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FOR MAYOR,

JOHN JOHNSON

GRIM-VISAGED WAR HATH SMOOTHED HIS WRINKLED FRONT.

The ring managers have changed their tactics. A few days since they tried the heroic, and now they are dealing in the pathetic. A week ago they were sounding their tiny war trumpets, but now they propose to hand around the pipe of peace, and puff graceful curls of tobacco smoke at their enemies. The tempest has simmered down to a gentle breeze, and everything is serene and lovely. "Beware of the Greeks while offering presents," was the advice given after that little occurrence with the Trojan horse; and we would say to the people of Memphis, beware of the ring tricksters when they cease to bully and rant, and become as gentle as sucking doves. Indeed we do not know what they want, and we believe they do not know themselves, for all of a sudden, Radicals have become "Republicans," and in one corner of the month they ignore a political canvass for mayor, and in the other advocate ward meetings and a convention. But the office-brokers seem to be united in one thing, and that is opposition to the mass meeting. The impecunious musician, who had no forage for his poor cow took his bag-pipes every evening and played, "consider cow, consider;" and the disgruntled ring, failing in its efforts to bring Mayor Johnson before a convention packed for his defeat; are singing to the thoughtless old codgers who called the mass meeting, "consider fools, consider." The mass meeting was maturely considered before it was called. The place-hunters and office-brokers were caucusing for nearly a week before the mass-meeting was suggested They did not consult with leading Democrats as to what the party should do, but for the purpose of seeing what they should do themselves. They caucused and commenced laying pipe, with the view of inducing the Democratic executive committee to call a convention; and but for the timely action, and the watchfulness of the prudent men, who called the mass meeting a regular convention, would have been called and held, and Mayor Johnson would have been defeated by the tricksters who have been packing the wards for the last three months, while the mayor was packing upon his shoulders the city debt, and perfecting means by which the load could be removed. Those who so beseechingly beg a withdrawal of the call for a mass meeting had better undeceive themselves at once. The mass meeting will be held as sure as the day arrives—and if those who prate about harmony and would divest the canvass of politics are sincere, they will abandon a ward convention and attend the mass meeting of the people, where there can be no trading and packing, and everything is done in open meeting by the people themselves. A packed ward convention could not force A. T. Lacey on the party in December, 1867; but a mass-meeting united the people on John W. Leftwitch, and the same result can now be accomplished, unless the ring junto is determined to bolt and form an alliance with the dear "Republicans," whose insults they are so prompt to resent. We tell the people to be on the alert. The tricksters are at work concocting new schemes with which to circumvent those they would allure by deceit and treachery. Men who refuse to patronize Johnson men are ready to carry out their threats to form a union with the "Republicans" to defeat the men who refuse to be ruled by them. People of Memphis, do you realize that the next five weeks may carry in their womb disasters compared with which your former afflictions may be as "sunshine unto shadow, and as water unto wine?" Are you, indeed, utterly stolid and unimpressible as to what may be your fate, unless you are vigilant and watchful? Unless you master the torpor which has heretofore palsied your limbs, you will have occasion after the next election for mayor to gnash your teeth at your madness, folly and laziness. We want you to understand distinctly that there is great danger of defeat. You had better learn this now than a month hence. He is a poor physician who tries to amuse his patient with pleasant viands when it is bitter medicines, or the probe, or the knife, that is needed to save his life. Then let the people arouse themselves. There is work for you at the mass meeting and still harder work before the election. Let us on the 9th of December assemble and select that most prudent and reliable man, John Johnson, and then let the anathemas maranathas of an outraged people be his, who shall dare to present his puny self, when all that true men hold dear is in peril. Having selected your standard-bearer, marshal your forces and set them in battle array. Call in the furloughed, gather in the stragglers, whip in the recusant, weed out the mutineers, and with one united effort, charge home upon the mercenary hordes of plunderers and crush them out.

YOUNG MEN IN CITIES.

If all that is said about the superior advantages of rural life be true, why do we see such a constant steam of emigration of farmers' sons from their country homes to swell the ranks of employment in the cities and large towns? This is a problem that has arrested attention for the last quarter of a century, and still continues to "draw the fire" of every country-fair and cattle-show orator. While almost every other artisan is preparing his sons to take charge of his business, the farmer is looking to another sphere for his boys, and congratulates himself if he succeed in transplanting them from the soil which made him rich and happy. And if, perchance, an exceptional farmer does make an effort to keep his sons on the farm, it is apt to be in vain, for the young men have no idea of digging their living out of the soil, as their fathers did. It is quite true that men do not, as a general thing, grow rapidly rich at farming, but then few farmers, that are not utterly shiftless, fail to make a comfortable living, and to enjoy all the substantial comforts of life, which is more than can be said of an equal proportion of those who commence life in a city, without abundant means in these times. As no fact in political economy is better authenticated than that four-fifths of mankind fail to acquire wealth, it would seem that any occupation which would at least insure a decent living, and all the substantial comforts of life to the greatest number, would naturally be popular with the masses. But the fact that farming is not popular with the masses proves that this is not the case. Philosophers have been unremitting in their effort to impress upon the minds of the rising generation the attractiveness of the soil, and philanthropists have been equally urgent in their efforts to persuade the half-starved idlers and hangers-on in the crowded cities and towns to make an effort to procure themselves homes in sections of the country where lands are cheap. But all to little purpose, the root of the evil having apparently been untouched. The special pleading for the country amounts to nothing. The truth is, the insane desire to obtain wealth without any adequate return of labor, has spread from the city to the country, as has also the extravagancies of the former, which have been greatly fostered and encouraged by that flood of paper money, which was the outgrowth of the late war. The farmers' eyes are fixed on the same goal that dazzles those of the city merchant and professional. The beauties of nature and the comparative independence of farm life are uncomsidered trifles with him. His farm must be the means of bringing him wealth quickly, else it is dull and unsatisfactory. Wheat at a dollar a bushel, and corn at fifty cents, will pay the farmer in most of the western States moderately for his labor, and a fair interest on the money invested in his land; but these prices will not make him speedily rich. One year with another, almost any crop that is properly seeded and well cultivated, will return a fair interest on the money invested, over and above the incidental expenses. But that is not satisfactory, and how to make agriculture more attractive to the young man of the country is likely to remain an unsolved problem for many years to come.

At this hour Memphis is overrun with young men from all quarters of the country seeking employment. Even so it is in St. Louis. Is there no remedy for the growing calamity? Gregarious habits were generated by the war; then came the era of speculation, and thus cities were made attractive. The many starve, the few prosper and are enriched, and the whole country is impoverished.

WHY?

Under the laws of the State houses of ill-fame may be constantly fined by the Recorder, as they are by the State courts. As in the conduct of the criminal court, so was it when the police levied black mail upon the gamblers and bawds; evils were not designed to be eradicated. This was not the purpose. Fees were wanted, and secured, and there resulted no restriction of evils sought to be remedied. Policemen, in the one case, and court officials, in the other, made rich additions to their income; but the public discovered no advantage from this mode of suppression. All resulting advantages accrued to place-holders. Mayor Johnson is endowed with common sense, and even rarer honesty. He saw that however rigidly the code was administered, these evils, however glaring, are indestructible. No city on the globe has discovered means of annihilating vices against which statesmen, the press and pulpit have inveighed for two thousand years in vain. He saw that the system of repression practiced by municipal authority, when he came into office, only corrupted the police or vexed the Recorder, who imposed fines steadily and in vain. There were costs and fees accruing that went into the pockets of office-holders, and Mayor Johnson deemed it wise to suppress the evil to the extent that it affected city officials, and to impose regularly recurring fines, to be paid directly into the city treasury. The justice of the imposition does not rest upon the viciousness of bawds or of gamblers. The reason that they should pay the city wall is because their indestructable pursuits and abodes cost us the necessity of maintaining a large police force. Gambling hells and bawdy houses are the scenes of constant disorder, of robbery, of crimes, and drunken debauchery. To maintain order, where vice reigns, the mayor imposed the highest possible tax, and the whole of it goes into the city treasury, as formerly it was distributed among those who levied black mail. The city treasury is now the sole beneficiary of this system regulating indestructable public evils. The public cannot complain because the spirit and letter of the laws are executed without the intervention of those who would absorb the income to which the city is entitled because it regulates and controls evils which no earthly power can destroy.

RAILWAY CONSOLIDATION.

England is agitated upon the question of railroad amalgamation. From the entire length and breadth of the land, railway amalgamations and rumors of amalgamations are the great topics. All the large companies have entered into what is known as "a joint purse" arrangement. There is great opposition to the scheme from many quarters, and it is contended that the consolidation of various companies will but pave the way for the assumption of the entire railway system by the State. For many reasons, such a result would not be an advantageous change for the public. It would cover the face of the land with a swarm of government officials. It would unduly increase the patronage of the political party in power. It would create a monopoly of the worst kind. And last, but not least, it would withdraw from the public that great protection to person and property which arises from the present liability of the companies to make compensation for any damage they may do to either. The same facts pertain to railroad consolidation in this country. As omnipotent corporations, they become a dangerous force in popular government, and in the hands of government consolidated railroads would invest it with omnipotence. And yet each city would have its roads become part of a continental system.

TAXATION AND BONDS.

The amount of notes of the bank of Tennessee, outstanding is unknown. It seems that a Federal colonel named Crawford, who was for a long time engaged in the organization and sale to New England of negro regiments, found in the vaults of the branch bank at Rogersville, or Athens, a vast number of these notes unsigned. He abandoned the trade in negro soldiers and became a banker. His issues are undistinguishable from those loaned to the Confederate government, and used in paying Confederate soldiers at Columbus, Kentucky, and at Bowling Green. One of the ablest chancellors in the State has decided that the State is bound to redeem these notes, and therefore the bill pending at Nashville, which instructs a joint committee to inquire as to the amount of this indebtedness of the State. This debt will be funded, and may add from three to five millions to the bonded indebtedness of Tennessee. If the forty cents tax-bill pass, it should be so amended that three per cent. of the tax will be applied to the payment of the new school fund of one and a half million of dollars required to be created by the State constitution.

TOM SCOTT ACROSS THE RIVER.

The New York *Commercial Bulletin* states that Tom Scott has bought the Cairo and Fulton road, and that it will be extended with unparalleled rapidity to the western ocean. This statement accounts for the fact that Shreveport and Jefferson talk about the diversion of the the proposed Memphis road to Fulton. It signifies nothing. Tom Scott will find a competitor in the Baltimore and Ohio and Chesapeake, Lexington and Big Sandy roads, which must find a route to the west through Memphis, Louisville, and Louisville railroads are as thoroughly interested as this city, and as the Memphis and Charleston road, in the extension of the Little Rock road to Shreveport. Memphis will prefer to the cotton crop of Northern Louisiana and Texas a shorter route to the east than will be furnished by Tom Scott's Cairo line, and then, we must precede Tom Scott in bridging the Mississippi.

GRUMBLERS AT NEWSPAPERS.

Horace Greeley hits the nail on the head when he says: "It is strange how closely men read the papers. We never say anything that anybody don't like but we soon hear of it, and everybody tells us about it. If, however, once in a while we happen to say a good thing, we never hear of that—nobody seems to notice that. We may pay some man a hundred compliments and give him a dozen puffs, and he takes it as a tribute to his greatness, and never thinks of it—never thinks it does him any good. But if we happen to say anything this man don't like, or something that he imagines is a reflection on him or his character, see how quick he flares up and gets mad about it. All our evils are duly charged to us, but we never, apparently, get any credit for what good we do."

THE TASK BEFORE US.

On the day of the next city elections all business houses should be closed, and every citizen should devote the day to the maintenance of a wise and honest administration of the city government. If the people fail, having the power in their own hands, the calamity will be the result of their own misconduct. Those who refuse to co-operate in every movement designed to secure the services of an honest and wise chief executive, deserve neither the respect nor confidence of the many who would assure the prosperity of Memphis. From this time until the day of election, each citizen should exert his influence to secure unanimity of action. The fortunes of Memphis are pivoted on the result of coming elections

THE Selma weekly *Times* and the *Southern Argus* have been consolidated, and the date of publication has been changed to Tuesday. This junction of two of the most excellent weekly papers in the south will secure the *Times* a large increase of circulation and a prestige proportioned to the position the *Times* and the *Argus* separately enjoyed in the journalistic world.

EVER since the execution of the murderers of the Park family by the kuklux, we have waited and waited for the President to declare martial law in Clark county, Indiana. We are inclined to think now that, if the people over there want any martial law declared, or any writs of *habeas corpus* suspended, they will have to do their hanging on this side of the Ohio.

THE outstanding old issue of the Bank of Tennessee is supposed to be $709,615 99; of new, or Crawford issue, $3,395,924 22. How it was ascertained that Crawford did not distribute a greater sum is not known.

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LAST NOTICE. Secure your Christmas and New Year Gifts. $1,000,000 00

BY the authority of the act of the Legislature of Kentucky, of March 17, 1871, the Trustees of the Public Library of Kentucky will give a Grand Gift Concert, AT LOUISVILLE, KY., Saturday December 16, 1871.

100,000 Tickets of Admission, $10 each, Currency; Half Tickets, $5; Quarter Tickets, $2 50.

Tickets will be sent by registered letter; the money for them may be sent by P. O. money order, greenbacks or draft.

Each ticket consists of four quarters, value $2 50 each. The holder is entitled to admission to the Concert, and to the value of the gift awarded to it or its fraction.

$250,000 IN GREENBACKS will be distributed to holders of tickets, in gifts of from $10,000, the highest, to $100, the lowest, being 7,111 gifts in all. The Concert is for the benefit of the PUBLIC LIBRARY OF KENTUCKY. The Citizens' Bank of Kentucky is Treasurer, and the corporators and supervisors are the Hon. Thomas E. Bramlette, late Governor of Kentucky, and twenty-seven of the most distinguished and respectable citizens of the State.

The undersigned, late principal business manager of the very successful gift concert for the benefit of the Mercantile Library at San Francisco, has been appointed agent and Manager of the Grand Gift Concert.

The drawing and distribution will take place in public, and everything will be done to satisfy the buyers of tickets that their interests will be as well protected as if they were personally present to superintend the entire affair.

For tickets and information apply to C. R. PETERS, 138 Main st., Louisville, Ky., No. 8 Astor House, New York.

H. N. Hempstead, No. 410 Broadway, Milwaukee, Wis.

M. A. French, Virginia City, Nevada.

M. A. Wolf, No. 816 Chestnut st., St. Louis.

Tickets also for sale in every prominent place in the United States.

Owing to the general derangement of mails and advertisements consequent on the disastrous conflagration in the West, the sale of tickets in this enterprise is extended to Nov. 30, 1871, at which time the main office, 120 Main st., Louisville, Ky., will close for adjustment of accounts and business. No orders except by mail will be received after Dec. 1st, and no orders by mail will be filled after Dec. 8th. The New York office will close Dec. 10th; the agencies Dec. 5th. Every ticket issued Dec. 16th will be cancelled by its number. The drawing will take place in public on 16th, 18?, commencing at 7 o'clock, and continue until the 72 gifts are awarded. Payment of awards will commence Dec. 19, at 9 o'clock a.m. Circulars of awards will be found at every agency as soon as they can be issued correctly, and will also be sent to all ticket buyers as soon as possible. No order will be filled at main office for less than $10.

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Administratrix Notice

ALL persons indebted to the late Henry V. Traegde are hereby notified to come forward and settle; those having claims against said estate will please present them. November 8, 1871. MARY M. TRAEGDE. no15 sed Adm'x of Henry V. Traegde.

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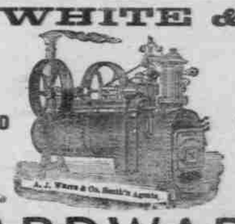

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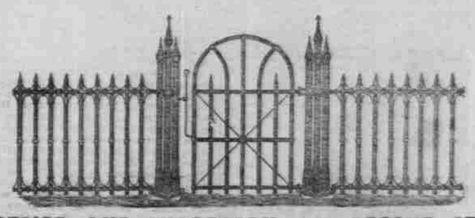

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THE firm of Meyers & Dedrick, Attorneys-at-Law and United States Claim Agents, in this day dissolved by mutual consent. W. W. Dedrick retiring. Gilbert Meyers assumes all liabilities of the late firm, and is alone authorized to complete the unfinished business of the firm, and to collect all outstanding indebtedness due said firm.

GILBERT MEYERS. W. W. DEDRICK.

Memphis, Tenn., November 18, 1871.

☞ The undersigned takes occasion, in this connection, to thank the public for past favors, and to assure all persons having claims in the hands of the late firm of Meyers & Dedrick for collection, as well as those having claims of any sort which have not yet been presented, that it will ever be our constant endeavor to press business, with the utmost diligence, and to give satisfaction to all parties intrusting business to him. It is with pleasure that he notes a growing disposition on the part of the General Government to deal in a manner more liberal with those who suffered loss of property during the late war, and it is likewise a source of gratification that the prospects are good for an early settlement of all meritorious pending and bounty claims. It is also worthy of note that a considerable number of citizens of foreign birth living among us,