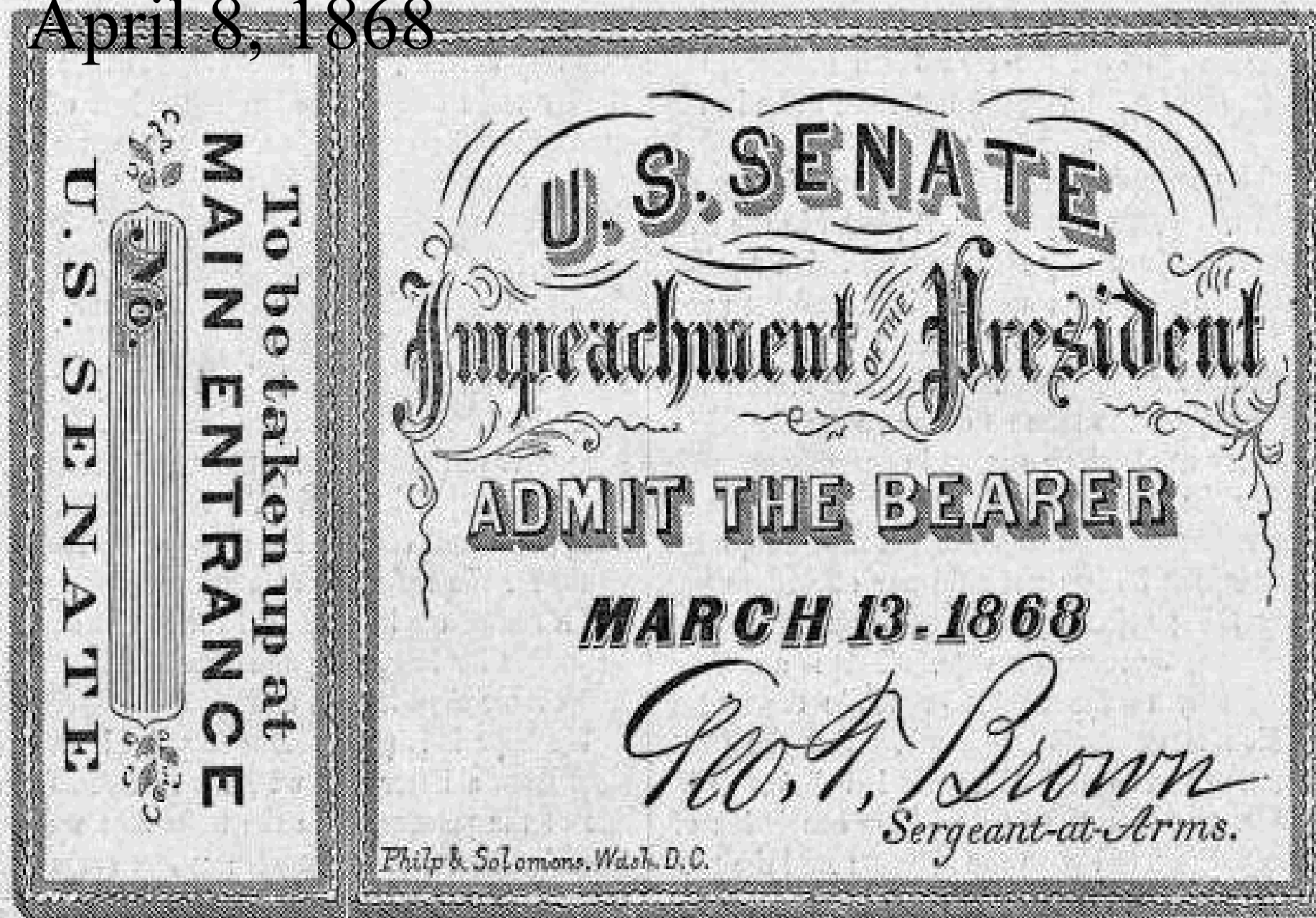
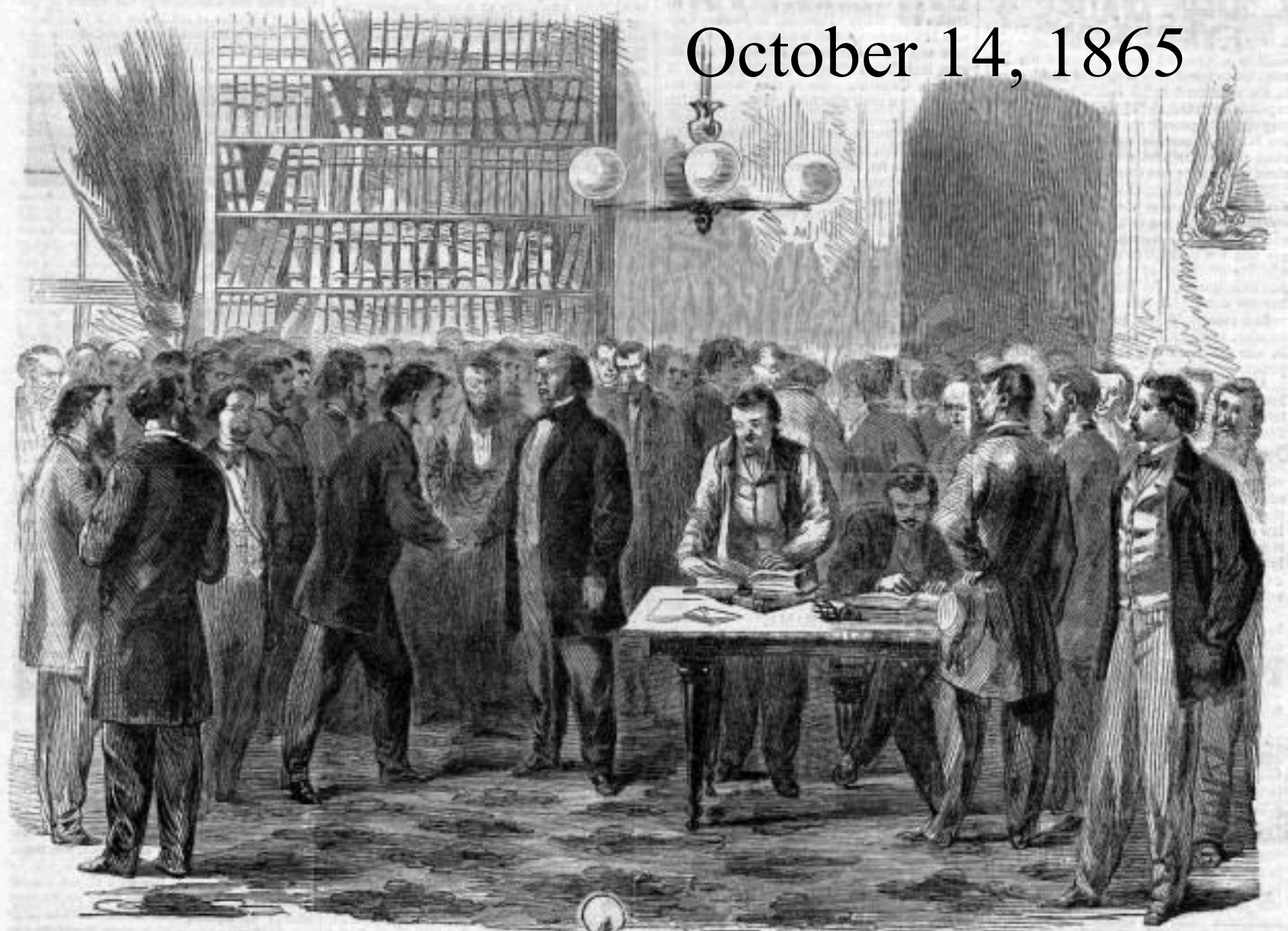


April 8, 1868



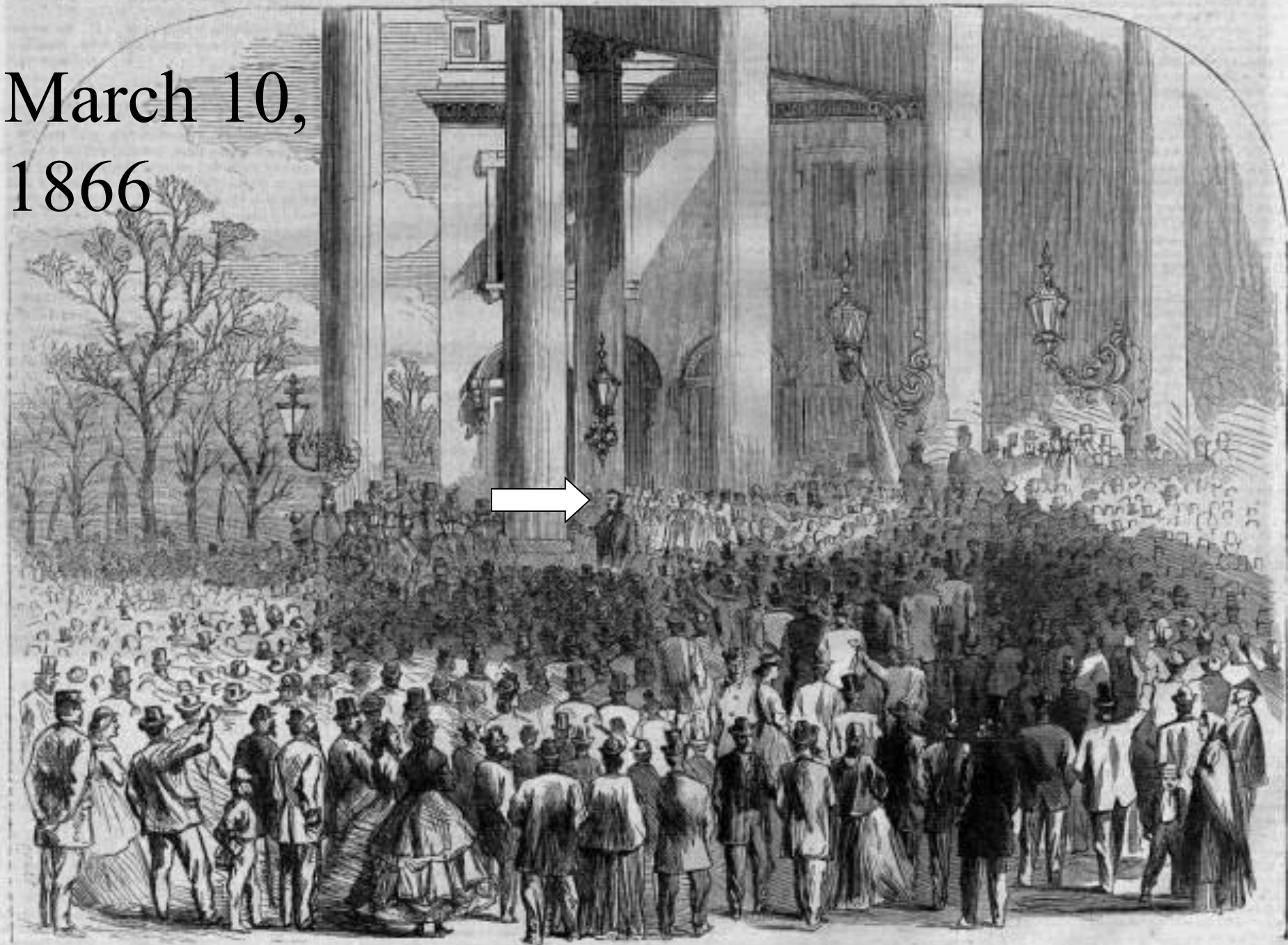
FAC-SIMILE OF TICKET OF ADMISSION TO THE IMPEACHMENT TRIAL.

October 14, 1865



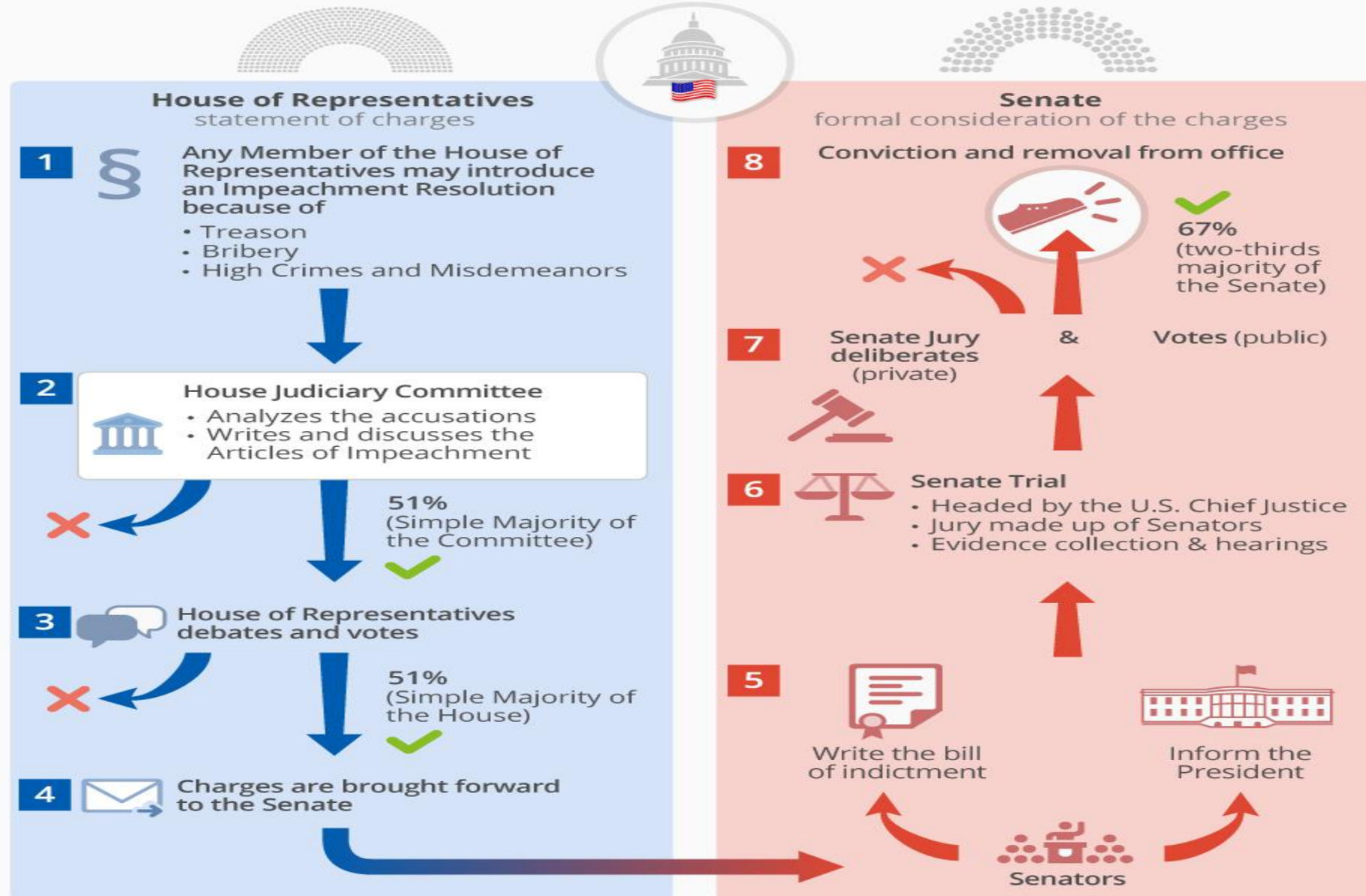
PRESIDENT ANDREW JOHNSON PARDONING REBELS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.—[SHORTLY BY MR. STANLEY FOR.]

March 10,
1866



PRESIDENT JOHNSON ADDRESSING HIS FELLOW-CITIZENS AT WASHINGTON, FEBRUARY 22, 1866.

What an Impeachment of the President Would Look Like



Line of Presidential Succession

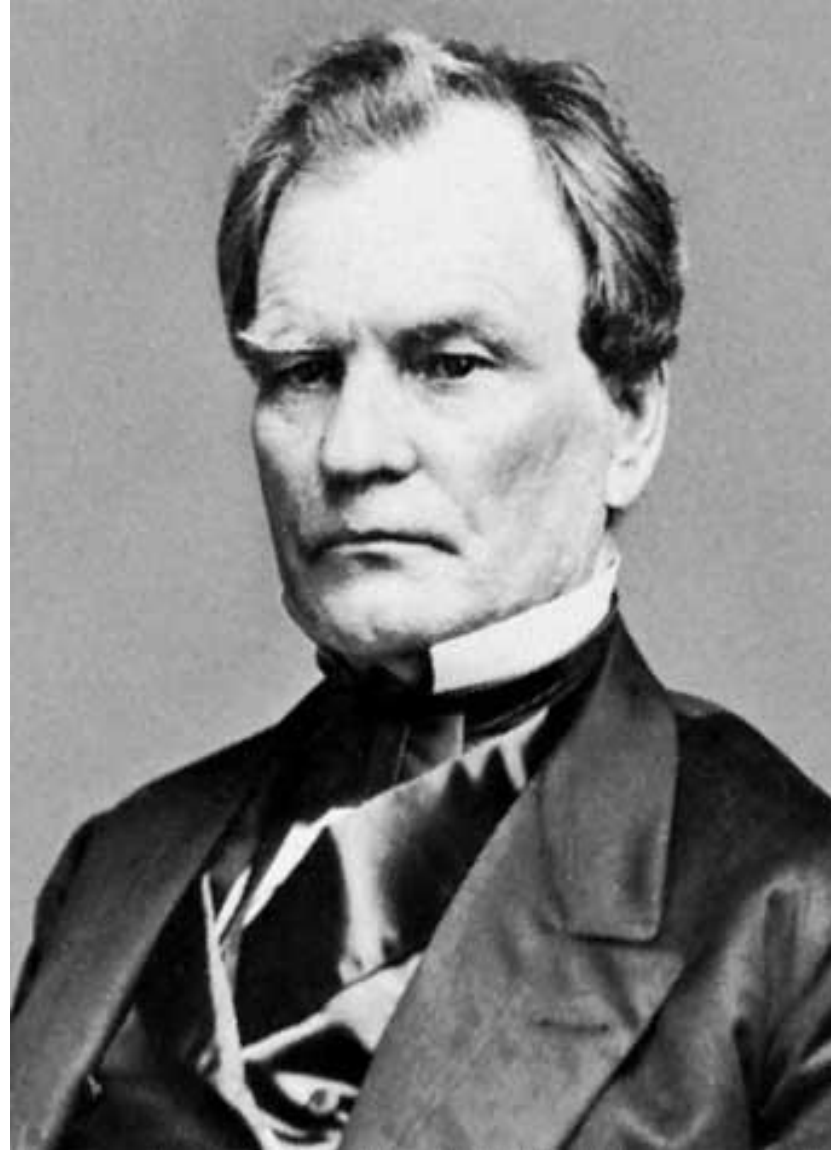
- ★ Vice President
- ★ Speaker of the House
- ★ President *pro tempore* of the Senate
- ★ Secretary of State
- ★ Secretary of the Treasury
- ★ Secretary of Defense
- ★ Attorney General
- ★ Secretary of the Interior
- ★ Secretary of Agriculture
- ★ Secretary of Commerce
- ★ Secretary of Labor
- ★ Secretary of Health and Human Services
- ★ Secretary of Housing and Urban Development
- ★ Secretary of Transportation
- ★ Secretary of Energy
- ★ Secretary of Education
- ★ Secretary of Veterans Affairs
- ★ Secretary of Homeland Security*

*The order of this position may change, pending congressional legislation.

Source: [thomas.loc.gov](https://www.thomas.loc.gov).

Benjamin Wade

RADICAL REPUBLICAN





Schuyler Colfax
RADICAL REPUBLICAN

I. Impeachment

- **President Johnson** is charged with *high crimes and misdemeanors* for his firing of **Stanton**.
- His trial begins on April 6th 1868.
- **Johnson** wins by one vote!!

April 11, 1868



THE HOUSE IN A MOMENT OF DEBATE FOR THE TELL OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN—(Scene at Thomas B. Reed's [in New York].)

John F. Kennedy, who wrote in *Profiles in Courage* (1956) that Ross' "heroic" vote "may well have preserved ... Constitutional government in the United States."

