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they are destined to press still more heavily of legal tenders as individuals may from a human intelligence must be at the helm to unless they arrest the system that gives rise to time desire to convert for them. It was comparatively easy when specie use or in order to lay by in coin their to feel the elements day by day, and guide L. ALVERSON,

values were doubling under the repeating issues of legal tender paper money to payout of the froth of our growing and apparent of this reserve, to gradually strengthen and committee fixing a day and official promises is necessary in the committee fixing a day and official promises. wealth these taxes, but when values recede and sink toward their natural scale the taxgatherer takes from us not only our income, arise, does not seem to be a work of difficulan attempt to act on such a command, or dinary employment of the public business gatherer takes from us not only our income, arise, does not seem to be a work of difficulnot only our profits, but also a portion of ty if wisely planned and pursued. It ought such promises, without preparation, would may not be the prize fought for at the ballot our capital. I do not wish to exaggerate or capital. I do not wish to exaggested the country; it should, on the contrary, calamity prolific of confusion, distrust and posts of honor assigned for proved competer the costly policy of the Radical majority in revive hope and confidence. The coin in distress. The act of Congress of July 14. the costly policy of the Radical majority in Congress; we cannot afford that policy toward the South; we cannot afford magnificent and oppressive centralism into which our government is being converted; we cannot afford the present magnificent scale of of our country for 11 years, from July 1st. of the assistant treasurer in New York. It taxation. To the secretary of the treasury 1865, to June 30th, 1876, averaging nearly authorizes the Secretary to prepare and pro-I said early in 1865, "there is not a royal \$76,000,000 a year, was \$812,000,000 in the vide for such resumption of specie payments road for the government more than for an individual or corporation; what you want the product of our own mines. To match wise appropriated, and by issuing, in his disto do now is to cut down expenses and live the requisite quantity by intercepting from cretion, c-rtain classes of bonds. More than within your income; I would give all the the current flowing out of the country, and legerdemain of financiering -I would give by acquiring from stocks which exist abroad the whole of it-for the old home-made without disturbing the equilibrium of the maxim of "Live within your income." This reform will be resisted at every step, but it must be pressed persistently. We see to-day immediate representatives of the people; and studied and income the second of the people; and the influence of this persisted at every step, but it respect to whatever surplus of legal treasury claimed to belong to the governor of those gathered into the ranks of the ment, had, on the 30th of July, fallen to less office holders have been already increased these forces for ment, had, on the 30th of July, fallen to less office holders have been already increased in one branch of Congress struggling to re- keep in the United States, and which, in than forty-five millions of dollars, against | beyond any possible requirement of the pubduce expenditures, compelled to confront the order to save interest, will be retained for fifty-five millions on the 1st of July, 1875, lie business; while inefficiency, speculation, menace of the Senate and Executive that unless objectionable appropriations be consented to the operations of government thereunder shall suffer detriment or cease. In my judgment an amendment to the constitution question of the rate of interest they draw. diminished resources. The Secretary has judgment as amendment to the constitution ought to be devised, separating into distinct objects and all independent legislation. In that way alone can the revisory power of each of the two Houses and the Executive be preserved and exempted from the moral distress which often compels assent to obtain the compels as a compel to compel the compels and take their place with government. The compels and take their place with government, they would cease to circulate, been made, but there has been no economy and there has been no economy and the compels and take their place with government. The object of the compels and take their place with government. The object of the compels and take their place with government. The object of the compels and take their place with government. The compels are compels and take their place with government. The compels are compels and take their place with government. The compels are compels and take their place with government. The compels are compels and take their place with government. The compels are compels and take their place with government. The compel

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these errors are now a public calamity; but It has to provide in reference to the mass and credit operations in our own country, they were necessary and inevitable, and were business a central reserve of coin adequate condition of exchange with other nations. enlarge that reserve, and to provide for such are shams. Among thoughtful men, whose not to cost any sacrifice to the business of end in a new suspension; it would be a fresh box, brief reward of party zeal instead of the treasury on the 30th of June, including 1876, enacted that on and after the 1st of what is held against coin certificates, July, 1879, the Secretary of the Treasury amounted to nearly \$74,000,000. The cursulated shall redeem in coin legal tender notes of the of public service. The President, Vice President of precious metals which has flown out United States on preservation at the office ident, judges. Senators, Representatives, whole period, of which \$617,000,000 were by use of any surplus revenues not othercurrency or be absorbed into a vast mass of ing faster than appropriations and expendi-Even if they were to remain in their present done no hing under his power to issue bonds; of political mercenaries, governing caucuses

good will among citizens, whatever their whole volume, and if a surplus beyond what and yet could not afford to give the people a may be their solemnity. In this way the Iliden's Letter of Acceptance,

ALRANY, July 31, 1876.

Gentlemen: When I bad the honor tore in each company of the propose and a surplus beyond what is required for order to be consistent of the United States I assumed that at my acritises. I have for the constituency represented by that body so for the constituency represented by that body would prepare and transmit to you my as needed to so the state of the United States I assumed that the federal government. It is the first duty, and the content of the United States I assumed that the federal government is its nominations, adopted a declaration of proposition of the occessitives of our proposition of the occessitives of our proposition of the occessitives of our proposition of the occessitive o the prominence given to it in the declaration of the St. Louis convention. The present depression in all business and industries of the people, which is depriving labor of its employment and carrying want to so many, has its principal cause in the excessive government consumption, under illusions of specie payment and on the light of banks on their notes specious property engendered by facts. The policy of the federal government wasting capital has been going on ever since 1865, which could only end in universal disaster. The federal taxes for the last 11 years reach the gigantic sum of four thousand five hundred mullions and allows and seven the contents of the providence and what it denounces in the past. The function of the provision in indicates as a provision in dictate as a provision of the same that and contract the whole large machinery of of many things are under the range of tractors of the payment times before the civil and contract the whole large machinery of many things are under the range of tractors of many things are under the range of tractors of many things are under the range of tractors of many things are under the gigantic sum of four thousand five hun-dred millions of dollars; local taxation has bonds of the United States, worth in gold should not hesitate. The government ought amounted to one-third as much more; the about \$36,000,000, available and current in not to speculate on its own dishonor in order

one and a half of four years have passed and

increases distrust, and an unstable policy which increases uncertainty. The people need to know that the government is moving commerce, manufactories and mechanical ment of public affairs which has shamed

The convention wisely allowed that reform is necessary even more in the higher grades Cabinet officers and all others in authority are not a private perquisite—they are public trusts. Two evils infest the official service of the federal government: One is the prevalent and demoralizing notion that the public service exists, not for the business and benefit of the whole people, but for the in-terest of office holders, who, in truth, are but the servants of the people; under the influ-

race or color, who are now united in the one destiny of common self government. If the to be on hand at the money centers a scarciper cent of the expenditure of these 11 years his great temptation to misuse that power

edge the receipt of your communication, in which you have formally notified me of my nomination by the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis, as their candidate for the office of Vice President of the United DENTAL ROOMS IN DURN'S BUILDING.
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means of private profit, and the country has been offended to see a class of those who boast the friendship of the sworn protectors of the state amassing fortunes by defrauding beneficient result.

The convention justly affirms that reform is necessary in the civil service, necessary to its economy and efficiency, necessary to its economy and efficiency, necessary in order that the ordinary employment of the public business may not be the prize fought for at the ballot with us or with our affairs until the public with us or with our affairs until the p conscience, shocked by the enormous evils and abuses which prevail, shall have demanded and compelled an unsparing reformation of our national administration, in its head and in its members. In such a reformation the removal of a single officer, even the President, is compartively a trifleg matter, if the system which he represents and which has fostered him, as he has fostered it, is suffered to remain. The President alone must not be made the scapegoat for the enormities of the system which infects the public service and threatens the destruction of our institutions. In some respects I hold that the present executive has been the victim rather than the author of that vicious system. Con-gressional and party leaders have been stronger than the President. No one man-could have created it and the removal of poone man can remedy it. It is thoroughy cor-rupt and must be swept remorselessly away by the election of a government composed of elements entirely new and pledged to radical reform. I trust the work of reform must eventually be the restoration of the normal operation of the constitution of the United States with all its amendments. The necessities of war cannot be pleaded in time of peace; the right of local self government bills appropriations for the various departments of the public service, and excluding from each bill all appropriations for other other desirations are desirated as a guaranteed by the constitution must be no economy of peace; the right of local self government and the elegislative command and the elegislative command and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of their own of peace; the right of local self government and directing the nominations of the legislative command and dir almost personal, imperialism which has been practiced must be done away or the first principles of the Republic will be lost. 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