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President's Platform.

Under the caption the New York Tribune of Jan. 1st, says.

It is quite obvious that, if the Blacks are to be enfranchised, now is the time. Ten States wherein three-fourths of them reside are now in process of Reconstruction. It is impossible to dodge, or even to postpone, the Main Question. If those States shall now be reconstructed and readmitted on the assumption that "This is a 'White Man's Government," in which Blacks have no rights but such as Whites may see fit to accord them, there is no rational ground of hope that the former will be enfranchised within this century. True, we shall "fight 'em, fig 'em ever," for genuine against sham Democracy, as we have done in our own State for the last quarter of a century; but, if the Blacks are not now accorded the full rights of citizens, it is not probable that they will be in the course of the present century.

This question is overshadowed. No other of comparable importance now divides our countrymen. Beside it, all questions of preference for A., B. or C. as next President seem frivolous—puerile. And it is clear that the great majority so think and feel.

Now we can easily comprehend that those who are agreed in principle should differ in men, and that good politicians should select their most popular man, wherein to secure the triumph of their principle. We can even see why they should say "Let us fight the battle on our candidate, who is popular, rather than on our principle, which, however just, is violently opposed, and is odious to many who favor our candidate." So far all is intelligible.

There are those who deem it practicable, and even desirable, to elect Gen Grant on what we may distinguish as the Dry Goods platform, which ignores politics and seeks to prosecute a canvas "exclusively of a business character." That, perhaps, might be, provided the Republican masses could feel assured that a triumph thus secured would redound to the establishment of impartial Freedom throughout our country. But every such article as that of *The Times*, above quoted from is calculated to render this result impossible, by causing thousands of Republicans to fear that they are to be Johnsonized once more.

And yet some of our Oregon rags are persistent in their "Union men may honestly differ" dodge, or in the expressive language of Mr. Weekly, "the Dry Goods platform," they being very careful to "fight the battle on our candidate who is popular, rather than on our principle, which however just, and is odious to many who favor Candidate. So far all is intelligible" to them, and we think will be equally intelligible to the whole people of Oregon.

It is within the bounds of possibility for them to catch a few gulls by this old, State and worn out dodge, though we doubt whether even the most foolish can again be thus entangled; and certainly no reading, or thinking man within the limits of the State, can be found, who does not make to vote with them, who does not to the fullest extent endorse "Impartial suffrage."

There, why not quit your double-dealing and make a square fight on the great questions that every American knows to be the questions at issue between the parties, prominent among which is "universal suffrage."

YEAR BOOK OF FACTS.—This valuable compilation, full of indispensable information is received at last. One who would keep his knowledge account posted should procure a copy. Send to Henry G. Langley, No. 612 Clay street, San Francisco.

Mrs Sawtell will lecture in the Court House next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Subject: The worth of women, or, the coming issue.

The public are invited.

"YOUNG AMERICA" FOR JANUARY.—This brilliant periodical is replete with good things—a genuine holiday book with any quantity of colored pictures, puzzles, games, and stories that will interest girls and boys. We understand the subscription list of the excellent Magazine is tenfold larger than its first, some fifteen months since and is rapidly increasing. It deserves all the success it has achieved. Among the new features the "Physiognomist," a capital and original colored puzzle, given as a premium, will make the children scream with delight. Send for a circular to W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 473 Broadway, N. Y.

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We learn that a Campaign paper—the Signal is to be started in Polk County to be devoted to the great cause of Democracy. We welcome the new co-laborer and trust it may be of great service to receive an abundant reward for its efforts.

THE MYSTIC TEMPLE.—This neat and elegant Masonic Magazine is received and placed on our exchange list. Will the brethren come in and examine it? We think it deserving of patronage.

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Lafayette Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M. Meets in Lafayette on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month, at half past 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Brethren of the order, in good standing are invited to attend. By order of

H. W. ALLEN, Sec'y. W. M.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. The undersigned have turned over the notes and accounts due to A. F. Forbes for collection. Please take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

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ester E. Rowland, Plaintiff,
rs.
Jerre T. Rowland, Defendant

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county; or, if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the relief therein demanded, to wit: for a decree of divorce, and for the custody of the minor child therein mentioned and for costs and disbursements of suit.

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