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VIVE LA MURMUR!

After all the radical talk about hanging Jeff Davis "on a sour apple tree," the same radicals have discharged him. Reader, do you doubt how this thing was done? If so, read and reflect.

Two departments of the government at Washington are in the hands of the radicals—the Supreme Court and Congress. The remaining branch—the Executive—is conservative. The Executive department secured the person of Jeff Davis and confined him in Fortress Monroe. President Johnson had no further power in the premises, excepting to pardon him, which he refused to do. The Radical Supreme Court had declared military trials at an end, and the radical Chief Justice Chase, whose district embraced Richmond, refused to try the prisoner, and the radical circuit judge, Underwood, finally discharged him, the radical Horace Greley becoming his bondsman. This, too, after packing a radical jury, a proportion of them negroes.

The radicals may now say, to shield their Chases and their Underwoods, that the Courts had no power to convict. What then becomes of their needless clamor about "hanging the traitor?" Let them reconcile the conduct of their judges with their professions, if they can. But if the Courts had no power to convict, why did not the radical Rump Congress give them power? It won't do for them to say the Constitution forbade it, for they have paid but little regard to the Constitution in their legislation upon any subject. Indeed, the whole thing looks as if Jeff Davis, having furnished the radicals with an excuse to dissolve the Union, is now to be rewarded with his liberty as a boon for doing at one end of the line what they were doing at the other.

We hold, with Wilkes, that "The worst use you can make of a man is to hang him," and, further, that the rebellion being ended, all further destruction of human life is not only impolitic but unchristian; but we confess we were not prepared to see the radicals change their tactics at once and permit the "red handed rebel" to go "unwhipped of justice."

We are heartily glad the farce is ended. The idea of imprisoning a citizen, no matter what the character of the charge against him, for a number of years, and denying him a trial, is at war with the institutions of a free country, and we are glad that the history of our country is relieved from any further disgrace by the enlargement of the prisoner.

LAWLESS LAWMAKING.

Our Radical Legislature, at its late session, undertook to treat Schuylkill county, as the Rump Congress has been treating the Southern States. It passed an act (we shall not call it a law) ousting the Courts of that county, regularly chosen by the people, of all criminal jurisdiction, and instituting a new Criminal Court, the Judge to be appointed first by the Governor, and afterwards elected by the radicals of the adjoining counties.

Governor Geary was either knave or ass enough to sign this bill, and compel the people of Schuylkill, at much expense, to appeal to the Supreme Court for protection. That Court, a majority of which is radical, unanimously declared the act unconstitutional.

The Democrats in the Legislature earnestly opposed this act when before that body, but the radicals forced it through. It is fortunate that there are even radical Judges willing to arrest these revolutionary proceedings. But we appeal to the sovereign people how long our institutions will bear up under radical legislation, unless their "sober, second thought" hurl them from positions in which mischief may be done.

THE BANKRUPT LAW.—This emanation of the Rump Congress went into effect the first of the present month. We predict that it will prove obnoxious to the masses, and, like former bankrupt laws, will be repealed. Mr. Leidy, an intelligent radical from one of the rural districts, is opposed to the law, and from data in his possession assures us that the "Bankrupt Law" and the "Seventeen Year Locusts" always appear about the same time, and that neither ever last over a year!

The Lewistown Gazette denials that Greley and Botts are the radical leaders. Not Greley's the head and Botts the tail of that interesting party. The Gazette pronounces "education, intelligence and convictions of right" the leaders of radicalism. As to the first two we have never seen them in "that connection," but have known many radicals under "conviction," and convicted "of right," to.

FOURTY'S THIS should be changed from dead duck to live gobbler. He gobbled up, it is said, \$200,000 out of the franchise of the Baltimore and Potomac Rail Road Co.

EDITORIALITIES.

PATRIOTIC.—The Radicals of Armstrong county have nine candidates for Sheriff and seven for Treasurer.

THE temperance folks and saloon keepers had a fight at the Huntington Court last week. The saloon keepers won.

A HORSE FANCIER in this neighborhood keeps his bridle and saddle in his bed room. He calls it his bridle chamber.

LIBERAL.—Westmoreland county has contributed nearly \$1,000 to the relief of the South. How much has Cambria given?

LICENSING CRIM.—Theodore Tilton, editor of the Independent, a religious paper, is in favor of licensing houses of prostitution.

CAPT. G. N. SMITH has obtained a lucrative position in the Custom House in Philadelphia. We congratulate him on his good luck.

REV. DAVID HARRISON, formerly of Ebensburg, has been installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Salem, Westmoreland county.

APPLES.—The prospect of an abundant crop of apples was never so good in Cambria county "within the recollection of the oldest inhabitant."

LIBERAL.—Bishop Wood, of Philadelphia, on the eve of his departure for Rome, donated \$500 in aid of the famine stricken people of the South.

PAGES.—The Vermont radicals have nominated John B. Page for Governor and John A. Page for Treasurer. As two pages make one leaf we hope the Green Mountain State will turn over a new one.

W. H. WILEY, at one time a citizen of Cambria county, has been confirmed as Collector of Revenue for Lancaster county. Stevens fought him to the last, but Cameron was too wily a politician for old Thad.

POOR.—Junata county is compelled to sell her poor horses and farm, as well as the personal property connected therewith, to liquidate her indebtedness. All goes into the hands of the County Commissioners.

CHAIRMAN.—At the Social Brass Band festival in Hollidaysburg friend Traugh took the chair! A deserved compliment to a worthy man, a sterling democrat and a live editor. Long may he live to occupy it.

PICTORIAL.—Five hundred agents are advertised for to sell a portrait of Thad. Stevens. It would make a nice radical parlor ornament, especially if accompanied by his "bosom companion." What does Mrs. Smith say?

SHORT PLEADINGS.—We have the proceedings of the late Court held in Meigs county, Ohio, in which many of the criminal cases are marked "Nollie'd." This, in an old fogey State like Pennsylvania, would be marked "Nolle prosequi entered."

BOTH ALIKE.—The unrepentant traitors of the South refuse to employ any black man who avows himself a republican. Press. And the unrepentant radicals of Connecticut refused to employ any white man who voted the Democratic ticket in that State.

AMONG other mistakes, or worse, of the late Legislature was giving members extra pay for praying. Several preachers are now out rampant for seats in the Legislature, on the pretext of them of getting \$1000 for making bad laws and \$300 extra for bad praying.

CONSISTENCY.—During the winter Gov. Geary established printed rules on the subject of pardons, and asserted that he would not deviate from them. The other day he pardoned a convict, in violation of his own rules, because he was a radical. Courts and juries might as well suspend when radicalism reigns.

MANY papers have stated that the fees of Jurors were increased by the late Legislature. They were not. On the contrary, that body, in keeping with its grand moral ideas, took some pains to dispense with juries in certain cases. God knows when we will know what that corrupt body did, or how they did it.

PREVIOUS PARDON.—Daniel Tarr was convicted before Judge Buffington, in Westmoreland county, for refusing a vote from a legally qualified voter. Gov. Geary pardoned him before sentence, and the Johnstown Tribune, we are sorry to say, applauds the act. Friend Swank seems to be "Tarr'd with the same stick."

The best cure for hard times is to cheat the doctor by being temperate; to slayer by keeping out of debt; the demagogue by voting for honest men, and poverty by being industrious and saving your money by buying all you need at the cheap cash store of James M. Thompson, on High street, especially the latter. Try Jim first, though.

WRETTBY & Co.'s Show.—From all points at which this mammoth show has been exhibited comes the glad tidings that it is one of the best and most entertaining that has ever travelled the country. To see the Baby Elephant, which is the smallest ever exhibited on this continent, is alone worth the price of admission. Don't forget next Monday and the great consolidated show.

ENLARGED.—The Lewistown Gazette, evidently impressed with the justice of our remarks about so small a paper undertaking so herculean a task as the defence of the late Legislature, has recently been enlarged from a six to a seven column paper. No use, Mr. Gazette; if your pages were as broad and as long as the mantle of charity itself it could not cover up the iniquities of that infamous body.

THE Evansville (Indiana) Sentinel on the Border is one of our very best exchanges. It displays an amount of talent, raciness and fearlessness that should secure it the support of the Western Democracy. The weekly, just issued, furnishes more sound political reading than any paper on our list, while every column sparkles with wit and humor of the "first water." It is a powerful auxiliary in the political revolution now sweeping the Hoosier State.

THE SCRIPTURES FULFILLED.—Upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life.—Genesis, III., 4.

At Mobile, Bill Kelly fell flat on his belly. To render the prophecy true: And through all his career Doth the serpent appear, For he's still been a dirt eater too.

Do It.—During the present and coming week many of the citizens of the county will visit Ebensburg, and to all such we would say, it will do them no harm and may be a source of profit to them to visit the cheap mercantile emporium of Mills & Davis, of High street. This firm has a stock second to no other in the town, and as they desire to build up a trade for themselves, they are disposing of their merchandise at the very lowest figures.

GODDY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The June number of this admirable periodical has been on our table for several days, and we have scanned its contents thoroughly. It is an invaluable treasure to every family of ladies, whether young or old. No soft moonshine stories fill its pages, but substantial practical information of the greatest value to every lady who is, or ever expects to be, at the head of a family. Furnished to subscribers at \$8 per year. Address L. A. Goddy, Philadelphia.

HOW TO DECIDE.—The Reading, Oil City, Pittsburg, Kittanning and Greensburg editors are quarreling about the beauty of the ladies in their respective localities. Suppose, gentlemen, you leave it to men—let them sit at Ebensburg—and if they cannot decide the question they can do better by compromising, and deciding that in loveliness of feature, in purity of complexion, in gracefulness of physique, in elasticity of step, as well as in joyousness of spirits and purity of mind, they must all yield to the superior attributes of our mountain beauties.

UNFAIR.—The new anti-liquor law preventing the opening of the bars till sunrise gives Ebensburg toppers two hours advantage of the same class in Johnstown, as the sun appears that much earlier at the county seat. The word "sunrise" in a law of the kind is a queer idea at best, and perhaps a strict construction would prevent bars being opened at all on cloudy days. If legislation of the kind is needed why not say six o'clock, or some other fixed time, instead of having a different hour for different localities, and a difference between summer and winter.

TOWN CLOCK.—The County Commissioners of Blair county have resolved to purchase a town clock and place it in the cupola of the Court House at Hollidaysburg. We have not heard that our County Commissioners intend to do likewise, but we have heard that every man can be master of his own time if he only has the good sense to select an indicator, in shape of a clock or watch, from the large and complete stock now in store at C. T. Roberts', on High street. Cham. has other things innumerable comprised in his assortment, and everybody should take a look at them, buy or no buy.

JOHN BROTHERTINE, Esq., has been appointed Register in Bankruptcy of this District. The appointment is a very popular one, the appointee being the weightiest lawyer in the district. Apropos of this, we are astonished to see the Tribune give all the credit of the appointment to Judge Taylor, and protest the entire innocence of Mr. Morrell in the premises. There were five reasons for Mr. B's appointment: 1st. He is a friend of President Johnson, 2d. Of Chief Justice Chase; 3d. Of Hon. D. J. Morrell; 4th. Of Judge Taylor; and 5th. Of John Brothertine, Esq. We trust it should be our fate to "go through," the Register will consider the above puff in the way of fees.

MacShane in Washington.

LETTER NUMBER FOUR. SECRETARY McCULLOCH. Called next upon the Secretary of the Treasury. This officer just now fills a most important niche in the eyes of the people, being the divinity that presides over the Temple of Mammon—a shrine that has more worshippers than that of Mars, Neptune and all the other divinities; for "where our treasure is there are our hearts also." This department of the Government has, since 1861, been filled with more acceptance than any other, and it is understood that Secretary Chase provided for the exigencies of the war mainly through the ability and foresight of the present Secretary, Mr. McCulloch has nothing marked in his appearance. He is about the ordinary size, plain in his manners, unassuming in his address, and wears quite a business air. He devotes himself entirely to his bureau, and neither knows nor cares much about matters outside of it. Indeed, President Lincoln described him well to a friend, shortly after he had appointed him. "I have secured," said he, "the right man for Secretary of the Treasury. He knows everything about financial matters, and nothing about anything else."

SECRETARY STANTON. Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, the Secretary of War, is the only member of Mr. Buchanan's Cabinet that holds a place under President Johnson. He is said to have sympathized fully with the views of the former, as he now does with those of the latter. I found him a heavy, thick-set man, a little under the ordinary height, with a sensual face, the lower section of it covered by a heavy black beard, and a pug nose. The latter facial ornament gives him a pugnacious appearance, and a cast of dogged stubbornness which is really characteristic of the man. He has managed the affairs of his bureau with much force and little feeling. It was reported, during the war, that he had an assistant at his elbow, named Halleck, but on the most careful inquiry I am not able to find, with any degree of certainty, that any such person ever lived at Washington city; and when I add that I have never seen his picture in Harper's Weekly, and have not seen him named for President in any radical paper, I conclude him a myth, and that the name will never become historical.

But I must visit the patriarch of the Navy department, SECRETARY WELLES. Mr. Gideon D. Welles wears a long gray beard, which descends upon his breast, and reminds you of the picture of the Wandering Jew, though the aspect is more pleasing. Indeed, he is a mildly mannered man, and is said by a brother Yankee to be a very "knowledgeable" man in the performance of his official duties, so that our vessels of war are said to bear the "Sword of Gideon!" He is said to have acquired his first knowledge of naval affairs at Lewistown, Pa.

Browning of the Interior Department I failed to see. I called to see him, but, like many others, I found him out. I next essayed to see the

POST MASTER GENERAL, in which I was more fortunate. Mr. Randall is of medium size, with a ruddy complexion, a high forehead, and features of a very lively cast. He impresses you with the idea of a testy and irritable temper, though in my presence he was urbane and courteous. But

ATTY GEN. STANBERRY, is perhaps the most noticeable of these officials. To see him once is to remember him a lifetime. He is thin as a leaf, straight as an arrow, and tall as a grenadier. His clothes, like himself, appear antediluvian—the oldest possible fashion, the neatest possible fit. His neck is long, but his stock or cravat was made for a still longer one, and compels him to hold up his head like a soldier on training day. Mr. Stanberry is a model of politeness and courtesy, and is much esteemed by his professional brethren, who concede to him legal talent of a very high order. He is perhaps more of a lawyer than either a statesman or a politician. I had the pleasure of hearing him argue a case in the Supreme Court the next day, and such was my impression. MACSHANE:

THE LATEST AND BEST NEWS is that R. H. Singer, who, upon his entry into our town, reduced the price of horse-shoeing one-third, has determined still to lead the van, and offers to work 10 per cent. lower than the lowest for cash, and insures satisfaction. Persons needing tire on their wagons or carriages, can save dollars by giving him their work. "A Jollat saved is a dollar gained," and the way to save many of them is to get your blacksmithing done with Mr. Singer, at the west end of town. Mr. S. is also selling I. C. Singer's unequalled Tire and Band Bender—a machine which saves a great amount of time and labor and bends the Tire round and true—of which Wm. Myers, of Altoona, says he would not take \$100 and do without. Any amount of testimony just like that can be shown, but the machine is its own best recommendation to a mechanic. Persons wishing to purchase should call on or address R. H. SINGER, Ebensburg. Territory for sale. For terms address I. C. SINGER, Box 85, Altoona, Pa.

Robert Hendershott, well known as the drummer boy of the Rappahannock, eloped from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., with a rich merchant's daughter on Friday last. They were married at Newburgh. The interesting pair are "scarce nineteen years old."

Accounts of suffering from the want of food still continue to pour in from the South to the Northern committees of relief. There is urgent need of funds and food over a large district in three or four Southern States.

Stanton, it is thought, will be, through the pressure of the President's friends, forced to leave the Cabinet. Gen. George W. Cass is strongly recommended as his successor.

A CHANCE FOR A BARGAIN.

FARM FOR SALE.—The Farm owned and occupied by the subscriber, situated in Munster township, Cambria county, four miles south-east of Ebensburg and one-fourth mile from Samuel O'Hara's Mill, containing 121 ACRES and allowance, is offered for sale on reasonable terms and easy payments. Eighty acres of the above land are cleared, under good fence, and in excellent farming condition. The improvements consist of a two-story PLANK HOUSE and a large FRAME BARN, both in good preservation, as well as all other necessary out-buildings. An extensive orchard of choice fruit trees and never-failing springs of excellent water are on the premises. Further information can be obtained by making application to DANIEL O'HARA, Munster Tp., May 30, 1867.—4f2

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale his Farm situated in Carroll township, Cambria county, about 2 1/2 miles from Carrolltown borough, on the road leading to Hinesbaugh's Mill. Said Farm contains over 82 acres, most of it cleared and under good fence, with a comfortable two-story Plank House and Log Barn thereon erected. There is a large orchard of excellent fruit and several springs of pure water on the premises—one of the latter close to the house—as well as a stream of water running through the middle of the land. This property will be sold on fair and easy terms. For further information apply to the undersigned at Lilly's Station, or to Archibald Smith, on the farm, my 30-3m DAVID SMITH

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Let- ters Testamentary on the estate of Nicholas Weiland, late of Susquehanna township, Cambria county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county. All persons having claims against said estate will please present them for payment, and those owing the same are requested to make settlement without delay. PETER SHERO, Executor. Carrolltown, May 30, 1867.—6f.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

—Having been appointed Administrator of the estate of John White, late of Blacklick township, Cambria county, dec'd, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement. JAMES H. WHITE, Adm'r of John White, dec'd. May 28, 1867.—6f.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Henry Krise, late of Clearfield township, dec'd, have been granted to the subscribers, residing in said township. Those having claims against said estate will present them properly probated, and those owing the estate are requested to make payment. JOHN K. KRISE, } Adm'rs. WM. G. KRISE, } May 28, 1867.—6f.

The First ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS FOR THE SPRING TRADE OF 1867. HAVING JUST RECEIVED A NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK OF Dry Goods DRESS GOODS, CLOTHING, GROCERIES, NOTIONS, &c., I DEFY Competition! EITHER IN GOODS OR PRICES and invite the ATTENTION OF PURCHASERS TO MY SUPERB STOCK OF Cheap Goods V. S. BARKER, EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PENNA.

LIST OF CAUSES set down for trial at a Court of Common Pleas for Cambria county, commencing on Monday 8d day of June next:

Table with 2 columns: Plaintiff vs. Defendant. Includes cases like Brothertine vs. Swires et al, Hoffman vs. Culcumber et al, Bell vs. Swires, Higgins vs. DeWags et al, Shrivers for use of Harnberger vs. Zimmerman, Truby vs. Duncan, Goswami vs. Bario et al, O'Neil, adu'r, vs. Garvey, Brallier's Adm'rs vs. Butler, Pringle Adm'x vs. Fringle, M'Carthy vs. School D. Alty, Beck vs. Sama, Tomlinson vs. Sama, Hall vs. Sama, Cramer vs. Sama, Dailey vs. Sama, M'Gough vs. Sama, Haddo vs. School D. Mas, Calvia vs. Noel, King vs. Schoenberger, Altimus vs. Cooper, Zahn vs. Murray's Est, Christy vs. Christy, Gittinger vs. Davis et al, Dummer vs. Body, McFeely vs. Sch D. Clester, Ivory vs. Sama, Carraghan vs. Penna R. Co., Rowley vs. McHugh et al, Bendon vs. Bendon, Masterson for use vs. McHugh, Walsh vs. Penna R. Co., Quirk vs. Sama.

GEO. C. K. ZAHM, Pres.

FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers at private sale his Farm situated in Cambria township, east of Ebensburg, on the road leading to Loretto. The Farm consists of 80 more or less, about 64 Acres of well cleared, under good fence, and in a state of cultivation. The balance of land is well set with sugar, chestnut, and other marketable timber. The comfortable FRAME HOUSE and a large BARN on the premises, and an Orchard choice Fruit Trees that have never failed to bear. There is also a never-failing spring of pure water and other necessary conveniences on the premises. The Farm is sold on fair terms and easy payments, an indispensible title will be given. It is known as Bradley's Station, on the C. R. Road, is located on this land. Further information can be obtained by applying to CHARLES BRADLEY, Cambria Tp., May 28, 1867.—4f.

LICENSE PETITIONS to be heard on the second Monday (11th) of June next:

Tavern License. Allegheny Tp.—F. A. Gibbons; Cambria Tp.—William Gallagher; Chestnut Tp.—Glass; Conemaugh Bor.—Francis Stewart; Johnstown—Henry Frits, McRichland Tp.—Peter Heim. Eating House License. Cambria Bor.—George Neschy; John Bor.—Adam Pharr, 8d ward; Mill John Walsh; Washington Tp.—Lam Rigel. GEO. C. K. ZAHM, Clk.

NOTICE.

The Register of Cambria County having granted Letters of Administration to the undersigned, estate of Andrew M'Grain, late of Cambria township, Cambria county, dec'd, is hereby given to persons indebted to the estate to make payment, and those claiming against it to present their claims authenticated for settlement. ELLEN M'GRAIN, Adm'x of Andrew M'Grain, dec'd. St. Augustine, May 16, 1867.—4f.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned on book or by notes now due, are requested to settle the same either by paper cash (which, of course, would be preferred) or giving or renewing their notes, on or before the 1st day of July next, as after date all accounts remaining unsettled will be left in the hands of a proper officer for collection. A. S. STANTON, St. Augustine, May 2, 1867.—2m.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Testamentary on the estate of Cunningham, late of Susquehanna township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county. All persons having claims against said estate will present them properly probated, and those indebted to the same are requested to come forward and make payment. HENRY BYRNE, Executor. May 23, 1867.—6f.

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.

F. SHARRETT'S DESIGNED House, Sign and Ornamental Paper Graining, Glazing, Paper Hanging, and other work in his line, promptly and satisfactorily guaranteed. Shop in basement of the Town Hall. Ebensburg, May 9, 1867.—6m.

JOSEPH ZOLNER, JR., Watchmaker and Jeweler.

Has taken the room on High street, near the Mountain House, recently occupied by B. J. Lloyd as a Drug Store. Watches, Jewelry repaired on short notice and lowest rates, and all work warranted. Ebensburg, May 23, 1867.

JAMES H. DAVIS, Dealer in all kinds of

POPLAR, CHERRY & ASH LUMBER. Yard Nos. 214 and 216 N. Broad Street. PHILADELPHIA. Business attended to in Ebensburg. Wm. J. Williams.

JAMES J. OATMAN, M.D.

tenders his professional services as Physician and Surgeon to the citizens of Cambria and vicinity. Office in rear of building occupied by J. Buck & Co. as a drug store. Can be made at the hotel reference Schroth. [May 9, 1867.]

12 DOZ. WOODEN BUTTER TUBS

just received and for sale from at [Feb. 28.] GEO. HUNTER