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THE CITY MONEY.

Until the subject of the impachment of Andrew Johnson became the absorbing topic, the city money was perhaps most in the public mind. The reason why it has been and still is depreciated is a thing not easily comprehended. All circulating notes are but promises to pay. Their value depends wholly upon the confidence of the business community in the ability and willingness of the promiser to meet their obligations. In many respects these notes are like commercial paper. So long as merchants are supposed to be able to discharge their liabilities, whether in fact they are or not, their paper passes in the market freely and without discount. Even though the makers are solvent beyond all question, the utterance of a breath of suspicion may be sufficient to bring them into disrepute in commercial circles, and produce serious embarrassment. Money changers are ever on the alert to depreciate or appreciate the circulating medium as may best subserve their interests; and so jealous are people on the money question that they often thoughtlessly serve their purposes, when a little reflection would save them from all loss.

Like every species of currency, the city money stands upon its own basis, and should be valued solely upon the principle first asserted, and that is, the ability and willingness of the promiser to pay. The total circulation, in round numbers, is about three and one-half millions. The property of the city can not be less than one hundred millions, and is undoubtedly much larger. This trifling indebtedness, if it were to be paid at once by retiring the notes, would produce very little embarrassment for the notes and the taxes for which they were paid would mutually extinguish each other.

New Orleans is to enter upon a career of great prosperity. So soon as reconstruction takes place, and the whole people go to work as they ought, the business and wealth of the city will so rapidly increase that the current expenses of the municipal government will scarcely be felt. It is evident that the city notes should not be at a discount in consequence of any doubt about the ability of the city to pay. In the city willing to discharge this obligation? No one talks repudiation; no one talks postponement of time of payment; and the authorities receive the notes in discharge of all liabilities to the city. It is difficult, therefore, to see any good reason why depreciation should exist.

It has been often remarked that the American people are fond of being humbugged. On no subject have they been so much frightened and duped as upon the money question. For political purposes partisans and demagogues predict monetary panic and financial distress, in order to control people through their foolish fears. The copperhead press of this city for months retailed stories of corruption and extravagance on the part of the city government, which could result only in injury to the people whom they sought to influence and control for political purposes. The Confederate Democrats in their onslaught upon the city government and city money desired to influence those who might be easily frightened against the congressional plan of reconstruction, to obtain a longer period of uncertainty and insecurity in which the enemies of the country might concoct other schemes to bring about their domination in the city and state. And when after the most vigorous and persistent efforts they had succeeded in depreciating the small notes to the extent of three per cent, they then promised the people the coming of a Messiah in the form of General Hancock.

The conquering hero came. Relief from all political and financial distresses was heralded as knocking at our doors. The military pen was to be the panacea, and "civil law" the benign instrumentality of our regeneration. Before, however, the words of civil law could smoothly run, Sheridan's appointees must be displaced, not because of political opinions, but because of "corruption." Considerate and Democrats must have the offices, not because of any political proclivities, but from the fact that men of these classes were never known to be dishonest. The kitchen cabinet of the commanding general believed that this course must be pursued for "the good of the country."—That this would "appreciate the city money and relieve distress." It was tried. For some unaccountable reason the depreciation continued, and small notes went down to five per cent discount. Something more must be done. The god of "civil law" had not been used sufficiently enough; civil law did not see its way clear. The laws of the state were stand aside and the duties of the state officials must be regulated. The subject of the general said, "Write," and obeyed and wrote order No. 48, requiring taxes to be paid only in "greenbacks," and that salaries should first be paid. City, state, and national bank notes were all discredited and set aside at one dash of the general's will.

Since the arrival of General Hancock in this military district depreciation has not only not been stopped, but has increased. The smaller city notes stand thirty per cent below par, and the large ones are not far from it. Since the grand oration by Johnson Davis on the fourth instant the depreciation has increased fifteen per cent or more. "Civil law" is a successful measure, and a successful measure in this case. The military commander in this case has not only not stopped the depreciation, but has increased it. The military commander has not only not stopped the depreciation, but has increased it. The military commander has not only not stopped the depreciation, but has increased it.

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CIRCULAR TO THE MEMBERS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF LOUISIANA.

HEADQUARTERS COMMITTEE OF THE CAMPAIGN, Radical Republican Party, No. 12 Dryades street, New Orleans, March 3, 1868. The Campaign Committee of the Republican party of Louisiana deem it proper to lay before the party the accompanying circular, signed by the Republican members of the constitutional convention, with the resolutions of the Republican nominating convention, together with those of the Central Executive committee, unanimously ratifying the nominations of the state ticket, and expelling certain bolters from the committee.

With the exception of a few disappointed office-seekers, mostly new in the ranks of the party, who having failed to vote are now determined to rule it, and who have been found out and expelled from all committees and clubs to which they belonged, the party is unanimously in favor of the regularly nominated ticket, headed by the Honorable H. C. Warmoth.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted by the Radical Republican state nominating convention, January 15, 1868, just previous to its adjournment: Resolved, That we hereby pledge our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor to the success of the Radical Republican party, and the election of the candidates we have nominated, to wit: H. C. Warmoth, Chairman.

The undersigned, members of the constitutional convention and citizens of Louisiana, apprehensive that the New Orleans Tribune may be regarded as representing us in its opposition to the regularly nominated ticket for state officers, take this method of protesting against its course, and pledge ourselves to hearty support, with our votes and influence, the nominees of the state convention made on the 15th and 14th of January, 1868.

James H. Ingraham, Caddo. James H. Anderson, Caddo. Benjamin McLellan, Caddo. George V. Kelso, Rapides. Samuel E. Conroy, Iberville. S. L. Stuart, St. Martin. Dennis Burrell, St. John Baptist. Peter Harper, St. Charles. Joseph H. Richards, St. Bernard. J. M. Deslondes, St. John Baptist. William Murree, Lafourche. F. Edwards, Avoyelles. Thomas Leche, Orleans. N. Schwal, Jefferson. R. G. Gardner, Jefferson. J. A. Marston, Orleans. J. M. Deslondes, St. Bernard. Thomas S. Martin, Jefferson. David Douglas, Orleans. Nicholas Leche, Orleans. W. H. Elestand, Natchitoches. T. Mahler, West Baton Rouge. Richard Lewis, East Feliciana. Solomon B. Wilson, Orleans. W. R. Deslondes, Claiborne. P. G. Melrose, Iberville. P. G. Melrose, Iberville. P. G. Melrose, Iberville. P. G. Melrose, Iberville.

Having previously announced in public print that I deemed it my duty as an honorable man and a consistent politician to support the regular nominees of the Republican party, I have no hesitation in signing this paper; but I feel not all appreciative that the New Orleans Tribune has been or will be taken as misrepresenting me in the matter.

My object being law, order, peace, and property for the people of Louisiana, I oppose all divisions of the Republican party. I cheerfully support the state ticket. I support the state ticket. I support the state ticket.

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