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CONVERSATION WITH THE PRESIDENT.
A gentleman who had a free conversation with President Johnsun, a short time since, mforms us that he found him hopeful, in good spirits and nuhesitating in the expression of his tiews. He does not subside the political difference that from the very beginning of the Government and destiny of the Republic. While it has inflicted upon the whole country severe losses in life and property, and imposed burdens which must weigh on its resources for generations to come, it has developed a degree of national courage in the presence of national courage in the presence of that party will doubtless be considerably increased. But he next Honse of Representatives, though the number of Representatives and substantial party will doubtless be considerably increased. But he does count confidently on the return of a majority of molerate men, who will be prepared to deal with the people of the South as all honorable and high minded nations deal with their antagonists after having beaten and disarmed them. And in districts and States where the Republican party fail to nominate such men he thinks Democratic can didates will be likely, in a majority of cases, to be elected over radicals.

The President is unhesitatingly of the opinion that the only safety of the nation lies in a generous and expansive plan of conciliation, it is not first the public heart is keenly alive to the passions that can sway public judgment and affect public action; while the wonds of innovation and expansive plan of conciliation, it is not first the passions that can sway public judgment and affect public action; while the wonds of innovation cided the political difference that from the very beginning of the Government had threatened The President is unnestatingly of the option lies in a the future take unjust proportion from memo ion that the only safety of the nation lies in a generous and expansive plan of conciliation, and the longer this is delayed the more difficult will it be to bring the North and the South into harmony. It the suspicious, tyrannical policy is too long pursued, the population of the South will become as hostile in time to the North as the people of Ireland are toward England, adding to this evil of hereditary and growing animosity an abbitty for revenge a hundred fold greater than Ireland possessee. In regard to the blacks, the Prezident says they will find work enough and for many years to come probably better remaneration than any

chief of the most serious character.

Tion.

To the people of the United States: Have the convention at the city of Philadel phia, in the State of Pennsylvania, this 14th day of August, 1866, as representatives of the people in all sections and from all the States and tensitories of the Union, to consult upon the condition and wants of the country, we address to you this declaration of our principles and perform such sets as this Congress that the conditions and our principles and of the political purposes we seek to proresented has asserted the right thus to exclude the rest from representation and from all share in making their own laws or choosing their own rolers, until they comply with such conditions and perform such acts as this Congress thus composed may prescribe. That right has not only been asserted but exercised and practic-ally enfarced. and of the political purposes we seek to pro-mote. Since the meeting of the late National Conventions in the year 1860, events have oc-curred which have changed the character of our country and given the United States a new place among those of earth. Our Gov-ernment has passed through the vicissitudes and perils of civil war; which, though mainly sectional in its character, has, nevertheless, de-Nor does it find any support in the theory that the States thus excluded are in rebellion and therefore precluded from sharing the an thority of Government. They are not thus in rebellion. They are in an attifude of loyalty to the Government and have swern allegiance to the Constitution. In no one of them is there to the Constitution. In no one of them is there the elightest indication of resistance to the Government or protest against its just and binding obligations. This condition of loyalty has been effectually recognized by the proclamation of the President. The laws of the United States have been extended by Congress over these States. The Federal Courts gress over these States. The Federal Courts have been reopened. Federal taxes have been levied, and in every respect except that they are denied representation, the States are recognized as holding the same position, owing the same obligations, subject to the same duties as other States. It seems to us in the exercise of most calm and most candid judgment we can bring to the subject, that clatin, so no forced, involves as fatal an overthrow of the Government and Union as that sought to be effected by the States in armed insurrection. effected by the States in armed insurrection. But it cannot be said that the power thus asserted to exclude certain States from representation is made to test wholly on the will and discretion of the Congress that asserts it. It is observed of the Congress that asserts it. It is not made to depend upon any specified conditions nor subject to any rules or regulations of service. The right asserted and exercised is absolute without qualification or restriction, and is not confined to States in rebellion nor to States that have rehelled. the blessings of liberty to conselves and to our to come probably better remoneration than any other class of agricultural laborers in the computer. The competition capitalists and land owners will insure good freatment and good pay from the planters. That there will be much disorder is to be expected; but there will be no more than there would be at the North were the number of black laborers sufficiently numerous to enter into serious rivalry with the white laborers.

to States that have rehelled.

It is not the right of any Congress in formal possession of its legislative authority to exclude any State or States and any portion of people thereof at any time from representation in Congress and the electoral college at its own discretion, and until they shall perform such acts and comply with such conditions as it may distate. The reasons for such exclusion being wholly without discretion. Congress may change them as Congress itself may change. One Congress may exclude a State from all share of the Government for one reason, and that removed, the next Congress may exclude share of the Government for one reason, and that removed, the next Congress may exclude it for another one. A State may be excluded on one ground to day and on another to-morrow. Northern ascendency may exclude Southern States from one Congress. Western or North-Western or liath combined may exclude the Northern or Eastern from the next ficiently namerous to enter into serious rivalry with the white laborers

The President is confident that nothing can be safely and permanently done in regard to restoring the currency, diminishing taxation, and establishing the prosperity of the country on a sound an endoring basis, until representatives from all the States are present in Congress. The idea of legislating for one third of the population of the country, and passing constitutional amendments without allowing them any voice in the matter, or paying any attention to their wishes, is full of danger to the fattore peace and welfare of the nation. They stitutional amendments without allowing them any voice in the matter, or paying any attention to their wishes, is full of danger to the future peace and welfare of the nation. They cannot be treated as a subjugated people or a vassal colonies without a gern of harred being introduced, which will sime day or other, though the time may be distant, develop missile of the worst surjour character. maintain free governments in Mexico and the States of South America. Party necessities assert themselves as apperior to the fate amental law, which is set aside in reckless disobedience to their beheats. Sinclief of the most serious character.

With regard to the basis of representation, he denounces the same hope and no intial the States are represented, and no inconsequence of the numbers of representatives in consequence of the emancipation of the slaves can many event occur until the census of 1870 is taken, until which time of course the three-fifths provision is in force under the last census. There is, therefore, ample time to settle

sos. There is, therefore, suspie time to settle this matter between now and 1870, and it is weapons of force. In the second place, we unwise to agitate it until other matters which call upon you to recognize them in their full fact of representation. The Congress upon cannot be delayed are settled.

The President does not admit that he has been inconsistent. He as much opposed to treason and traiters as ever he was, and for punishing them severely. But there is no treason and iraiters as ever he was, and for punishing them severely. But there is no treason and iraiters as ever he was, and for punishing them severely. But there is no treason and no traiters now. The enemy has fully and fairly surrendered and is powerless, and a for thus situated should be magnanismously treated. A generous and self-reliant warrior always restores his disarmed enemy his sword and trusts his parole.

The idea of muzzing the press and tying the tongues of the people of the Sooth, after the manner of the suspicious tyracts and the Holy Inquisition of the Old World, he demontees as absourd. A people should be allowed to grunnlike who have suffered with them, and honor the more ty of the galiant dead who sleep on a hundred battle-fields around their homes. — Beaton Commercial, Joly 21.

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color. An insurgent power in exercise of usuffeed and unlawful authority had suspended within the territory onder its control, that allegiance to acconstitution and laws of the United States, which is made by that fundamental law the essential condition of representation in this Government. No man within the insurgent States was allowed to take the call its support the Countitation of the United States, and as a necessary consequence, no man could lawfully represent those States in councils of the United States, but this was only an obstacle to the enjoyment of a right and to the discharge of a duty. It did not amout the one nor abrogate the other, and it ceased to exist when the usurpation by which it was created had been overthrown, and States had again resumed their allegiance to the Constitution and haws of the United States.

But it is asserted in support of the authority claimed by Congress now in possession of power, that it is asserted in support of the laws of war; that it is among the rights which victorious was always confers upon conquerors, and which the conqueror may exercise or waive in his own discretion. To this we reply that the laws in question relate solely so far as the rights they confer are concerned, to wars waged between alien and independent nations, and can have no place or force in this regard in a war waged by a Government to suppress an insurrection of its own people upon its own soil against its authority. If we had carried to recessful war against integen nations, we might then have acquired possession and jurisdiction of their soil, with the right to enforce our laws upon their people had relations with foreign rations, and its flag was the only flag by which they were recognized and known anywhere on the face of the carth. In all these respects, and in other respects, involving national interests and rights, our possession was perfect and complete. It vid not need to be acquired, but only to be maintained, and a victorious war against the rebellion could do nothing more than ou

and such amendments can be made only in the no re which the Constitution itself prescribes.

The claim that the suppression of insurrection against the Government gives additional power and authority to that Government expecially, that it enjarges the jurisdiction of Congress and gives that body the right to exclude States from representation in the National Council, without which the Nation can have no authority and an existence, seems to us at variance alike with the principles of the Constitution and with the public safety. It is alleged that in certain particulars the Constitution of the United States fails to secure that absolute justice and impartial equality which the principles of the Government require; that it was in this respect the result of compromise and concessions to which, however necessary when the Constitution was formed, we are no longer compelled to submit, and that now having the power through successful war, and just warrant for its exercise in the heatile conduct of the insurgent section, the actual Government of the United States may impose its own conditions and make the Constitution conform in all its provisions to its own ideas of equality and the rights of man.

Congress at its last session, proposed amendments to the Constitution, enlarging in some very important particulars the authority of the General Government and that of the overall States, and reducing, by indirect disfranchisement, the representation of States in which slavery formerly existed; and it is claimed that these amendments may be made valid as

slavery formerly existed; and it is claimed that these amendments may be made valid as parts of the original Constitution without the concurrence of the States most seriously affected by them, or may be Laponed upon those States by three-fourths of the remaining States as conditions of their re-admission to representation in Congress, and in the electoral college. It is the unquestionable right of the people of the United States to make such changes in the Constitution as they, upon deschiberation, may deem expedient; but we insist that they shall be made in the mode which the Constitution the Edit is consistency with the letter and spirit of that instrument, and with the principles of self-government and of equal rights which lie at the basis of our Republican Government. We deny the right of Congress to make these changes in the fundamental law without the concurrence of three-fourths of all the States, including especially those to be the most seriously affected by thom, or to impose them upon States or people as conditions of representation, or of admission to any of the rights, duties or obligations which belong under the Constitution to all the States alike; and with still greater emphasis do we draw the right of any portion of the States are their connells, to propose or sauction changes in the Constitution which may affect permunently their political relations and control their connells, to propose or sauction changes in the Constitution which may affect permunently their political relations and control are tries the legitimate action of the states are it would be it exercised by the Sonthern States and the account of the Constitution. It is at war with the fondamental principles of or form of Government. If tolerated in one issance it becomes the precedent for future investment of the conturty; that they are plained by apprinciples of or form of Government. If tolerated in one issance it becomes the precedent for future in the continuous of powers, and thus leads, by direct number and the continuous pr