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The True Man. Who shall judge a man from manners: Who shall know him by his dress? Paupers may be fit for princes,

Princes fit for something less. Crumpled shirt and dirty jacket May be lothe the golden ore Of the deepest thought and feeling-Satin vests could do no more.

There are springs of c ystal nectar Ever welling out of stone; There are purple buds and golden, Hidden, crushed and overgrown. God, who counts by souls, not dresses Loves and prospects you and me; While he values thrones the highest But as pobbles in the sea.

Man, upraised above his fellows, Ofe forgets his fellows then: Musters, rulers, lords, remember That your meanest hinds are men—
Men by labor, men by feeling,
Men by thought, men by fame,
Claiming equal rights to sunshine,

In a man's ennobling name. There are foam embroidered oceans, There are little weed clair ills; There are feeble, inch-high saplings, There are cedars on the hills. God, who counts by souls, not stations, Loves and prospects you and me;
 For to Him all vain distinctions
 Are as pebbles in the sca.

Toiling hands alone are builders Of a nation's wealth or fame; Titled laziness is penrioned, Fed and fattened on the same; By the sweat of other's foreheads, Living only to rejoice,

While the poor man's outraged freedom Vainly lifted up its voice. Truth and justice are eternal, Born with loveliness and light; Secret wrongs shall never prosper
While there is a sunny right.
God, whose world-head voice is singing
Roundless love to you a dime,
Sinks oppression with its titles,
As the pebble. In the stream.

A Regular Ranter. The welcoming banquet to Congress took clace at Washington on the night of the 3rd, in the temporary frame edifice on Pennsylva. nia Avenue known as the Fair building. Be-tween 300 and 400 of both sexes were present. General Walbridge of New York presided at the feast and made the address of welcome. In conclusion he proposed a senti-ment in honor of Congress to which Thad. Stevens responded. He was very bitter upon the President. During the course of his speech he remarked that "during the war Jeff Davis was commander-in-chief of the rebel army with Lee as his chief adviser. Now, Andrew Johnson was their commander-inchie', while poor old Wood was their chief martial and adviser, and for the navy fley

ground, having possession of the White House, and was dispensing with a corrupt hand, the vast patronage of the nation, and yet he had Elliot, the rules were suspended, and the bill no fears. The army consisted of citizens as passed by a vote of 111 to 29. well as soldiers. It had a few mercenary officers like the Steedmans, Dixes and the Grant or Howard, or Farragut, to do its treacherous work, they would break their swords rather than obey. With Sheridan, for a leader, and twenty five or fifty thousand voting on constitutional amendments. colored soldiers to follow him, they might

dely Andrew Johnson, and all who would follow his lend. With less than impartial suffrage the South, with his consent, should never be reconstructed; he would not be content with such a which was adopted, insisting on the adoption

Several speeches were made by Senators | the Southern States representation. and others in response to sentiments off red. A teast entitled "The loyal Press of the Country," was responded to by Forney. The banquet was of the most extreme Radical character, and the speakers evinced an atti-tude of unparalleled bestility to the Presi-

The Radical Programme. The Baltimore American, radical to the core, thus defines the Radical programme for the Reconstruction of the Southern States, as agreed upon at the Republican caucus re-

cently held in Washington: "It contemplates an abolition of the pres-NO. 241 Broad St., Augusta, Ga. ent State governments in all the Southern States, on the ground of their unconstitutionality, and provides for the appointment of commissioners for each State, who shall have power to appoint all civil and military officers ecessary for the preservation of peace and good order. The commissioners are to call conventions for the purpose of adopting contitutions, with a view to admission into the Union. There is a difference of opinion as to the right of franchise. Some are in favor of only loyalists voting, some in favor of Congress designating who shall and who shall not vote, whilst others advocate allowing all those to vote who are now qualified under State laws. The constitutions adopted by these conventions are to be respected, but only those to be allow d to vote who are enfranchised by the constitutions voted on, as was the case in Maryland. If constitutions be adopted by these voters, then the States to be re-admitted. If rejected, the rejection to be followed by territorial governments. The commissioners are to be authorized to organize the militia, including the colored population, to aid in carrying out the provis-ions of the bill, and if called into service, are

to be quartered on those rendering the call The Columbia & Augusta Railroad.

titioning the Legislature for aid, which it proposes to receive in the shape of a transfer of the Committees respectively of Indian Affairs, their late owners seem to be doing remarkashares, which the State holds in the Charlotte | Post Office and Patents. No committees are and South Carolina Rail Road Company, amounting at par value to \$312,600. It is Said that \$000,000 of the capital stock of the Company has already been received, and for the admission of Nebraska into the Ununexampled activity. There is good stuff said that \$635,000 of the capital stock of the \$100,000 more is shortly expected from volun- ion, which was ordered to lie upon the table tary private subscriptions, and that these sums for the present. (including an iron bridge across the Congaree, near Columbia) and furnish the cross-ties ready for the rails. But money is needed to petition. There does not appear to be any reason why it should not be granted. This road is destined to be a main link in the great line of travel between New York and

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Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 3. Both Houses of Congress met to-day. At an early hour crowds of people were on their way to the Capitol, and by noon the galleries

of both Houses were densely crowded. There was a quorum present, and punctutually at twelve o'clock, the presiding officers of both Houses appeared and called their respective branches to order.

Credentials from Messrs. Burnett and Roberts, from Texas laid on the table. Sumner moved to take up the bill establishing negro suffrage in the District of Columbia, saying the people of the country de manded its passage and would hail it with joy. After slight discussion, the Chair decided that the motion to take up the bill was not

now in order. Among the bills introduced was one by Chandler, requesting the President to communicate to the Senate whether the Emperor of France had complied with the stipulations entered into with our Government relative to the withdrawal of French troops from Mexico. The Message of the President was communicated about two o'clock, and read by the Secreta After the adoption of the usual mot to print, the Senate adjourned. A resolution was introduced in the House by Elliot, of Massachusetts, providing for the

appointment of a standing committee to be designated "Committee on Freedmen." Boutwell introduced a bill calling upon the Secretary of State for all correspondence relative to arrest of John H. Surratt. Schenck offered a bill to provide that the regular time of meeting of the Fortieth Congress and of every subsequent Congress shall be at 12, noon, on the 4th of March, and the ensuing session on the lat of January. This bill was made the special order for Thursday. Gar-

field introduced a similar measure. Stevens presented a bill to regulate removals from office. It provides that in all cases of appointment where the consent of the Senate is necessary, the President shall not make removals while the Senate is in session unless concurred in by that body. Appointments made during recess must be submitted, under the provisions of this bill, within ten days after the Senate assembles for confirmation. The bill was made the special order

for Friday next. The day was consumed entirely with the introduction of resolutions and bills, until the arrival of the Message, before which Stevens made an ineffectual motion toadjourn. Mr. Elliot asked leave during the session to-day to introduce a bill to repeal the 13th section of the act of July 17th, 1865, which section authorizes the President to extend, by proclamation, to persons who may have participated in the rebellion, pardon and amnesty, with such exceptions, at such times He wanted the encouragement of the sol- and on such conditions as he might deem exdiers, the enemy, he said, had the vantage pedient for the public good. Mr. Finch objected to its introduction, the rules requiring one day's notice; but, on motion of Mr.

Chandler moved, but the Senate refused to take up the House bill to amend the act of 1862 so as to take away the power of the President to grant annesty. Adjourned. House-Wentworth introduced a resolution

puerile work as universal amnesty and uni- of the Constitutional Amendment before the House will consider the propriety of giving

A resolution was adopted directing an inquiry as to the expediency of repealing the cotton tax. Mr. Broomall, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution-adopted 107 to 37-instructing

the Committee on Territories to inquire into the propriety of extending territorial organi zations over the States recently in insurrec

The Joint Committee on Reconstruction is revived. The House Committee of Judiciary have reported against repealing so much of the confiscation act as prohibits the forfeiture of the real estate of the delinquents beyond the term of their natural lives. They say that to forfeit altogether the property of those engaged in the late rebellion, would be the enactment of ex post facto law within the meaning of

constitutional interdict by annexing to a crime already committed a new and additional punishment. Representative Bingham personally denies the truth of a telegram crculating through the press that he was engaged in preparing articles of impeachment against the President on the ground of complication in the assassination of Lincoln. He say he never had such a design, nor has he ever so intimated. In the House to-day Stevens offered a resolution for the appointment of a committee of five, to report to House at next session, the past and present relations existing be-tween the Federal Government and the railroads in the States lately in rebellion; the amount of money expended by the United States in constructing, repairing, equipping and managing such roads; the amount now due by each of them to Government, &c.; also, as to the proper course to be taken by the

Government in relation to said railroads. Washington, December 5 .- The Senate adopted the list of Standing Committees man's army swept through with destroying agreed upon by the Republican Senators in hand, because the Palenetto State was looked ngreed upon by the Republican Senators in the caucus to-day. Sumner remains as Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs; "Sigma," the Columbia correspondent of Committee on Naval Affairs; Wade, Comthe Charleston Courier, says:

"The Columbia & Augusta Railroad is peticle on Territories. The three friends of the President—Doolittle, Dixon and Cowan

now headed by friends of the Administra-

In the Senate, Mr. Williams introduced a material progress as they have ever done in uation of the road, the masonry and bridging resolution, directing the Joint Committee on political abstractions.—National Intelligen-Retrenchments to inquire into the power of the President to restore confiscated property, and, if such power exists, under what laws, supply the rails, rolling stock, &c., hence the and also the right of the Secretary of the Treasury to restore lands without payment of

taxes and costs incurred under authority of United States laws. Adopted. . Mr. Sumner offered a series of resolutions, New Orleans, and as it runs through a fine. declaring the principles of reconstruction, the the late residence of the deceased, on or before the 30th day of January 1867, as there will be a fertile, healthy country, will additionally be fertile, healthy country, will additionally be advantageous to its owners on account of the SIMEON COGBURN, Ex'or.

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New Orleans, and as it runs through a line, fertile, healthy country, will additionally be fortile, healthy country, will additionally be advantageous to its owners on account of the South, and the exclusion of such States, will be given. The following stables are now with such illegal Governments from Congress with the South, and the exclusion of the will be given. The following stables are now with such illegal Governments from Congress with the South, and the exclusion of the will be given. The following stables are now with such illegal Governments from Congress with such illegal Governments from Volume of the state of the state of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the such as advantageous to its owners on account of the suc the embankments have been made, more than three-fourths of the graduation between Columbia and Graniteville is finished, the masonry of the bridge over the Congaree will be finished early next month, and if the aid sought from the State shall be given, tracksought from the State shall be given, track- this end it must assume jurisdiction over laying will commence in March, and the road States lately in rebellion, except, so far as next Court; and those against said Estate are required to present them properly attested by the 27th January 1867, of they will be debarred of all interest in the Estate.

ARIEL ABLE, Adm'ors.

L. R. BODIE, Adm'ors.

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Adm'ors. and must recognize only the loyal States as No Quarter for Fenians.—The declaration by telegragh from Canada that the black not discuss the resolutions, but would read a

mittee on the Judiciary, which Mr. Chandler earnestly opposed, and called for the yeas and nays; and on the motion some discussion ensued, during which Mr. Chandler made assertions and charges respecting the use of the pardoning power, which called for an emphatic denial from Mr. Dixon, who said that, if the charges which Chandler had made against the President were true, they would render him liable to impeachment. He repeated the denial of any of the charges or

practices spoken of. After some further re-marks, the bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The House passed a bili, providing that in all cases where a citizen of the United States, who always remained loyal thereto, and did not voluntarily give any aid or encouragement to any persons engaged in rebellion, shall bring an action to recover damages for injury to person or property, or the value the reof, no such action shall be defeated or any defence allowed, by virtue of authority of the late so-called Confederate States of America, or of any State declared in rebellion by proclamation of the President of the Uni-

ted States. Survivors' Association .- A meeting of the surviving members of Kershaw's Brigade was held at Nickerson's Hotel, last night, for the purpose of organizing into an association. Gen. Bonham was in the Chair, and Adjutant General C. R. Holmes scted as Secretary: Gen. J. D. Kennedy presented the report of the Committee appointed to draft a Constitution and by-laws, which, after a short discussion, participated in by Generals Bon-ham, Conner and Col. D. W. Aiken, was

adopted.

After which the following officers were elected: President-Gen. Kershaw. Vice-Presidents-Generals Bonham, Con-ner and Kennedy, and Colonels Williams

and Aiken. Soc etary-C. R. Holmes. Treasurer-R. N. Lowrance.

The title of the associations is "Kershaw's Brigade Charitable Association." Committees on Finance and Letters were appointed. A resolution was adopted, requesting the Executive Committee to appoint a suitable person to deliver an address at the next annual meeting. A resolution of thanks to Col. Nickerson, for the use of the hall, was adopted. Also, a resolution requesting District and sub-societies to forward to the Secretary

of the association all matters and incidents connected with the brigade. All persons who were at any time conneced with the brigade are invited to join the

association .- Columbia Phoenix, 6th inst. SYMPATHY WITH MR. DAVIS .- The General

Assembly of Georgia have adopted the folowing resolution: "The General Assembly of Georgia do re-solve, That their sincerest condolence and warmest sympathy be tendered to Mr. Jefferon Davis in his confinement, and they look forward with anxicus solicitude to a day Washington, Dec. 4.—Senate—Sumner | when a magnanimous and patriotic President gave notice that he will, to-morrow, intro- shall put a term to his confinement, and by Woods, but if the Government were to order | duce resolutions declaring the power of Con- the interposition of Executive elemency, refully struggled, and on account of whom he endured with Christian fortitude the hard-

ships of a long and rigorous imprisonment. FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES .- A desoatch from Washington says the threatened lifficulty or misunderstanding between our Government and the Emperor of the French, a view of what has transpired in the last three or four days, is new considered in offi-

cial circles effectually at an end. The des-"It may be stated also that Count Monthoion, the French Minister, has officially notified our Government that vessels have been ordered off to Mexico for the purpose of transporting all the French troops from Mexico during next month. Bazaine has written a private letter to Montholon, expressing his disgust at the state of affairs in Mexico, and that he anxiously awaits the arrival of General Sherman, to whom he desires to surrender his trust. The abdication of Maximilian is a fixed fact if it has not already been accomplished, and the announcement of

his arrival at Havana is momentarily expected." POLICY AS TO MEXICO .- The correspondent

of the New York Herald writes: "Sufficient information has escaped from the usually close portfolios of the Govern-ment, to establish the fact that the policy of the Administration in its present interference in Mexican affairs is not at all what it seems to be. It is now ascertained without a doubt that the object of the Administration is not to exercise a protectorate over Mexico, but simply to make an all ance offensive and deensive with Juarez. Certain well-informed parties here assert that the grant of Lower California to American parties is the motive

power of the whole affair. SOUTH CAROLINA ENERGY .- The newspapers of South Carolina make less complaint over the losses of the war than those of any othor State, though their losses were enormous. Beaufort, the home of the gentry, was occupied at an early day, and the Sea Islands, the most profitable cotton plantations of the South, were seized or made valueless. Sherupon as the exciting cause of the rebellion. But her citizens have gone to work in seri-Wilson, Committee on Military Affairs; Grimes ous earnestness. They are rapidly re-building their rail roads. They are accommodating themselves fairly to the altered conditions of labor. They were the first to pass a Civil Rights Bill, and both the negroes and bly well under the circumstances. The business of her principal seaport has revived. The burnt district is being rapidly re built, In the Senate, Mr. Wade introduced a bill and the merchants of Charleston are showing enough in her population to enable them to take as prominent a place in the march of

> BRILLIANT RACING PROSPECTS AT NEW OR-LEANS .- We learn by telegraph (dated New Orleans, November 30,) that the Metairie Jockey Club reorganized on that evening, and appointed ex-Governor Hobart, of Louisiana, President. The club have made arrangements to have the first meeting under the six ; Capt. Hutchinson, of Missouri, with nine; Dr. Tyler, of Louisiana, with four; J. W. Weldon, with six; and Col. Cottrell, of Mobile, with four-making a total of sixty-eight of the finest race horses in America.