MEMPHIS APPEAL

TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 23, 1874.

HARMONY SECURES VICTORY.

The only ground for the slightest doubt of a splendid triumph of the Democrats and Conservatives in the summer and fall elections, is the possibility of dissensions among our friends. We hold the advantage of having a large majority of the voters of the State. We can fearlessly challenge a comparison of the government of Tennessee under anti-Radical rule with that of any other State in the south. We have ever before us the illustrative, instructive and cautionary examples of other States in the south that have been, and are yet, cursed with the ruinous rule of Radicalism. In fact, we have everything to hold our party together, and to bring out the full strength in the elections in August and November, if we can but have harmony and cordial co-operation. Never was there a better feeling prior to any election than is now indicated among the Democrats and Conservatives of Tennessee. The people have determined that there shall not be any division in the ranks of those who oppose Radical rule. They know nothing and care nothing about the personal aims and objects of aspiring politicians, or others who may be intriguing to shape the result of elections for the accomplishment of their selfish purposes. From all sections of the State we have assurances that there will be no toleration of any attempt to introduce any issue of any sort that might, in the least degree, disturb the general harmony, or raise the risk of losing a single vote to any candidate of the party. We have a crafty enemy watching every movement, listening to every utterance, prepared to take advantage of every mistake. The Radicals of Tennessee know, with thirty thousand majority against them, their only hope of success is in differences that may arise in our party to produce, if not disaffection, at least that absence of interest and earnestness which is so fatal in elections. They know that in their march not a man will be allowed to straggle from their ranks; that when their nominations are made no questions will be asked; that every voter of their party will be prompt at the polls, and will cast his ballot for the Radical candidate, no matter who he may be or what opinions he may have on any subject. The Democrats and Conservatives must be equally as harmonious, equally united, equally resolved to sustain their cause and their candidates with all the strength they can command. Let us hear of nothing in our conventions but a determination to defeat Radicals and the nomination of the best men to accomplish this result. And after that let us hear of no preferences or prejudices, but of an enthusiastic support of the nominees. If this be the spirit that actuates all who are opposed to Radical rule, victory will be easy and overwhelming. The signs are most favorable, and if nothing occurs to mar the harmony which now pervades those who are opposed to Radical rule, Tennessee, in the forthcoming elections, will show a larger majority against Radicalism than any other State in the Union has yet cast.

It is very instructive to recall the course pursued by Massachusetts in availing herself of the services of men of high attainments in the senate. Never in a hurry in the selection, she makes sure of her man, and finding him equal to the situation, retains him so long as he lives. Daniel Webster served more than twenty years, and then was made secretary of state on Fillmore's cabinet. Mr. Sumner was elected as Webster's successor, and took his seat in 1851, serving continually until the time of his death. His re-election next year, had he lived, was getting to be pretty well assured. Henry Wilson was elected as Edward Everett's successor in 1855, and served until he assumed the duties of his present office. In the house, Mr Dawes is now serving his nin[illegible] and no one can tell h[illegible] term, he will rem[illegible] how much longer [illegible] Boutwell, who fills Wilson's place in the senate, served five terms in the house, and even Butler, antagonized as he has been by the strongest men in the Republican party in the State, has been re-elected for a third term. And so, whatever may be the idiosyncracies or peculiarities of her public men, Massachusetts overlooks them if accompanied by integrity, consistency or ability. And even Butler's ability will not be questioned, however much we doubt his integrity or question his consistency.

The Mobile *Register* is decidedly opposed to repudiation in any shape or form. In a recent editorial upon the public debt of Alabama, it uses language that will commend itself to all classes in all the southern States. It says "We must not do wrong to punish wrong. To use a vulgar expression, we must not 'cut off our noses to spite our teeth.' Cruel and unjust as are the burdens upon the State during the last nine years, yet they exist as one of the legacies of the war, and they have been created under all the solemnity of the law and by a *de facto* government. Without tainting the financial honor of the State in its integrity these debts cannot be excepted from the world's expectation of what is due from the faith of Alabama. To except them would be a gross economical blunder, because it would cost us more in actual dollars to refuse than to acknowledge them. Repudiation is not to be discussed as a light matter. A woman might with equal propriety consider the expediency of sacrificing her fair fame."

Rev. Dr. Young preached to a crowded audience in the First Methodist church on Sunday last. At the close of the sermon he read a long column of contributions made by the citizens of Memphis to the endowment fund of Vanderbilt university—footing up more than *ten thousand dollars*. After the benediction a goodly number of persons stepped forward and gave their names to Judge Morgan to be added to the list. We are glad to hear that the biblical department of the great university is likely to be so richly endowed, and that the citizens of Memphis are responding so nobly to it. We hope Dr. Young will remain another week, and that he may meet with his usual success.

The Dyersburg *Gazette* does not believe there is a county in West Tennessee that will send a funding bill man to the next legislature. The people are in favor of low taxes, and don't want any more laws made by men who have declared that Tennesseans shall, during the next forty years, pay seventy million dollars in interest without reducing the State debt a single cent. Will our cotemporary drop all this nonsense about the funding bill and say whether it is in favor of the State debt, principal and interest? Let us have it straight out, *Mr. Gazette*. Are you in favor of repudiation in whole or in part, or at all, in any shape?

There is some question in certain quarters as to the propriety and fairness of Mayor League's advertisement to buy coupons. For the life of us we cannot see it. It is a mode of doing business well recognized in commercial life. A man is about to fail, and feeling that he cannot much longer hold out, calls a meeting of his creditors to whom he declares his condition and his ability to pay forty or fifty cents on the dollar, and so on. His books are turned over to an expert, and his statement being verified, his offer is excepted. Memphis is in a similar fix to-day. She must have cash for taxes to carry on the several departments of the city government and meet as she can her obligations in the shape of coupons or floating indebtedness in any shape, and there is no more wrong in her paying fifty cents for her paper than there is in the merchant who compounds with his creditors for the sake of saving himself from ruin. Mayor League is right.

The Little Rock *Gazette* of Saturday comes to us on a half sheet, which is accounted for in a brief double-leaded editorial, the first sentence of which is to this effect: "The Little Rock Typographical union having assumed to dictate upon the character of job-work we should or should not receive and execute, we have felt compelled to decline further relations with the union, and to act independently of it in the prosecution of our business."

Ex-Governor DeWitt C. Senter is suggested as a proper person to antagonize Roderick Random Butler for congress from the first district. If Mr. Senter concludes to make the race he will, we think, find a very general support among the Conservatives and Democrats, who have a warm place in their hearts for him, as for one to whom we owe the enfranchisement of the Conservative and Democratic majority.

The Helena *Independent*, of Thursday last, comes to us marked, with a request to publish the resolutions by the citizens of that place upon the death of Charles Sumner. We regret that want of space forbids our acceding to this request. But we may remark, *en passant*, that they are such as do full justice to the memory of the great statesman, and to the fullest appreciation of him by the colored people of Arkansas.

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MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

REMOVAL.
MISS A. A. WALL
Has the honor to announce to her friends and the public generally that having thoroughly refitted the large and commodious store,
NO. 225 MAIN STREET,
(Lately occupied by Elliott & Ridgely), she has removed thereto her splendid assortment of
French Millinery Goods
of the latest importations,
Flowers, Ribbons, Crapes, Silks,
Lawns, Straw-Goods,
IN ALL SHAPES AND STYLES.
Miss Wall invites the ladies to call at her new store and inspect her stock, feeling confident she can please them both as to style and prices. The attention of the ladies of Memphis and surrounding country is invited to the
Dressmaking Department
Unsurpassed for style and elegance. Bridal Trousseaus completed on the shortest notice. mh

REMOVAL.
BAXTER, TREZEVANT & CO
—WHOLESALE—
Tobacco & Cigars,
HAVE REMOVED TO
No. 316 1-2 MAIN STREET,
Three doors North of their former stand.

NOTICE.
MEMPHIS, February 18, 1874.
I have this day appointed Messrs. BAXTER, TREZEVANT & CO. Sole Agents in Memphis for the sale of Wm. A. & F. H. Brown's celebrated
LOG CABIN TOBACCO,
and Geo. Brown's Favorite Brands. They will be able to supply the trade in any quantity.
[Signed] GEO. F. AKERS.
Calling attention to the above card, we beg to state that we have received a shipment of this celebrated Tobacco, and will be pleased to supply all orders from the trade.
BAXTER, TREZEVANT & CO.
Memphis, February 26, 1874. fe27

Notice to Taxpayers.
Over all State and County and Railroad Taxes for 1873 due and unpaid, a penalty of 10 per cent. will be added after March 24, 1874.
GEO. R. POWEL,
State and County Tax Collector, 1873.
G. M. ALSUP,
Railroad Tax Collector, 1873.
fe24

NOTICE.
All instruments, Mathematical and Philosophical, left at my shop for repairing, if not called for in thirty days, will be sold at the expiration of that time to pay charges.
A. TIENSCH,
Math. and Opt. Instrument Maker.
Memphis, February 2, 1874. fe22

J. C. MACCABE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR
AT LAW,
No. 41 Madison Street, Room 37.

MEMPHIS & PADUCAH
RAILROAD.
On and after this date freight will be received at Underwriter's Warehouse for Paducah and Memphis Railroad.
No freight received between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock.
Five-hundred and one thousand-mile tickets for sale at the Depot.
J. W. WILBUR,
de17 General Superintendent.

JOHN T. STRATTON, formerly of Stratton, McDavitt & Co.
JOHN L. WELLFORD, late Graham & Wellford.
STRATTON & WELLFORD
COTTON FACTORS
— AND —
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U. F. CAVANAGH & CO.
DEALERS IN
TEA!
FRESH ROASTED COFFEE
PURE GROUND SPICES!
We have a very large stock of FINE TEAS, which we are offering at reduced prices.
U. F. CAVANAGH & CO.,
mh18 No. 365 Main street.

MEMPHIS THEATER.
By order of the First Chancery Court, in the case No. 2789, R. D. Ingersham, etc., vs. the estate of James Wickersham, proposals will be received by me as Receiver, from now until the 1st of April, 1874, for the LEASE OF THE MEMPHIS THEATER BUILDING AND PROPERTIES, for the year to commence on and after the 1st July, 1874, the date of the expiration of the present lease. Said property is situated on Jefferson street, and is now conducted under the successful management of Colonel C. A. Leffingwell, the present lessee.
TERMS—Notes with security, payable monthly. The property to be taken by tenant in its condition on 1st July, with all expenses on the same during the lease to be borne by tenant. On 1st April the Court will consider such proposal as may be received, and act thereon.
mh3 E. L. BELCHER, Receiver.

J. C. JOHNSON & CO.,
COTTON BUYERS,
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1000 bbls. Russets.
1000 " Peachblows.
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FOUTE & HOPKINS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
BOLIVAR, TENN.

Notice to Stockholders.
OFFICE OF
THE BANK OF COMMERCE,
Memphis, Tenn., March 14, 1874.
The annual election for Seven Directors of this Bank, to serve the ensuing year, will be held at this office, on SECOND TUESDAY, being the 14th day of April, 1874, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.
By order of the Board.
mh14 R. A. PARKER, Cashier.

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MALE; in the country; on the R. & P. R. R. Board, tuition, washing, fuel, lights, for 20 weeks, $100.
H. A. CERTAIN & BROS.,
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J. A. D. [illegible], Ticket Agent.

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Depot for the sale of the "OLD DANIEL PRATT COTTON GINS."
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mh15 daw

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HAVING sold one-third interest in our stock and store to W. J. and O. E. Poindexter, the business formerly done under the firm name and style of Rives & Poindexter will, from and after this date, do business as heretofore, at the old stand, under the firm name and style of Rives, Poindexter & Co.
W. A. RIVES.
C. C. POINDEXTER.
Mason, Tenn., February 2, 1874. mh22

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Sleeping cars on all mail trains. For tickets and information, inquire at 287 Main street, 278 Main street, or at Depot, foot Washington st., Memphis, Tenn.
A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
R. A. WILLIAMS, Pass. Ag't.
ja27 J. H. PERRY, Gen'l Ticket Ag't.

DR. CURTIS
ARRIVAL IN NEW ORLEANS.
DR. E. DE F. CURTIS, M.D., F.R.C.S., author of "Manhood," Medical Essays on Marriage, etc., etc., takes this opportunity to announce to the citizens of MEMPHIS and the surrounding country, including those who have previously consulted him, that he has arrived in New Orleans for the season, and may be conferred with as heretofore, in person or by letter, at his rooms,
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BY virtue of an order of the First Chancery Court, I will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash,
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mh11 F. M. WHITE, Receiver.

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Complete assortment of fine STEELS. 1000 kegs NAILS.
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Memphis, February 20, 1874.

NOTICE.
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The established gauge of the road is three feet and six inches; and it has already been completed to a distance of 9 8-100 miles from this place, and has now in use a Construction Train.
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The company will pay no money upon the contract. Its property and resources for the ultimate satisfaction of the contractor will consist of bonds of the county of Adams, amounting to $134,000, bearing an interest of 7 per cent., payable annually; of timber sufficient for all bridges as far as 3 44-100 miles from the terminus of the completed section, of one hundred tons of rails, not yet laid, and the power of the company for leasing or mortgaging the road, which is now unincumbered.
The contractor will be required to construct the road upon the route selected, with fish-bar iron weighing not less than thirty-five pounds in accordance with the plans and specifications of an engineer, to be appointed by the company and paid by the contractor; and all work and materials will be subject to his inspection and approval. The time of performance of contract will be limited to sixteen months, and ample guarantees for performance will be required.
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ASSETS.

Cash in bank	$ 191,540 55
Bonds and mortgages, being first lien on real estate, worth $7,000,000	1,997,940 00
Loans on stocks, payable on demand (market value of securities, $475,750 00)	391,705 98
United States stocks (market val.)	1,949,125 00
State and city bonds	216,820 00
Interest due on 1st January, 1874	32,988 49
Balance in hand of agents	177,857 98
Bills receivable	21,788 33
Salvages and reinsurance	29,889 51
Premiums due and uncollected on policies issued at this office	17,246 14
Total	$4,857,897 63

LIABILITIES.

Claims for losses outstanding on 1st January, 1874	$236,195 24
Dividends unpaid	55 000
Total	$291,090 24

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