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THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1874.

The civil wrongs bill is still in statu quo. Required in pace.

Michael Burns, of Nashville, is spoken of as a candidate for Governor.

Dyersburg's postmaster, one R. B. Goshorn, has been convicted of a \$3500 robbery.

A New York publisher has just published the Life and Adventures of Davy Crockett.

Col. George B. McClellan, of Sullivan county, is announced for Congress from the First District.

Ex-President Jefferson Davis arrived in New York from Europe last Sunday, and immediately left for Memphis.

The prospect for a general European war is daily becoming more ominous. All the governments of that continent are arming and drilling every available man.

The House Committee on Territories have agreed to report a bill defining the qualifications of delegates for Territories, making ineligible any person guilty of bigamy or polygamy.

Col. Kerr, a gubernatorial aspirant, attended the editorial meeting at Brownsville last week. He interviewed the interviewers extensively. He is making a thorough canvass, and thinks his chances are good.

The latest advices from Oregon confirm the news of the Democratic victory in that State. The entire State ticket is elected. The Senate stands: 11 Republicans, 9 Democrats and 10 Independents; House: 16 Republicans, 22 Democrats and 22 Independents.

Our talented friend, Hon. Lee Head, a Representative in the last Legislature from Wilson county, has made a long speech, in which he denounces the funding bill, opposes taxation for free school purposes, and appeals for harmony in the Democratic ranks.

One of the rules of Order of Enoch, says the Salt Lake Tribune, is that all girls on reaching the age of fourteen must get married. There is to be no deviation from this, and at the first offer, no matter how many wives the man may have, or how ugly he may be, the girl must accept his hand.

The St. Louis Democrat, Radical, publishes the following as the views of a negro philosopher in that city. It is the most pointed and complete argument yet offered.

You know de turkey, he roost on de fence, and de gosse he roost on de ground. You pull de turkey off de fence and he will git up again. You crap his wings, but somehow or nuder he gwine to git back on de fence. Now you put de gosse on de fence and he will fall off. He don't bling air. De turkey ain't de white man. He's down now, but is gwine to git up again. De nigger is de gosse. He better stay whar he blongs.

A letter from Rome, speaking of the Vatican, says: "A curious fact to make record of is, that one frequently hears the United States praised for its liberal treatment of catholics, both now and with few exceptions in the whole course of its history. The only serious offense charged against the United States is that we will still persist in maintaining these dreadful public schools, which makes it less hopeful for the Jesuits to find in that vast country ground for the propagation of the doctrines of Syllabus and papal infallibility. The priests say that what the Catholic church has lost in Europe in the past few centuries has been more than made up by what it has gained in the new world. The first steps have been taken, and before long beatification will be bestowed by the church upon the name of Christopher Columbus. The examination of his title to Catholic heroism has for some time, by command of the pope, engaged the attention of the doctors of canon law. The claim is founded upon the great act as being no less than inspiration, by which Columbus enlarged the boundaries of the christian world."

TENNESSEE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Regular Annual Meeting of the Quilt Drivers at Brownsville.

Last Thursday we had the pleasure of meeting this body of gentlemen in the charming little city of Brownsville and grasping by the hand many of our old friends.

The Association met in Lee Hall and was called to order at 3 p. m. by Vice-President Neal. The following delegates answered at roll-call:

First Vice-President Tom. W. Neal, Dyersburg Gazette; Second Vice-President, Archie Thomas, Springfield Record; Secretary, Dr. R. L. C. White, Lebanon Herald. Delegates, Marcus J. Wright, Memphis Register; F. B. Fisher, Alamo Sentinel; John C. Burch, Nashville Union and American; J. B. Murphy, Columbia Mail; W. J. Slatter, Winchester Home Journal; N. B. Buck and B. F. Alexander, Murfreesboro Monitor; J. C. Childers, Murfreesboro News; C. P. Bledsoe, Nashville Banner; Thomas Boyers, Gallatin Examiner; T. B. Malone, Lawrenceburg Journal; G. A. Mathos, Somerville Falcon; Joe Barbere, Memphis Eclectic; W. A. Wade, Milan Exchange; W. R. Hamby, Jackson Courier-Herald; Dr. R. M. Dickinson, Paris Intelligencer.

On account of sickness, J. O. Griffith, President, and L. W. McCord, Treasurer, failed to be present.

An amendment to the Constitution was adopted, making papers instead of individuals members of the Association.

At night the Brownsville Brass Band made delightful music in Front of the Exchange Hotel, in the dining room of which the banquet was held.

At the banquet Mr. Robert Haywood, of the Brownsville States, presided. Mr. L. Bond welcomed the visitors in a neat speech, in which he complimented the Press as the champion of civilization, the vanguard of progress, and the defender of Christianity.

Col. Neal, of the Dyersburg Gazette, responded in behalf of the Association in an appropriate manner, thanking the citizens for their bountiful hospitality.

Speeches were made by a number of gentlemen, delegates and citizens, and after an hour's pleasant talk, the party dispersed.

At the session Friday morning honorary members were elected, one of whom was the talented and accomplished writer, Miss Loelie Rankin, of this city.

A resolution, offered by the editor of the EXCHANGE, requesting our representatives in Congress to vote against the new postal bill was adopted, and telegrams sent to that effect. Senator Cooper replied, saying he would do his best for us.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted for courtesies extended by the press of Brownsville, by Mr. Dismukes, the popular proprietor of the Exchange Hotel, and to the citizens of Brownsville generally. Also to Col. John T. Flynn, the able and pleasant Superintendent of this division of the M. & L. Railroad.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Tom W. Neal, Dyersburg; Vice Presidents, T. B. Kirby, Chattanooga Times, Thomas Boyers, Gallatin Examiner, and Joe Barbere, Memphis Eclectic; Secretary, R. L. C. White, Lebanon Herald; Treasurer, W. A. Wade, Milan Exchange.

Mr. Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, was requested to deliver the next annual address. Mr. Joe Barbere, of Memphis, was elected orator, and Miss Mattie Collins, of Montgomery county, was selected to deliver a poem at the next annual convention, which will be held at Murfreesboro, on the third Monday in June, 1875.

At noon the Association adjourned. In the afternoon carriages were in waiting to convey the party to the Brownsville cotton mills, where we saw more evidence of prosperity than we have seen in many Tennessee towns. This is an extensive establishment and gives employment to a large number of hands. Afterward, we were conveyed to the proposed site of the West Tennessee Hospital for the Insane, a beautiful location, well watered, and within a short distance of the town.

At night Lee Hall was filled with a fashionable audience, and we must say one of the most orderly we have seen in years. Dr. Mathes delivered an excellent oration, in which he epitomized the history of newspapers in a very interesting manner. Capt. Murphy's address was replete with good advice on the duties of editors, and was well received. Dr. White's poem was received with applause and highly complimented. Capt. Slatter, after repeated calls, took the stand and dismissed the audience in his happiest manner.

We are under special obligations to our old friend and comrade, S. L. Turner, Esq, for making his charming residence our home while in the city, and in this connection will say that he is one of the most reliable lawyers in the place.

Saturday morning, through the kindness of Col. Flynn, we found a special car at our disposal, which conveyed us to Memphis, where we were received by the city press and escorted to the palatial Peabody, where the formal reception was held, and the hospitalities of the city tendered by

GENERAL NEWS.

The Baltimore American, in an exhaustive article, traces the origin of the dollar-mark (\$8) back to Tyre. A Buffalo merchant bought and sold a million pounds of dried apples last year. What a basis for inflation.

Miss Charlotte Cushman has been induced to reconsider her determination to withdraw from the stage. She will appear at Booth's next fall.

The Detroit Free Press tells us that Wisconsin won't let the clergymen kiss the bride any more, and the fees have jumped from fifty cents to \$5.

Ohio will doubtless enter two Presidential candidates, Pendleton and Thurman, with a possibility for a third in Bill Allen, present Governor.

A Wisconsin woman who recently buried her eighth husband has received an offer of \$50,000 to move into another State. She stands out for \$1,000.

Last week a detachment of British troops, numbering over 300, passed over the Michigan Road on their way to Manitoba. Fifteen car loads of horses passed with them.

Newspapers are cautioned against a forged circular in the name of Rowell & Co., ordering the publication of a large number and miscellaneous list of advertisements. It is characterized as a swindle.

The bill which passed the House of Representatives the other day by a large majority, providing for the admission of Colorado, is not expected to be passed at this session of Congress, but it will come up next winter.

According to the new directory of Chicago, shortly to be published, the population of that city has increased 75,000 in the last year. Taking the ratio of 2 1/2 persons to each name in the directory, the total population is claimed to be nearly 532,000.

A Boston man and a Titusville (Pa.) maid had a little dance all to themselves the other day. He did the dancing while she applied the cowhide, and he doesn't dance any more.

The Meridian (Miss) Gazette says: "Thirteen years ago John Kendall, of Ala., called Arthur Spooner a liar. Spooner reflected, got mad, and the other day decided to shoot Kendall for the insult, and did shoot him; and now his honor shines like a new tin pan on a gate-post."

Mr. Alfred Martin, of Cambridge, Maine, might succeed as a lecturer on aerial navigation. He was in his barn a few days ago when the wind took it up one hundred feet, and carried it a half a mile to a swamp. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, Mr. Martin was not injured.

The American lady to whom the young Duke Nicholas of Russia gave his mother's stolen diamonds is now in Paris, with the jewels worth \$50,000 in her possession. She is described as intelligent and beautiful. The Duke is said to be madly in love with her, and wishes to marry her.

A man, claiming to be the Messiah, has recently appeared in Arabia, where his fame has spread far and wide. He came forth from the desert, where he spent many years mortifying the flesh, and he pretends to work miracles in proof of his divine mission. He has a melodious voice, remarkably brilliant eyes, and a fascinating appearance, and is winning followers.

Thus far the organization of the Patrons of Husbandry has proved to be a success. Whether the godname it has acquired will be perpetuated depends upon the ability of its members to show by their works that they possess sufficient administrative, executive and business capacity to carry forward, to successful completion, the grand reforms the order has undertaken to accomplish.

The London Times, in an article on the American Pilgrimage to Rome, expresses surprise that a race priding itself on the shrewdness and precision of thought should indulge in such antiquated superstition. Possibly after contrasting the desolation and wretchedness of the late Papal States with the cultivation and fertility of America, they, as usually practical people, accustomed to judge of institutions by their results, will find their minds disabused.

During the recent visit of the friendly Warm Springs Indians, who were our allies in the Mohoc war, to San Francisco, they were taken to the Palace Amphitheater. At one part of the performance the Warm Springs Indians, in their Indian act on horseback, and towards the last he suddenly leaped down and "scolded" Joe Kenbel, the clown, of the remarkable wig he wears. At this the Warm Springs allies became wildly excited, and it was with the greatest difficulty that they could be restrained from leaping into the arena and taking a hand in the proceedings. An immense uproar ensued, and the men were finally quieted down and returned to their seats. They, however, persisted giving Mr. Dickrell two hearty recalls. As he made his bow for the second time the Warm Springs greeted him with a genuine Indian yell.

The Marriage of a Granddaughter of Brigham Young. A joyous party assembled at the residence of Mr. Edmund Ellsworth recently to witness the marriage of his eldest daughter, Mrs. Rowena W. Howard, to Mr. Charles B. Wilson. The date selected, May 1, was the 26th birthday anniversary of the bride. The company was large and brilliant. There were representatives of the various learned professions, besides a fair sprinkling of mining superintendents and capitalists. Many ladies elegantly attired, graced the occasion with their presence. The bride was beautifully dressed in steel-colored poplin, trimmed with silk of a lighter shade, the polonaise being trimmed with fringe. An opportunity was afforded the guests to examine the numerous wedding gifts. These were chiefly of solid silver, and were at once elegant and costly. The bride's cake was an elegant structure, standing about five feet high, in the form of a tower. The bridegroom is from a prominent New York family. The bride is a granddaughter of President Brigham Young, and is an own cousin of Colonel Elmer Ellsworth, who was shot at the Arlington House, in Alexandria, Virginia. The marriage rite of the Episcopal church was used on the occasion. -Salt Lake Herald.

"CIVIL RIGHTS."

A Novel Southern Enterprise, Founded on the Civil Rights Bill—Stagger and Shudder. Correspondence Louisville Courier-Journal.

MOBILE, ALA., June 6.—While the people of the South are much exercised about the possible passage of the civil-rights bill, and many are denouncing it quite philosophically, and are even making arrangements, in view of its passage, to turn it to profit, and by which they may recover the fortunes that were swept away by the lost cause.

In this city an enterprise is being set on foot of a very novel character. The projectors propose to go out upon the plantations and select about one hundred of the blackest, grimmest, filthiest, longest-headed and stinkingest negroes that can be found, take them, just as they are, bare-foot, half naked and dirty, buck and wench alike, and start with them for the North. Learn that Cairo, Cincinnati, and Louisville are the first objective points. In these points, say Cairo first, twenty will be taken.

Application will be made to the Illinois Central Railroad for sleeping berths. If they are refused, as is anticipated, then civil suits will be commenced against the roads. Then turn to Chicago, application will be made to the Grand Pacific, Palmer, Tremont, and Sherman houses for first class rooms for five each of these negroes, the backs demanding the range of the bars, smoking-rooms, bath-rooms, barber-shops, dining-rooms and gentlemen's parlors, the wenchies the ordinary, then McVicker's, Hooley's and the Academy of music will be put through. Then excursions will be made on the night train—Pullman cars—whenever it can be ascertained that bridal parties are going on the car half filled up. To Cincinnati, another objective point, about twenty more will be taken. The burned house will be made headquarters for the present, but as soon as their grand new hotel is opened applications will be made for twenty rooms for these cuffed in that elegant hotel, and constantly during the day the bar, parlors and smoking-rooms will be occupied by these greasy Africans. At night the theaters will be visited, and the sleeping-car dodge will be put into operation. From Cincinnati excursions will be made to Dayton, Columbus, Pittsburg and places of that class.

From Louisville parties will be sent over the northern sleeping-car lines to Indianapolis. The Bates House, Palmer, and Mason will in turn be filled by these flowers of the South. In proper persons these dusky maids and guff-headed youths will pay their respects to Senator Morton when he shall return to that overrated city.

I do not know whether my old friends J. S. Johnson, of the Galb House, or Tom Taylor, of the Louisville, will be called upon, but I think not, as one of the movers in this enterprise thinks Louisville will suffer enough anyhow by the passage of this infernal measure.

You will say this sort of a thing will be expensive. So it will, but ample remuneration is looked for. Nay, very large profits are expected to be realized from suits against all parties who refuse absolute and perfect equality.

Now all of this you may think is fiction, but I tell you it is all certain to be done, if the civil rights bill passes, and appropriate legislation follows, as the sun shines.

Not only will companies be organized for the points named, but larger ones are contemplated for Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, and New York. At Washington they propose to take one hundred and fifty men and fifty women of the most repulsive character to be presented to thoroughly mingle with the crowd at every Presidential reception, to make the run of the hotels, and to call in bodies on all proper occasions on the leading radical Senators, cabinet officers, and Congressmen.

This enterprise will pay large dividends, and I very much mistake if the projectors don't grow rich, and the cities visited don't get sick of this equality business.

The American Pilgrims at the Vatican. Rome, June 6.—The Pilgrims from the United States, accompanied by one hundred American Catholic residents of Rome, proceeded to the Vatican to-day and were received by the Pope.

Bishop Dwinger, in introducing them, expatiated on the unalterable devotion of the catholics of the United States to the holy father. Honestly loving liberty, they heartily condemned the tyrannical persecutions of the church by brigands, false to libertarians and estranged from God.

Dr. Theard spoke briefly in the same spirit. The Pope replied that amid the darkness which encompassed the world, this manifestation was a ray of light. The enemies of the holy church were numerous. It was a great consolation to look upon the New World, where the true faith had so marvelously developed as to require the frequent creation of new dioceses. But still false religion prevailed on a large part of that continent, and we must constantly pray for the restoration of all to the faith. The pilgrims then advanced, one by one, and kissed the Pope's hand, and presented the gifts which they had brought from America.

After a most interesting interview the pilgrims withdrew, deeply impressed. They propose on a future occasion to present an album, containing the signature of each member of the pilgrimage. On Thursday next, the entire party will receive the communion from the hands of the Pope.

Corona, says a correspondent of the Banner, which has long and successfully been under the supervision of Dr. A. B. Stark, has been dissolved, by the learned gentleman being called elsewhere to "teach the young idea how to shoot." Lebanon seriously regrets the loss of so prominent a member of her literati, and a gentleman who has rendered himself dear to all who have the good fortune to know him. The Corona building (now called Caruthers' Chapel) will be immediately improved for the reception of the University library, law classes, and college societies, next fall.

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