ROBERT H. COWAN, Editor.

MR. GREEN IN THE HURD CASE.

Below we give extracts from the admirable speech of Representative Creen made during the consideration of the Hurd-Romeis election contest, in support of the claim of Mr. Hurd. His speech elicited favorable remark from all quarters. In point of liter ary excellence it was of a kin l rately I eard in the flouse and enforced attention accordingly: "In spite of bathos and the golden

rule, poor frail humanity is naturally prone to incline to the side of such as are of a kindred line of thought .-At least it is and thus has ever been with our friends across the way. We see them for sooth in the plentitude of power reating Democratic contestants! We see them, "in my mind's eye, Horatio," scrupling to unseat those whom suffragaus had. scated to make room for others of more than questionable claim. We have seen them unseating Democrats v ho had been elected by thousandsay, many thousands But discards ing sarcasm, we have seen a commission composed of Senators, Representives, and Supreme Court judge es overriding the expressed and manif st wish of the constitutional majurity of this broad land, placing a pretender, a usurper, a sort of Perkin Warbeck, in the proud position-ay, the proudest when honestly won and worthily worn on this mundane phere of ours-in utter disregard of the rights of the people and of him whom the people had chosen. Few Believed it a righteous decision at the timo, and still lewer will maintain it now. Of course party had nothing to do with it.

things being equal, from my poor Democratic House. mandlin sentimentalism which en- ing vacancy across the main aisle. joins self-immolation and party imcolation to evoke the open acclaim engmy.

Ay, Mr. Speaker, I am not ashamed to proclaim myself a party man. or, if you prefer, a partisan to the point that self-contempt would be my legitimate portion did party foes praise, pity, or otherwise cajole me, And so, Mr. Speaker, I approach this queen a with a degree of bias confest, which some others feel, but fain would smother or conceal; and yet I trust I approach it dispassion. maily and with as honest purpose as relief of our people from the odious any on this floor to be guided by features of the internal revenue systacts and rules of evidence. I apir ach it with a full conviction, sustamed by the of the case, that the con es art is entitled to the seat he is claiming. But were I hampered with a doubt, Heaven forfend that I should stretch my concience to give the benefit of that doubt to the other

done though the heavens fall." But statute a minimum pumshment, less ed a stock that will in every respect magnanimity is another thing after than which minimum no fine, penal be adequate to the demand the requirements of justice have ty, imprisonment, or punishment is filled with the most attractive and party magna imity. In man's dealings with tellow man, it is beautiful, it is so me. In party conces sions to oppose. faction, it is follyit is a folly it is a under; and that, quoth Talle:a.d, . worse than a er. e. That party w e conice tions are worth a pinch salt should, imprisonment, or punishment beless where issue is joined an principles or greater than the said minimum so involved, 'a hair divide betwixt the south and southwest ide" before conceding the breadth f a hair,-That party which wins in a national struggie should stickle for party unity and brotherly accord; and to insure it. should have its parts and made by a collector or deputy collecprops congenial. Antagonistic coms tor of internal revenue or by a reves position implies discord, and discord | uue agent, nor .. - such affidavit dr veling, waver, and premature is first approved by e district rot. He was a wise Kindergarten attorney and written instructions seather who, walking in the garden given by him for the issuing of the with the young king, one day, was warrant; and with the exception asked by his majesty whether he aforesaid every such warrant shall should retain in confidential trust the be issued upon a sworn complaint, adherents of his unfriendly prede-setting forth the facts constituting cessor. Replying, not in words, he the offense and all ging them to be began to strike off with his cane the within the personal knowledge of heads of the highest poppies. Leave the affiant; and no warrant shall be not your enemies about you, and es- i-sued upon the affidavit of a person perial y those of a larger growth, was other than such collector, deputy the lesson inculcated. The lesson collector, or revenue agent, unless to day is worthy of illustration, the commissioner or other officer th meras and cobwebs notwithstand | having jurisdiction shall endorse up-

Of with the official heads of over his docket an express adjucation that grown poppies and all ste noxious, the examination on oath of the affieration of such implies timidity .- cause for charging the person prose-In ours, it should in post especiage cased with the off use. WADESBORO, N. C. APRIL 22 1886

the claims of those below. with due deliberation. I believe it reasonable and proper. will be conceded, Mr. Speaker, that | Sec 4. That the circuit courts of fraud, intimidation, and irregularithe United States and the district ties are among the most essential courts of the Territories are authorelements in voiding and vitiating ized to remove from office any comthe election of him who employs missioner appointed or authorized to such agencies, whether it is done by be appointed by said courts under himself or by his adherents.

entire satisfaction from evine lee add eighty-three of the Revised Statutes. duced that each and all of these are conspicuous in the election by which the confestee in this case was given the certificate of election, upon apparent returns, by the slight majori-

Fraud and inti-sidation are euphonic terms on the tongues of Republicans, and seem to have been specially invented for their political vocabulary to hurl at the heads of us poor devil Democrats whenever there is a chance of their stealing a sent on this floor, or a President, by their employment, On such occasions they roll them out with such unctuous fervor thaf the unthinking world is prone to take them at their claim as the party of high moral ideas and the ninety and nine capital virtues. What we poor sinful crear tures consider only moral sugsion is with the saints across the way the concentration of Land, bribery, and corruption. A mild intination to a "gentleman of color" that his sers vices can be dispensed with a ter election day is intimidation of the shot-gun type. Of course they scorn the use of such base apendies,

In view of this, Mr. Speaker, we Of course railroad magnates, and fearth and destructive tornado ar- constrained to admit that with cotton spinning lords, and rolling which swept over a portion of Ruth. some at least party ties are not bound | mill potentates, who are generally of | erford county was the most vi lent with hliputian threads, or party the unco guid or Republic in per- wind storm that section has witness. ciain the figurest of a disordered sussion, employing their thousands elin years. The storm struck near fancy. Ay, next to the ties which and tens of thousands, never vote Island Ford, on Broad river, in the hold men together in the crisis of these under the lash of implied threat southwestern part of the county, battle none are made of stronger and starvation consequences sequent, and traveled parallel with the river coord. For one I lay no self-right- Certainly your little stonecutter, em for miles at a most furious speed in eous claim to be unfettered by them, ploying his three or four sco.e of a n r heast direction. Dwelling and what is more I do not wish to be white dependents, would scorn to do houses, barns, stables, fences, sheds, as hing as it is patent and apparent it. Of a verity, ward politics in vir &c, were swept away. A number that they hold my political fees to- tuous Ohio towns, like Toledo; or of horses, cow, sheep and hogs, were geter with tenacity of hooks of example, are not controlled by fit.ny killed, but fortunately no persons s eel. I have always been afraid, shekels and the judicious manipula- were illed, though many were in-Mr. Speaker, of being better than my | tion of ballots by a blatant pot house | ju.ed. In the house of Mrs. Scop. neighbors; for next to the devil I politician. But of course, if such gras two little children escaped death hate, loathe, and detest a tyrant, things be, it is for the good of the ma remarkable manner. The house and next to him their twin brother, wage-worker, who is not aware to to was built of logs and the children the ill begotten offspring of Hypo. he would otherwise vote against his were sleeping on a bec. The roof true interest! But, sir, if such gave way and some of the heavy God forbid that I should out Herod things be, I humbly submit that the umbers fell on the bed on which the Herod or out Pharisees. law which applies to South Carolina, 'c sildren were lying. The bed-stead Other things being equal, it be- and Louisiana under Republican por was and old fascioned one and very hooves good, simple, and sinful man tency shall none the less apply to strong, and caught the falling timto be even like other men, and no New England, or Pennsylvania, or birs and provented the children better, by mere assumption. Other Ohio elections under the ruling of a trom being killed. They were re-

miserable standpoint it behooves him Let us have done with all such con- uninjured. The aggregate loss by to incline to the side of his friends fusion of terms which import one the storm is great. The force of the when the lissue is narrowed down, thing in one locality and an entirely storm was boken by a small mounand evenly balanced. Other things different thing in another. Let Rest tain before it reached the town of being equal, if Le be a man of sense publican irregularities be measured Rutherfordton, which otherwise instead of fan Argadian dreamer, he by their own bushel. Theu, Mr. would have been devastated. will be content to walk the earth in Speaker, when the vote is taken = his day and generation and leave to there will be one more tenant on this Northeastern Railroad Company others to attain to that plane of side of the House and a cor espend

> ONE OF the most important bills the Internal Revenue system, intro Leave Florence. duced by Judge Bennett from the Judiciary Committee on the 15th inst. The bill was originally draft d by Mr. Henderson, who is one of our most painstaking and laborious members, and was remodeled in Committee with some amendments of Judge Bennett's incorporate t .-Instead of commenting upon it, it would be better-and its importance justifies it-to give the till in f .il. -This is the first practical measure for tem that has yet been maugurated .-

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wreds. In the enemy's lexicon, tol- ant shows that there is probable

upon those above and disregard of SEC. 3. That where er it shall be made to app ar to the United States 'In the name of the great Jehovah court or judge having jurisdiction and the Continental Congres. 'I ask, that the health or life of any person is such vacillating conciliation sound imprisoned for any offense, in a statesmanship or genuine party poly county jail or elsewhere, for a period icy? But, Mr. Speaker, in my zeal of one year or less, is endangered by for party ends, which I trust imports close confinement, the said court or 'my country's, my God's and truth's,' judge is hereby authorized to make I have been led into digression. Let such order and provision for the us now come back to the case of comfort and well being of the person Hurd vs Romeis and sift the facts so imprisoned as shall be deemed

sections six hundred and twenty-Now, sir, it has been shown to my seven and nineteen hundred and SEC. 5. That this act shall be in forc from its passage.

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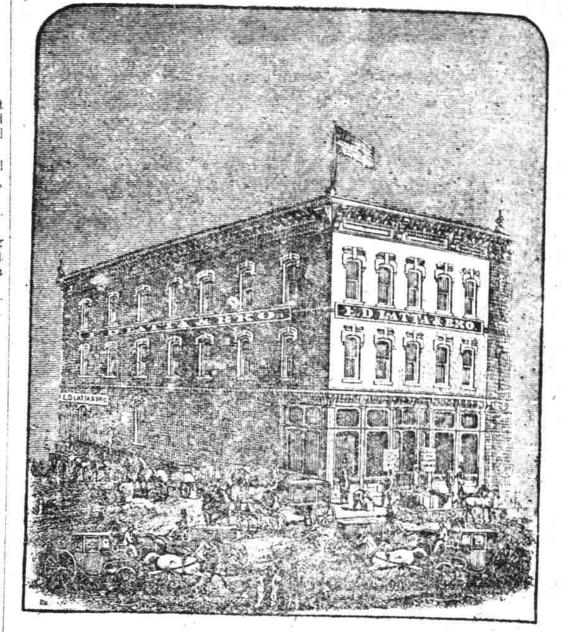
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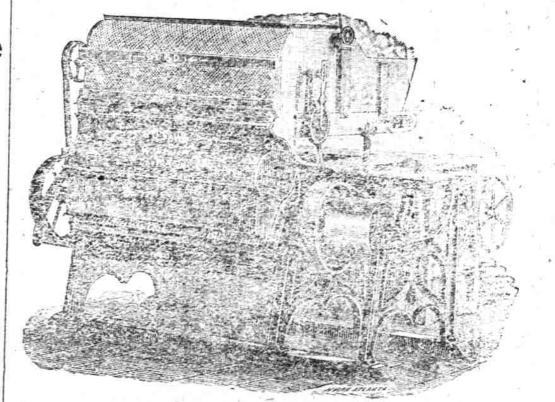
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