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all sides of every question, he cannot be acceptable to the various portions of the Democratic persuasion. His services in the Moses business will not please—his 22d of February speech does not fascinate—his policy in the administration of the executive branch of the government during the past year of his reign does not recommend him to the favorable consideration of the people.

Who then? Hancock? No: his heavy blows felt upon the devoted heads of Democracy in putting down the Rebellion will not be quietly overlooked by that party. The fact of his having slain so many orthodox Democrats on the battle field does not commend him to the mercy of the Abolitionists to command the hearty support of the ultra Copperhead wing of the Democratic party, without which Democracy is not a corporal's guard.

Brick Pomeroy is a consistent exponent of the Democratic party, and advocates that policy only, which can ensure a Democratic triumph. He places before the people the claims of Pendleton, an out and out Copperhead, and says he is for consistency, and that availability may go to the devil. He will never support for the Presidency a renegade Abolitionist. He has no confidence in the honesty of an apostate. He wants the pure thing or none, and will stop on no half way ground—and Brick is right. The Republicans have had a sad Experience in a renegade Democrat. The dog will return to his vomit, and the hog to the wallow.

HON. L. C. HOUK

In presenting the claims of Judge Houk for the nomination for congress on the Republican Ticket, we are actuated by motives of Justice, and propriety. He deserves all he asks. As early as December 1863, he opened the contest for Liberty, and equality, by making the first Emancipation speech made in East Tennessee since the days of the old Anti-Slavery Society. In 1861, he was district elector for the 2d congressional district, and thoroughly canvassed every county in the district, at the risk of being murdered half the time. His speeches in that canvass, in behalf of Lincoln, were highly commended by those well qualified to judge; and he was then regarded, and so pronounced, as one of the best stump orators in the country. In 1865, he was a candidate for congress with the almost certainty of election, until Maynard became a candidate, by which circumstances, well understood by the people, Houk was defeated. Although defeated, the speeches he delivered through the district, were the seed sown from which the principles of the Radical Party were more easily engrafted on the minds of the people. In 1866, he was induced to run for the Judgeship of the 17th Judicial Circuit, which he did and was elected by a fabulous majority. It has been, and is, universally conceded by all parties, that he is a good Judge. His ability is the subject of remark by enemies as well as friends. He is personally popular with the people and especially with his immediate acquaintances. Those who know him best admire him most. In 1866, soon after going on the Bench, he made a canvass of all East Tennessee, arousing the Union men to abandon Johnson! His services in this behalf are lasting monuments to his patriotic heroism. His speech at Nashville the 4th of July 1866, in which he arraigned Johnson for his treachery, was one of the first, as well as best speeches, made against the accursed theory known as "My policy." In the canvass last year he was busy, in dealing blows to the Ethridge wing of conservatism. He has taken part in all the movements of the friends of the Government in the organization of the machinery of State. He was recently a delegate to Chicago, and is now ready to enter upon the canvass in advocacy of Grant and Colfax. Whether nominated or not, he is prepared to press the "Banner of Freedom and the

Union," upon the people, and will be found true to his past record. We hope he may be nominated. We believe he will be.

The convention to nominate candidates for congress, for the State at large, and for the 2d Congressional District, will meet in Knoxville on the 1st Monday in August. We suggest the propriety of calling a county convention on the 25th prox., to appoint delegates to said convention.

For the Maryville Republican.

Mr. Editor: Knowing that you feel an interest in the affairs of our County, Base Ball included, I shall endeavor to give you a sketch of a Match Game, between our Club, "The University Club" of Knoxville, and the "Hunkies" of our Club. Our Club challenged the University Club to play a Game on our ground, which was accepted, and the time fixed for Saturday 18th inst.

About 9 o'clock A. M., the U. Boys began to come in, and by noon all had arrived, and were escorted, by the Hunkies, to Mr Faulkner's dwelling-house where dinner was waiting. After dinner, the Hunkies began to smell a "nice," rumors were afloat, and duly credited by some of the Hunkies, to the effect that the University Club meant to play some members of other Clubs against them. Notwithstanding these reports our Boys determined to come to time, being assured by the acting Umpire, (who was a member of the Holston Club,) and others of their Club, that the suspicious parties were legal members of the U Club. The Hunkies had calculated on a fair and honorable defeat, but not by foul play. The Game opened with spirit, but it soon became evident that the University Club, with the aid of choice players from other Clubs, were too much for the Hunkies. Their superior drill, taken in connection with a thorough acquaintance with the Rules and Regulations gave them a decided advantage over our Boys; but had they played a fair Game with their own members the victory would not have been so great. The Hunkies knew nothing else but to play a fair and honorable Game, but their Pitcher (a member of the Holston Club of Knoxville,) being experienced in the Business, pitched a swift irregular, and uncertain Ball, which to our Boys came very awkwardly, they not being accustomed to that style of pitching. It is generally known that he (U. Pitcher), is a good Pitcher, usually, but yet he pitched for the Hunkies miserably. This can only be accounted for in one of two ways: he either did not try, or else he must have been spiritually influenced. Two others of their Players were members of The Holston and City Clubs of Knoxville, one each and they are considered among the best players in East Tenn. Their Umpire was either very partial, or else he was blind to the errors of the University Boys. He "saw the mote in the Hunkies eye clearly." In one instance, (and there were others equally unjust,) one of the U's tipped the Ball and it was caught by our catcher, Mr. Umpire called foul, but when his attention was called to it he said, "pass the Ball." He couldn't see it because he wouldn't.

Thus 3 of their best players were members of other Clubs, and choice players. The Hunkies ask for no more than justice, this much they DEMAND. Mr. Hun-ki-do-ri has learned a useful lesson from this Game and no doubt he will try them again at some future day, if they will give him a fair showing. One of the Professors from the University who scored for the U's was heard to remark "It is ridiculous to let 'Lowery' play in this Game." I just wish to set the public mind right about this matter in behalf of the Hun-ki-do-ri Club. Our Club is doing well, and is rapidly progressing in the Science of Base-Ball, and will no doubt, yet make her mark.

Yours Most Respectfully,  
"Fiat Justitia Ruge Coelum"  
Louisville Tenn. June 27 1868.  
"Knoxville Press and Messenger" will please copy.

THE LEGAL ADVERTISING.

It is made the duty of the editor or publisher to file in the clerk's office his affidavit, proving the publication of such notices, upon the payment of the printer's fee by the party at whose instance or for whose benefit the publication is made, and no action can be legally taken in a suit until such proof is filed.

Officers ordering the publication of such advertisements must collect and forward the fees, so as to comply with the law, otherwise the publication is void.

Prices for Legal Advertisements.

At a meeting of the Republican Press Association, held in Nashville on April 1st, 1868, the following rates for Legal Advertising were adopted:

Printers' measure—Seventy words or figures, or fraction thereof—constitute one square.  
Rates—For advertising Chancery and Sheriff's sale, 50 cents per square for first insertion, and 40 cents for each subsequent insertion.  
For advertising non-resident notices, \$3 for first 100 words; over 100 and under 200 words, \$4.50 over 200 and under 300 words, \$7.50 over 300 and under 400 words, \$10.  
Insolvent notices—\$4.00  
Stray notices (each animal)—100  
Petition to sell land and other legal notices not fixed by law \$1 per square (70 words) for the first insertion and 50 cents per square for each subsequent insertion.  
For filing each proof of publication—50.

The law requires the printers fee to be paid in all cases before proof of publication is filed. And no advertisement is legally made unless such proof is filed by the printer. Hence all advertisements except tax, sheriff's and clerk's sales must be paid in advance or before the proof is filed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE!

On the 25th day of July next, at the Court House in Maryville, at one o'clock, I will sell the one-half interest of James M. Touse in the Brick Store-house lot in the city of Maryville, in front of the court house. Also in the same lot, the place, the house and lots near the big Spring, when Wm. Rhea now lives, and the smoke-house &c. Also one acre in front of the Presbyterian Church, where the Blacksmith Shop used to stand. I will sell for cash in hand, and such title as I have as trustee (which is without any redemption) I will make to the purchaser. Come on gentlemen here is a chance to get a good title to town property.  
I am trustee for Tool's Creditors, and the right of redemption is waived.  
W. D. McGhinley,  
Trustee &c.  
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NOTICE!

By virtue of a Decree rendered at June term 1868 of the Chancery Court for Blount county, I will sell to the highest bidder at the Court House (in Maryville, on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1868, the tract of land situated in the 8th civil Dist., Blount county, and known as the old McGinley Farm, containing about 238 acres, adjoining the lands of John N. McGhinley and others. Said lands have been valued at \$300, and must bring said sum on the day of sale; said sale will be made on a credit of 12 and 24 months, except 5 percent to be paid in hand on the day of sale. Said sale will be made in bar of the equity of redemption, the purchaser giving bond and good security, and a lien retained on the lands for the payment of the purchase money, this 20th of June, 1868.  
E. Goddard, C. & M.

W. W. WOODRUFF & Co,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN

Hardware, Saddlery,

IRON, STEEL, NAILS, &c., &c.

GAY STREET,

KNOXVILLE, TENN.

June 27, 1868.

U. S. GRANT

AND

Schuyler Colfax

Are the standard bearers of the Great Republican Party of the United States!

EAST TENNESSEE:  
The Switzerland of America.  
The home of the brave and free.

BLOUNT COUNTY!  
The Massachusetts of the South.

THE MARYVILLE REPUBLICAN  
FOR 1868-9.

Now is the time to subscribe.

The Patriot's newspaper.  
The Farmer's newspaper.  
The Methodist's newspaper.  
The People's newspaper.

The Republican will be an unwavering, and zealous advocate of the principles of Freedom, as bequeathed by our forefathers, and made doubly dear by the sacrifice of blood and treasure expended in the suppression of the

Slave-holder's rebellion!

Our motto is "equal rights to all loyal men."

Reduction.  
ONLY 75 CENTS!

In order to place the REPUBLICAN in the hands of every loyal voter, the following will be the rates for the Campaign (until Nov. 30):

Clubs of 5 accompanied by the Cash, \$3.75. Clubs of 10 accompanied by the Cash, \$7.00.

Advertisers are referred to the following

Rates of Advertising.  
(10 lines constitute 1 Square.)

One Square 1 insertion . . . \$ 1 00  
Each additional insertion . . . 50  
One Square one month . . . 2 50  
" " two months . . . 4 00  
" " three months . . . 5 00  
One-fourth column one year . 20 00  
One-half " " " " " 40 00  
One " " " " " 75 00  
Professional Cards, of six lines, one year (one party) . . . . . 6 00  
The excess of six lines 50 cents per line.

Professional Cards (two or more parties) . . . . . 8 00  
Announcing Candidates for County Officers . . . (each) . . . . . 3 00  
Municipal Officers . . . . . 2 00  
Editorial notices 15 cents per line.

A fraction of a square charged as a whole square.

Advertisements for less than three months must be paid in advance.

Reasonable deductions made from our published rates to advertisers from a distance.

Address W. B. SCOTT Sr.,  
Publisher.

Tax Sales.

MARYVILLE MAY, 27th 1868.

Whereas J. M. Greer Recorder &c., for the Town of Maryville Blount County Tenn., do hereby report to the Court the following Town Lot, the same having been reported to me by the Marshal or Tax Collector for said Town as having been assessed for taxes for the year 1867, and the same are due and remain unpaid and that the owner of the same have no goods or chattels within the Corporation limits on which liens can be claimed for Taxes, &c.  
One Lot listed in the name of Allen Garner, being Lot No. 58 lying in Maryville, on the North side of Main Street, adjoining the old Wm. Dooleys, contain, ing one quarter of an acre more or less; valued at \$600 Taxes \$1.50. Clerks fee 1.50 Printers fee 1.50 Collectors fee 1.0 0  
Total, \$5.50

It is therefore Considered by the Court that Judgment be and is hereby entered against the aforesaid Town Lot, in the Name of the Corporation of Maryville For the same annexed, being the amount of Taxes, Costs and charges and the Cost of this proceeding severally thereon for the year 1867. And it is ordered by the Court that said Town lot, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the Taxes, Costs and charges annexed to them severally, be condemned and sold as the law directs, and that an order of sale issue.

To J. M. Greer, Recorder of Maryville Blount County Tenn.

You are therefore hereby Com-manded to Expose to sale as the law directs, so much of the said described Town lot, so reported and Con-demned as aforesaid, as will be of value sufficient to pay and satisfy the Taxes, cost and charges aforesaid, and make due return thereof agree-able to law before the Judge of the Circuit Court for the County of Blount.

Witness, Will. A. McTeer, Clerk of said Court at Office at Maryville, the 4th Monday of May, 1868.  
Will. A. McTeer, Clerk.

In obedience to the above, I will sell to the highest bidder within the legal hours of sale, for cash in hand at the Court House door in the Town of Maryville, on Monday the 27 day of July 1868, the above described lot.

J. M. Greer Recorder &c.

NEW WAGON

BLACKSMITH SHOP.

We are now prepared to do, all kind of work in the above line short notice.

WAGONS,  
BUGGIES,  
WHEEL BARROWS,  
CARTS AND PLOWS

Made to order.  
Also horse shoeing done at low cash rates.

REPAIRING of all kind done promptly and neatly.

Country Produce

Taken in exchange for work.

CANCELED & SLIDED  
april 11-12m.

M. GUERRA

IS PREPARED TO DO

HOUSE, SIGN

ORNAMENTAL PAINTING,

Paper Hanging, Glazing &c., &c.

ALSO INFORMS THE CITIZENS OF A Maryville and surrounding country, that he is prepared to execute STENCIL and BRAND CUTTING. Nothing used only the very best of material—Indelible Ink, Brushes, &c., &c.  
All work will be WARRANTED, provided directions are complied with. My work can be seen at the residences of the Rev. R. E. Teaford, Mrs. A. E. Pope, J. B. Wells & Co., J. M. Greer's Cheap Corner, Greer & Cowan's, and at the Post Office. References can be given to the very best of citizens.  
MARCE GUERRA,  
No. 214 P. O. Box 15.