

COMMUNICATION.

WASHINGTON, April, 25th, 1887.

What the President is reported to have said to a Western Senator (Mr. Vest, of Missouri), has been the chief topic of conversation here for the past two days, and has for the moment fixed public attention on the question of a renomination and re-election in 1888.

It was a dull time and the publication that the President would not accept a renomination was startling, and naturally produced a slight sensation, or at least a subject of common talk. Every body had something to say about it, but every body with experience enough to know how these things are done, and to be able to distinguish between the probable and the impossible, said practically what Senator Vest and Col. Lamont have since stated, namely, that they do not believe that Mr. Cleveland is working for a second term, or that he has any great desire for one but that he will probably wait until he is asked before he either accepts or declines, and that the time for discussing the matter has not yet arrived.

Senator Vest's explanation of the matter is that he was not correctly quoted, but he thinks this great newspaper account must have sprung from a little error which he dropped in conversation with some friends at Chamberlain a few days ago. These friends were opposed to Mr. Cleveland and declared that he was working for a renomination, while they mentioned several acts of his as proof of the accusation. Mr. Vest remembers that he denounced very positively and replied that he knew that President Cleveland did not want a second term, that he was working for the purpose of leaving the Government in such a shape that any good Democrat could be elected. He thinks too, that he added, by way of strengthening his authority, that the President told him so himself.

Public attention is now concentrating upon the National Drill which takes place here next month. Fortunately the city will be out in all her vernal glory in the month of May. The foliage of 70,000 trees will shade her long, broad, smooth streets. The parks, circles, triangles and other open spaces will be in full bloom of flowers and variegated shrubbery. No city in America can compare with Washington and its surroundings in the month of May, and it is then that its architectural grandeur is seen to the best advantage. The city presents the spectacle of a magnificent National Park interspersed with vast public buildings, monuments, statuary and handsome private residences, all bordered by the placid Potomac.

And Washington is to be merry in other ways during the month of flowers, as the following calendar of events will show. The races will take place in May; Patti will sing in May; Forepaugh's circus will come; the National Association of Hotel Proprietors will meet here; The reunion of the Army of the Cumberland and the unveiling of the Garfield statue will occur; some other reunions are to take place, and last but not least the grand encampment of citizen soldiers which will commence on the 23rd of May and will close on the 30th, "Decoration Day."

Preparations for the Drill are going briskly forward. The grounds around the Washington Monument, on which the city of tents will be spread, is being put in condition for the camp and the level ellipse, half a mile in circumference, where the Drill will be held is being surrounded by a grand stand for spectators. This ground lies between the Monument and the White House, and is known as the "White Lot." Here the infantry, cavalry, artillery and zouave tactics will be tested daily, and each evening there will be a grand brigade dress parade, while on Governor's day will be the great parade. The Chief Executives of a large number of states will then review with the President all of the troops in procession.

About a hundred organizations, from the various states will take part in the contest and the indications are that there will be an immense concourse of visitors from all parts of the country to witness the novel event. There will be distributed \$25,500 in cash prizes besides other prizes such as gold, silver and bronze medals, special medals, plate trophies and stands of colors.

The world may be mistaken in many things, but it is not likely to be mistaken in so simple a thing as its own sense of morality. It knows—we all know—that we are not living in a state of nature. We have outlived its liberty, its wild will, its strong instincts—the license of its thoughts and manners. We outlived all those before the first post sang, and we will not let the last post recall them.—H. H. Stoddard.

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