

**The Forest Republican.**

W. H. DUNN EDITOR.

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**TURNING.**

The following doubtful praise and hard hits come from the Pittsburgh Gazette: "We have no anxiety to praise a political shuttle-cock, yet the New York Herald has done a praiseworthy thing recently. It admitted to its columns a reply by Mr. Stoughton, an able lawyer in New York, to George Tickner Garris' charges against the President's Louisiana policy. Mr. Stoughton takes the position that under the Constitution and the law the legality or illegality of Kellogg's election as Governor had nothing whatever to do with the question at issue. The President was compelled to recognize some one as Governor, and he accepted the man the courts had adjudged the position. Having done this, it was his duty to use the army to maintain Kellogg in power till he had been legally declared not entitled to it. Further, to this end, it was his duty to enforce peace and quiet, by the same means. Even John C. Calhoun, the early apostle of State Rights Democracy, lays down a constitutional duty in such cases, in a manner to exactly justify the President's Louisiana course. Strangely the Herald accepts the convincing logic of Mr. Stoughton and supports its editorials. Of course, the turn about of the Herald will convince the many Democratic papers that have been deriving aid and comfort from its columns.

The United States Senate is to be called together in extraordinary session by the President on March 4th, immediately after the expiration of the present session. The object is to consider the lately negotiated reciprocity treaty between the United States and the Sandwich Islands. There is such a pressure of business at this time that the Senate will be unable to give this treaty the attention required, and the President has therefore announced that he will call the new body together. The next Senate which thus assembles will contain the new Senators already chosen for the next term.

Candidates for the next Republican nomination for Governor of this State are already being numerously named. Among those already suggested are Governor Hartranft, Gen. Charles Albright, of Mauch Chunk; Winthrop W. Ketchum, of Luzerne; Charles Thompson Jones, of Delaware; Jas. S. Negley, of Pittsburgh; Judge Scofield, Gen. Todd and John W. Killinger.

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