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President Grant and the Colored People.
Frederick Douglass, the colored orator and writer, has again demonstrated his ability as a leader by his last letter, addressed "to the colored people of the United States," wherein he takes issue with the followers of Mr. Greeley regarding their assertion that General Grant is not a friend of the colored race.

Mr. Douglass, after stating that the Greeleyites "are declaring that the President is not a friend of the race," says, "I must declare that President Grant's course from the beginning of the war to the present time, is without a word or deed to justify such an assertion."

General Grant, finding that his lines contained large numbers of colored men, women and children, issued an order November 11, 1862, on his own authority, and before the Emancipation Proclamation an order providing for their safety and comfort, appointing an officer to look after their interests, set the able bodied at work and care for and feed all, but especially the aged, infirm and sick, and ordering rations and clothing issued to them.

Mr. Douglass fitly says: "Here was the full germ of the Freedman's Bureau apparent in the orders of Gen Grant before the emancipation proclamation, not as a theory, but a practical solution of the slavery question, and interest of the welfare of all concerned." If, he thinks, General Grant was not a friend of his race, could he find time in all the busy scenes about him to think out this great problem, which then was engaging those whose lives had been devoted to the accomplishment of abolishing slavery? He points with a hearty pride to the order of General Grant in the spring of 1863, after the Government had decided to organize colored troops, in which he says: "All commanders will exert themselves, not only in organizing colored regiments and rendering them efficient, but also in removing prejudice against them," and adds, "was this opposing the organization of these troops?"

Referring to extracts from various letters and speeches of the President he quotes from the message to Congress announcing the ratification of the fifteenth amendment. "I call the attention of the newly-enfranchised race, the importance of striving to make themselves worthy of this new privilege."

Mr. Douglass, making inquiries regarding federal appointments, found that no record was kept of color, but he finds colored men in all departments of the civil service, from foreign ministers to messengers, according to intelligence and character of applicants.

He urges upon the attention of the colored people the firm enforcement of the Kuklux law, which has done so much to bring peace and happiness to the colored man in those localities where that dreaded organization held control. And stating that he had entered on a full examination of General Grant as a friend of the colored race, says:

"I closed the inquiry, perfectly satisfied that with General Grant at the head of the country, we are assured not only of our rights, but our privileges."

He states his personal relations with the President to be kindly and cordial, and believes that few men can equal him in stating facts with clearness or fluency, and scouts the idea advanced by his enemies, that, being a man of few words, he is also a man of few ideas.

He disposes of the story that Gen. Grant did not ask him to dine with him on the return from San Domingo by explaining that only the members of the Commission provided for by resolution of Congress were invited and he was not of the number, having gone to the island only as an invited guest. He closes with the following peroration, which we submit in full as a worthy style of Mr. Douglass' eloquent and forcible style of writing.

"Wherever else there may be room for doubt and uncertainty there is nothing of the kind with Ulysses S. Grant as our candidate.

"U. S. Grant and Henry Wilson, the one from the West and the other from the East—the soldier and the senator—are men in whom we may confide.

"We can no more array ourselves against these candidates than we can resume our chains or insult our mothers.

"We are allied to the Republican party by every honorable sentiment of the human heart.

"To vote for Messrs. Greeley and Brown, would justly invite to our heads the contempt and scorn of honest men.

"We should not only brand ourselves as political knaves, but as political fools.

"The key-note of the whole Greeley movement was sounded by James R. Doolittle, chairman of the Convention that nominated Mr. Greeley. He announced as one of the objects, 'the overthrow of negro supremacy.' Can any negro be so blind as not to see the meaning of this?"

"Such is the record of the wise statesman for whom you cast your first vote for President; and for none other than him can you cast your second. Rally, then, to his support with that resistless spirit in which you fought for your liberties, and with the same exultant hope with which you made General Grant your first President with your votes in 1869."

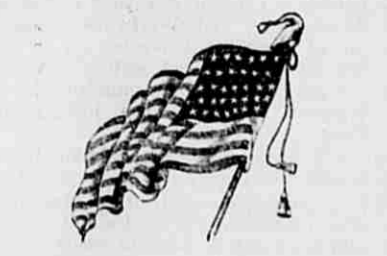
True words, honest words, from a man too great to be influenced by any petty consideration, and who writes only after a long and patient inquiry.

Let those who believe the black man would be protected and educated, or that the strong arm of the law would be interposed in his behalf in case the Democratic nominees should be elected, read carefully our two brief synopses of Mr. Douglass' letter, and then ask themselves if it is probable that the men who inaugurated and carried on the rebellion would still permit the colored man to enjoy the greatest of all the fruits of our victory.

Clasping Hands.
The loyal millions hold out the hand of fellowship for all who are sincere in their devotion to the Union. The past, so far as its animosities go against those who fought under a mistaken sense of duty, and have since acknowledged the mistake by endeavoring to act the part of good citizens, is buried in the grave of oblivion. To such citizens, be they Democrats or Republicans, the loyal citizens are willing to clasp hands in earnest friendship. But to extend our hands to those who hope to revive the "lost cause," who defy the Government, break its laws, murder or plunder its peaceful citizens, is an act of benevolence that we are not yet prepared to practice. For the law-abiding citizens of the South we have the kindest regard, and stand ready at all times to give evidence of our substantial friendship. For the Kuklux and its friends we have no friendly words.

We call for justice on their crimes in the name of outraged justice. They have defied the laws of man and God, and should be punished to the fullest extent of the law. Thanks to General Grant, their diabolical work is about ended. If he is re-elected they will curse the South no more. If Greeley is made President then they will have a new lease of power. Loyal men of the Republic, can you hesitate in your choice? Grant means peace, Greeley the renewal of old troubles.

Raise on high the loyal banner, Wave it to the colors of Freedom, And the colors of Malice.



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THE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS Convention at Pittsburgh was a grand triumph.

Over thirty thousand soldiers and sailors were assembled, and there were, it was estimated, over 100,000 people on the streets.

Eighteen of the old Michigan regiments were represented at the Pittsburgh Convention.

These soldiers and sailors will vote for Grant and Wilson.

They said so in concert, and the shout of endorsement that went up at that Convention shook the State of Pennsylvania from center to circumference, politically.

The Michigan delegation marched in the evening torchlight procession, with a banner made of a large tanned hide, on which was painted these truthful words:—"What Michigan knows about tanning—Grant for 30,000 man and Wilson."

CLAS. O'CONNOR ACCEPTS the Louisville nomination—says a letter from O. C. to a member of the Straight Democratic Committee.

The "Straights" feel "O. K." which stands for O'Connor.

Hon. Garrett Davis of Kentucky, died at his home in Paris, Ky., on Sunday, the 22d inst.

Mr. Davis was a bitter opponent to the war and the reconstruction measures of the Republican party while in the U. S. Senate.

He was born in the year 1800, and died in the 73d year of his age.

Pilgrim Greeley is swinging around the circle, leaving good promises.

A Johnson swung around the circle and left the constitution with the people.

The people will swing around the polls in November, and elect Grant and Wilson.

Politicians to the Rear! The people are conducting the present campaign, not the politicians.

Never before in our history as a nation, have the people taken so deep an interest in political affairs.

Politicians who once dictated public opinion are to-day powerless.

They make frantic efforts to lead their old followers into new paths of policy, but they can neither coax nor drive them from the old party.

Greeley fancied himself a political loadstone, and thought whosoever he went his old friends would follow.

To-day he finds himself deserted, or so nearly so that his Republican followers could be accommodated in an old-fashioned stage coach.

Schurz, once an influential man, admired by his countrymen because of his devotion to freedom and for his marked ability, has opened his eyes to the fact that he does not carry the German vote in his pocket, and that his countrymen still retain the old-fashioned notion of doing their own thinking.

Trumbull, who once thought himself the leader

of Western sentiment, has given up in disgust, and will devote the remainder of his days in trying to convince his old friends that he was as honest in voting against the impeachment of "His Accidency" Andy Johnson, as he was in leaving the Republican party.

Tipton was never blessed with much influence, so his leap into the Greeley movement has produced about as much disturbance in political affairs as a pebble dropped into the Atlantic.

Sumner has verified his prediction that "principles colored men" but yesterday the colored people heeded his words as an oracle; to-day they turn from him as a false prophet.

They see in his false doctrines of the present, the contradiction of the grand truths he taught them in the past.

For this reason he has no more influence over the colored vote than the Ku Klux leaders with whom he has clasped hands.

General Banks, "the lingering shadow of a splendid character," whose greatest enemy has been himself, will find it a hard task to pull down in a few days the fabric which commanded his noblest efforts in the past.

His eloquent pleadings in behalf of the party he now abandons are too well remembered to be lost under the new departure which he has taken.

Farnsworth had been so long on the fence that his final step took no one by surprise.

He had worked with the opposition in the House so long that he was regarded as one of their number before he formally announced himself as such.

If he ever had any influence he lost it because he turned his coat, and among Republicans can never can hope to recover what he has so justly forfeited.

The same conclusions hold good with Fenton, Kilpatrick, Doolittle and a class of still smaller politicians, who once had some influence, but are to-day without followers.

Their old friends have heard the story. They recognize it as the same as retailed by the Democrats in 1868, and they turn from them in contempt.

They know that these gentlemen who pretend to be reformers have been tried by an honest Administration and found wanting.

They know that the movement inaugurated by Greeley & Co., is merely a personal issue, whose object and aim is to bring into power a party which will accept Grant's rejected timber, and afford such as Schurz, Trumbull and Fenton an opportunity to bolster up their falling fortunes at the public expense.

that Mr. Greeley wants to be President. Although he knows the loyal sentiment of the nation to be against him, he is willing to do anything to become the Chief Executive.

The power is what he wants; the means used to obtain it is a matter of secondary importance.

But the country has no desire to risk its future in the hands of so ambitious a demagogue as Mr. Greeley has shown himself to be.

Less than six months ago this very candidate claimed that "a Democratic victory would be a national calamity."

As the nominee of that party he has changed his mind, but the nation holds him to his first opinion, and will avert the calamity which Greeley prophesied by the triumphant election of General Grant.

THE Plain Question. Shall we intrust the Government in the hands of the men who labored to destroy it?

All those who are willing to do so should vote for Horace Greeley.

Strip from him his pretensions of reform, and the movement he heads means nothing more than a restoration to power of the men who have forfeited all claim to the public confidence by their sympathy for or their active participation in the rebellion.

Admit for argument sake, that these men have been converted, that they believe in the Union and will never again undertake to destroy it.

Does conversion make them better fitted to govern the nation than the men who saved it in spite of their efforts to destroy it?

Do loyal Democrats believe this? Are they willing to affirm their belief in this monstrous doctrine at the ballot-box? No!

The bargain at Baltimore cannot force them to vote against men who stood true to the Republic through four years of bloody war.

The effects of party cannot compel men to vote against their honest convictions.

This accounts for the wholesale desertion of the Greeley movement by loyal Democrats. The loyal sentiment of the country is in favor of keeping men at the head of affairs who have been weighed in the balance of loyalty and not found wanting.

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Great Clothing Out Sale of Summer Goods. For the next thirty days we will sell our stock of summer goods at, or below cost.

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Bed room and parlor sets, marble and wood top center tables, couches, and a general assortment of common furniture, cheap for cash at the rooms of J. Kopf.

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DR. WILSON'S Cough Mixture.
 This medicine is the prescription of a regular physician, and has been used for many years in a very extensive practice in all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, always with the best success. It cures Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Inflammation of the Lungs, etc. It is sold by all dealers in medicines at 50 cents.

FERGUSON'S Wonderful Oil.
 The best Liniment of the Age. Cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Chills, Bruises, Sprains, Flesh Wounds, Burns, Scalds, Sore Throat, Quinsy, Frost Bites, and should be used whenever Edemata are required. Cures Lameness, Sprains, Wounds, Windgalls, Colic, Boils, or galls on horses. Knowing that the world is full of suffering, and afflicted, the proprietors of these Medicines have the buyer of all chance of being deceived by fully guaranteeing Ferguson's Wonderful Oil and Wilson's Cough Mixture to give entire satisfaction, and hereby authorize dealers to refund the money and charge back to us whenever they fail to do so. Large bottles only 50 cents. Sold everywhere.

WEBB'S VEGETABLE Worm Confections
 are a positive and speedy remedy for the removal of Worms. They are pleasant to the taste and any child will take them. If your child has worms you will notice that the appetite is deranged and varies, often more than ordinarily voracious. There is a picking of the nose, hiccup, disturbed or starting in the sleep, grinding of the teeth, and bowels constive. The child is sometimes very pale, and again flushed. These are only a few of the symptoms of Worms, which if left without medicine to remove them, will produce convulsions or fits, and frequently fevers. To remove the worms, buy Webb's Vegetable Worm Confections. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents.

At Wholesale by C. E. WEBB & BR., Druggists, Proprietors, Jackson, Mich. and FARRAND, WILCOX & CO., Detroit.

Dr. Crook's Wine of Tar.
 10 YEARS OF Public Test. Has proved DR. CROOK'S WINE OF TAR. To have more merit than any similar preparation ever offered the public. It is rich in the medicinal qualities of Tar, and unequalled for diseases of the Throat and Lungs, Coughs, Colds, Chronic Coughs, Asthma and Bronchitis. It has cured so many cases of these complaints, for pains in Breast, Side or Back, Gravel or Kidney Disease, Diseases of the Urinary Organs, Jaundice or any Liver Complaint, it is also a superior Tonic, Restores the Appetite, Strengthens the System, Restores the Weak and Debilitated, Causes the Food to Digest, Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion, Prevents Malarious Fevers, Gives tone to your System. DR. CROOK'S WINE OF TAR. NO CURE, NO CHARGE.

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 5000 WILL BE PAID.
 Any person producing any Medicine capable of curing as many living, permanent cases as Dr. F. F. Fitch's Rheumatic Remedy; and a reward of \$100 for any case of Chronic or Incurable Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Rheumatic Gout, and Rheumatism of the Kidneys if will not cure. This Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is not a Quack medicine, but the sole prescription of Jos. F. Fitch, M. D., Professor of Physiology and Chemistry, graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania, A. D. 1831, whose entire professional life has been devoted specially to this disease. This preparation under solemn oath is unconditionally believed to be the only positive, reliable, infallible specific ever discovered. The proof of no other specific exists in any form known to persons afflicted for many years past and present. If physicians could cure it, it is a fact that must be admitted. The oft-devised sufferer may ask what security or evidence has he that Dr. Fitch's Rheumatic Remedy will cure his case. They are offered to patients against imposition is a signed contract which will be forwarded to any person sending by letter a description of affliction; guarantee will state the exact number of bottles wanted to cure, and in case of failure the money will be returned to the patient. No other remedy has ever been offered on such liberal and honorable terms. Medical advice, with certificates from prominent Physicians, Clergymen, etc., who have been cured after all other treatments failed, sent by letter free. A limited cordially invited to write for device and principal office, 45 South Fourth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Dr. Fitch's Rheumatic Remedy is sold by all West Bros. sole agents, Lowell, Mich.

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Side-jumping Shovels,
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A FULL SUIT OF CLOTHES FOR \$7.00,
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LARGEST STOCK OF HATS & CAPS,
 In town, of latest styles,
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 Of all kinds at bottom prices.
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HINE & NOBLE'S
 Clothing made to order in the latest style.

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CASH PAID for WHEAT!
 Flour, Feed, &c., Constantly on hand
 WE HAVE IN OPERATION ONE OF
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 FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF THE PUBLIC.

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 A SMALL PLACE 1 1/2 miles from the town of Boston. Ten acres of new land, water in abundance and out buildings, all kinds of small crops. Inquire on the premises.

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BRIDGE STREET,
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 THE BEST MACHINE IN THE MARKET, and recommended to the farmers of Michigan as a Home Production, Superior to all Imported MACHINES.
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 One of the greatest inventions of the age. ITHICA WHEEL RAKE, with plaster attachment. I need not speak of the merits of this rake, as your neighbor has one. Equire of him. For strength, durability and excellence of work, it has no rival. VIBRATOR and TORNAO Thrashing machines, and the
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The Celebrated Grattan Wagons,
 Constantly on hand. Also
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 OF ALL STYLES & PRICES, &

FURNITURE MARBLE,
 KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
 We will attend to the setting up of all work ordered from our shop.
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Perry Brothers
 Have received a Full Line of New Styles in
 Business Hats or Gentlemen,
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 Soft and Stiff Felt Hats.

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 For the Old, the Middle-Aged & Young
 OUR STOCK IS THE
LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE
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 In all the different Styles.
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 Female Pills, most certain and reliable in all cases, 50 Bargesness, Sterility, and Ovarian Diseases remedied. -Cancers and tumors, in any stage, removed, without the knife, by the easiest, best means known.
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 Patients of every class, can rely on the most careful attention and best results. Be cautious not to use worthless, injurious patent medicines. Have advice and treatment especially adapted to your case. **SEE** in all special, important cases call at once, or send, or write. Medicines sent by mail or express. Address, (Drawer 2091,) N. J. AIKIN, M. D., Office, No 11 Canal St. Grand Rapids, First Stairs North of Sweet's Hotel. [Mich.]
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 Therefore call without Delay.
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 For Scrofula, Scrofulous Diseases of the Eyes, or Scrofula in any form.
 Any disease or eruption of the Skin, disease of the Liver, Rheumatism, Pimples, Old Sores, Ulcers, Broken-down Constitutions, Syphilis, or any disease depending on a depraved condition of the blood, try
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 It has the medicinal property of Poke combined with a preparation of Iron which goes at once into the blood, performing the most rapid and wonderful cures.
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 The business will be carried on in all its branches of Custom, Staple and Fancy work, under the name of C. Broad & Co. W. Langley, having purchased the undivided one-half of W. Broad.
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