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FUNNY SPEECH.

Champ Clark is a Missouri congressman. He made a talk at the Fourth of July celebration at Tammany Hall in New York. He was selected as the funny man for the occasion. He did not disappoint the committee on speakers. Here are some of the things he said:

The Louisiana purchase was the largest transaction in real estate since the devil took the Saviour up on the top of a high mountain and offered him the kingdom of the world if he would fall down and worship him. Satan didn't have even a tax title to a foot of the earth which he was promising so lavishly. The First Consul's claim to Louisiana was little better. But on the ever-glorious 8th of January, still another democrat, Andrew Jackson by name, converted Bonaparte's quit claim into a general warranty deed, against which the Gates of Hell shall not prevail, by fighting and gaining with a handful of raw militia, the sixth decisive battle of the world, by humbling England's towering pride to the very dust and by utterly routing the picked veterans of the Peninsula who had snatched the iron crown of Charlemagne from the brow of the Imperial Corsican.

Further on he gave expression to the following:

Between the Mississippi river and the Pacific Ocean lies the fairest land beneath the skies, containing 27 per cent of the population, 71 per cent of the area, 23 1-2 per cent of the wealth, and 80 per cent of "the git up and git" of the republic. Every foot of that princely domain, in possibilities rich beyond the dreams of avarice, and in extent greater than that over which the Roman eagles flew, or over which Martial Macedonia waved his all conquering banner, was, thank God, added to the Union and forever dedicated to freedom through the wisdom, courage and patriotism of Thomas Jefferson and James K Polk—two peerless democrats.

Of course this truth expressed in such a witty, humorous manner was highly pleasing to the assembled Tammany braves. But the following brought roars of laughter:

"Judge Crisp, Benton McMillin and us that was raised among the niggers, got many good ideas from them. One was that no matter when you cut a snake's or a turtle's tail off it will live till sundown. Two boys had a snake, and cut his tail off. He wriggled around and they disputed as to whether or not he was dead. An Irishman came along—and the Irish are the wittiest people on earth. The boys presented their case to Pat, and he said: 'Yes, the truth about it is, the ugly devil's dead, but he hasn't got sense enough to know it.'"

This was applied to the republican party. But the following capped the climax and produced a hilarious uproar, such only as can take place inside the sequestered walls of Tammany Hall:

"The republicans remind me of the story of a school teacher in Pike county, who gave to his pupil this problem in arithmetic: 'There is a frog in a well. He jumps up one foot and falls back two. When will he get out?' The following morning the boy appeared with an arduous of slates on which he had been ciphering."

"Well where is the frog now?"

"In a half mile of hell, going down at the rate of four miles an hour," said the boy."

A GREAT PUBLIC DUTY.

The question of the repeal of the Sherman silver law and the enactment of such laws as will restore confidence in the finances of the country are not party questions, and the man who would attempt to secure party advantage out of the misfortunes of his country, rather than put forth an honest effort to remove these misfortunes should be regarded as little less than a public enemy. When the members of congress meet they should do so, not as democrats, republicans, prohibitionists, or populists, but as patriotic American citizens bent upon the performance of a great public, unselfish duty. Unfortunately there are too many men who are too apt to let their desire to secure advantage for their party cloud their judgment in their action in congress. There are democrats who will do this. There are populists who will do this. There are republicans who will do this. All parties are equally weak on this point. But when the business interests are in peril, when the public welfare is at stake, when the voice of distress is heard from all parts of the country, then it is that men should forget their party alignments and help to remove the peril and distress hanging over the country.

Judge Bruce of the United States district court, sitting at Birmingham, Alabama, has decided that an appointee of President Cleveland has a right to take the office to which he has been appointed, whether the republican incumbent wants to surrender it or not. The case grew out of the action of a republican marshal and district attorney, who attempted to hold their offices under the tenure of office act.—Chicago Commonwealth.

The organ that portends that the price of sugar was reduced because a bounty of two cents a pound on the home product was provided for in the McKinley bill may be depended upon to say that the foreigner pays the duty on imported goods.

The demagogue in politics is now in his glory. His demagogic cry and howl are heard everywhere. He pushes himself to the front and many unthinking people are led away by his false profession of love for the people. He is a deceiver both by nature and occupation. His only hope of success in subserving his own personal, selfish interests is in his ability to mislead unthinking people. Keep your eye on him. He will do to watch. He is a dangerous enemy in deep disguise. Watch him.

Says the Vancouver Register: Some days ago the Oregonian's Washington City correspondent, in speaking of the candidacy of Hon. James A Munday, of Vancouver, for collector of internal revenue, said "charges had been piled up against him." Mr. Munday immediately telegraphed to the national capital and a friend made a careful search, but found no charges whatever booked against Mr. Munday. The editor of this paper saw the telegram which Mr. Munday received in reply.

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All persons having claims against said insolvent and the estate thereof are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned at the Bank of Oregon building in the city of Albany, Oregon, under oath, within three months of this date.

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