

GERMINT SMITH ON THE SITUATION.

Germint Smith writes a long letter to Frederick Douglass, under date of February 11th, in which he argues that at the end of the war the North should have expended fifty or a hundred millions of dollars in enabling the South to get on her feet again. The North, he says, was to a certain extent responsible for the sin of slavery, and the presentation of this gift "would have been an example of penitence on the part of the pro-slavery North, and it would have been an expression of sisterly sympathy which would have won for us her melted heart. She would have given us no more trouble. In the matter of "reconstruction," she would have put into our hands a carte blanche; so assured would she have been that we would write nothing upon it but what justice and love dictated. Oh, was there ever before—or will there ever be again—so favorable an opportunity for profitably investing fifty or a hundred millions of dollars?" He continues:

"Horace Greeley pities the South—'Is bailing Jefferson Davis, he felt that he was bailing the South. And yet even he, with his 'bushel of brains, deep sense of justice, and glowing philanthropy,' can keep on saying to the South: 'Root, hog, or die!' I certainly would have nothing done to supercede, or in any way relax, the self-reliance of the South: but, because of her deep poverty, and of our large measure of responsibility for it, and because, wital, she is our sister, I would have the North extend a helping hand to her."

THE MONOTONY OF LIFE.—The general character of life is that of monotony. Whether we regard the life of man, or the life of beasts, we are struck by the remarkable fact; that life, to all outward appearance, is a monotonous succession of scenes and movements—all but incidental. We wonder how the interest is kept up. But we never tire of going to bed at night, and we are very sorry when we tire of getting up in the morning. We never weary except with regret, of breakfasting, dining, and supping; and yet these actions are repeated incessantly three hundred and sixty five times in the year, with renewed excitement on every succeeding occasion. We take off our clothes once every day, and we put them on once every day. We do this, at nearly the same hour, in daily succession; and when health is good, the pleasure derived from so doing is not marred by the repetition of the act; for the ebbing and flowing of our bodily sensations prepare us, without any effort on our part, for all the vicissitudes of our existence. When hungry, food is agreeable; when warm, sleep or rest is a treat; when warm, the cool air is agreeable; when cold, the pleasure derived from a cheerful fireside is delicious. The excitement is kept up by contrasts; and we purchase the enjoyment of one feeling by encouraging the reverse. With health, and youth, and prosperity, we should never be weary. It is age, and weakness, and poverty that prepare us for death; and even that comes easy upon most men, at last, like a sleep, and the heaviness of the heart gives even the last sleep, a welcome.—Reading (Pa.) Times.

Mrs. Cady Stanton, one of the blue lights of the radical God-and-humanity, de'il-may-care everybody but ourselves party, has lately been to Washington City, the place where drunkards, harlots and niggers principally do congress, and after looking around and taking observations, wrote and had published a letter, from which we clip the following: "Ben Wade is a good-looking man, and ought to be our next President; but if we must have either Grant or Chase, may the fates give us the latter. Let us at least have a sober man with some fixed opinions."

It will be observed that Mrs. Stanton corroborates the already well established fact that General U. S. alias Hiram Grant is in the habit of getting drunk and has no fixed political principles. Mrs. Stanton, true to woman's instinct, goes for Ben Wade for President because "he is good-looking" and his fixed principles; though one of his fixed principles is to be drunk nearly all ways, while Grant sprees it irregularly. But how we should make a sober President out of either Wade or Grant is a mystery Mrs. Stanton did not explain. Perhaps A. T. Stewart, William B. Astor and other bondholding millionaires of New York, who started Grant as their candidate for the Presidency on a no party platform—except gold for the bondholders and paper rags for the tax-payers—may be able to inform the public how many days of the week Grant is sober and how many he is drunk.

The Enterprise can't see for the life of it what induced Oregon to go Democratic—especially does it seem strange to that paper that the majority is so immense.

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