

President Hayes' Circular to Office-holders, in Harmony with his Southern Policy...

The following circular has been issued by President Hayes:

Executive Mansion, Washington, June 22, 1877. Sir: I desire to call your attention to the following paragraph in a letter addressed by me to the Secretary of the Treasury...

The principle advocated in the circular is in perfect accord with the principle that underlies the Southern policy of President Hayes...

It is the same doctrine that he declared to the people of the South when he told them that the politics of the respective States, and counties, towns, and townships of States, should be free from General Government influence...

In the Southern case the President takes the position that the military shall not be used so as to extend any pet schemes of the Administration...

In the Civil Service case, to which the circular relates, the principle is the same as applied to the South...

Certain people have been loud in their disapproval of the order. They declare that its enforcement will destroy the organization of the Republican party...

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Senator James Blaine was there, and was to follow Mr. Chamberlain in the malcontent, but seeing the gulf that his colleague plunged into, he was enough to not say a word...

Put Out of the Church. A member of a Presbyterian church in Mansfield, O., was suspended because, having been married in England and separated from his wife, he married again in this country.

The old rule used to be that the people 'run the office-holder,' but the case got changed. The President's intention is to get it back...

The President's circular contains the very foundation idea of Republicanism, that every man shall have the full right to express himself and vote as he chooses...

Thousands upon thousands of officials believed that they were expected to win by 'hook or crook' such things as Congressmen or other high grade government officials wished won...

It does not mean that they shall support their party enemies; it does not mean that they shall not give to the support of their friends as much as they please...

It liberates the people from the office-holder, and it liberates the office-holder from the position of the mere lackey.

At Wilkesbarre, on Friday, Isabel Parish, of Pittston, for having ordered her servant girl to put her little stepson upon a red hot stove...

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The next execution. Governor Hartranft has fixed the time for the execution of Thomas P. Fisher, of Summit Hill...

The death warrant was read to Fisher June 27. He received the announcement with a stoical silence.

The report prevails that Dr. Julius Le Moyne, of Washington, Pa., has put a clause in his will requiring all his children to sign an agreement giving their bodies to the cremation furnace.

A heavy axle was torn from under a farm wagon and blown completely through a frame house, leaving large shattered apertures at its entrance...

The reputation of Minnesota is much worse than was at first supposed. The State, as soon as organized, voted unanimously to help the railroads...

The official returns for the year 1875 show that the number of people destroyed in India by wild beasts and snake bites was 21,391.

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Three ordinary wooden barns with their contents were taken up by the storm and entirely destroyed, so that nothing recognizable is left of them.

A cow was blown two hundred yards and instantly killed. A stone horse had its roof gone and the end blown down.

The field of clover in Crawford county was unprecedentedly large this season.

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