

THE DAILY APPEAL

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THE LATE DECISION IN TENNESSEE

Under its standing caption of "News of the morning," the Sacramento Union of Thursday has the following with regard to the late decision by Judge Cooper of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, concerning the State organization of Tennessee and the franchise act under which Brownlow and the rest of the officials were elected:

A judge of one of the minor Courts of Tennessee has decided that the State Government is bogus, and the franchise law unconstitutional. The reporter gravely adds: "The decision is most important and will have an immediate effect." On the contrary, the decision is most absurd and will have no effect whatever. The legitimacy of State Governments is a political question to be settled by Congress, not by the judiciary. (See the opinion of Justice Taney in the Dorr rebellion case.) The constitutionality of the franchise law is a different matter, but that question remains to be determined by the Supreme Court of the State, and consequently the decision of the Court below can have no immediate effect.

THE RESULT OF THE ELECTIONS.—The New York Nation of October 17th has the following in this connection:

There is something almost alarming about the silence which has reigned at Washington ever since the elections. The country has not heard from either the President or Seward for some weeks, and some people do not well know what to make of it. We are inclined to believe, however, that the explanation is that the effect of the late vote at the North on Johnson has been "chastening," and that he is now in the condition which moralists call a "sublimed frame of mind." There were decided indications of this in his late thanksgiving proclamation, which reads very like a "pastoral," only the English was hardly good enough, and had in it a little tincture of Congressional pathos, such as members serve out when they make "obituary remarks" on the death of a colleague. We observe, too, that he has been attending the meeting of the Roman Catholic Council at Baltimore, which is also a good sign, and will probably touch the Fenians.

A POINTED ILLUSTRATION.—A correspondent of the Milwaukee Sentinel says that the following colloquy recently occurred between a noisy, brawling Democratic politician and a quiet, observing Republican. It hits the nail on the head, and it is too good to be lost:

Democrat.—I demand to know, sir, if the States, lately in rebellion, are in the Union or out of the Union? Just answer that if you will.

Republican.—The question is well illustrated in your own personal history. Four years ago you united with the church here, and if I am rightly informed you have been rather a hard member to manage; but lately charges have been preferred against you for downright misconduct, and you have been suspended until your case can be examined and your fitness for membership determined. Now, sir, I demand to know whether you are in the church, or out of the church?

The Democrat appeared to see the point and stopped.

THE BALTIMORE CAMP MEETING RIOTS.—The officers appointed by Gen. Howard to investigate the facts of the riots near Baltimore by which a Methodist camp meeting was broken up and several negroes killed and others maltreated, has made his report. In the summing up he says: "From a careful reading of the whole testimony, it is impossible to resist the conclusion that the riot was premeditated, and that the object of the riot was—first, an attack upon the colored people, and second, a deliberate attempt to break up the camp meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church on account of the alleged anti-slavery sentiments of the ministers and members."

COLORIED SOLDIERS' CONVENTION.—Four hundred letters from soldiers from different parts of the Union have been received by the corresponding secretary, G. M. Arnold, approving of the call for a National Convention of the colored soldiers and sailors. The Convention which meets in Philadelphia on January 8th, 1867, promises to be a success. The object is to secure equality before the law. The principal mover in the affair is a young man by the name of George M. Arnold, who served 3 years on the line, and made three successful trips to Richmond in the secret service in 1861. He formerly resided in Cincinnati.

SHARP BARNEY.—A cultivator was espied by a party of Nashville tea-gates, when one said: "A man can just sit on 'dot ting an' ride while he's plowing." "Golly," said another, "de rascals was too sharp to think o' dat 'foze de niggers was set free."

THE FLOT TROOPERS

The army and the navy of the United States are in a strange plight and under the control of remarkable directors. Looking at what is most apparent in the conduct of the War Office and the Navy Department, it should seem that the Commander-in-Chief of both those arms of the Government fostered the idea of turning them against the people who have just spoken in condemnation of his "policy." The States which elected Johnson to the Vice Presidency have condemned his administration of affairs; yet if his declarations mean anything, there is a significance in his recent disposal of the army and navy which gives us apprehension and alarm. From some reason which we cannot explain, we believe Stanton will prove that his occupancy of the War Office, in spite of the President's desire to remove him and despite the suspicions of the politicians and the people, has been and is an efficient checkmate to the revolutionary designs of Johnson and the sinister purposes of the conspirators who are his companions and advisers. The very worst that can be done by that Master Forcible Feeble of the Navy Department, Welles, will be done, in obedience to the base influences that center in and about the White House. We tremble for the future of the Treasury and the credit of the Republic so long as McCulloch has the control of the National Funds. He has one hundred millions of dollars in gold in his possession, and he acknowledges to an endorsement of "my policy." Seward seems insanely intent upon cheating the people out of their verdict by the sleight-of-hand tricks of the charlatan and the thimble-riggery of the Smallweed diplomatist. The North has no need to fear anything worse than a temporary annoyance, even if the fifteen or twenty thousand troops that have been scattered along between Baltimore and Washington should declare for "my policy," and fix their bayonets for a charge upon the Capitol and the arrest of the Radical Congress. There can be no armed force organized and equipped upon the North American Continent capable of humiliating the Northern States or of destroying the form of Government which by their four years of war and their later declarations at the ballot box they have shown their determination to maintain and preserve. But we believe the President entertains different opinions; and, inasmuch as he has concentrated the largest number of available troops of the regular army about the Capitol and in contiguous posts where they are needed for any purpose which portends good to the peace of the North, we think he means to force his opinions and the policy of the South upon the Congress and upon the loyal States. Upon Grant's fealty to the power which made him great depends much that concerns the peace and happiness of this Nation. He is not omnipotent; indeed, he would prove but a pigmy were he to take sides with Johnson and Jeff Davis and Lee in an attempt to turn the national powers over to the keeping of the South. But he could pervert the machinery of the Government to a grievous extent, were he to prove himself an abettor to Johnson's evil designs. We believe he will have to elect between the White House and the Capitol before the 1st of January next; and, hoping for the best and trusting in his calm judgment and earnest patriotism we look to him as to the grandly responsible power which is to avert a terrible assault, if not an infinite calamity to this struggling Republic.

THE LAST INVENTION.—The "gay deceiver" who runs the local department of the New Albany (Ind.) Ledger, tells of an invention, of which he has a patent, gotten up for the purpose of determining whether or not a lady wears "patent calves." It was a cane with a fine needle in the end of it. As a lady passes, with her beautiful turned pedal extremities exposed to view by the "willer," the calves are slightly punctured with the cane. If the lady kicks, the calves are genuine. If she does not, they are false.

THE NEW YORK NEWS.—It is understood that Ben Wood is once more proprietor of the New York Daily News, since Cauldwell & Whitney gave it up. The New York correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger says, in the same connection, that Charles A. Dana has made a good offer to Wood for the News establishment. If the transfer is effected he will make the News a radical paper.

THE FUNDAMENTAL MISTAKE OF JOHNSON AND SEWARD

Johnson has, all along, gauged "the people" by the false standard which he has been taught to recognize at the gatherings of the "poor white trash" of his native South. He has foolishly arrogated to himself and a few other prominent men who are in the habit of making office seeking an occupation and office holding a sine qua non, all the deeper and more subtle wisdom of the times. He is smothered in his self-sufficiency to that extent that he believes, even now, after the tremendous majorities that have spoken against him, that his last winter's clap trap to the "soldiers and sailors" has insured him the army and the navy in any enterprise he may attempt against his opponents. He constrained Grant and Farragut to go with him while he swung around the circle; and he is fool enough to think the people awed by the belief that the General and the Admiral are with him. And we really do believe that Seward is quite as much under the influence of this anti-democratic hallucination as Johnson. What unparalleled blindness! The fifty or sixty thousand white men of the army of the United States receive, monthly, not less than twenty-five thousand letters from their fathers and mothers and sweethearts and wives of the great free North; and does any man suppose that one in a hundred of those letters talks in favor of a policy which means restoring Jeff. Davis to his seat in the Senate and General Lee to his Colonelcy of the Sixth United States Cavalry? So long as the American people fill their own armies and white free schools are sustained at the North, Johnson and his kind will waste their vapors "to catch the ear of the groundlings," and Seward will subtilize aristocratic false reckonings in vain.

A STINGED HUNTSMAN.—The Philadelphia Gazette says a man by the name of O'Rourke lately undertook to go shooting. In reaching for his powder flask he dropped it into a tub of water. This by no means deterred him from enjoying the half holiday he had taken from the foundry of North, Chase & North, in which he is employed. He poured the powder into a frying-pan and dried it over the fire. The result can be easily guessed at. O'Rourke was blown into the yard, with his head so singed that he looked like a prize fighter. Luckily for him he received no bodily injury. His hair, beard and eyebrows were taken off as closely as if by a razor.

QUACK MEDICINES.—The Detroit Post, speaking of the President's distribution of his policy panacea during his late tour, wittily says: "Were it not for the numerous State laws forbidding the disfigurement of the natural seener, it would save him the trouble of a journey to adorn the rocks and trees somewhat thus: 'A. J. 1868—Xr, My Policy.' 'Try Plantation Bitters; Principle Depot, Memphis and New Orleans.' 'Great Specific for a Dark Complexion; Munroe's Unrivalled Powder (and Ball)'; 'Treason Made Odious by one application (for a pardon)'; 'All Diseases of the Stomach Cured: Bread-and-Butter Remedy.'"

A RANTANERIOUS TROOPER.—The Sacramento Union of Thursday says: At half-past two o'clock yesterday afternoon, as the scholars of the schools of Miss Mary Stinson, and Miss Mary Howe, at Tenth and P streets, were leaving school for their homes, a drunken soldier made his appearance among them and amused himself by leveling a revolver at them, threatening to shoot, etc. The children were of course greatly terrified. Fortunately, Chief Burke was near enough to observe the proceeding and capture the offender, after a brief struggle for the mastery. The man proved to be a member of Company G, Eighth United States Cavalry, now camping at Twelfth and N streets, and gave his name as Sylvester King. On the way to the station house King congratulated himself on the fact that he had not stolen a pair of boots, like Jim Moore (a fellow soldier), but had only been "rearing around a little" while drunk; "for any man will get drunk, you know, when he has a chance to." On reaching the station house, it was found that the pistol was not loaded, a fact which was not known, of course, by the school children or the officer at the time the arrest was made.

CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD.—We take the annexed intelligence from the Dutch Flat Equiper of the 21st: The track-layers on the Central Pacific Railroad have overtaken the graders just above Polley's, nineteen miles above this place. Swift, one of the foremen on this road, came up from Sacramento on Saturday evening, with a large force of white laborers that he had employed in that city. These men were employed to strengthen the force of track-layers and keep up to a large additional number of graders. The clay bed of the railroad through the big cut below Gold Run has been of a very soft and mushy consistency since the late rains. The consequence has been that the track has settled below the level of the grade—in some places almost out of sight. The defect is being remedied by raising the track and depositing a firm foundation underneath it.

THE WHEATMAN'S MIND IN EL DONADO

A correspondent of the Mountain Democrat, speaking of this Georgetown mine, says: The quartz is of a porous honeycomb nature, although there are parts which are harder and well filled with sulphurem. Pieces taken out, weighing ten or twelve ounces, are more gold than quartz. The twenty-pound candle-boxes of fine quartz and gold, which came out Saturday, are very rich. For comparison, take half a bushel of barley and a peck of wheat and mix them well together, and gold would about be represented by the wheat. The rock looks much like rich fruit cake, except in color, the gold being represented by the cake. I make simple comparisons, that there may be no misunderstanding.

IDENTIFIED.—The Grass Valley National remarks as follows in reference to the robber who was lately killed by a Chinaman: He has been identified as one G. M. Frederichs, a man who was about town for three or four weeks prior to that time. It seems that Frederichs was an old hand on the road, he having carried on that business in Oregon, Idaho and the upper country for several years past. The officers were posted on the gentleman, but he gave them no chance to arrest him. Frederichs is the man who lost his pocket-book about three weeks ago, and when he shuffled off this mortal coil stood indebted to this office in the sum of five dollars for advertising the same, which we suppose we will never get.

A METEOR.—The Stockton Herald is responsible for the following: Two weeks ago the shepherd on Patterson's sheep ranch, in this county, observed what appeared to be a huge ball of fire descending. It struck the earth, first hitting a rock that broke the meteor in several pieces. The meteor was the size of a large cannon ball. When picking up the pieces they presented a metallic appearance, being quite heavy. It was in daytime that this meteor fell, and as it appeared like a ball of fire then its appearance at night would have been still more brilliant.

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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERVICES to those desiring to obtain titles, from the United States to Lots in Carson City, under the provisions of the Act of Congress of 2d May, 1864, and the Act of the Legislature of Nevada of the 13th of January, 1866. SAMUEL D. KING, Attorney.

TAKE NOTICE!

THIS ALL-WHOLEMEY MAY CONCERN.—WE have this day appointed H. H. BUNCH our Agent for the purpose of holding all indebtedness due us either by cash or notes.

MUNCKTON & WARNER, Carson City, November 13th, 1866. no147

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NOTICE TO ALL OWNERS OF LOT IN CARSON CITY, ORMSBY COUNTY, NEVADA.

Only Sixty Days to File Your Claims!

FROM NOVEMBER 7, 1866.

Notice is hereby given that I, Samuel H. Wright, Judge of the Second Judicial District of the State of Nevada, as Trustee for the owners of property in Carson City, in Ormsby county, under an Act of Congress entitled, "An Act for the relief of citizens of towns upon lands of the United States under certain circumstances," approved May 2d, 1864, have received a Patent from the United States for the west half of section seventeen, in township fifteen north, range twenty east, comprising three hundred and twenty acres of land and being the town site of Carson City.

And all persons owning lots or parcels of ground in said town site must within sixty days after the first publication of this notice file with me, at the office of Hayden & Denson in Carson City, a written description and claim of the lots of land owned or claimed by them or they will forever be barred of any right or interest in law or equity in or to such lots or parcels of ground as remain undclaimed after the expiration of such period of sixty days. S. H. WRIGHT, District Judge, 2d Judicial District, Nevada, Trustee.

NOTICE TO LOT OWNERS.

WE ARE PREPARED WITH MAPS AND Blanks, and will give our undivided attention to the filing of claims to Town Lots in Carson City, under the provisions of the Act of Congress of 2d May, 1864, and the Act of the Legislature of Nevada of the 13th of January, 1866. We can be found at all times, during business hours, at our office, on the street next west of the County Buildings. HAYDEN & DENSON, Attorneys at Law, Carson City.

NOTICE TO LOT OWNERS.

WE HAVE PREPARED WITH GREAT CARE all the forms requisite to enable Government Titles to be taken in Carson City. Persons who desire to make their claims and get their deeds through us will find us during business hours at Robt. M. Clark's office, in the County Building. ROBERT M. CLARKE, CHAS. F. CLARKE, ATTORNEYS.

Nov. 8, 1866.

JOSEPH HANDELBAUM, JACOB TOBRINER.

HANDELBAUM & TOBRINER

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