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THE CLIPPER IN FREDERICK, Md.—Citizens of Frederick and vicinity with the "Daily Clipper," will be promptly served by leaving their names at the news-dept and variety store of David F. Smith, our only agent in Frederick.

"John C. Parker, No. 379 F street, between 8th and 9th streets, is agent for the Clipper in Washington, to whom persons wishing to subscribe can leave their names."

OUR ADVERTISING AGENT.

Our advertising agent for the city is Captain William Gibson, who will, as he finds opportunity, call upon the old agents of the Clipper, and to whom any inquiry in the advertising line can be made. Our patrons will find him easily.

WE RECEIVE A "WARNING"—DE-

FINING OUR POSITION."

The Emperor Louis Napoleon sometimes "warns" newspapers, and we have just received a "warning"—by way, not the first with which we have been honored since these troublous times—but as there are some points in this which seem specially to call for that needful act, with some, "the defining of our position," we propose to lay this one before our readers. We give it verbatim, as it comes to us through the mail, and postmarked in this city:

"Mr. Wm. Wales, Sir we your subscribers intend to give you the opinion of thousands of your supporters, Sir when we look at the Criminal records of our country, we are led to believe that our country will soon be overrun with murderers and thieves, which is all committed by Irish and English, and yet our nation must be tolerated by the press in general now. Sir if you wish to save your Union Subscribers you must give attention to this Grand Subject. It is to you as a warning, Sir look at the death of our lamented president. Murdered by Irish and nine murders, out of ten in the country is committed by the scourings of Ireland and Germany, and yet they can come without the smallest restrictions yours Secretary of the Meeting."

Now, our particular friend, the "Secretary of the Meeting," and ourselves, may well understand each other at once; and our straight-out opinion of the case is—notwithstanding the horrors of this "warning"—that any single "Dutch" or "Irish" regiment which lately fought in defense of the Union,—and there were plenty of such,—was worth creation by the Almighty as this has been.

TO OUR CONTEMPORARIES OF THE PRESS IN THE STATE.—We have had inquiries addressed to us by sundry of our brethren of the press in this State, as to whether any other, and what State laws additional to those already given in the Clipper would be advertised. We would reply to these inquiries that we hope in a few days to be able to give a definite answer to all interested, and should have written to our querists promptly, only that we hoped, from day to day, or something upon which we could have a positive statement. Our friends will therefore please excuse us for any apparent neglect in attending at once to their communications.

THE FREDERICK EXAMINER.—This excellent journal—one of the ablest and most flourishing papers in the State—has changed hands, Frederick Schley, Esq., one of the owners of it, having retired in favor of Daniel M. Smith, a gentleman well known for his ability as a popular writer and staunch friend of the Union cause. The first name has been one of the truest advocates of enlightened advancement in the State, and will retire with the abiding respect and kindly wishes of all who cannot forget timely service to the good cause, while the latter will be welcomed by all who feel that another able champion is on hand for the work yet to be done.

JULY. DAVID'S ORATION.

We publish, with the proceedings of the Fourth of July, the oration delivered at the commencement of Henry Winter Davis. We say that this oration is magnificent in its argumentative force, in its rhetorical grace, but most of all in its elevation of the soul. We heartily rejoice to see Mr. Davis—the author of the opening combat when Sigel's splendid fight in Mississippi—had every patriotic heart, or when Mulligan's noble defense of Lexington was a glorious feature in the disastrous management of affairs which left the brave Gen. Lyon to perish!

We may loss "thousands" of our "supporters," for recognizing these services of our adopted fellow-citizens; but we do not fear it, and what is more—if we lose the whole, as the consequence of rendering simple justice to true men, of taking an independent course, it will not deter us, for an instant, from acting up to our convictions.

Let it be noted, as our opinion—once for all—that when a man emigrates to any country or State, he at once pays his highest compliment to it, by the very choice of it for a home. The native comes into it reluctantly, "hiking and equaling," as some one quaintly observes; by no voluntary act of volition of his own; but the man, the good citizen who goes to a new community, to identify himself with it, to labor in it and defend it, let him be cheered, honored, taken by the hand, if the State is to furnish. The country must have such men. It wants all the population, all the devoted to liberty, all the bone and sinew, besides, that it can get from all quarters; and no fact was ever more plainly demonstrated in history, than the fact that the influx of population from Europe which gave the North preponderance over the South in population and resources, saved the Union when the conflict finally came. And to say that the natives of this land, along with the enlightened of our adopted citizens, cannot control and regulate it for good, is to give up the principle of popular government.

Moreover, we want, here in Maryland, and throughout, all we can get to replace that labor destroyed by the events of the revolution that has occurred—we want it from any and every quarter; and in welcoming it latter, we do not fear any assault on the President's life, any new or remarkable deeds of violence. The rebellion was of native origin and growth; its suppression was effected largely by foreign agency—or by an agency largely foreign in its origin. And taking the case put by our particular friend—the "Secretary of the Meeting"—of the assassination of the President, we find that where there was one foreigner directly implicated, we have half dozen natives who prided themselves in being such. Mrs. Surratt, John Surratt, Herold, Booth, and Mudd, were not "dutch" nor "Irish," but were Marylanders, to the lasting regret of all who have been compelled to contemplate the presence of marked disloyalty in a State which owed so much in the outset to the forbearance of the illustrious statesman so foully murdered.

In "defining our position" a little further, let us additionally observe—that in advancing what we deem the true interests of Maryland, we care for no party but the Union party; for no men but those whom we are satisfied will support it through evil and through good report. We care nothing, either, for sects, as such; all good and true men being welcome to our columns, no matter what church they may represent. Under particular obligations to none, and determined to be independent, we go for whatever will advance the interests of the State and nation, in their financial, educational, moral and religious character. To make Maryland hold its own with other States, it is going to require the best efforts of all. The State abounds with its resources for a great wealth.

To develop its coal and iron, let the English miners come; let them come by hundreds and thousands if they will; that we may honorably compete with our flourishing neighbor Pennsylvania, a commonwealth favored and made rich by the presence of large numbers of such. We have public works, railroads in contemplation—let our friends take these in hand; and of the tens of thousands of acres such as night produce everything which makes the valley of the Rhine the garden of Europe, let the industries of Maryland, let the industries of the world, assist them; and whilst our mercantile and other departments have the benefit of Scotch acumen, let the songs of Scotland be sung by the Burns Club here to the end of time.

Finally, we must realize with the force of a deep and righteous conviction, that this country was set apart—it is land was ever in the providence of God dedicated to a particular purpose—as an asylum for the oppressed of all humanity; and, if to more vividly illustrate the great fact, it was not permitted the native element alone to vindicate free government here. Cursed by the presence, even in the Free States, of such native traitors as Vandalpham and his followers, we were compelled to share with the natives of other lands, the devotions of liberty from numberless nationalities,—our adopted fellow citizens—the glory of vindicating free government. A debt so sacred, so great, we intend to recognize to the world, as far as possible, as an asylum for the oppressed of all humanity; and, if to more vividly illustrate the native element alone to vindicate free government here. 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