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"Colonel" Bee, the great North American champion of Mongolian rights, was for many years a resident of Placerville, California. The writer remembers him there in 1862 and 1863, when he (the "Colonel") was principally noted for his enthusiastic Unionism and the industry he displayed in collecting money to buy powder to celebrate the victories of the Federal army. In fact, the alacrity and zeal he evinced in that respect, like his present sacrifices in behalf of the down-trodden heathen, were somewhat ungenerously criticised and his motives sometimes actually impugned by his enemies. Indeed, we used to hear even loyal Placervillians broadly insinuate that he didn't lose any money in the powder business. Often the most meritorious actions engender the severest criticism.

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