself or subject him to public infamy, but such testimony shall not afterwards be used against him in any judicial proceedings except for perjury in giving such testimony."

Ex-President Fillmore died of paralysis at his home in Buffalo, on Sunday evening last. The following executive order was issued by the President on Monday morning:

WASHINGTON, March 9, 1874.—It is with deep regret that the President announces to the people of the United States the death of Millard Fillmore, one of his honored predecessors, who died at Buffalo, New York, last evening. The long continued public services and eminent purity of character of the deceased ex-President will be remembered beyond the days of mourning in which the nation will be thrown by the event thus announced. As a mark of respect to his memory, it is ordered that the Executive Mansion and the several Departments at Washington be draped in mourning until the close of the day on which the funeral shall take place, and that business be suspended on the day of the funeral. It is furthermore ordered that the War and Navy Departments cause suitable military and naval honors to be paid on the occasion to the memory of the eminent citizen, whose life is now closed.

U. S. GRANT, President. [Signed.] HAMILTON FISK, Sec'y of State.

Considerable excitement was created here last Thursday morning, at the report that the ladies were to make a raid on the U. S. Hotel. It was caused by some wag sending Mr. Smith, proprietor, a postal card announcing that they would be at his place, between eight and nine o'clock that morning, for the purpose of holding a prayer and consultation meeting.—Pennings Critique.

Says the Boston Globe of the woman's praying movement in Worcester: "The Lewis plan won't work in Massachusetts. The Worcester women have acted as we believed they would, abandoned it, and arranged one of their own, less sensational, but likely to be more effective. Thus, we are spared the spectacle of a mob of women parading the streets of Worcester, making an attractive exhibition to street idlers, obstructing the ways, and rendering themselves liable to civil process. The better plan adopted by the Worcester women for the suppression of the evil of retail liquor vending is, we understand, to attack the dealers quietly, persistently, and sensibly. The city is to be divided into many small districts, each of which is to be assigned to a small committee of the churches, the members of which are to quietly visit the dealers, from time to time, and use their best endeavors to make them quit the business. It is to try 'moral suasion' in as unostentatious and unobtrusive manner as possible. In this move the women have the co-operation of the clergy and the sympathy of all Christian people and honest reformers."

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