

syllable of truth. It is *Tribune* buncombe from first to last. Such charges are not only false to the core now, but they always have been from the time the *Tribune* first began to invent such stuff for its devilish purposes. What makes the business particularly infamous and its pursuit disreputable and criminal is that the editor of that paper is conscious of the fallacy of his assertions. What a noble oracle this *Tribune* is, indeed, for a party of morals to be dictated by.

IN THE RING.

THE *Tribune* this morning was particularly vile. But its language confesses that its appeals are to a class of persons with whom decency is not a consideration. It confesses that the support of honorable men is no longer a reliance or a hope, that its "mission" is at last narrowed down to inflaming the prejudices of a board of illiterate followers with the one idea of keeping them so distracted with baseless abuse of their assumed enemy and with its reckless fictions in general, as to thoroughly take away their brains and make them perpetual slaves of its cut-throat policy.

Employing its own especial phrase, the "Liberal" party is stripped for action; that is, as any man of sense understands who is at all familiar with its style of campaign work, the "Liberal" party is no longer a party of intellect or morals, but poses at last with all its disguises off, like the naked human beast with which the editor justly compares it, to "knock out" by brute force any and all competitors. The *Tribune* is a first rate backer for such a monster.

With the \$10,000 "Liberal" for boss "trainer" and editor and manager of the "Liberal" organ for "seconds," no stranger combination of election toughs could be desired by the class of political adventurers for whose benefit this "party" is being perpetuated. The "Liberal" party "stripped for action" is indeed a prodigy.

A PAGE OF HISTORY.

The following bit of history will prove very interesting reading at this time. It reveals the fact that on February 24, 1888, the grand jury of the Third Judicial District of Utah found two indictments against Harry Haynes, who was then postmaster at Murray, Salt Lake county, charging him with making false returns:

No. 289.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT,
TERRITORY OF UTAH.

The United States of America
against
Harry Haynes.

Indictment for making false return as postmaster.

A true bill.

B. G. RAYBOULD,
Foreman of Grand Jury.

Presented in open court by the foreman of the grand jury and in its presence filed by me this 24th day of February, 1888. HENRY G. McMILLAN, Clerk.

GEORGE S. PETERS,
United States Attorney.

Witnesses examined by the grand jury—E. A. Threlkill, E. B. Trentland, C. E. Beane.

United States of America, Territory of Utah, Third judicial district—ss:

In the Third judicial district, in and for the Territory of Utah, within the United States of America, at the February term, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

United States of America vs. Harry Haynes.

The grand jurors of the United States of America within and for the district aforesaid, at the term and in the Territory aforesaid, being duly empaneled, sworn and charged on their oaths, do find and present that Harry Haynes, late of said district heretofore, to-wit: On the fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, in said district and Territory aforesaid and within the jurisdiction of the court, he the said Harry Haynes being then and there the duly appointed, qualified and acting postmaster of the United States for the postoffice of Murray, in Salt Lake county, in said Territory, and as such, being then and there a postmaster of the fourth class, did then and there unlawfully, fraudulently, purposely and knowingly make a false return to the sixth auditor of the treasury department of the United States from the postoffice department of the United States of the amount of postage stamps, stamped envelopes, postal cards and newspaper and periodical stamps canceled as postage on matter actually mailed at said postoffice, and of postage due stamps canceled in payment of undercharges and unpaid postage upon matters delivered said postoffice during the quarter from July 1st to September 30th, 1887, inclusive, for the purpose of fraudulently increasing his compensation as postmaster, which said false and fraudulent return is in words and figures following, to-wit:

Quarterly postal account, fourth class office, Mr. Harry Haynes, postmaster, at Murray, county of Salt Lake, State of Utah, in account with the United States for the service of the postoffice department from July 1st to September 30th, 1887, inclusive:

		Column for Postmaster.	
Dr.			
A. Amount of postage stamps, postage due stamps, special delivery stamps, newspaper and periodical stamps, stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers and postal cards on hand at close of last quarter.....			\$ 95 41
B. Amount of postage stamps, postage due stamps, special delivery stamps, newspaper and periodical stamps, stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers and postal cards received from the department this quarter.....			211 60
Total to be accounted for.....			\$307 04
C. Deduct amount of postage stamps, postage due stamps, special delivery stamps, newspaper and periodical stamps, stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers and postal cards now on hand.....			56 75
—Draft on L. E. Bamberger, L. P. M.			\$250 29
Total.....			\$275 01
7—Commission on the aggregate amount of cancelled stamps and waste paper, etc., sold as per article 2, as follows:			
On \$50 at 100 per cent.....			\$ 50 00
On \$10 at 60 per cent.....			60 00
On \$29.50 at 50 per cent.....			14 75
			\$124 75

17—By deposit at Salt Lake City to balance this account..... \$150 25

I, Harry Haynes, postmaster of Murray, Utah, do swear that the account which I have rendered to the postoffice department for the quarter ending September 30, 1887, exhibits truly and faithfully the active receipts of my postoffice which have been collected thereat and the entire sum which could have been by diligence collected thereat during the period above stated, and that the credits claimed in the said accounts are just and true as I verily believe; and, furthermore, that during the said period I have not knowingly delivered or permitted to be delivered to any person any mail matter on which the postage had not been paid at the time of such delivery by affixing and canceling postage due stamps in accordance with section 26, act of March 3, 1879. And, furthermore, that the amount of postage stamps, stamped envelopes, letter sheet envelopes, postal cards, newspaper and periodical stamps canceled as postages on matter actually mailed during the quarter, and of postage due stamps canceled in payment of undercharges and unpaid postages upon matter delivered during the quarter upon which commission is claimed is truly and accurately stated in the transcript accompanying this account; and, furthermore, that the amount of cancellations claimed by me on this postal account and transcript accompanying it does not include any cancellations of special delivery stamps. Furthermore, that the delivery of special delivery matter as above stated is accurate, and that the receipts submitted are genuine receipts signed by the parties to whom the matter was delivered.

HARRY HAYNES,
Postmaster.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned, a justice of the peace for the county of Salt Lake, this 4th day of October, A. D. 1887.

WM. BRADFORD, Justice of the Peace.

Daily transcript of amount of postage stamps, stamped envelopes, postal cards and newspaper and periodical stamps canceled as postages on matter actually mailed, and of postage due stamps canceled in payment of undercharges and unpaid postages upon matter delivered during the quarter. No cancellation of delivery stamps is to be included in this statement.

Month	Day	Am't	Month	Day	Am't	Month	Day	Am't
		Dols Cts			Dols Cts			Dols Cts
July.....	1	215	Aug...	1	300	Sept...	1	250
"	2	285	"	2	255	"	2	260
"	3	100	"	3	215	"	3	105
"	4	190	"	4	190	"	4	210
"	5	185	"	5	226	"	5	190
"	6	190	"	6	100	"	6	278
"	7	135	"	7	145	"	7	220
"	8	315	"	8	190	"	8	255
"	9	245	"	9	305	"	9	155
"	10	245	"	10	195	"	10	120
"	11	280	"	11	300	"	11	245
"	12	175	"	12	185	"	12	175
"	13	170	"	13	00	"	13	190
"	14	180	"	14	195	"	14	215
"	15	115	"	15	190	"	15	200
"	16	90	"	16	180	"	16	185
"	17	185	"	17	120	"	17	115
"	18	185	"	18	145	"	18	175
"	19	190	"	19	240	"	19	180
"	20	205	"	20	185	"	20	320
"	21	190	"	21	185	"	21	180
"	22	325	"	22	295	"	22	195
"	23	280	"	23	155	"	23	180
"	24	105	"	24	175	"	24	185
"	25	190	"	25	185	"	25	175
"	26	205	"	26	205	"	26	280
"	27	155	"	27	170	"	27	470
"	28	115	"	28	230	"	28	110
"	29	205	"	29	249	"	29	180
"	30	180	"	30	225	"	30	180
Total.....		5800			6124			6028

Total amount of stamps, etc., can-