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AN OLD HERO SPEAKS.

It will be remembered that in the early part of the late war, Gen. James Shields, the bullet-proof hero of the Mexican war, fought a battle with the Confederate forces under Stonewall Jackson, at Cross-Keys, Va., in which, for the only time in the brilliant military career of that General, Stonewall was whipped.

The following calm, temperate and patriotic letter, written to a friend by the General, who has recently been nominated for Congress in the Sixth District of Missouri, gives an insight into the condition of things there, which should impress every candid mind with the conviction that Jacobinism is the enemy of peace and order wherever it predominates.

MY DEAR FRIEND—I regret that this production was put upon me, but with God's help, I will go through the canvass in such a way as not to damage our cause. I consider the present canvass in this State fearfully important.

Yours sincerely, JAMES SHIELDS.

LEAVING THE FOUL PARTY.

In addition to the thousands of names which we have already announced, of men who have left the (miscalled) Republican party, we add the name of T. J. Magnius, of Zanesville, Ohio, a distinguished member of the bar, formerly a Republican member of the State Senate from Muskingum county, who, disgusted with the doctrines of the party, has left it, and joined the Democratic ranks.

WILL YOU?

What? Vote with the party led by Butler, the thief, and Bingham the murderer of an innocent woman. Vote the Democratic ticket, and secure peace and harmony to the people of our whole country.

THE INVINCIBLE CANDIDATE.

Grant is kept completely out of the sight of the American people. He was switched off to Galena after his western trip, and has been kept closely confined to the house ever since.

The latest illustration of Radical hate for white men is the discharge of the white physician in Fifth Ward, Washington, and the appointment by the Radical mayor of a negro quack in his place.

FURTHER INCREASE OF THE PUBLIC DEBT.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald says: Estimating from the figures of the Treasury Department, so far as they have been ascertained, the statement of the public debt for the month will disclose an other small increase of the national indebtedness.

How can the bondholders expect the Radicals to pay the obligations in gold while their miserable reconstruction policy increases the debt from month to month?

THE KEYSTONE STATE.

The Keystone State is the battleground. It is the old cry. From all sides it comes. Maine and Vermont—Connecticut and Oregon are forgotten.

But mere words now are idle. If the people do not see how great the stake is, what can be said to declare it to them. The man who to day does not feel that he is a "subject" to the government of the time, is lost to all sense of a genuine freedom.

—Patrick was in charge of a ferry boat. A lady passenger being frightened by the waves asked him "if people were ever lost by these boats?" He gave the encouraging reply, "Not often, ma'am—we generally find them after wards by dragging the river."

—Vote the Democratic ticket.

YOUNG MEN.

Young men of America! You are now entering upon the duties of life—are bending your energies to solve the problem before us all, and are about voting for or against your interests.

The Republican party has created a gigantic aristocracy based on your labor—on bonds given and made exempt from taxation. These bonds are simply your notes!

When the war began the notes did not exist. Under the laws of America they cannot legally exist as created, for they bring wealth to those who hold them and are not taxed.

If you have a little farm, or a team, or trade, or a piece of property worth one thousand dollars, or if you pay taxes. This is right. If a rich man has a million dollars invested in bonds, your notes, which he says you must pay, he pays no taxes.

Your labor, under Republican laws enrich the aristocrat who produces nothing. He does not work the law compels you to support him.

If you are content with this inequality of taxation; if you are willing to be robbed to support the rich; if you are willing to work, not to beautify your own homes, but the homes of the bondholders, then you are indeed unfit to be husbands, fathers, or citizens of America.

Your duty is to those you love, and if you love the aristocrat, the wife and children of the Republican-made aristocrat, whose wealth is the pocket full of notes somebody signed for you to pay; if you love the ones who sneer at you, who look upon you as poor, ignorant workmen; if you love those who boast of holding you as slaves, more than you love your own wife, children, homes, or happiness then you deserve to be slaves forever.

If you do not care to enjoy the fruits of your own toil, vote the Republican ticket—strengthen the claims of the bondholders—sink labor into the mire and elevate the carriage of the bondholder, and add to your taxes.

A SENSIBLE DARKEY.—When the bill was up the other day, in the South Carolina Legislature, so called, for compelling hotels, steamboats, railroads, persons doing business under license, and public institutions, to make no distinction between white folks and niggers, CAIN, a negro member familiarly known in Charleston as "Daddy," took a very sensible view of the subject, saying, in substance, that "people of his color had no right to demand or expect more, in the way of legislation from South Carolina, than was accorded by the General Government, nor to dare hope that the prejudices of the white men were to be blotted out by any act they might pass.

Will the "Massachusetts men" make a note of this? The "honorable gentleman" who made that remark has given you a hint which it would be greatly for the peace of the country for you to take home and follow.

THE VERMONT ELECTION.—Now that the smoke has lifted from the field in Vermont we will analyze the result, and show that instead of encouraging the partisans of Grant to hope for his election, it clearly indicates the success of the Democratic ticket.

Any honest arithmetical calculation which will encourage the Democracy, coming from Vermont is at least five hundred per cent. more cheering than appears on the surface.

The Radicals claim that the majority in that little State, at the late election, was 26,965. In the year of our Lord 1864 Mr. Lincoln carried the State by a majority of 29,089. No test can be applied in other than presidential years. The Democratic vote is 702 larger this year than in 1865, while the Republican vote is 1,430 less.

THE OCTOBER ELECTION.

There is no such thing as ever estimating the importance of carrying the October election. Fellow Democrats, we must do it. There should not be in our vocabulary, such a word as fail. We must elect our candidate for Auditor General, Charles E. Boyle; we must elect our candidate for Surveyor General, and a majority of the members of Congress, and a majority of the Legislature. These things we can do, if we act vigorously, and get out the Democratic vote; and, as we can do them, we must do them.

Such a glorious result as this fellow Democrats, is worth working for, and shame on him who flinches from duty now the pinch has come.

HOW TAXES AFFECT THE WORKINGMAN.—Every workingman is taxed to help pay three hundred and sixty six thousand dollars a day to support a standing army for the benefit of the Radical party. And yet this is only one item in the long catalogue of burdens imposed upon the people.

THE BRITISH COLONIES are anxious to attract to their shores some of the emigration that pours so bountifully into the United States. They offer bounties and homesteads but can't divert the current.

—Pretence quotes the remark of a New York paper that "suicide is becoming alarmingly prevalent in that city, and remarks: "We fear there are few cities where it could prevail with greater advantage to the world at large."

BROWNLOW'S KINGDOM.

Parson Brownlow, who has established his kingdom in Tennessee by the help of Federal bayonets, is the prophet, the priest, the Mokanna of the Radical party. Tennessee, under his craft and cruel rule, is the only one of the rebel States which has been reconstructed in conformity to the views of the Radical leaders.

Before the breaking out of the rebellion this high priest of the Radical party was a fanatical Methodist preacher of the slaveholding and slavehunting type. As a pulpit politician and editor of a quasi-religious paper, Brownlow far surpassed the most virulent of his sect in the malice and spite which he exhibited towards the Northern people in his sermons and editorials.

In 1860 he sailed forth from his Tennessee village, Bible in hand, to meet an anti-slavery champion in debate in Philadelphia. His speeches in that debate with their strange mingling of the Bible texts and blasphemous scurrility, disgusted all who heard them.

The breaking out of the war found Brownlow a violent secessionist, and he suggested in his newspaper the most cruel punishment of all Yankee invaders who were captured. But he afterwards found it his interest to espouse the cause of the Union, and employed the same Scripture texts and the same violent abuse against the secessionists which had formerly been so convenient in making the abolitionists odious to the Southern people.

With the close of the war, Brownlow returned to Tennessee, and devoted himself to the work of Radical Reconstruction and negro domination. He became Governor and is now absolute dictator. His government is one of the bright spots in the Radical chapter of reconstruction. Behold it! This day his rule is sustained by the bayonet of the soldier and a system of craft and violence, unknown elsewhere in the civilized world, surpassing the worst which the carpet baggers have been able to accomplish in other reconstructed States.

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This is the first attempt to establish a monarchy within the United States. It foreshadows the coming empire with Grant for dictator, and Ben Butler for prime minister. This kingdom of Brownlow is a constant menace to Republican liberty in every other State of the Union. It is for the people of this country to determine, in the approaching elections, whether it shall be upheld and perpetuated forever.

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Paleness of Blood, Headache, Acidity of the Stomach, Indigestion, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Belching, Singing or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swelling of the Throat, Difficulty in Swallowing, Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Position, Faintness of Vision, Dizziness or Vertigo, Dropsical Swellings of the Feet, Dropsical Swellings of the Face, Dropsical Swellings of the Neck, Dropsical Swellings of the Arms, Dropsical Swellings of the Legs, Dropsical Swellings of the Hands, Dropsical Swellings of the Feet, Dropsical Swellings of the Neck, Dropsical Swellings of the Arms, Dropsical Swellings of the Legs, Dropsical Swellings of the Hands.

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Weak and Delicate Children. Are cured by using the Bitters. It is a powerful and reliable medicine for all the above mentioned ailments.

Blood Purifiers. Goodland's German Bitters is a powerful and reliable medicine for all the above mentioned ailments.

Caution. Goodland's German Bitters is a powerful and reliable medicine for all the above mentioned ailments.

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