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SPEECH!

THAT "THE WAR WAS JUST AND NECESSARY."

18th 1866.

OF REPRESENTATION.

Advocates the Constitutional Amendment.

NEW ALBANY, ISD., July 18 The Union Congressional Convention for this District was held at the Fair grounds to-day; five counties were represented; six thousand persons were

At 2 P. M., Governor Morton appeard, accompanied by Goa't Gresham and others. The Governor scemed weak, and was assisted to the stand, where, taking a seat, he delivered an eloquent vocifier@is appliantes

GOVERNOR MOREOUS SPEECIL Some three or four weeks ago a Damo cratic convention was held in this city at Voorhees and McDonald, and a series of [ resolutions adopted.

The resolutions were evidently intend ol to inaugurate a new policy in the Democratic party, and to enable the into rebellion ! party, if possible, to relieve itself of the dium with which it is now looked down ried to the bottom.

clares that the war was just and necess under it doing all those things which say to prevent the disruption of the should be cheerfully performed by every late masters will have thirty votes in Against this among

over, the men compound the convention discovered for the first time that the war was "just and necessary" on our part was wicked and answer attached and answer attach the great body of the people of the to by down our arms and sac are tripped of all political rights what United States more than five years be peaced

Neverthe'ess, New Albany, was salects ed as the place of revolution, and the poli-

THIRSTNO MORE! it as a confession, springing not from Constitution." penitence of the heart, but from hopes of They never discovered the fact until \*\*Job" E'ERPROR'S pardon and renewed life. The men ofter success had crowned our arms, and no possible claim to it. to receive it as an avidence that they their every effort to seeme the success of Keeps Good Rye Walskey, Brandles of all have from the liest been in favor of the the rebelion had failed; and the queswar, and demanded that they shall be tion I now submit to you, and which is received as good Union men, who have already present in your minds, is, whethprotected and preserved the country, or these men have had an actual revelsand not as friends, niders and abettors tion of new truth, and have realized a

Allow me to say to them, their request circumstances have changed by which will not be granted. They will be held they are surrounded, and to which they Greensbore, for Pittsburgh every Monday, to the record, and cannot be relieved are now, for selfish and political purposes, Wednesday and Friday, at warm. Leaves from their great responsibilities by the seeking to adapt themselves. cheap discovery that the war was "just | When Democratic leaders now resolve

was ended. It is true, our Savior, in his parable, said and done for the last six years, and described those who came in at the elev- contradict and nullify every other plank quarter of a million, have but six votes certain great privileges or immunities, that case would always have been under when restored to political power, they will eath hour, as having received as much in their platform, but they can not blot pay as those who had worked all day; out the story of th ir misdeeds, nor FMHS safe line will forward with dispatch all | but still it must be remembered that they came in one hour before the work was cord of their crimes against the conndone, and helped to finish it, but these Democratic politicians did not come in until sixteen months after the work was

Democratic party throughout the war the Senate, while it is intended that the Congress has passed a joint resolution within its jurisdiction the equal protect | ed by Judge Perkins in the communicaunconstitutio at I and assert that it was represented in the House. withdraw from the Union, according to count of their property.

armies of the South?

nominated, speeches was made by Messra | punished and excluded from Congress. | seventyst wo in all.

and by which it must ere long be carlistments, enter the army themselves, more voice in making the laws by which worthy or until to receive and enjoy pohe'p to support addiers' families, and viders, than the beauts of the field, and brais for conferring political rights and McDonald I am unable to say, as I am and broken it, having involved the

why did the Dan eratic politicisms go ed vote of Indiana and Ohio. In other Congress voted against h, and Demo- It is as well so that meany other pro-Sixteen amouths after the war was to Chiengo, in the midst of the last great worlds, the white men of these robel -a trath which had been arrived at by part what it was a billure, and we ought ann, by representing the negroes, who

ticians there assembled the humble ins cd-after the victory had been won- votes more for the negroes. struments for the dissemination of the after every enemy in the field had been. Democratic politicians appeal to the belong to their party, will vote their different States.

making this confession ask the country defeat had overwhelmed their allies, and change of heart, or whether only the

and necessary," sixteen months after it that the war "was just and necessary" erase from the page of history the re-

EQUALIZING REPRESENTATION.

denounce it as unnecessary, unhily and people shall be equitably and equally amending the Constitution of the United tion of the laws.

wicked invasion of their rights? If the stitution, Representatives were apport is decical in any State to any of the male parson who may be within the jurisdies the States, and to go into any and all war was "just and necessary," why tioned among the several States by adds unhabitants of such States to any of the male parson who may be within the jurisdies the States, and there acquire that citi-At New Albany, Ind., July war was "just and necessary," why tioned among the several States by add- inhabitants of such State, twenty-one tion of any State, whether citizen or zenship, and enjoy such political rights, did Democratic members of Congress ing to the whole number of free persons, years of age, and a citizen of the United allen, and without regard to condition in addition to civil, as the State may vote against all supplies of men and mo- "excluding Indians, not taxed; three. States, or is many way abridged, ex- or residence, not only as to life and confer on its citizens, and the proposed ney-ig dust, all appropriations and fifths of all other persons." These three cept for participation in the rebellion, or liberty, but also as to property. It has Constitutional Amendment meets these HE REVIEWS THE DECLARATION measures necessary to carry on the war, lifths of all other persons were slaves, other crime, the basis of representation happened at times past that several of and do all in their power, by their and, in effect, every five slaves were theremshall be reduced, in the proper, the Southern States discriminated against speeches, to discourage the loy d people counted as three free persons, in making tion such male citizens shall bear to the the citizens of other States, by windhols confers the right of suffrage upon neof the North, and encourage the disloyal up the ratio of representation. This was whole number of male citizens twenty-diag the protection of the laws for his gross, it wholly defeats the operation of DWELLS ON THE EQUALIZATION people of the South! If the war was a very hard provision for t'e people of one years of age in such State . "just and necessary," why did Demo- the free States, but it was demanded by The effect of this amendment will be ordinary remedies in the Courts, for the gratic politicians throughout Indiana dies the slaveholders, and canceded by our to exclude the negro population from vindication of their civil rights, and hence courage emistments, labor to keep Dems fathers in compromise, they believing being counted in making up the basis of the adoption of this provision. ocrats from going into the army, and that slavery was first passing away, and representation in any State in which meexhort the people to resist the drait? It could not andure a quarter of a century, grees over twenty-one years of ago bear ed, to relicen a desperate cause, that the the war was 'just and necessary," why and it became finally an almost intolers the same proportion to the whole negro first section of the amendment conters AND DENOUNCES THE DEMOCRATIC did Democratic politicians argue that the able burden and infratice, as it gave to population that white males over twenty- the right of suffrage upon negroes in Government could not cource a State ! the South a representation of twenty- one years of age bear to the whole white and that each State hall a right to judge two votes in the Hosse of Representss population, and defluets the negro popular my astonishment that any respectable of the infraction of the Constitution, as tives and in the Electoral College for lation by that proportion from the whole well as the remedy? and peaceably to President and Vice President, on ac- number for which representation is to

If the war was just and necessary," eleven read States not irelading in their the rebel. States from the aggregate why did the Demogracy of Washington number Kentucky, Mayland, Delaware number for which representation is to county, in a meeting held at Salem, in and Missouri, had a white population of the given, and will deprive them of thirty February, 1831, resolve that if a separas 0,002,051, and had a negro population votes in Congress, and in the Electoral tion took place between the North and of 3,759,031. By the last apportions trollege It also deducts the twelve South, the line of separation must run ment, which allowed one Representative thousand in Indiana, from the aggregate North of Washington county; and that for every 125,000 people, the white population for which she is entitled to address of nearly three hours, during if they were compelled to fight on either population of these rebel. States would representation, and so in every other side, they would be found fighting in the entitle them to forty-two Represents. State. Talsamen Lucut, in effect, leaves tives, and the colored population, now the question of negro suffage to each If "the war was just and necessary," that slavery is ab dished, and each negro State, to be determined by and within on our part, then, of course, the rebel- counts as one person, would callife them itself. If South Carolina wants reprelion was wicked, and rebels ought to be to thirty Representatives more, anking scatation for ner negroes, she has but to

now in these cleven rebel States the ne-Hothe war was just and necessary," grees enjoy no political rights or conwhy did not these men encourage ens sideration whatever. They have no is a race of people who are deemed ans contribute to the Sanitary Commission, they are governed, or in choosing their litical rights, they shall not be made the Congress and in the Electoral College If the wir was just and measurry," on their account-just equal to the unit-

And in short, if war was "just and The negro, for binnelf, amonats to South, imposing conditions upon robels, and a native born person may least his curred in aid of insurrection or rebellion How it happened that this discovery may see sury," why did Domorranie political mortging, and his expression of the fitting of the fatting of was first made at New Albray, or by measurement and become an engagement of extending search of the loss of enancipation of any stave, and for a long-time tall to negative them but all such delts, obligations and claims what means the truth broke in upon teen months after it was over t and after to a man and counts for a men, for the rotate the energias advantage they in any other; but during that time he is shall be held illegal and yold." minds so politically nearly and so far they had done all the harm they could. benefit of white reliefs, by whom he is now have, whereby each one of them unquestionably a chizen of the United and when their adhesion to the Govern surrounded. The white people of the heresixty per coat, more of power in the States. role! States have forty two votes for Guranment than has a chazes of Indis Asta what constitutes chazenship has public dobt, including debts incurred

conquered, and every obstacle at home vargar projections of the people, by claims theket, and naist them in gesting into It is from the first part of the second clause prohibits the as-This resolution is a complete and un- had been overcome, and the nation had ling that this is a white man's Governs power. reserved confession of the disloyal and been preserved, without the mid of the ment, is it which has there votes in Contreasonable course pursued by the so Democratic party, and in spite of it, then gress and thirty votes in the Electoral called Donocratic party throughout the portion of it which inhabits this Cons College, based on negro representation? in these words: war, and a full admission that their pringressional District came together in Cons
This advantage which the rebel States
"All persons born or naturalized in the that it is pretended to extract negro man excluders enough to believe that eiples and practices were hostile to the vention in the year of Oar Lord one now have is monstraits, and is not to be United States, and subject to the juris-suffrage. Now if the right of suffrage is the party which is to be formed in Main St., nearly apposite Weight House,

READY made work on book on book and the services of two distrelates works are non-likely member is presented the services of two distrelates works are non-likely member is presented to execute all orders in the member is presented to execute all orders in the member is presented to execute all orders in the members are non-likely members and presented to execute all orders in the members are non-likely members and presented to execute all orders in the members are non-likely members and presented to execute all orders in the members are non-likely members and presented to execute all orders in the members are non-likely members and subject to the form of the party which is discussed in the party which is discussed to the form of the party which is discussed in the party which is the party which is discussed to the present of the party which is discussed in the party which retain it. Even if they were toyal—if they hadtried to sa tain the Government they hadtried to sa tain the Government United States nor shall may State deprive is conferred, regulated, bestowed or themselves to pay the interest on the

They have thirty votes in Congress equal protection of its laws." that have no constituency; thirty votes The first clause of the section declares no logic or truth in their position. Nor them for the loss of their slaves? from Obio and Indiana.

on our part, they stultify all they have while Ohio Indiana and Illinois, with a ted States, as such, though they may of the United States, but does not con conquering the rebels, they are naturally

should have equal representation in the provision. There are two kinds of representation Senate, and we are not seeking to change The second part of the clause declares provisions in the Constitution of the slaves.

States, the second clause of which pro- By this it is untended to throw the "Tae rights and lumunities of a torged upon our Southern brethren by a In the original formation of the Con- vides "that whenever the right to vote equal protection of the law around every citizen of the United States are to enjoy

confer the right of suffrage upon her H'athe war was just and necessary," By the same consustice seven Norths male negroes over twenty-one years of why did the Sons of Liberty conspire to western States had a negro population age, and she will have it. And the matoverturn the State Government, release of 65,000, 12,000 of whom lived in Indis ter is referred entirely to her own derebel prisoners, seize arsenals, marder and, and altogether making but half termination, and so with every other on the proposition that the proposed

cratic party has placed itself in direct the shallow protence that this section opposition. Democratic members of confers negro suffrage eratic politicians are misrepresenting it position connected with constitutional passed until the layer rebel States are any State. The man of foreign birth sions and bounties for services in supthey knew tall well no enmendment on a thus made a citizen of the United States, be passed abidging the p wer of the although he is not a citizen of any State. After the rebelion had been suppress themselves, and then will have thirty and, or any other Northern State, and State, depends upon its constitution and for payment of pensions and bounties

instead of destroy it—they could have any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the

as from thirty rollen boroughs under the who shall be citizens of the United States, is the right of suffage an immunity or To prosecute the wer, the Govern-English system. And these thirty votes but does not add to their provileges or privilege belonging to the citizens of a ment had to borrow large sums of money just balance and set off the thirty votes immunities as citizens. It gives no right, State, as such, but is conferred apon such by the sale of stocks. The Democrasent up by three millions six hundred power or privilege to citizens of the citizens as the Constitution and laws tio leaders of the North, being hostile and fourty-two thousand white people United States which they have not always thereof prescribe. Women and children to the stocks, and did everything in possessed.

advantages in the government, which it prohibits any State from making or en-suffrage is a privilege or immusity of money in them, well knowing that if seems to me ought to satisfy the most forcing a law which shall abridge the citizens of the United States, as such, they succeeded in this, the war must avaricious Demogratic politician. They privileges or immunities of citizens of then it has alway been so, for the amend fail, and the rebellion triumph. The have twenty-two votes in the Senate, the United States. Citizens of the Units ment only deflaces who shall be citizens debt having been created for the purpose of juint population exceeding theirs by a not be the citizens of any State, have for new privileges or immunities, and in hostile to it, and it can not be expected that This is a gross inequality, and would which are not to be abridged or inters the control of Congress, and not of the vote to tax themselves for its payment, nor seem to have but little foundation in fered with by the laws of any State,- States. reason, yet it was part of the original This has been done heretofore in many That the right of suffrage is conferred purpose. The new party to be formed at theory of the Government, that the cases, whereby great wrongs were in- and regulated by the States exclusively, Philadelphia will inevitably be, from the nature States, without regard to the population, flicted; and hence the necessity of this is a proposition to well understood to be of the elements of which it will be composed, a

In bana and every other State, I confess lawyer who has the slightest regard for any office, civil or military, under the his legal reputation should be wiking to United States, or under any State, who, be given. This will have the effect to commit himself to such a proposition, having previously taken an oath as a According to the censes of 1860, the deduct the whole negro population of and argue against the clear meaning of the English language, and the mandest State Legislature, to support the Constispirit and purpose of the amen linear - tution of the United States, shall have They might as well try to extract negro engaged in insurrection and rebellion suffrage from the Ninth Commandment, against the same, or given aid or comfort witness against thy neighbor," and in House, remove such disability." fact, I commend these gentlemen to the particular study of that commandment.

> It is one of the most flagrant and impudent attempts to practice a found upon a communication published only last the following languages

imendment to the Constitution conters The principle enunciated by the argro sufrage, but that is plainly a falso proceeds doubtless, upon the opinion amendment is this, that wherever there proposition, and one on which defeat that it is but enough to permit rebels to

not tamiliar with his speeches; but it is

they demand it because these rebels have. The conditions are different in for services in suppressing the rebellion

clause of the section, which says "that sumption or payment, by the United no State shall make or enforce any law States, or any State, of any part of the The first section of the amendment is which shall abridge the privileges or im- rebel war debt, or any claim for the loss the United States, as such, and there is rebel was debt, and agree to indemnify are entizens of the State, but have not their power to destroy their credit and These eleven rebel States have other The first part of the second clause the right of suffrage. If the right of prevent the people from investing their

argued here, and springs directly from repudiating party, except upon the condition as these min now say, why did, the has two Representatives, or Senators, in and injustice I have been describing, process of law, nor deny to any person munities which are very clearly describ

If the first section of the amendment the second section, which is intended to and liberty, and denying to them the equalize the representation, and proceeds directly upon the hypothesis that suftrage is regulated by the several States, and makes the basis of representation depend upon the action had by the States on that subject.

The third section reads as follows: "That no person shall be a Senator or Representative in congress, or elector of to the enemies thereof But Congress

The justice of this section appeals to the heart of every loyal man as a self-cvi-

may, by a vote of two-thirds of each

dent proposition. It renders ineligible to any office unthe public mind of which I have any der the States, or any State, those proknowledge, and should be held up to minent and leading rebels, who, having general execution and contempt. And held important offices, in which they so shameless is it that Judge Perklas, in took an oath to support the Constitution of the Unite I States, afterward commitweek, in referring to this subject uses ted perjury by engaging in the rebell-

It provides that the offices shall not hereafter be held by perjured rebels. and must of course result. The proposed hold office, but that when they have adamendment does not confer negro suf- ded to their treason the violation of their country in the horrors of civil war, truth, that they should not again be trusted.

The Fourth section of the amendment

United States, nor any State, shall as-

The first clause declares, "that the

can it be expected that they will act with any Northern party who will tax them for that