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Reader, if you want to know what is going on in the business world, just read our advertising columns, the *Special* column in particular.

He who has the canvassers need not care for the votes. That seems to be the lesson ot the Centennial election.

RESIGNED.—Senator Thurman, member of the Electoral Commission, has resigned on account of sickness, and Senator Kernan, of New York, has been chosen in his stead.

A number of our exchanges are advising Judge Bradley to commit suicide. Why not let him live, and like Cain, go about exclaiming: "My torment is greater than I can bear. O! what a hell this is."

General Newton, of New York city, has just finished plans for a new bridge which is to cross the Hudson at Peekskill. It will be one magnificent span of 1,680 feet, and the floor will be 165 feet above the water.

THE RADICAL PROGRAMME.—Tilden's popular majority we know is 250,000, but Hayes must be counted in by the Washington Returning Board, according to the order of the Camerons and Chandlers backed by Morton.

If the penalty was death, for a violation of the Constitution of the United States, what a string of Radical suckers would be swinging from and ornamenting cross beams at the National Capital about this period.

CHURCH TROUBLES.—A Galesville, Illinois, congregation is trying to get rid of its pastor because he preached in favor of theatres, and a Pittsburgh congregation is bull-dozing its shepherd because he keeps wine in his cellar.

A VACANCY.—Hon. Henry Warren Williams, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of this State, who died at Pittsburg on the 19th inst., had not met his brother Judges since January 1876. His death will cause an election this fall to fill the vacancy.

FOX'S American Theatre, located at Eleventh and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night last. The Mercantile Library and Rogers' carriage warehouse were badly damaged. The theatre took fire about two hours after the audience had left.

DOZING.—In discussing the Louisana case before the Tribunal of Fifteen, Charles O'Conor said: "There lives not a man, as far as I know, on the face of the earth, who, having the faculty of blushing, could look an honest man in the face and assert that the Hayes electors were truly elected."

Wm. H. Sidle, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, Minneapolis, was shot and killed Miss Kate Noonan, on Friday last, on the street. Miss Noonan asserts that Sidle has seduced and then deserted her. This is very short, and a pretty good way of setting cases of that kind.

THE NEW JUDGE.—Gov. Hartranft has appointed, and the Senate has confirmed James P. Sterutt, of Pittsburg, a Judge of the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Williams.

WELLS-BRADLEY.—The former charges a fee for committing perjury, and made up his count for cash, and the latter arrives at the same conclusion by pure meanness. The business tact of Wells is commendable, but the conduct of Bradley is infamous.

The Mercantile branch of the Supreme Court of the United States consists of Bradley and Strong. For a consideration they will reverse that court, the people, or even themselves. The opinions of these two judges seem to be based on cash or merchandise.

STILL COUNTING.—The Washington Returning Board was engaged yesterday in counting South Carolina, after which comes Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia and Wisconsin. The Board had better hurry up, or the 4th of March will be on hand perhaps prematurely.

PARTISAN INFAMY.—The Washington Returning Board, which manifested such great respect for the returns of the Florida and Louisiana Boards, and refused to go behind their returns, failed to follow its rule in the case of Oregon. There the legal returns were cast off and a count made and a return accepted without the State seal or anything else except for Hayes. "Damn such a count." The Louisiana Board, which offered to sell the State for cash, is no worse than the Washington Board. These latter members professed to be honest men, but Louisiana's rascals made no such pretensions.

DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES.—The result of the February elections has been a triumph throughout the State for the Democrats. The 15,000 Radical majority in Philadelphia last November, was run down to 2,700. In Pittsburg the Democrats elected their nominee for Mayor by 1,240 majority, although Hayes' majority in November was 3,240. The Democrats of Lancaster elected a Mayor, although the Radical incumbent was elected two years ago by 445. The Democrats came near capturing Harrisburg, where Hayes had over 800 majority in November. The Democrats gained largely in Reading, York, Lebanon, Chambersburg, Erie and Scranton. In fact the gain runs North, South, East and West.

GRANT'S LATEST FOLLY.

Grant's petty and despotical meanness reached a climax on Tuesday last, the 20th inst., when he instructed the military commander of the province of South Carolina to prohibit the customary parade by the Charleston and Columbia volunteer military companies in honor of Washington's birthday. The order was couched in the most insulting language, and creates the suspicion "the old man" is winding up his career with a display of petty malice, unworthy even of a boy. Citizens from parading date their organization back to the Revolutionary war. One of the two participated in the Bunker Hill celebration and the Centennial parade last summer, and was made the recipient of the highest honors, both in Boston and Philadelphia. The occasion of its parade yesterday was to have been marked by the presentation by the French Consul at Charleston of a silk-woven portrait of Washington; but Grant's ukase stopped the ceremonial. Such petty and tyrannical intermeddling would have degraded a Turkish pasha, let alone an American President. How grandly Gov. Wade Hampton's words ring out in comparison:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER,
COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb 20, 1877.

His Excellency, the President of the United States, having ordered that the white militia companies of this state should not parade on the 22d inst., to celebrate Washington's birthday, in deference to the office he so ill, I hereby call upon these organizations to postpone to some future day this manifestation of respect at the memory of that illustrious President, whose highest ambition it was his chief glory to observe the Constitution and obey the laws of his country. If the arbitrary command of a Chief Executive who had not sought to emulate the virtues of Washington, deprive the citizens of this State of the privilege of paying publicly in paying reverence to that day so sacred to every American patriot, we can at least, by our obedience to the constituted authority, how sufficiently exercised, show that we are not unworthy to be the countrymen of Washington.

We must, therefore, result to some auspicious period, which I trust is not far distant, the exercise of our right to commemorate the civic virtues of that unsullied character, who wielded his sword only to guard and perpetuate that American constitutional liberty which is now denied to the citizens of South Carolina.

WADE HAMPTON, Governor.

The people of South Carolina, upon learning of this Napoleonic decree, became greatly excited over the subject. But the Governor's letter to King Grant having been telegraphed all over the State, all soon quieted down, and pocketed the insult. Chamberlain's negro militia paraded the streets all day on the 22d., but the white militia respected Gov. Hampton's request and allowed the 22d to go over until some future day when the negroes are engaged in something else than a holiday parade. This order was obtained from Grant by those two scoundrels who are still outside of the penitentiary, would-be-Governor Chamberlain and John J. Patterson, who draws the pay of a South Carolina United States Senator, although he is a citizen of Juniata county, this State. We are pleased to learn that the days of these two notorious carpet-baggers are about numbered. These two rogues are doing all they can to bring about a conflict between the white and black races in the South, so that they can, in the future as in the past, live on the misfortunes of both races, and have free access to plunder and rob, Winnebago like, everybody who happens to fall into their hands. A span of better freebooters do not inhabit this continent. Their presence is a disgrace to all races. They are disqualified, from the fact that they are running after false gods.

"THE GOVERNMENT" IN DISTRESS.—It appears that a White House caller a few days ago upon entering the President's quarters, intimated that he regretted to see Mr. and Mrs. Grant leave that favorite Mansion. Ulysses replied: "It's not for myself that I grieve. I have plenty. My salary was doubled, and my cash PRESENTS amount to over $300,000. Besides, the products of several "black Fridays" have yielded our family over $100,000 more. But it's my numerous poor relations that I am concerned about. That's what annoys me. They have been so abundantly provided for during my two terms by offices, and the income from post-traders, etc., and if bereft of these financial superfluities, what will become of them?" After some consolation on the part of Zach Chandler, to the effect that "the government" would take care of the Grant-Dent-Sharpe families in the future as in the past ten years, "the government" stopped sobbing and dried its tears, lit a cigar and began to play with its bull-pups as on former occasions. What a gil—orious "government" has presided over us since the advent of Grantism. Why are we anything else than happy, and prosperous under the Grant-Cameron-Chandler rule? That's just what puzzles us. We cannot answer our own interrogatory.

PROGRESS OF A TEN YEAR OLD.—Representative John Young Brown of Kentucky has a bright little son, about ten years of age, who is now with him at Washington. The boy attended a matinee by himself at the National Theatre the other day, and a sudden commotion in the audience he heard that the President had entered a box with his family. Bound to see all he could, he went around to the President's box, opened it, and announced himself as John Young Brown, Jr., of Kentucky. The President received him cordially, introduced him to his family, and the young man saw the rest of the performance from the august sanctuary of the President's private box. If that boy lives he will yet overhaul his sire, who eighteen years ago was elected to Congress, but failed to get his seat because he was under the constitutional age (25 years) but he went home and waited till he was old enough, and had himself re-elected and still remains a member.

THE ENORMOUS DEFALCATION.—Many of the citizens of our county suffered severe loss by the failing of the various Lloyd Banking concerns in Altoona, Tyrone and Ebensburg two years ago. This robbery amounts to the sum of over *eight hundred and ninety-six* thousand ($896,042 86) within a fraction of ONE MILLION OF DOLLARS. Now the question arises, what did Lloyd & Co. do with this enormous sum of money? We will publish the details of the proceeding in bankruptcy, in the REPUBLICAN next week. Those who are skeptical about the Lloyd fraud, had better read the court proceedings in question. Lloyd evidently did not follow Oakes Ames' advice, and put his money "where it would do the most good."

NO YOU DON'T, "ZACHY."

Zach Chandler, Chairman of the Radical National Committee, knowing that a Congressional committee was on his track, taking notes of his conduct and bank account during the recent election, made a proposition to Mr. Hewitt, Chairman of the Democratic Committee, to the effect that the account of neither Chairman nor the candidates be inquired into or investigated. Mr. Hewitt, after some hesitation, declined, and referred the matter to Mr. Tilden, who, upon learning of this mutual arrangement, counters as follows:

NEW YORK, February 21. '76.

To Hon. Francis Kernan, Washington:

A telegram to the Associated Press, published this morning, states that harmonious agreement has been brought about between the Senate Committee, of which you are a member, and the Committee of the House, by which it has been decided not to go into an examination of my bank account on the one hand, or accounts of the Chairman of the Republican Committee on the other hand. I repudiate any such agreement and disclaim any such immunity, protection or benefit from it. I reject utterly the false implication that my private bank account contains anything whatever that needs to be concealed. Under the pretence of looking for a payment in December, a demand was made for all payments after May and all deposits during nine months. The laws was repeatedly censured with removal of its officers and looks to Washington. A transcript of entries of private business trusts, charities, containing everything but what the Committee was commissioned to investigate, but nothing which it was commissioned to investigate, because nothing of that sort existed, has been taken with my knowledge to Washington.

Of course there is no item in it relating to anything in Oregon, for I never made, authorized or knew of any expenditure in relation to the election in that State or resulting controversies, or any promise or obligation, or negotiation on the subject. Mr. Ellis, acting President of the bank, himself a Republican, some time ago told the Chairman of the Committee and several of its members that there is nothing in the account capable of furthering any just object of investigation.

I am also informed that a resolution was passed to summon me as a witness, but have received no subpœna. I had written before this telegram appeared requesting you to say to the Committee that it would be more agreeable to me not to visit Washington, if the Committee would send a sub-committee, or hold a session here, but that otherwise I should attend under the subpœna. As to this arrangement now reported, I have only to say I can accept concern and decency, but not a flagitious equivalent for a muzzle or a destroy to anybody else.

SAMUEL J. TILDEN.

There! Chandler, Hayes & Co., smoke that. Bring on your accounts if you dare!

QUEER JUDGES.—There is a clause in the Constitution of the United States which says that no one holding an office of profit or honor, can serve as Presidential Elector, or, words to that effect. Yet, three of the Judges on the Washington Returning Board, took an oath to support and defend that document; but refuse to be governed by it when the Democrats bring to their notice the fact, that no less than EIGHT Radical Electors hold such positions, and are therefore ineligible, and ought to be "counted out," in accordance with the Constitution and the oath they have taken. It devils do not rejoice over a moral and legal wrong of this character, we cannot imagine what else mortals could do to inherit the abode of the damned, unless they would engage in wholesale murder.

THE DESTRUCTION OF THE SUPREME COURT.—If Congress had set out deliberately to devise a scheme to render the character of our Supreme Judges contemptible in the estimation of all Americans, Congress could not have invented a more effective plan for the purpose than this compromise farce has proved to be. It has already done more to bring out the high tribunal into popular contempt than all that has ever before occurred. It, at the conclusion, there should be left any vestige of a decent public respect for a court, the majority of whose Judges have shown themselves to be contemptible partisan demagogues, the world may well marvel thereat.—*Chicago Times.*

BULL DOZING.—The city of Pittsburgh, which in November gave Hayes and Cameron 3,240, majority, elected a Democratic Mayor, Treasurer and Controller on the 20th instant, by majorities ranging from 1,200 to 1,600. And this Radical change took place on the very day the Washington Returning Board counted the ineligible elector Watts, for Hayes. Pittsburgh Democratic in 1877! The Radical organs in the smoky city are alarmed at the result. A few more defaulting Postmasters and public defaulters on every hand in that city will give the Democrats 3,240 at the next election.

POLITICAL PIRACY A VIRTUE.—It is now termed virtuous when a converted carpet-bagger down South stands up and tells the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth," about the huge crimes perpetrated by the Radicals in election matters. But if one of that class stands up and swears to everything of a Radical nature—perjures himself, and is willing to send his soul to h—l; then he is pronounced "a Christian Statesman," and deserving the sympathy of all true Radicals. How kindred love one another!

RATHER SARCASTIC.—An exchange says: "Forty members of Cameron's Legislature paid an official visit to the Reform School, at Morganza, near Pittsburgh, last Friday a week. After they were mixed in with the inmates of the institution the keepers had great difficulty in distinguishing the members from the regular boarders. If there was no distinction in conduct or size they might have detected those belonging to Harrisburg."

THE MISERABLE DEMAGOGUE.—Senator Edmunds, of Vermont, early in the session introduced a resolution in the Senate to inquire into the elections of the several Southern States, but when he is placed upon a Commission for this express purpose and sworn to perform that duty he votes not to hear any evidence and refuses to make any inquiry whatever. For a bold and unblushing deceiver Edmunds takes position in the front rank.

BOTH GONE.—Hon. David Reed, ex-United States District Attorney for the Western district of Pennsylvania, died in Pittsburg on the 17th inst. He was born at Washington, Pa., November 12, 1821, and was admitted to the bar in 1846. On the death of Mr. H. Bucher Swoope, in March, 1874, he was appointed United States District Attorney, which position he filled until June, 1875.

A TOM-TIT AFFAIR.—"The Government" had Don Piatt, editor of the Washinton *Capital*, arrested for *treason, felony, riot.* The editor simply told the truth about Grant and his Cabinet. The lugging in of those criminal titles, was for the purpose of making out a case against Don (not Cameron) but Piatt.

THE CAPTAIN'S CARD.—Captain Gilchrist, of Charleston, having been informed by Governor Hampton, that the President of the United States had issued an order forbidding the white volunteers of South Carolina from turning out on the 22d for the purpose of celebrating Washington's birth day (the order in question will be found in this issue) put himself on record as follows:

HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY, February 21, 1877.—Com-
[illegible] Officers and Men: In the name of Washington, of manifesting our respect to the immortal memory of the Father of his country on his birthday. The orders of the Chief Magistrate of the Union which Washington founded have brought about this extraordinary result. No act of arbitrary power could have occasioned greater surprise. In consequence of these orders Governor Hampton has ordered us to postpone our public celebration to some more auspicious period, which he hopes is not far distant. In conformity to his proclamation the parade, oration and presentation of the portrait of Washington arranged for the 22d instant, are hereby deferred until the arrival of a day when it will not be deemed unlawful to commemorate the civic virtues of the illustrious founder of the Republic.

R. C. GILCHRIST, Captain.

The Captain is nearly as severe on "the government" as Gov. Hampton. But, then, the Grants, Camerons, Chandlers and that herd of "Christian Statesmen," are willing to pocket insults of this character every day, if they are only allowed the profits of a "black Friday," and the sale of Post-traderships, and to carry on a wholesale and retail "crooked whisky" business. This gang of political desperadoes annually collect hundreds of millions of dollars off the people in the shape of tax and internal revenue, half of which goes into their pockets. And, yet, the people seem to be pleased with the plan. When will honest men obtain the places now held by first-class rogues?

LOOK AT THE RESULT.—If the fabricated Radical majorities in the States of Florida and Louisiana are to go into history as the result of the elections in those States, it is well to look at the popular vote for President as it stands corrected by patent return boards. It is as follows:

Tilden, Democrat	4,290,187
Hayes, Republican	4,042,079
Cooper, Greenbacker	74,089
Smith, Prohibitionist	6,986
Total	8,614,633

Tilden's majority over Hayes is 248,108; over all three of his competitors, 143,739. The total vote polled was 8,674,635. The total vote of 1872 was 6,457,315; that of 1868 was 5,716,788; that of 1864 was 4,034,689, and that of 1860 was 4,080,193. The vote of 1864 was reduced by the States then in rebellion not voting.

If the Democrats are cheated, and Hayes counted in, we shall nevertheless feel good because a large majority of the people are in favor of Mr. Tilden. But perjury, forgery and fraud being at a premium under Chandler-Cameron rule we must be content and bide our time. The rogues' day is numbered.

"THE SENATOR FROM OREGON"—The *Clarion Democrat* revives some reminiscences of Senator Hipple Mitchell, of Oregon, as follows:

"John Mitchell Hipple, now U. S. Senator from Oregon, under the name of John H. Mitchell, is making moral speeches, and advocating the cause of conspirators in counting in Hayes. Some years ago he ran away from his wife in Butler county, Pa., taking $1,000 of his partner's money and under an assumed name married another woman on the Pacific coast. A year or two ago his first wife was working in a hotel at Franklin. These facts, and others of a financial nature, still more damaging to his character, were proven before a committee of the Senate, appointed to investigate the matter; but the Radical Senators thought him good enough for a place among them and admitted him to a seat. Now the same Senators talk of refusing Gov. Grover his seat because he refused a certificate to postmaster Watts, the ineligible elector. What fastidious, consistent gentlemen they are! Poor Jim Nye said when he entered the Senate among the statesmen, he wondered how he ever got into that body made famous by Webster, Clay, Calhoun and Douglass. But before he was there he wondered how the devil the other fellows got in there."

James F. Milliken, District Attorney of Blair county, intends to resign, on the 26th inst., and it is believed that Fred Jackel, Esq., will be appointed to fill the office. We are not prepared to state the reasons which have induced Col. Milliken to tender his resignation of such a lucrative office.—*Huntingdon Monitor.*

We presume Jim wants to be made a martyr in the line of civil service, and expects to be re-elected, as he was restored in that way by his military butties, less a commission. But it's Col. Jim, nevertheless.

WORTH REMEMBERING.—"The second Washington," in his day, in alluding to the Presidential question, remarked as follows:

"The two Houses of Congress convened under the twelfth article of the Constitution have complete power to exclude from counting all electoral votes deemed by them to be illegal."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

How in the world can the Washington Returning Board get over this decision? They may bend or set aside the Constitution of the United States, but Bradley, Strong and Miller dare not snigger over the decision of Abraham Lincoln.

PECULIAR SWEARING.—If that clause in the Constitution of the United States which prohibits Postmasters and other officials, from serving as Presidential Electors, amounts to nothing practically, why not tear it out? Why should men be asked to take an oath to support such a clause, in one breath, and then turn around and ignore it? and also swear that a Postmastership is no disqualification.

Hayes' Cabinet makers are at work. It is reported that Gov. Hartranft has been offered a seat. If he accepts, our Democratic Lieut. Gov. Latta, will be brought into requisition. Go on Returning Boards. If Hartranft goes in, Cameron goes out mind that as you go along. However, "Harty" made a good clerk for Geary and Kemble, and he may be willing to serve "Don" in a similar way.

A BAD BOARD.—These are the names of the members of the tribunal, who have voted that fraud is law, a lie is the truth, that dishonor is a virtue and that a minority is a majority: Bradley, Edmunds, Frelinghuysen, Garfield, Hoar, Miller, Morton and Strong.

THE UNJUST JUDGES.

SENATOR WALLACE COUNTERS AND PROVES TO THE WORLD THAT THE "EIGHT SPOT" ACCEPTS FALSEHOOD FOR TRUTH, AND ENDORSES PERJURY AS A VIRTUE.

When the two Houses convened to receive and consider the decision of the Electoral Commission in the Louisiana case, Senator Wallace presented the following very pointed objections to the decision—objections that cut to the marrow and that are but an exposition of the feelings of the people the Senator so ably represents in the Senate of the United States:

"1st—That the decision is in violation of the electoral act in this, that by the act the Commission is required to decide whether any, and what votes from such States are votes provided for by the Constitution, and what persons were duly appointed electors.

"2d—Because the act creating the Commission was passed to the end that the Commission would hear and examine evidence, and honestly decide what electors in any disputed State were fairly and legally chosen, whereas the Commission refused.

"3—Because the decision is in disregard of the truth, justice and law, and establishes the demoralizing and ominous doctrine that fraud, forgery, bribery and perjury can lawfully be used as a means to make a President of the United States, against the well known or easily ascertained will of the people of the States."

These objections were signed by Senators Wallace, of Pennsylvania; Johnston, of Virginia; Bayard, of Delaware; Dennis, of Maryland; Kernan, of New York; Kelly, of Oregon, and Saulesbury, of Delaware and a large minority of Congressmen, covers the ground more completely than any other proposition submitted on this question.

In the debate in the Senate on Monday before the vote was taken on the decision of the Commission as to the count of the Louisiana electors, Senator Wallace quoted from the speeches of Senators Morton and Sherman and Representative Garfield, while the bill for the creation of the Commission was before Congress, showing that they objected to the bill on the ground that it recognized the power and virtually required the Commission to review the work of the Returning Boards and make a thorough investigation of their acts, and yet with this interpretation of the intent of the bill Morton and Garfield, as members of the Commission, voted to ignore all evidence and refused to perform the duties required of them by the act. Senator Wallace reviewed the course of the Commission in the following scathing manner:

"The rejection of the proof of fraud by the Commission admitted its truth. This is sound law, and the Republican party cannot now say the facts are not as we state them. Gross and palpable frauds on the people of Louisiana, and through them on the American people, have been voice and power to proclaim a lie, to nullify truth, and to reverse the will of a majority of that people. It is false that a majority of the people of Louisiana have appointed the Hayes electors, but this decision proclaims it to be true. It is true that they did appoint the Tilden electors, but that truth is nullified and crushed by this decision, and for the first time the will of a majority of the people is expunged and reversed by the votes of the Electoral College. The broad effer to prove falsehood and forgery in the destruction of 10,000 lawful votes was rejected, and being rejected, the truth of the facts alleged cannot be denied; and this brings us to face the astounding legal declaration that the equities which ought to accompany the power of the majority of the whole people, the vitality which every government possesses for its own preservation against force and fraud, and the morality which pertains to every just system of laws, are utterly wanting in ours. If the false and forged returns made by four men, of whom one is too weak to be a knave, another tricky, unscrupulous and a defaulter in public office, a third a sharper who cheats at keno and defrauds his State, and the fourth contessedly guilty and indicted for forging dead men's names on the pay rolls of his city, if these returns, certified by an executive whose only title to his place is the federal bayonet, are to be the conclusive proof of the title to the Presidency, then a government of law is supplanted by one of force and fraud. A majority of the people of the United States, whose rights are outraged and denied by this decision; a system of jurisprudence that finds a remedy for every wrong; a government that has repelled force and has the inborn vigor to resist corruption, and a code of morals that shrink from the poisonous touch of falsehood and forgery, are here to day in silent but majestic protest against this judgment. The laws of the people whom I represent are based on common right, justice and sense, and they believe that the end of legal proceedings is the attainment of justice. They will not respect a decision that refuses to hear the truth, that endorses falsehood, sustains forgery and places the federal government at the mercy of the base. They will and they should agitate for its reversal. The result before us is fitly reached. It is the decree of party wrung by party frailty from a judicial tribunal upon a pure legal question. May we never look on its like again."

THAT RETURNING BOARD.

This new departure for ascertaining the result of an election is ilty understood as to its composition. The seven Democratic members are always defeated by the eight Radicals, no difference how large the Democratic majority may have been in a State. Bradley and Strong are just as good on a count as Wells and Anderson.

Many people appear to be under the impression that Justice Bradley has the final and deciding vote in the Electoral Commission. This is a mistake. The roll is called alphabetically, and the first and last men to vote are Democrats. The following is the order of voting:

ABBOTT	Member of the House.
BAYARD	Member of the Senate.
BRADLEY	Supreme Court Justice.
CLIFFORD	Supreme Court Justice.
EDMUNDS	Member of the Senate.
FIELD	Supreme Court Justice.
FRELINGHUYSEN	Member of the Senate.
GARFIELD	Member of the House.
HOAR	Member of the House.
HUNTON	Member of the House.
MILLER	Supreme Court Justice.
MORTON	Member of the Senate.
PAYNE	Member of the House.
STRONG	Supreme Court Justice.
THURMAN	Member of the Senate.

On the decision not to go behind the certificates the vote ran as follows, the yeas being Republicans an the nays Democrats:

No; no; yes; no; yes; no; yes; yes; no; yes; yes; no; yes; no.

The Supreme Court Justices cast the 3d, 4th, 6th, 11th and 14th votes. The Democrats of the Senate and House cast the 1st, 2d, 10th, 13th and 15th (or last) votes; and the Republicans have the 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 12th votes.

New Advertisements.

Sheriff's Sale

BY virtue of writs of *Venditioni Exponas*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Clearfield, on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1877, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate to wit:

A certain tract of land situate in Morris township, Clearfield county, Pa., and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, thence by the same north 514 degrees west 189 perches to a stone corner; thence by Freeman's five acre lot north 33 degrees west 21 perch a to a hickory, south 52½ degrees west 34½ perches to a post on the tract line; thence by the same north 48½ degrees west 48 perches to stone; thence by land of Philip Dotts north 5½ degrees east 106 8-10 perches to a post north 48½ degrees west 4 8-10 pe ches to a dead hemlock stump; thence by line of tract of land of Richard Morrison and Mot ilbugh south 47½ degrees east 168 perches to a post and place of beginning containing 127 acres and 61 perches, net.

Also, Defendant's interest in all that certain tract or piece of land situate in said township, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the line of land of Thomas Wilson's estate north 88 degrees west 84 4-10 perches to a post and place of beginning; thence by said land north 44 degrees west 66 perches to a post, thence by land of John Crain north 49½ degrees east 63½ feet to a post, thence by land of John Crain north 44 degrees west 66 feet to a post, thence by lands of John Crain nort 49½ degrees west 63½ feet to a post, thence by land of Wilson's estate south 44 degrees west 66 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1 acre and a half more or less, with allowance.

Also, one other piece of land in said township, beginning at a post, thence south 87 degrees to post, thence south 97½ degrees east 64½ perches to post, thence south 11 degrees west 2½2 perches to post, thence west 8½ degrees, west 62 1 perch es to a post, thence south 2½ degrees east 22 3 perches to a post, containing 11 acres, more or less, it being the same tract of land conveyed to Elias Russell by deed bearing date the 21st day of December, 1843.

Also, one other tract of land situate in Bradley township, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on lands of George Krinor; thence 241 perches to a post; thence east 114 perches to a post; thence south on line of lands of Adam Hoff 124 perches to a post; thence west on line of lands of S. Adam Weaver 124 perches to place of beginning, containing 73 acres and 38 perches, with about 2½ acres cleared, and having a large steam saw mill 35x66 feet with engine house 20x41 feet, 1 frame house 16x20 feet, with 1 story 12x16 feet, 2 frame barns 1 story 16x32 feet, 2 stories high, 1 house 16x16 feet, 1½ stories high, and a stable 20x30 feet thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John T. Richell.

Also, a certain tract of land situate in Bradley township, Clearfield county, Pa., containing about 121 acres, with about 15 acres cleared and having erected thereon a large two story dwelling house, two large barns connected by shed, grain house, corn crib, wood house and small two story frame house, frame stable, blacksmith shop, and other outbuildings, orchard, etc., bounded and described as follows: On the east by Clearfield creek and lands belonging to the heirs of Reuben Gelvin, deed, and being part of a tract of land warranted in the name of Samuel Pearson, being all cleared and having a frame house, log one and other outbuildings thereon, also a good orchard.—Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Robert Irvin.

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