

THE SENTINEL.

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GENERAL LONGSTREET AND HIS POSITION.

Since the appearance of Gen. Longstreet's letter and the criticisms upon it by the conservative press, he has avowed that his views have been misconstrued; yet the pleasure derived by the Radical in his recent pardon and the endorsement of Gen. Jeff. Thompson, show that the conservative press was not in error in its criticisms as to the legitimate meaning of the letter.

Gen. Longstreet has simply fallen into a very common error of military men, whose ethical views are not always sound or scriptural. Whatever may be the views of publicists or writers upon the laws of nations, or however readily the world has yielded to the idea that the sword is the arbiter of great moral or political principles, and that "might makes right," yet no principle of sound Christian morality obliges mankind to believe that might makes right. The only arbiter of right and wrong is the Bible, not the universal consent of nations; make that which is right, wrong.

In the matter of the late contest, it is doubtful, yet almost impossible, that either party should have been wholly right. In our judgment, both were wrong in some respects, and led captive by the wicked one. Hence, whatever of principle was held by the North or South, was not determined to be wrong or right by the results of the war, God, in the administration of his natural or moral government, does not always, at the time, vindicate the right or condemn the wrong. He has His own time and way to do this. Hence oppression and wrong and crime are often suffered by Him, to afflict the innocent. Yet He will ultimately, in His own way and time, vindicate innocence and right, and punish the evil doer. We clip the following able article from the Charleston Mercury, as presenting, in the main, some sound views upon this point. It is one thing to submit quietly and obediently and with some degree of cheerfulness to the inevitable logic of events, but it is quite another to give one's approval and endorsement to the principles and acts developed by the results of the war. [Continued.]

We had thrown aside General Longstreet's letter, disgusted at the positions he assumed, yet unwilling to say anything, which might impugn this gallant soldier. But our Northern exchanges bring us a wild halloo from the whole Radical camp. The Philadelphia Press—Forney's paper—the organ of Stevens and Butler and Ashley, and the whole crew of Southern haters, Radical disorganizers, impeachers, and confederators, with frantic joy, elate General Longstreet in its loving embrace. It says:

These letters of the ex-rebel leader are the best campaign documents yet issued. If they had been written for the very purpose of being used in Pennsylvania, this fall they could not be clearer or more telling.

We hope to see the Longstreet letters published prominently in every Union paper in Pennsylvania, in order that the whole country may never rest until they have forced their publication in the trembling sheets of their Democratic contemporaries and neighbors. They will fall like hot shot into the camp of the Democracy. They convict that time-serving organization of cowardice and bad faith.

How possible and pitiful reads the Harrisburg platform beside the frank, fearless utterances of the honest soldier. How contemptible the rear-guard of rebellion contrast with the devoted columns that charged along the Confederate lines from Richmond to Chattanooga!

It may be expedient to invite Lieutenant General James Longstreet to Pennsylvania as a campaign speaker, this coming election. We know of nothing that would more advance the interests of our party and cause.

What is it, in General Longstreet's letter, which elicits this furious appropriation of General Longstreet as one of their party, by the remnants persecutors of the South. It is the following clause:

"I shall set out by assuming a proposition that I hold to be self-evident, viz: The highest human law is the law that is established by appeal to arms."

The great principles that divided political parties prior to the war were thoroughly discussed by our wisest Statesmen. When argument was exhausted resort was had to compromise. When compromise was unavailing, discussion was renewed, and expedients were sought, but none could be found to end the emergency. Appeal was finally made to the sword, to determine which of the claims was the true construction of the constitutional law. The sword has decided in favor of the North and what they claimed as principles cease to be principles and are become law. The views that we hold—come to be principles because they are appeal to law. It is therefore our duty to abandon ideas that are obsolete and conform to the requirements of law.

According to this Radical logic of General Longstreet, it is a self-evident proposition—that when our Lord was crucified—Christianity should have died. Force had settled that he was an impostor; and if General Longstreet had been one of his disciples, he would not, like Judas, have hanged himself—but he would have joined his murderers, and have helped them to persecute the other disciples and to crucify his Jesus.

If General Longstreet was in his house upon his farm, and a robber, his neighbor, should enter it, and beat and kick him out of his farm—General Longstreet, doubtless, would meekly say to him, "We had a fight for the farm, and you licked me, therefore it is yours." "The highest of human laws is the law that is established by an appeal to arms"—a self-evident proposition, sir!

When Huldand was over-run by the Duke of Alva—a shrewd ally of the Catholics—the Hollanders, to rise up and dare to dispute "the law established by an appeal to arms?" but they had not General Longstreet and

his kindred Radicals, to teach them the grand and noble morals of force! Poor Hollanders! who, not only knew nothing of the grand principle of American independence—that every people had a right not to rule themselves, but that they still greater principle lately discovered by American Radicals, that force is the criterion of all truth—all justice and all humanity.

But why weary with examples? The man who asserts that force settles truth or right is anything, in the wide scope of morals, or religion—personal, social or political, is hardly worthy to have either a conscience or a God.

We take the issue with General Longstreet, and maintain directly contrary to his assertion—that force or war can make anything right—nothing which was morally wrong, morally "law."

Look at the occasion and circumstances, under which he puts forth his proposition. A written compact or constitution exists between the States of the United States. If there are obscurities in the constitution, owing to different constructions of its meaning, the way to settle differences concerning it is expressly provided in the constitution itself. The constitution can be amended.

At the opening of the war, (we quote from memory,) the Congress of the United States, by resolutions unanimously passed in both branches, declared that the war was waged on the part of the United States, with no purpose of subjugation, but to restore the Union of the United States, with the constitution, and all the rights of the States unimpaired. But let us suppose the assertion of General Longstreet to be true—that on account of different and opposing constructions of the constitution—the Northern States took up arms, and invaded and conquered the Southern States—what does this prove? That their construction of the constitution was correct; and that the Southern States were wrong in resisting, and the Northern States right in conquering them! How can slaughtering men, any more than slaughtering cattle, or shooting at the moon—prove the truthfulness of a moral or political proposition! Truth and justice are spiritualities beyond the domain of physical existence. They appeal to our spiritual sense—our consciences, for their vindication. War is a test merely of physical power. It determines, that one nation or people are physically stronger than another.

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Some wise man sagely remarked, "there is a good deal of human nature in man." It crops out occasionally in boys. One of the urethra in the school ship Massachusetts, who was sick, was visited by a kind lady, and his visitor asked him if he could do anything for him. "Yes," replied the patient, "read to me." "Will you have a story?" asked the lady. "No," answered the boy, "read from the Bible." And so it was, "read from the Bible." The next day the visit was repeated, and the boy asked the lady to read. "Shall I read from the Bible?" the lady inquired. "Oh, no," was the reply; "I'm better to-day; read me a love story."

During a recent discussion in the British Parliament, when the debt of the United States was the subject, it was said that the payment of interest rather than principal was the true policy. Mr. Case approved this view and said: "When he was in America, before the war, he spent all the time he could among the slaves, and he was introduced to one who was very rich and abundantly able to buy his freedom. He asked him why he did not do so. 'No hurry about that,' said the sagacious darky; 'I've grown old every day, and growin' cheaper.'"

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