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CLEARFIELD, Aug. 26, 1868.

The Fair.

SEVENTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

OF THE

Clearfield Co. Agricultural Society.

[illegible] held on the Fair Grounds, in the Borough of Clearfield, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th days of October, A. D. 1868.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Family tickets...$1 00
Single tickets, during Fair... 50
Single admission tickets... 25
Children under ten years old, when accompanied by their parents or guardians, free.
Children under ten years of age not admitted unless accompanied by their parents.
Passes will be given at the door to persons desiring to pass out during the exhibition, but will not admit the holder to any other exhibition than half day coming on exhibition.
Any person wishing to be enrolled as a member of this Society must apply on or before the first day of the Fair, and on the payment of one dollar the Treasurer shall receive a certificate of membership, containing the name of the applicant and endorsed by the Secretary.
Any person becoming a member as above mentioned, on the presentation of his certificate, properly ticket which will admit him free during the Fair. Any person complying with the above regulations and paying $10, shall become a life member, and shall be exempt from all contributions, and shall annually receive from the Secretary a family ticket for ——— " " ———
All tickets must be provided with tickets—which can be had from the Executive Committee, Treasurer or Secretary, or at the office on the ground. Persons acting as judges are expected to be members of the Society. Persons from other counties can become members by complying with the above rules. Ladies can become members by making application as above, and paying into the treasury fifty cents, when they will receive a ticket to admit them free.
Exhibitors must become members of the Society, and have their animals and articles entered at the Secretary's books on or before the first day of the Fair; and all animals and articles, except horses for pleasure and for the trotting course, must be brought within the enclosure on or before Wednesday, at three o'clock, P. M., and persons entering animals and articles for exhibition must procure cards from the Secretary, with the class and number of entry of said articles, previous to placing said article on the ground. Hay and straw will be furnished gratis to all animals entered for premiums, and grain will be furnished at cost for those that desire to feed.
Entries shall be entered or allowed a premium unless he is free from disease. Horses will be received until Wednesday noon, but must be entered previously. All persons who intend to exhibit horses, cattle, sheep or swine, or who intend to offer stock or any other article for sale, should notify the Secretary of such intention, on or before the 1st of October, and have with him a plain and full description of the same.
The number and class, and the number in the class with the name of the article, will appear on a card attached; but the name of the exhibitor will not appear.
Premiums and diplomas will be paid on and after the first Monday after the Fair, and until the 1st day of December, 1868, after which all such premiums unclaimed will be considered the donation to the Society. The officers of the Society and members of the Committee of Arrangements must wear a badge designating their office, and it will be their duty as well as pleasure to attend to the expressed wishes and wants of the exhibitors and others, if it is in their power to do. A select police force will be in constant attendance for the preservation of order and protection of property.
The trotting course is level, well graded, and half of a mile in circuit. Ample arrangements will be made for the convenience of visitors.
Instructions to Judges.—No animal to receive award in more than one class.
Judges are expressly required not to award premiums to over-fed animals. No premiums are to be awarded to bulls, cows or heifers which appear to have been fattened, over in the fat cattle, the object of the Society being to reward superior animals of this description for breeding.
Fat Cattle.—The judges on fat cattle will pay particular attention to the animals submitted for examination. It is believed, all other things being equal, those are the best cattle that have the greatest weight over the smallest surface. The judges will regulate all in this class weighed, and will take measures to give the specifics of each, and publish the result with their reports. They will also, before awarding premiums, require of the competitors full details as to the manner and cost of feeding required by the regulations of the premium class.
No horse is but one exhibitor, and he may show his animals in one class, premiums will be awarded in accordance with the merits of the stock.
The superintendent will take every precaution for the safety of stock and articles committed to his charge, but will not be responsible for any damage that may occur. The Society advises exhibitors to give personal attention to their animals and articles, and at the close of the Fair to their removal, as the Society will not undertake further care of them.
Rules of Plowing.—The name of the plowman will be given, as well as the kind of plow used, on the time of entry. The quantity of land to be plowed by each team to be one acre, or as near as ——— This time allowed in do the work will be three hours. The furrow slice is to be lapped. The team to start at the ———, and each plowman to do his work without driver or other assistance. The premium offered by the Society will be awarded to the individual who, in the judgment of the Committee, shall do their work in the best manner, and the work is done in the time allowed for its performance. Each plowman is to furnish his own land, and plow entirely independent of any other land. Within the one acre to be plowed each plowman will be required to strike two back furrowed lands and close with the dead furrow in the middle.
Information required in regard to matters of Society can be gained by addressing the Executive Committee or the Secretary, who will be prepared to give any information in their power from time to time.
Articles not enumerated in the above classes may be placed upon exhibition, if worthy of notice, and suitably awarded.
The Executive Committee reserve a discretionary power to award Diplomas in any case of meritorious articles, or for articles not entitled to them by the rules.
Articles may be entered free of charge, for pleasure, and for the trotting course.

The Fair.

LIST OF PREMIUMS.

CLASS 1—*Sweepstakes, open to all breeds and competitors.*

Best bull.....$15; 2d best.....$10; 3d best.....$5
Best cow..... 15; 2d best..... 10; 3d best..... 5

All breeds come together in this class and compete with each other, to be judged by their good points, symmetry of frame, ability to fatten, and the stock they will produce.

CLASS 2—*Grade Cattle, owned in the county*

Best cow for milk, $10; 2d best $5; 3d best. $3
Best heifer, 2 years old..... 8; 2d best... 3
Best heifer, 1 years old..... 8; 2d best... 3
Best calf, under 8 months old..... 8.

CLASS 3—*Oxen*

Best yoke of oxen...$10; 2d best...$5; 3d best..$3

CLASS 4—*Fat Cattle*

Best fat bullock, cow or heifer...$10; 2d best...$8

CLASS 5—*Thoroughbred Horses open to all*

Best stallion, any breed.....$15; 2d best...$10
Best mare and colt any breed. 10; 2d best... 5

CLASS 6—*Roadster, Draft and Farm Horses.*

Best saddle horse.....$5; 2d best.....$2
Best single family horse..... 3
Best matched carriage horses..... 3
Best gelding or mare for work..... 3
Best span of draught horses or mares..... 5
Second Best..... 2

The exhibitor is required to produce a statement of least three responsible neighbors as to working qualities of draught horses for premiums in this class.

Best colt under 2 years old.....$4; 2d best....$2
Best 2 year-o'd colt..... 5; 2d best..... 3
Best 3-year-old colt..... 6; 2d best..... 4

The horse that moves the heaviest load on the stone boat, according to his weight, without a whip.....To cast on the Horse and 7

CLASS 7—*Trotting Horses, open to all.*

Best time, 3 in 5, trotting in single harness...$100

No premium will be paid in this class unless there are ten entries of $5 each. Each horse to not against time.

CLASS 8—*Sweepstakes, open to all—Pacing in harness.*

Best 2 in three, mile heats, against time.....$50

No premium will be awarded in this class unless there are six entries. Entrance fee $15.

CLASS 9—*Trotting in single harness for horses owned in the county at least fifteen days before the Fair.*

Best 3 in 5, mile heats, against time.....$50

No premium awarded in this class unless there are eight entries. Entrance fee $5. The horse winning the premium in class 7, cannot compete or the premium in this class.

CLASS 10—*Trotting horses owned and raised in the county.*

Best 3 in 5, on time, in harness.....$30

No premium awarded in this class unless there are five horses entered to compete for the same. Entrance free.

Best trotting horse or mare under saddle....$3 00
Second best..... 2 00
Best trotting horse or mare in single harness 3 00
Second best..... 2 00
Best walking horse or mare...$3; 2d best... 2 00

CLASS 11—*Trotting colts raised in the county, not exceeding 3 years old, open to all*

Best 2 in 3, against time.....$20

There must be at least three entries in order to compete for this premium. Entrance free.

CLASS 12—*Sheep and Wool*

Best buck any breed.....$5; 2d best.....$3 00
Best ewe, any breed..... 4 00
Best sheep, fattened for mutton..... 3 00
Best lamb..... 2 00
Best fleece of wool..... 50

CLASS 13—*Swine, open to all.*

Best boar, any breed, Young Farmers Manual & $5
Best breeding sow, any breed.....$5
Second best.....Agriculturist one year.
Best hog.....$3; 2d best.....$2
Best pig under 6 mo's, old...Agriculturist 1 year.

CLASS 14—*Poultry.*

Best coop spring chickens, not less than six, Bement's American Poultry Book and..... 50
Best family shelled corn..... " " " 50
Best display of chickens.....$1 00

CLASS 15—*Plowing.*

The man that plows green sward the best.....$20

CLASS 16—*Plows, Rollers, Drills, Harrows and Cultivators*

Best plow for stubble or sward.....$4
Best subsoil plow.....Barry's Fruit Garden and 2
Best sod crusher and roller combined..... 4
Best grain drill.....Discretionary premium
Best threshing machine...Discretionary premium
Best corn planter.....Discretionary premium
Best Horse rake.....Discretionary premium
Best hay pitching machine...Discretionary prem
Best stalk and straw cutter...Discretionary prem
Best horse-power, general purposes Discretionary premium.
Best original invention or agricultural implement.....$5
Best side-hill plow.....$3; best cultivator..... 3
Best harrow..... 3; best corn sheller..... 3
Best fanning mill..... 4; best ox yoke..... 1

All articles enumerated in this class, not made in the county, but produced upon exhibition, if worthy of it, will be awarded a discretionary premium by the Executive Committee.

CLASS 17—*Miscellaneous Farming Implements.*

Best Bee hive.....Grimley's Mystery of Bee Keeping
Best ½ dz. hand rakes...$4; best grain cradle..$1 00
Best clamp machine.. 5; best potato digger.. 50
Best hot garden tools..... 1 00
Best display farming utensils owned by farmer..... 8 00

All articles enumerated in this class are subject to the same rules as class 16.

CLASS 18—*Wheat, Rye, Corn, Barley, Oats &c.*

Best acre of winter wheat.....$10
Best bushel of winter wheat..... 4
Best bushel of rye..... 3
Best acre of rye.....$8; best bush. corn ears..... 3
Best acre of oats..... 4; best bush. potatoes..... 3
Best ac. buckwheat 4; 2d best " " 3
Best ac. clover seed 3; 2d best " " 1
Best ½ ac. brown corn 2; best ½ acre peas..... 1
Best ½ ac. rutabagas 1; best ½ acre sorghum..... 2
Best acre turnips.. 2; best bushel turnips..... 1
Best acre carrots..... 2; best acre carrots..... 1
Best lot of garden tools..... 1
Best half bushel timothy seed..... 1

Crops being equal, preference will be given to those that yield the largest net profit. Statements to be furnished by the exhibitors. They must be sworn to or weighed, and a sample furnished at the fair. Applicants for premiums must furnish the committee with a statement signed by themselves, under pledge of veracity, of the quantity of grain raised on the ground entered for the premium, and must state as correctly as he can the kind and condition of the previous crops, the kind and quantity of seed sown, and the time and mode of putting it in the ground.

Persons entering field crops for exhibition, or intending to do so, may give notice to the executive committee at any time, and have the field measured and examined by the committee while growing.

CLASS 19—*Bread and Cereal Food.*

Best loaf wheat bread.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best loaf rye bread.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best loaf corn bread.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best sponge cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best jelly cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best buckwheat cakes.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best pie, any kind.....50 cents
Best preserves and jelly.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best jar jelly & preserves..Diploma and 50 cents
Best pound cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best fruit cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best coffee cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best Lady's cake.....Diploma and 50 cents
Best cake.....Diploma
Best jelly.....Diploma
Best ice cream.....Diploma

CLASS 20—*Butter and Cheese.*

Best five pounds or more, of butter.....$5
Best ten pounds firkin butter..... 5
Best cheese, made by exhibitor..... 1

CLASS 21—*Flour.*

Best 50 pounds wheat flour.....$4
Best fifty pounds rye flour..... 3
Best fifty pounds spring wheat flour..... 1
Best 50 pounds corn meal..... 1
Best 25 pounds buckwheat flour..... 2

CLASS 22—*Domestic Articles.*

Best box or jar of honey.....$1 00
Best 10 pounds of maple sugar..... 2 00
Best peaches put up air tight.....Dip. or 50
Best tomatoes put up air tight.....Dip. or 50
Best blackberries put up air tight.....Dip. or 50
Best currants put up air tight.....Dip. or 50
Best fancy jar of pickles.....Dip. or 50
Best gal. syrup of sorghum, or cane.....1 00
Best cured ham (cooked with mode of cooking).....Dip. or 50
Best dried beef with mode of curing...Dip. or 50

CLASS 23—*Domestic Manufactures.*

Best 10 yards flannel.....$2 00
Best 10 yards satinet..... 2 00
Best 15 yards woolen carpet..... 3 00
Best 10 yards cloth..... 2 00
Best 15 yards rag carpet, woolen chain..... 2 00
Best pair woolen blankets..... 2 00
Best woolen comforter..... 2 00
Best woolen fringed mitts.....Dip. & 50
Best pair knit woolen stockings.....Dip. & 50
Best spec. knitting, knitting or needle work by a Miss under 11 years old Dip. & 50
Best pound linen sewing thread.....Dip. & 50
Best pound stocking yarn.....Dip. & 50
Best hat mat.....50 cents; Best tidy mat.....50

The premiums in this class are intended only for articles manufactured in the county.

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CLASS 24—*Needle, Shell, Wax Work &c.*

Best specimen needle work.....Dip and 50
Best specimen needle work, machine..Dip and 50
Best specimen flowers in worsted.....Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in worsted..Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in lace.....Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in muslin..Dip and 50
Best specimen of leather work.....Dip and 50
Best specimen of wax flowers.....Dip and 50
Best specimen of feather work.....Dip and 50
Best specimen of ornamental work....Dip and 50
Best shirt made by Miss under 12 yrs..Dip and 50
Best patching or mending.....Dip and 50

CLASS 25—*Millinery and Dressmaking.*

Best millinery.....$3. Best dressmakin ,$3

CLASS 26—*Artistic Work*

Best daguerreotypes taken on the ground.. Dip
Best ambrotypes taken on the ground..... Dip
Best photographs taken on the ground .....Dip
Best landscape painting.....$2 00
Best penmanship..... Dip
Best architectural drawing..... 2 00
Best painting in oil..... 2 00
Best portrait painting..... 2 00
Best cattle painting..... 2 00
Best painting in water colors..... 1 00
Best ornamental painting of any kind..... 1 00

CLASS 27—*Designs.*

Best design for farm house, barn, carriage house and stable..Sloan's Ornamental Houses & $5 00
Best design for dairy house...Manual of the Home
Best design for ice house.....$1 50
Best design for fruit house..... 1 50
Best design for bridge, with plan span not less than 250 feet..... 3 00

CLASS 28—*Metallic Fabrics and Machinery.*

Best cooking stove, wood or coal.....$5 00
Second best..... 2 00
Third best..... Dip
Best parlor stove..$2. Best cast-iron fence 3 00
Second best..... 1. Second best..... Dip
Best specimen or lot of tinware..... 2 00
Second best.....Dip and 50
Best specimen blacksmithing..... 2 00
Best specimen gunsmithing..... 2 00
Best specimen iron turning..... 2 00
Best plate casting..$1. Best shower bath... 1 00
Best original invention in county.....$5 00
Best display of table and pocket cutlery American manufacture..... 1 00
Best display of edge tools..... 1 00
Best display of farming and field tools..... 1 00

The above premiums are offered for articles manufactured in the county. Diplomas may be awarded for any of the above articles on exhibition, without regard to their place of manufacture.

CLASS 29—*Vehicles of all kinds*

Best family carriage..$4. Best timber sled...$2
Best buggy..... 4. Best horse cart..... 1
Best farm wagon..... 4. Best wheelbarrow.. 1
Best sleigh..... 2.

The premiums in this class are intended only for articles manufactured in the county.

CLASS 30—*Cabinet-ware in county.*

Best dressing bureau..$2. Best set of chairs..$2
Best extension table.. 2. Best sofa..... 2
Best variety of chairs. 2. Best centre table... 1
Best bedstead..... 1. Best lounge.....50c
Best washstand.....50c. Best office chair...50c
Best looking glass.....50c
Best set of parlor furniture.....$4 00
Best display of cabinet ware.....Dip and 2 00

CLASS 31—*Coopering and Carpentering, manufactured in the county.*

Best pineware, tubs, stands, etc...Dip and $5 00
Best set of grain measures..... 2 00
Best window blinds..$3. Best specimen sash.. 1 00
Best lot baskets... 1. Best panel door..... 2 00
Best lot buckets... 1. Best pump..... 2 00

CLASS 32—*Roots and Garden Vegetables.*

Best ½ bu. rutabagas50c. Best 6 h'ds cabbage.50c
Best ½ bu. carrots..50c. Best 2h'ds calif'a ..50c
Best 6 stalks celery,50c. Best variety melons.50c
Best ½ bu. tomatoes 50. Best " squashes.50c
Best ½ bushel sweet potatoes.....50c
Best quart window beans.....50c
Best ½ bushel table beets.....50c

It must be shown that all vegetables have been raised by the exhibitor.

CLASS 33—*Cutlers, Saddlers and Shoemakers.*

Best gents' boots and shoes.....$2 00
Best ladys' boots and shoes..... 1 00
Best display of boots and shoes..... 2 00
Best ladys' riding saddle..... 2 00
Best riding bridle and martingale..... 1 00
Best side finished harness leather..... 50
Best robe made by exhibitor..... 1 00
Best carriage harness..$3. Best tug harness 2 00
Best single harness..... 3. Best gents' saddle2 00
Best display saddlery, 4. Best trav'l. trunk 1 00
Best side kip leather, 50c. Best calf skin..... 50
Best side sole leather, 50. Best side upper's' 50

CLASS 34—*Tailors' and Upholsters' Work*

Best suit of clothes made by hand.....$4 00
Best coat made by a lady..... 1 00
Best pants and vest made by a lady..... 1 00
Best husk mattress$1. Best straw mattress 1 00
Best hair mattress, 2.

CLASS 35—*Printing in County.*

Best newspaper.....$1. Best handbill.....$1 00
Best blank..... 1. Best card..... 1 00
Best ornamental printing..... 5 00

CLASS 36—*Stone Ware.*

Best assortment and best quality.....$3 00

CLASS 37—*Chemicals and Chemical Action in County.*

Best available manure at moderate cost....$1 00
Best available manure for farm products.... 1 00
Best material for glue..50c. Best linseed oil..50c
Best tallow candles....50c. Best vinegar.....50c
Best specimen of soap..50c. Best writing ink,50c

CLASS 38—*Wood and Stone.*

Best dressed stone...$1. Best millstone....$1 00
Best grindstone..... 1. Butter bowl. Dip & 50c
Best shingles, not less than 5c..... $1 00
Best turned article.....50c
Best floor boards, worked.....$1 00
Best washing machine..... 1 00
Best split or shaved hoops..... Dip
Best butter ladle..... Dip
Best weatherboards, worked.....$1 00

CLASS 39—*Natural Minerals.*

Best suit of useful minerals of Clearfield county, including coal.....$2
Best cabinet of minerals of Clearfield and adjoining counties, to be the property of the society.....
Best limestone....50 cts; best collection fossils. 1
Best fire clay .....50 cts; best burnt lime..... 1
Best potter's clay.50 cts; best coal..... 1

CLASS 40—*Fruit.*

Best display and greatest variety of grafted apples, summer and winter—Husbandman's and American Wines and.....$2 00
Second best..... 2 00
Best display of years—Cole's American Fruit Book and..... 1 00
Best plums and cherries.....Coal's American Fruit Book.
Best quince..... 1 00
Best specimen apples, 1 peck..... 1 00
Best specimen American grapes..Manning's Fruit Book.
Best natural grapes raised in county and worthy of culture..... 50
Best domestic wine and mode of manufacture —Fuller's Grape Culture and..... 1 00
Best current wine..Manning's Fruit Book & 1 00
Best blackberry wine..." " " " & 1 00
Best gooseberries..... " " " "

CLASS 41—*Horsemanship*

To the lady who manages her horse best and sits most gracefully.....Diploma
To the gentleman who manages his horse best and sits most gracefully.....Diploma
Best display of horsemanship not less than five couple.....Diploma
Best driving on the course by a lady.....Diploma
Best company of cavalry.....Diploma
Best company of infantry.....Diploma
Best band with brass instruments.....Diploma
Best martial band.....Diploma
Best sax singers.....Diploma

CLASS 42—*Nurseries*

Best nursery containing the greatest variety of fruits and shrubs cultivated in the most approved manner, the applicant to furnish written description, the variety and mode of culture.....$3 00
Second best.....Barry's Fruit Garden

CLASS 43 *General List.*

Best display and greatest variety flowers.....Dip
Best display and greatest variety plants.....Dip
Best display of floral ornaments.....Dip
Best basket bouquet, with handle.....Dip
Best base bouquet.....Dip

☞ Discretionary premiums will be awarded for all articles of merit exhibited by mechanics in all the various branches, and it is hoped a general exhibition will be made. For all improvements useful to the farmer, and having valuable properties, discretionary premiums may be awarded by the Executive Committee.

GEORGE R. BARRETT, President.
I. G. BARGER. A. M. HILLS,
Secretary. *Treasurer.*
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.—Nathaniel Walsh, S. R. Jordan, L. F. Irvin, A. C. Tate, T. A. L. Pingal. Clearfield, July 23, 1868.

Grape Vines for Sale.

ALL the leading hardy varieties of first quality. CONCORD CUTTINGS, $4 00 per hundred. CONCORD VINES only 10 cents. Orders solicited as soon as convenient, and filed in rotation, by A. M. HILLS.

Clearfield, Pa., August 5, 1867.

The Republican.

GEORGE B. GOODLANDER, Editor.

CLEARFIELD, PA.

Thursday Morning, Oct. 1 1868.

Jesse Grant & Son.

Our readers are no doubt aware that General Grant, while in command in Tennessee, issued an infamous order banishing all Jews from within his lines. The key to this order will be found below, wherein it is established in a Cincinnati Court that General Grant's father had the sole privilege of robbing and plundering the army and the Southern people of their cotton. Hence the order against the Jews. Hiram "Lisses" wanted "daddy" to be sole proprietor of the plunder band within his lines. It is evident from this Court record that Jesse Grant & Son were engaged in other business besides "Shoe and Leather Dealers" at Galena. Read the proof:

ATTACKS UPON GRANT.

A Radical paper complains bitterly of "the atrocious attacks of the Democratic press on the private character "and military record of Gen Grant." Now, it is a simple fact, which we can prove beyond denial, that of the serious imputations now resting on the Radical candidate, not one can be traced to a Democratic source. When the nomination of Grant was yet uncertain, the Radical leaders opposed it, on the score of his personal habits. It was Theodore Tilton, the editor of the rabid Radical sheet, the *Independent*, who led off with circumstantial charges of intemperance, and Wendell Phillips and Horace Greeley reiterated and reinforced them. The criticism of Grant's military success, as due to the mere reckless expenditure of his soldiers' lives, which he had not the talent or the humanity to spare or to husband, came from Radical sources. The present Radical Senator from Iowa, Mr. Harlan, was the first to impugn the military reputation of Grant, in an elaborate speech in the Senate. He said: "The Iowa troops "have no confidence in his capacity "and fitness for the post he holds. "They regard him as the author of "the useless slaughter of their com-"rades." [See Congressional Globe, Thirty-seventh Congress, page 2006.] But the worst charge of all comes from a source nearer still to General Grant. Here no promptings of Democratic hostility can be fancied. Grant's connection with the cotton speculations is proved by the oath of his own father! We will give again the formal record in this case. Its accuracy has never been denied, since its first publication, months ago, in this and other journals. Here we have the statement of Jesse Grant, the plaintiff, verified by his oath, that he "at once and faithfully carried out his agreement," and that agreement was that "plaintiff "on his part was to go with the men, "&c., to the headquarters of General "Grant, and procure a permit for "them to purchase cotton, secure "transportation, &c." He had to prove this to show that he was entitled to the profits he sued for. There was, however, no doubt about the facts. The defendants, indeed, admit them, but demurs that the agreement, being "contrary to public policy," should not be enforced in a court of justice. To all this the Radicals have as yet framed no coherent answer. What purports to be a letter to his father, was lately published, in which Grant is made to say he would not give the permits. But here we have old Jesse swearing and proving in a court of justice, that his son did give him the permits. We do not know any worse chapter of family history than this of the Grants, contained in the following record:

THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CINCINNATI, HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO.

Jesse R. Grant vs. Harman Mack, Henry Mack and Simon Mack, partners as Mack Brothers. } Petition.

The plaintiff states that on or about the sixth day of December, A. D. 1862, he entered into an agreement with the defendants for the purpose of partnership purchases of cotton in the Military Department commanded by General U. S. Grant, the conditions of said agreement being as follows:

Defendants were to furnish all the money that might be required in the said business, and the necessary number of men to purchase and ship the cotton, they being allowed seven per cent. per annum for the money so employed during the time it was necessarily used. Plaintiff, on his part, was to go with the men furnished as aforesaid by the defendants, to the headquarters of General Grant, and procure a permit for them to purchase cotton, secure transportation and such other facilities as might be consistent with the wages and interests of the army. The defendants were to have the cotton thus purchased shipped immediately to New York and sold, and the net profits of sales, after deducting from the gross proceeds the necessary expenses of buying, freight and selling, except the wages of the men furnished as aforesaid by the defendants, were to be divided among the parties, in the proportion of three-fourths to the defendants and one-fourth to the plaintiff, the plaintiff in no event being liable for any portion of loss that might be incurred. Plaintiff says that the said agreement was at once and faithfully carried out upon his part, and also was by the defendants so far as the purchase of cotton, its transportation to New York and sale was concerned, but defendants having broken said agreement in this, that they have utterly failed and refused to render to plaintiff any account of such transactions, or to pay over to him any portion of his share of the profits arising from the same, although said account and payment have been repeatedly demanded by the plaintiff. Plaintiff says that under said contract a large amount of cotton was purchased, as many as three hundred bales or more, at an average cost of from fifty to fifty-four cents per pound, and which was sold in New York at such prices as to realize a net profit of forty thousand dollars or over. The exact number of bales purchased, the precise price of such purchase, and the exact amount of expenses and of proceeds of sale, he is unable to state, the account of the same being in the possession of the defendants, who refuse to furnish a statement of it. But the amount purchased, and the net profits realized, are not less than as above stated, while the same may, and probably will, exceed the amounts before stated.

Plaintiff asks that an account may be taken between himself and the defendants, and that the defendants may be ordered to pay over to him such an amount as may be found due to him from them, under the agreement hereinbefore set forth, and that all such other orders may be made in his behalf as he may be equitably entitled to in the premises.

(Signed) H. SNOW,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The State of Ohio, Hamilton county, ss: Jesse R. Grant, the plaintiff, makes oath that he believes the statements of the foregoing petition to be true.

JESSE R. GRANT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of December, A. D. 1863. WM. E. JONES,
Notary Public, Hamilton county, Ohio.
[Notarial seal.]

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And for said defendants came and demur to the petition of the said plaintiff, and for cause of demurrer say:

First. The said petition does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action.

Second. The petition does not state any legal and valid consideration for the alleged undertaking and obligation of the defendants.

Third. The contract on which the suit is brought is contrary to public policy.

The defendants, therefore, ask judgment, and that they may be dismissed with their costs.

CALDWELL & TILDEN,
Attorneys for Defendants.

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CALDWELL & TILDEN.

I [illegible] suppose that the Democratic press can ignore facts thus presented to them; but which we have not elicited nor heightened? But what has been the example of the Radical press? Their charges against Seymour are the fruits of their own invention, contradicted by a thousand proofs, and sustained by none. He did not support the government, they cry; when the gushing thanks of Lincoln and Stanton express their sense of his services. It is true, he quelled a formidable riot; but then he used the old formula of civil magistrates, and spoke to the excited people as "my friends." Terrible charges these; the fruits, indeed, of political calumny. But the charges against Grant cannot be thus traced to his political opponents.—*Age.*

Radical Desperation

Some of the Radical leaders are becoming too unscrupulous to pass for honest men. Not satisfied with the daily abuse of the Democratic candidates, their malignity is being directed against private citizens. The following, taken from the *Journal* of the 16th, and the affidavit of Curtz, or Curtis, fully illustrates our meaning:

DEMOCRATIC LOVE FOR A SOLDIER.—The following statement of Mr. G. A. Curtis, which was handed to us for publication, speaks for itself:

"On Saturday last (Sept. 14th) I went to Osceola to find work. I went to Mr. John Lawshe and asked him for work. He asked my politics. I told him I was a Republican, had fought under Grant, lost a leg in the Wilderness, but was stout and able to work at any kind of hard work. He said he did not want me, not any other man who did not vote as he did, and went against his interest. I am now working for Mr. Jacob Mock, in Philipsburg, and will swear to the above facts if any person doubts my word.

"G. A. CURTIS.

"Comment is unnecessary."

Clearfield County, ss:

On this 23d day of September, 1868, personally came before the subscriber, one of the Justices of the peace in and for said county, one G. A. Curtz, or Curtis, (whose name appears as author to a certain article published in the *Raftsman's Journal* of September 16th, 1868, reflecting on the character of one John Lawshe, of Osceola,) who being duly sworn according to law, doth depose and say: That on Saturday, 12th inst., he came to Osceola, about half-past nine o'clock, a. m., and meeting a person near the hotel kept by G. Harrison Goss, asked where the office of Mr. Lawshe was. He replied, "He is not in the office, but is up at the upper mill." I then went on past the first mill, and met a man coming down the railroad track, whom I supposed to be Mr. Lawshe. He told me his name was Lawshe. I asked him if he was in want of any hands on the mill. He asked what my politics was. I told him I thought I should vote for Grant. He then told me he thought there was no work for me. I then went up to Moshannon coal bank. I came back direct from there to Osceola station, and walked from there to Philipsburg, down the railroad track. I went into the Post-office at Philipsburg, where I related the circumstances of trip. Jacob Mock then told me to go to Mart Calhoun, and tell him that he (Mock) had sent me to him for work. I went, and have been working for him ever since. Mock wished me to swear to a statement of some kind before I went to camp, but I refused to do so. James Watson wrote something down, but I do not know what it was. I wrote nothing, and sent nothing to be published myself. Mock said he wished to have the statement verified, as he wished to publish it. The person I met on the railroad above the mill at Osceola was a small man, with black mustache. I am positive Mr. Lawshe is not the man. GEO. A. CURTZ.

Sworn and subscribed before me, the day and date above named.

W. S. WELLS, J. P.

This oath of Curtz points rather distinctly to Messrs. Mock and Watson as the authors of the fabrication in the *Journal*, and conflicts much with Curtz himself, who had his compass completely boxed when called upon by the Justice to identify Mr. Lawshe, but when pointed out distinctly swears that the Lawshe of the 14th is not the Lawshe of the 22d. As we know Mr. Lawshe to be entirely competent to defend himself, we deem further comment unnecessary.

As soon as the pious folks who have John Allen, the "wickedest man in New York" in hand, succeed in effectually converted him from the error of his ways, it is proposed to let them on contract the reformation of Ben. Butler, which, if successful, is to be followed by that of Parson Brownlow. They expect to get through with Allen in the course of a month. Butler's case, it is estimated will require six months, and Brownlow's double that time.

The Freedmen's Bureau—that foul offspring of Radicalism—employs seven hundred and seventeen civil employees, at an annual cost, for salaries alone, of over eight hundred thousand dollars. That's the way the money goes!

A country girl, coming from the field, was told by her cousin that she looked as fresh as a daisy kissed with dew. "Well, it wasn't any fellow of that name, but Bill Jones, that kissed me; confound his picture! I told him everybody would find it out."

Cost of the Freedman's Bureau.

If any person has any idea that the Freedmen's Bureau is a small affair, a glance at the twelve pages of the list of officials employed, which is given in the United States Official Register, will soon undeceive them. This book is compiled under an act of Congress every year, and is the official record. A copy of this work for 1868, which is before us, gives the names, locations and salaries of all the officers, agents, clerks, and messengers of that Bureau for 1867.

At the headquarters at Washington, besides General Howard, there are a quartermaster, an inspector and a superintendent of schools, an agent of claims and a general agent, whose combined salaries are $9,200. This does not include General Howard's salary. There are fifty-eight clerks, whose salaries amount to $30,220 per annum. There are in the same office six messengers, whose salaries amount to $3,840. This makes the headquarters of the Bureau at Washington cost, for salaries alone, including General Howard's, the snug sum per annum of $97,278.

Then there is a branch office which looks after the freedmen in the District of Columbia, which has an assistant commissioner and thirty-one agents, nineteen clerks, and six messengers employed, whose united salaries (exclusive of that of the assistant commissioner,) amount to the sum of $53,640.

There is another branch office in Maryland, which employs three agents, four clerks, one messenger, and one laborer, whose salaries amount to $11,700 per year.

The branch in the State of Virginia employs, besides the assistant commissioner, ten agents, thirty-six clerks, and twelve messengers, whose united salaries amount to $65,670, exclusive of the salary of the assistant commissioner.

The branch in North Carolina employs nine agents, seven assistant surgeons, and twenty-eight clerks, whose united salaries aggregate to $52,800.

The Bureau in South Carolina employs eighteen agents, fifteen contract surgeons, and thirteen clerks, at a cost in salaries of $58,880.

The Bureau in Georgia employs forty-six agents, eight acting assistant surgeons, and eighteen clerks. Their salaries amount to $88,500.

The branch of this Bureau in the State of Florida employs ten agents, two acting assistant surgeons, three clerks, and two messengers, whose salaries amount to $19,320.

In Alabama there are employed twenty-two agents and twenty-three clerks, whose salaries amount to $51,357 50.

The Bureau in Kentucky employs seventeen agents, eight acting assistant surgeons, and seventeen clerks, at a cost of $41,020 in salaries alone