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**The Daily Tribune.**

J. L. STEWART, Editor.  
MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 15

**Republican Antagonist.**  
"Liberty, Fraternity and Equality" is  
the motto of Republicanism—personal  
liberty, an absence of class distinctions,  
and equality before the law. The Ameri-  
can Republic was founded on these  
ideas, and her writers and orators have  
been in the habit of boasting that they  
were carried out. Gradually, however,  
has Republican simplicity gone out of  
fashion, and an spring of European class  
privileges, etc., developed itself. Love  
of class distinctions—only equaled by  
that of Germans in Germany—has be-  
come manifest among all classes, and  
the wealthy are the Irvettes and style of  
the aristocrats of European monarchies.  
There appears to be great difficulty, in  
various parts of the country, to settle the  
social status of different aspirants for  
precedence, and the decisions of one city  
often conflict with those of another. In  
one town, for instance, as in some places  
in New Brunswick, the wholesale liquor  
dealers are the crime in crime, and their  
wives and daughters take preceden-  
ce of other women just as in the  
Royal Princesses of England take preceden-  
ce of the female members of the other  
aristocracy at the Court of St.  
James. In one place dry goods are at  
the head of the parade, in another place  
they possess only banal honors, and in  
some places they are deemed beneath  
classification altogether. In the South  
the planters are the first families; in  
some regions the lumber manufacturers  
even though they cut with knives and  
saw the timber, are the first families;  
in the West, the sugar planters, and the  
owners of the mines; in other quarters  
—Washington, for example—those who  
are not in office are nobodies. In Wash-  
ington, as the work of social classifica-  
tion goes on, desperate struggles for  
position are annually disturbing the  
peace of the "higher circles." The Presi-  
dent and family come first, of course,  
but who follows? The struggle between  
members of the Cabinet, Judges,  
Speakers of Congress, Generals and  
Admirals, is lively each season, and  
many of the disputes have become  
chronic. Nothing but the establishment  
of a Joint High Commission, or some-  
thing of that kind, for the determination  
of the cases in dispute, will prevent the  
disruption of Washington society. And  
yet another question of privilege has  
arisen in Congressional circles. The  
gallery of the House of Representatives,  
where the sons and daughters of the  
people have been wont to assemble on  
equal terms, has been divided, and the  
best portion set apart for the private  
property of "members" and their fami-  
lies—as sacred ground on which the  
poor plebeian cannot stand. Then the  
front portion of the best corner  
of this sacred retreat was made more  
sacred still by being set apart for  
the family and friends of the Speaker—  
the Speaker's private box, as it were.  
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row about it, and the attention of the  
country has been attracted to the growl  
of the aristocratic system of class privi-  
leges at the capital of the country—the  
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**Habit, if not necessity, makes a Habit Dressing** indispensable to many. The  
new "Yoon," which Dr. Ayer's labora-  
tory issues, is one of the most deligh-  
tful we have ever used. It restores not only  
the color, but gloss and luxuriance to  
faded and grey hair.  
The Khedive of Egypt is collecting for  
himself a valuable Arabic manuscript preser-  
ved in mosques and monasteries through-  
out his dominions. He has already se-  
cured 50 of the Torah, one of  
which is 1,150 years old.

In the District of Columbia, investiga-  
tion last week it was testified that \$25,000  
in cash and \$75,000 in notes and paper  
were given to a lobbyist for procuring the  
vote-peddling contract.  
A merchant of St. Joseph, Mo., has  
got the Post-office Department and its  
subordinates by the ears, by writing on a  
postal card to a Chicago merchant,  
"Our postmaster says your postmaster is  
using 'scarcious language' on a postal  
card."

A convention of Southern railroads, held  
at Atlanta, Ga., last week, was attended  
by the Board of Trade, President of the  
Board, and others, to be held at Atlanta,  
Ga., May 5th, proximo, to take into  
consideration the question of direct knaps  
between the South and the West, known as  
the "Liverpool, Savannah and Great  
Western Transportation Line."

To be a prize-fighter does not neces-  
sarily imply courage. There are a number of  
base sordid, named Clough, in New York  
Tuesday night, was brave enough to dare  
another rough to fight, and, when the  
scales were made, he accepted the kid  
invitation, though he took out a re-  
volvers and let fly at the other man.  
What was the result? New York?

In the U. S. House of Representatives  
the Committee of Ways and Means have  
reported a bill abolishing the payment of  
moieties to informers and United States  
officers. The latter are only to receive  
one-third of the amount of the fine, and  
in other cases, the former may be rewar-  
ded for aid against any fraud on the revenue,  
the same amount of the fine as the Secretary  
of the Treasury.

An English traveler whose conscience  
would not allow him to travel, found that  
at the hotel in France, where he was  
staying, the waiters were so accustomed  
to hear the Englishmen use strong lan-  
guage that they considered him a mil-  
lionaire. He therefore told them so, and  
thereupon he gave an order to be rolled out  
in a sack and thrown into the sea.  
The effect was marvellous. He was hereafter  
treated with the greatest respect, and  
with assiduity.

Large crowds, sometimes bolstered  
but not abated, followed the women's  
praying band in Pataung, Pa., when  
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**Formal Thanks.**  
The next thing to be thankful for  
being thanked. To feel thankful to  
receive thanks is enough for present  
happiness; so how much is that man to  
be envied who enjoys both of these  
sources of bliss? The happy man is the  
Mayor, and the blissful occasion was his  
retirement from the Chair of the Ses-  
sions. He thanked the Justices, and  
they thanked him, and his cap of happi-  
ness was overwhelmed at his eyes. Now if  
this thinking business does any good—if  
it really affords anybody any innocent  
gratification in this world—it may be  
kept up with advantage, but if it is only  
a form—if it has come to be a mere mat-  
ter of course that a chairman should be  
invited to leave his seat while a vote of  
thanks is accorded him—if the ceremony  
gives no pleasure to those who pass the  
vote and him who receives the thanks—  
then it is about time that sensible men  
abolished the custom so far as they  
themselves are concerned.

**Noblest Oblige.**  
Sir John Macdonald, as a matter of  
course, is as anxious as the Premier to  
shirk the Riel question. His followers  
are divided on the policy that should be  
adopted in reference to that great crim-  
inal, and, as the honor of the country is  
not in his keeping, and the leadership of  
the House is in other hands, he very nat-  
urally declines to do anything about it.  
**Noblest Oblige.** The Cabinet should ac-  
cept the responsibility as well as the  
honors of office. It is for Mr. MacKen-  
zie and his colleagues to choose between  
the honor of bringing a murderer to  
justice and the infamy of enabling him  
to escape punishment—to choose be-  
tween the loss of a few French support-  
ers in Parliament and the approbation  
of the great mass of the people of  
Canada.

We take no interest in the Mayoralty  
contest, because it is merely a personal  
one. It would be difficult, even for the  
Attorney General, to find a principle at  
stake in the struggle. We shall an-  
nounce to-morrow (in a 5 o'clock  
edition) which of the candidates we deem  
the strongest.

**A Sad Suicide.**  
The San Francisco Alta narrates the  
sad circumstances attending the recent  
suicide in that city of William Fredericks,  
a young and promising artist from the  
East, who took up his residence in that  
city a short time since. Fredericks had  
great depression of spirits, owing, it is  
said, to a depreciation of his pictures.  
He had taken studio and tried to sup-  
port himself by his brush, but his pic-  
tures met with harsh criticism, and in a  
short time he found it necessary to pawn  
his watch and clothing to enable him to  
get bread. Discouraged and heart-broken  
he went to his room and attempted to  
poison himself, but he was discovered  
in time to save his life, and kind friends  
took him to his bed and put him under the  
care of a keeper, who tried to cheer him  
up. It soon became evident, however,  
that disappointment had done its work.  
He would constantly assume tragic atti-  
tudes, and talk in an exceedingly excited  
manner. He would clasp his hands to his  
forehead and exclaim, "I've gone, I've  
gone!" He declared that he had tried  
to kill himself and had failed, and that  
he would quote Shakespeare's soliloquy  
of "To be, or not to be," and relate the  
deaths of Cato, Brutus, and other great  
men. The grandest thing a man could do  
was to die, he said, and he would do so  
by his own hand.  
Finally one month evening Fredericks  
asked his attendant to take him out for a  
walk. Upon reaching the beach he gave  
his companion a push and said he did not  
want to talk any more. He then struck  
an attitude, looked out toward the ocean,  
and then, drawing a pistol, he shot him-  
self in the breast, causing instant  
death.

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**The Sessions.**  
In the sessions, Saturday afternoon,  
the parish of Lancaster, for highway  
purposes, was divided into three districts.  
The special presentment of the Grand  
Jury was discussed at length. Justice  
Kéans called attention to an error in the  
amount asked for by the Grand Jury on  
collateral account, and on his motion  
the amount was altered from \$11,111 to  
\$8,735. The question of publishing  
defaulters' names was referred to the  
Common Council, Portland Council, and  
a special committee of Justice. Previ-  
ous to adjournment His Worship  
Mayor Reed remarked that it would be  
the last time he would have the honor to  
preside over the body, and took occasion  
to thank the Justices for the courtesy  
and consideration he had received at  
their hands. He was then called upon to  
vacate the chair, and Justice Kéans took  
his place. Justice Marshall moved, and  
Justice Matthews seconded.  
That the thanks of the Board be given  
to His Worship the Mayor for the able  
manner in which he has discharged the  
duties of Chief Magistrate for the City  
and County of St. John, and also for the  
urbanity and impartiality with which he  
has during the past four years, presided  
over the Court of Quarter Sessions.  
His Worship briefly returned thanks.

**Rev. Dr. Clarke Writes:**  
While I was under the process of ery-  
sipelas the Hon. Dr. ———— called upon  
me. I told him how much of the Hypo-  
phosphites is a good medicine, an excellent  
medicine, an excellent tonic, and no  
doubt had drawn the acidity that was in  
my blood to the surface, and had thus  
prevented it from attacking some impor-  
tant organ of my system.  
I have conversed with many who have  
used it, and all say they were benefited  
by it.

**For myself, I have much pleasure in  
saying it improved my general health  
managing. It gives a clear skin and  
healthy countenance, but to know its  
virtues it must be used, and were it  
within the reach of all classes, I believe  
it would be universally, yes, by the well,  
to renew their age, and by the sick, to  
make them well.  
It makes an old person look ten years  
younger. This witness is true. I would  
like to see more widely make it known  
for its many virtues. Long may its in-  
ventor live to see the happy fruits of his  
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