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THE TWO PARTINGS.

The following instructive history is from the Philadelphia *National Baptist*. It should serve as an awful warning to those who place the interlocking cup to the lips of others or to their own

One winter evening many years ago, a fair young girl stood before the glass in her own pleasant little room, giving the last touches to her toilet. That night was the first party of the season and perhaps Emma might be excused if she lingered a little longer than usual smoothing over again the dark, lustrous waves of hair, and arranging the soft folds of her graceful dress.

"Come Emma," said her mother as she looked in at the door, "I trust you have not forgot that Mr. B—— was coming."

No, Emma had not forgotten, as the rose on her cheek seemed to testify, but she had not thought it was time for him yet. "It is only eight o'clock, mother, and Mr. B—— said he would not be here before nine."

"Well, dear, I only thought I would remind you, for I know how you dislike to be hurried."

"Thank you, mother, I am sure he will be here in time."

Mr. B—— was the first gentleman who had ever paid Emma any attention, and her mother was very anxious that she should make a favorable impression upon him. She was a widow, and her husband had left her but a small property, and she knew that Emma's only hope of a home was in a good marriage. Mr. B—— was a rich young merchant, and Mrs. Lee thought that Emma could not do better than to secure his affections.

Mr. B—— was the first person who had ever given Emma a bouquet of flowers. He entered the drawing room where the rich perfume was almost overpowering, and found Emma standing in the centre of the room, with her hands clasped in front of her, and her eyes fixed upon the door as if she were expecting some one.

As he entered she gave a little start of surprise, and then, coming forward with a graceful courtesy, said, "I thought it was Mr. B——, but he was to be here at nine, and it is only eight."

"Then I am sorry I have disappointed you, for I can take myself off again."

"You are an honest rogue, at any rate," she replied, "and if you would have been more disappointed had you expected any one else, you must tell me who it was."

"Why, Emma, I cannot help it if you will be so cruel. Do you not know that I love you, and that I have come here to-night to tell you so?"

"Indeed, Mr. B——, I am very sorry that you have done so, for I can never be more than a friend to you."

"Why not, Emma? Do you not love me?"

"Yes, I do love you as a friend, but I do not love you as you wish me to."

"Then you will not be my wife?"

"No, Mr. B——, I cannot."

"Will you tell me why?"

"Because I do not love you enough."

"Do you love any one else?"

"No, sir, I do not love any one else."

"Then I will not despair. I will wait patiently for your love, and I am sure that I shall win it."

"Mr. B——, I beg you will not say anything more about it. I am sorry that I have given you any encouragement, but I thought you understood me."

"Emma, you are cruel to me. I have loved you for months, and I cannot give you up. You can take any length of time you please, but I can tell you that I will not despair."

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"Mr. B——, I beg you will not say anything more about it. You must not stay in this wretched place. Is your brother ringing?"

"Yes, sir," she answered sadly, "but I have no means."

"Do not trouble yourself, said Mr. B—— as soon as you are sufficiently recovered I will take care of that part of the undertaking. Let me know if there is anything else I can do for you. No, thanks," he added, hastily, as the poor woman's embarrassment in grateful acknowledgment. "Good-bye."

This was the second parting.

"Perhaps at her wedding, when she is accustomed to pass your gentleman friends to partake of wine, please now and ask yourselves the question whether you are prepared for the hasty or late of a gentleman's wife.

YOUNG MEN

That wretched [illegible] as hopeless [illegible] at home [illegible] Emma [illegible] Mr. B——

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TRI-WEEKLY DURING THE CAMPAIGN.

RAHWAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER ...

COUNTY CONVENTION

The Democratic Voters of the County of Union are requested to meet in their respective Wards and Townships, to appoint Delegates to a Convention to be held at the Court House in the City of Elizabeth, ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1868, at 10 A. M. to nominate candidates for County offices to be voted for at the ensuing election. The ratio of representation will be one Delegate to every fifty votes cast at the last Gubernatorial election, and one for every fraction over twenty-five.

By order of the County Democratic Ex. Com.

FRANCIS LABAW, Pres't.

A. B. YARD, Secretary.

The County Convention, as will be seen by notice, is called for Tuesday, Oct. 6th. Then township and ward meeting should be held next week to appoint delegates.

We learn that our Democratic neighbors will, as they are entering their interest in the success of the party, this fall by perfecting organizations in every ward in the city. By the gerrymander of the radical Legislature last winter, the city election will also take place at the same time as the regular fall elections in that city. We expect to hear a good report from Elizabeth this fall—one that will teach the modest Clark a lesson in humility.

The radical press endeavor to ridicule the Democracy because we are actively engaged in "getting up a row" at home. There is no such intention, nor such cause for the quiet manner that pervades the Democratic ranks. We want nothing better to defy than fair fight and open field. But the issue we have to meet is one that we intend to fight in earnest and in time". In many city of the white people of New Jersey the negro element is so large as to endanger their supremacy at the polls. In connection with the negro by constitutional right like them we must bow to the will of the majority—however unpalatable it may be to many of us. We are glad to say that even the radicals will thus far concede the right of self government to the white people of the South.

Democratic Newspapers.—The Democratic press of New Jersey is a power in the land. Its circulation equals, if not exceeds, that of any State in the Union. The Democratic newspapers of New Jersey are themselves read by the most intelligent class of people in the State. They are necessary for the enlightenment of the people, and are a necessity to every Democratic family. They are prompt and reliable in their publication of the news of the day, and are always found on the side of right and justice. They are fearless in their denunciation of wrong, and are always found battling for the right. They are the friends and champions of the people, and are entitled to their support. Democrats of New Jersey, remember this, and see that your county paper is liberally supported.

Henry Wells, a colored man, who represented Mercer county in the last West Jersey Legislature, and who was elected through the influence of the Democracy, has published a letter in which he declares that he will support Seymour and Blair. Wells is a man of ability, and his defection from the radical ranks will be a severe blow to the party in Mercer county. This is the first instance of the kind that has occurred in New Jersey, and will be followed by many others. Democrats should see that the negro who has been elected by their votes does not desert the party that elected him.

Ignorance.—It used to be one of the boasts of Southern white men that the ignorance of the negro was as good as a nigger. But they have got over that. They seem to think that their ignorance is ahead as they show. Here is the radical candidate for governor of Ohio puts the following speech in that State:

"I assert the assertion that the 2,500 men of the years of age in Ohio with both qualified, by reason of are 2,500 white men of the State, every

It is not sufficient to say that in the white men who filled the army, the were due to the black people. Now we are told that the blacks are better qualified to vote than the whites. Is there a white man who believes it, or who has the respect as to support such a ticket?—*True American*.

The ... of last week has an article ... The Duke of ... intended for a critic... questions made in an ... weeks since on ... The transactions of ... known by the public ... that we might relate of ... At a time after their pa... the idea that they ... suffrage—now, in this ... in their platform. ... of the rebellion they declared that the war was waged for the restoration of the Union and the supremacy of the Constitution. When the rebels laid down their arms the radical Congress refused to recognize the seceding States as part of the Union, and have since converted them into military despotisms. The Constitution has been ... the radical Congress ... ruling made laws and assumed powers contrary to its principles, unnecessary for the welfare of the country, and by which the Union remains unsettled. Deception has been the principal weapon used by the so-called Republican party, but the people are now beginning to find out the truth, and to view the party in its true light which the late elections ... clearly show.

POLITICAL PRINTING.

We copy the following extracts from ... forcibly exhibit the ... and the way in which the printer is cheated out of his dues. Without the printer, politicians would stand a poor chance of gaining popularity, yet the former seldom gets paid even his dues for job printing to say nothing of the advertisements ... that are given in the columns of the newspaper. We know that many of the publishers are declaring forcibly that no more work will be done unless the cash appears before the work disappears. That is what we do exactly, and we accept the ... last extract below as our rule.

The *Newark Journal* has lost $100 by political printing, and now announces no trust. —*Exchange*.

The *Journal* got off easy. We know of newspapers that have lost a great deal more than that inconsiderable sum by politics printing.—*New Brunswick Fredonian*.

We were told once by the editor of a leading journal in this State that his losses by political printing and advertising had amounted to over $5,000 in the course of 7 years, we think. He showed us his ledger with the items posted. It was a sad sight it. But he had at this time "shut down the gate" that is, he didn't do business in that way. There is probably not a newspaper in the State but could make a comparative statement of this kind. Such accounts are the most difficult of collection, and if ever settled at once the probability is that they never will be.

The *modus operandi* of running up a printing bill by politicians and ultimately defrauding the ... of his hard earned dues is this: A primary meeting, county, or State convention is called, at somebody calls to have the tickets printed and previous to election, hand-bills, tickets, and circulars printed. This is customary with the ward, township and ... ty committees, each one of which ... of less work to be done and it must be done at once—and it must be done ... cost—the success of the party ... at the balance. Everything ... put aside. The ... spent whole nights at ... Then ... been amazed to ... bill. We were ... of party ... pay the bill ... neglected ... The excuse ... have been ... cases, was, that ... Rather than ... Sadly ... have ... We do not expect ... just but we shall be ... subscription ... Orange Journal.

The Cost of Running Both Governments.—Paul Morton ... reference to the ... why ... United States ... the same ... Each ... expend ... Each ... Each ... Each

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

[illegible] the Board of Chosen Freeholders, at the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, on Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1867, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present—Messrs. Ayres, Bell, Cleveland, Dalrymple, Dayton, Dickerson, Dunn, Force, Gilbert, Hall, Hatfield, Hedden, Hetfield, Hoagland, Hopping, Jacobus, Kelly, Kinney, Lee, Lockwood, Lyon, Martin, Meeker, Miller, Mulford, Ogden, Osborn, Parker, Pierson, Price, Quinby, Randolph, Reed, Rolfe, Runyon, Schenck, Scudder, Shotwell, Smith, Stevens, Stiles, Stockton, Sutphen, Thompson, Tompkins, Tuttle, Van Arsdale, Van Cleef, Van Dyke, Van Horn, Van Winkle, Vreeland, Wade, Wakeman, Walker, Wallace, Wandell, Ward, Webster, Wells, Wheeler, Whitehead, Williamson, Wilson, Winans, Wood, Woodruff, Wright, Yard and Young—59.

Absent—Messrs. Bell, Cleveland, Dalrymple, Dayton, Dickerson, Dunn, Force, Gilbert, Hall, Hatfield, Hedden, Hetfield, Hoagland, Hopping, Jacobus, Kelly, Kinney, Lee, Lockwood, Lyon, Martin, Meeker, Miller, Mulford, Ogden, Osborn, Parker, Pierson, Price, Quinby, Randolph, Reed, Rolfe, Runyon, Schenck, Scudder, Shotwell, Smith, Stevens, Stiles, Stockton, Sutphen, Thompson, Tompkins, Tuttle, Van Arsdale, Van Cleef, Van Dyke, Van Horn, Van Winkle, Vreeland, Wade, Wakeman, Walker, Wallace, Wandell, Ward, Webster, Wells, Wheeler, Whitehead, Williamson, Wilson, Winans, Wood, Woodruff, Wright, Yard and Young—59.

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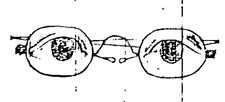

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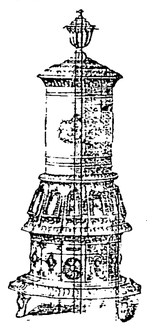

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