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DEVOTED TO LITERATURE, SCIENCE AND
ART, AND THE
Principles of 1776 and '87.

C. CHAUNCEY BURN, Editor.

This Magazine will continue to defend the principles of Government which guided our fathers in the foundation of the Republic. The spirit and doctrine of the two first volumes will be fully maintained in the third volume. We have no compromise to make with error—no party with despotism. Democracy will be treated, not as a varying policy of cunning office-seekers and spell-binders, but rather as an abiding principle of political economy and of popular liberty. All supporters of this revolution will be held to be held to the enemies of the Democracy. We shall acknowledge no organization to be Democratic which does not honestly ennoble and support the principles of the Kentucky and Virginia Resolutions of 1798 and the Dred Scott Decision of the Supreme Court, the one asserting State Sovereignty and the other White Supremacy. To preserve these honorable doctrines, the Democratic party was organized by the very founders of the Federal Government, and it remained true to them down to the fatal and dishonoring departure, at the commencement of this war. The Old Guard is an organ of Democracy as it was, before this cowardly surrender of principle and as it must be again, before it can reclaim our country from the rule of faction and despotism. This year it has been enlarged to double its former size—that is, to forty-eight pages—for the purpose of making it in all respects, as to style and matter, a popular literary and Family Magazine.

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The Democracy of the North will, come a fatal error if they accept the result of the late Presidential election as an indication of the will of the people. They will then be obliged to follow the lead of the political action until the opening of the next campaign. The future welfare of the republic depends upon the political zeal and activity of the Democracy during the year 1865.

The small majority of the popular vote elected the Black Republican candidate, considered in view of the extraordinary resources of the Administration for corruption and compulsion, attests that the power of the Democracy, on a fair field, is equal to the vindication of Democratic principles.

There is one feature in the result of the Presidential election that goes far to reconcile the patriot to the hard fate of his country under four years more of Black Republican misrule. The baited meteor, which lingered in grief while in our political atmosphere has vanished for ever. War Democracy has fulfilled its mission of disorganization, and like any other pestilence will be remembered only for the evil it has done.

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