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County Meeting ATTENTION DEMOCRATS A UNITED DEMOCRACY. CONSERVATIVE MEN AND CONSERVATIVE MEASURES.

A FULL MEETING AND AN UNDIVIDED SUPPORT TO OUR STATE AND COUNTY TICKET. United we stand—divided we fall. TURN OUT! TURN OUT! TURN OUT!!!

Saturday, September 15th, 1860.

A call for a democratic Union County Meeting to convene at this place, on the 15th inst., has been issued and distributed over the county for signatures.

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Gen. Lane.

Many of the opposition papers, and a few of the unscrupulous straight-out Douglas ones, seem to be vying with each other in efforts to heap abuse and ridicule on that brave and gallant old hero Gen. Lane.

General Joseph Lane, the Democratic candidate for Vice-President of the United States, who is on a visit to this city, addressed the National Democratic Volunteers on Wednesday night, at their rooms in Broadway.

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nor to offer excuses for or explain away charges against individuals; but I maintain that our party is, in fact, a Union party.

CAMPAIGN SONG.

The following which we clip from the Chicago Times, will be sung by all the Black Republican papers in the country.

There was an old Sucker and his name was Uncle Abe, Splitting rails long ago, long ago.

His legs are so long as de pole de de bean, And his hair is so long as de berry short.

ADDRESS

Of the Democratic State Executive Committee of Pennsylvania. To the Democracy of Pennsylvania: In a few weeks you will be called upon to perform the most important duty that ever devolved upon you as American citizens.

In this emergency, the State Committee, actuated by feelings of patriotism, and prompted only by a wish to secure the triumph of the "good old cause," endeavored to agree upon a course of action that would enable the Democratic masses to unite upon one National ticket.

publicanism and Democracy; and as such, it is committed with confidence to the same good sense of the people of Pennsylvania.

It cannot be denied that the union of the Democratic party will result in a brilliant triumph in October. On that initial battle all our energies must now be concentrated. We have a leader worthy of our cause.

WILLIAM H. WELSH, Chairman.

Franklin County Teacher's Association.

The Executive Committee of the Franklin County Teachers' Association met at Montgomery's Hotel, Chambersburg, on Saturday, the 1st inst., to prepare a programme of exercises for said Association.

Orthography and Reading.—Messrs. T. Esterline, J. C. Atherton, W. H. Kendrick, C. G. Glenn.

Penmanship.—Messrs. J. W. Coble, J. F. Bunt, T. M. Richards.

Geography, Local and Descriptive.—Messrs. Kahroy, W. H. H. Newsam, Samuel Gelwick, George Eby, H. S. Shade.

English Grammar.—Messrs. G. W. Bata, Joseph Eckert, J. L. P. Deatrich, John R. Croft, Peter Swisher.

Elementary Arithmetic.—Messrs. Isaac Miller, J. B. Eckerman, R. A. Moore, D. S. McFadden.

Practical Arithmetic.—Messrs. T. M. Richards, H. Onwaka, A. B. Wingers, Henry Atherton, W. H. Hostenberry.

Scientific Arithmetic.—Messrs. J. S. Smith, J. W. Hays, L. J. Wolfe.

Book Keeping.—L. N. Snavely.

Algebra.—Messrs. Samuel H. Eby, J. W. P. Reed, M. D. Reymor, P. M. Shoemaker.

Mensuration and Geometry.—Messrs. A. B. Seehler, J. S. McMillan.

Mechanics.—B. F. Fry.

Vocal Music.—Messrs. H. B. Kendrick, J. M. Bousbrake, J. H. Montgomery.

PSALMS.

Psalmody.—Dr. S. O. Lane and S. H. Eby.

Moral Education.—Messrs. K. A. Wilson, E. Dixon, M. J. Miller.

The Teacher's Mission and Qualifications.—Messrs. Jane H. Walk, B. F. Kay, M. E. Parker.

School Government.—Messrs. W. H. H. Newman, J. R. Staff, J. G. Youst.

The use of the Bible in our Schools.—Messrs. Elizabeth Witherspoon, Hannah E. Royer, M. K. Hays.

Feeling assured that these Associations are calculated to promote the cause of Education and to make stronger the ties that bind Teacher to Teacher, it is very necessary that all should attend and participate in the interesting exercises.

Addresses will be delivered by able speakers during the evening sessions.

J. S. McMillan, J. W. Coble, I. N. Stirely, H. B. Kendrick, J. L. P. Deatrich.

County papers please copy.

LOCAL NEWS.

Wants a Mother.—On Monday morning, the 3rd inst., there was found at the door step of Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver, living in St. Thomas, Franklin Co., a bundle containing a female child supposed to be about twenty four hours old.

Chambersburg, Sept. 12, 1860. Total, 10 76.

Pure Spices! Pure Spices!—Fresh ground Pepper, fresh ground Cinnamon, fresh ground Cloves, fresh ground Allspice, Mustard Seed white and black, Mustard ground, Cayenne Pepper, Nutmeg, Mace, Coriander, Sweet Marjory, Ginger Root, Ginger ground and Garlic.

Fast Work.—Last week, Mr. Anthony Klipping, of Park Valley, thrashed and cleaned, in good order, on one of Mr. Fry's, small size, Grease Separators, one thousand and thirty two bushels of grain, moving and setting the machine four times.

The Advertisements of J. B. Miller, in another column, will be found interesting, especially at this season of the year. Read them.

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The total failure of the corn and cotton crops in Hatchingchicken Parrot is causing the serious apprehensions of our fellow-citizens there, and efficient measures are being adopted to avert the worst of all calamities, a famine, and to relieve the distress of those who are totally dependent upon the productions of the soil for the subsistence of life.

They say brings to our ears the distressing information of the happening of the Hatchingchicken Parrot. Thousands of acres of grain have not yielded the usual crops. The heavy crop of corn and wheat in Hatchingchicken Parrot. The grain is dried, and there is no hope for grain raised for the year's supply being raised by our farmers. The cotton crop is ruined, except on the margin of the stream and beyond and the low lands. All the old crop of cotton is a failure, as the dependence is placed in dried cotton to produce more and more to be raised.

A Large Orphan.—A Orphan measuring six feet across the hips, and five feet three inches from the point of the bill to the end of the tail, was shot near Hatchingchicken Parrot, by Mr. A. B. Oyer, one day last week. The bird was taken to a Dr. Day of Hatchingchicken Parrot. It is now in the hands of Mr. Decker, to be prepared for Hatchingchicken Parrot.

Read what the Philadelphia Press says of Peter's Counterfeit Detector: Counterfeit Bank Notes.—Peter's Detector, published to-day, commences and fully describes sixty-eight new counterfeits, which have been put into circulation since the 1st of August. It also gives an engraving, the full size of the original, of a counterfeit note, facsimile of the note issued by the Thaw Bank, Laurel, Indiana, which is variously altered to admit it to a forgery upon one hundred banks. The price of a year's subscription is only One Dollar. Peter's gives the following notes:

Beware of the following fraudulent issues as there are so much bank. The bills are a wide-die, gotten up in Indiana, and are likely to be altered to other banks.

Manufacture Association, N. E. S. A., vig Jane driving her carriage through streets.

Rail Disaster.—We are sorry to announce to persons in the habit of hitching horses in the public squares, that the "Pole Kell" has made its appearance in that locality.

Something Worth Remembering.—For preserving the complexion, temperance; for whitening the hands, honesty; for removing stains, repentance; for improving the sight, observation; for improving the voice, ability; to keep away moths, good society; to buy Pure Drugs, go to Hays's; to get the best Soap in town, go to Hays's; to be sure of getting Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Kosmos, Lamps or any other articles in the Drug line, at the lowest price, go to Hays's; to make a good investment, go to Hays's.

St. Mark's Fund.—The following amount has been contributed in Franklin county, during the months of July and August, to the Ladies' Mount Vernon Association.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Amount. Chambersburg \$5.00, London 3.00, Roxbury 1.25, Strasburg 1.00. Total, 10.76.

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THE GATHERING STORM.

Pending for events in Italy, and especially renewed tension on the part of Garibaldi, rumors are circulated and conjectures indulged in. Of the former the latest that has reached us is that Col. Francesco, aide-de-camp to Prince Napoleon, who is now in Turin, has been...

place from New York. He states, however, that the New Yorks would not support him. He has been received in Philadelphia with more cordiality, and is backed by a number of scientific men. For the past two or three months he has been laboring upon the "Great Western," now spread upon the ground at Point Breeze gas works, and covering nearly four acres of space. His balloons have been thoroughly vanished, and everything necessary for the voyage has been procured. The ascent will take place about the end of the week. It will be conducted in a very quiet manner. No announcement will be made on the previous day, but the signal of his departure will be the ringing of a city bell three or four hours before he bids good-bye.

A LIGHT HEART.—There is much trash in the remark that the philosophy of many men originates in their lives. Those dark views of human nature and human life which ordinarily pass for excited wisdom, proceed from a diseased body or diseased mind. The man who retires from society and professes to have found all its pleasures vanity and vexation of spirit, would speak more truthfully if he confessed that, from some derangement of his organism, he had lost his capacity for enjoyment. The lights of the ball-room are just as brilliant, the music as delicious, as when each of these contributed to his delight. He has changed, and he knows it. He concludes that they are hollow and joyless as they appear to him. He cannot bring himself to believe that they ever did afford him genuine enjoyment. Looking back over his past life, his morbid fancy tinges all with his own sombre hue. He repents at his existence, and quotes very glowingly: "What are the joys that have been seen, Count over the days from which have, and know whether in a brief hour, 'tis something better than to be."

There is no wisdom in all this. True wisdom does not look upon this world as either a paradise or a purgatory; it wants to enjoy the present if it be bright, and to get to glory. So far from attempting to show its superiority by hiding good to nothing, that it never complains. When misfortune comes, it never succumbs at the first approach, and seeks to be helpless dependency, but with a slight elastic buoyancy, it makes an unyielding resistance, and breaks all the force of the fall. All a fine thing in this world of trial and sorrow, is a light hopeful heart. It easily possesses the stoniness which will carry one through difficulties, afflictions, and persecutions; it can climb mountains, penetrate deserts, and brave the storm-lashed ocean; it can endure all the hardships of the camp, and march unflinchingly with fortitude to the cannon's mouth. When the proud man is humbled, and the strong man has failed, he of light heart will remain, unshaken and unshorn, superior to every difficulty.

Why children die.—Reflections for Parents. The reason why children die, says Hall's Journal of Health, is because they are not taken care of. From the day of their birth they are stupefied with food, choked with physic, drenched with water, sufficed in hot rooms, steamed in bed clothes. No such for indoor.—When permitted to breathe the pure air, once a week in summer, and once or twice during the colder months, only the nose is allowed to peep to daylight. A little later they are sent out with no clothes on at all on the parts of the body which must need protection. Bare legs, bare arms, bare neck, girded middles, with an inverted umbrella to collect the air and chill the other part of the body. A stout, strong man goes out in a cold day with gloves and overcoat, woolen stockings, and thick double-soled boots, with cork between and rubbers over. The same day a child of three years old, an infant of flesh and blood, and bone and constitution, goes out with shoes as thin as paper, cotton socks, legs uncovered to the knees, neck bare, an exposure which would disable the nurse, kill the mother outright, and make the father an invalid for weeks. And why? To hinder them to a mode of dress which they are never expected to practice. To accustom them to an exposure which a dozen years later would be considered downright foolery.—To raise children thus for the slaughter pen, and lay it to the Lord, is too bad. We don't think the Almighty had any hand in it. And to draw comfort from the presumption that He had any agency in the death of the child, is a presumption and profanation.

The Harrisburg (Pa) Telegraph says: Henry A. King, a conductor on the East Pennsylvania Railroad, put a man off his train for refusing to leave the platform and take a seat in the cars, while the train was in motion. The case was carried to the Reading Court, when a verdict in favor of King was rendered, and the stubborn passenger was ordered to pay the costs.

These are but a small sample of the puzzling questions suggested by the present position of affairs in the Italian Peninsula—questions to which none can furnish a reply. Garibaldi's final object has been sufficiently declared. He aims at nothing less than the complete liberation of Italy, including Venetia. The last will be the greatest difficulty. A well known follower of Garibaldi is reported to have said, when lately in Paris, that his chief intended to liberate Venice from Pesth. This must mean, if it be really Garibaldi's idea, a course of action on a scale and of a nature such as I do not think has as yet been attempted. There are points of the Austrian coast of the Adriatic where a landing could be far more easily effected than at strongly fortified Venice, and whence the Sicilian army might extend a hand to Hungarian insurgents. Venice is not a moderate distance from Ancona. Still, the bold speculations some persons entertain, the realization of which could take place without drawing into the war how far in number than those now menacing each other in Central and Southern Italy. And, at a probably nearer date, what is the course Sardeña will deem herself compelled to take? Will she remain inactive if Lamoriciere marches into the Neapolitan dominions? Will the Government of Victor Emmanuel be willing or able to leave Garibaldi to contend against such an accumulation of forces? And will Lamoriciere venture to leave the Roman States exposed to the imminent danger of an insurrection, aided by deserters of armed bands from Northern Italy? A very short time must, according to present appearances, solve most of these embarrassing questions.

Flowers intended for winter blooming need a season of repose, especially tropical plants, such as Geranium, Fuchsia, &c. which should be allowed rest from growth during the months of July and August, by almost entirely withdrawing the supply of water. Of course the leaves will fall off, but the plants will be fitted to start into fresh and vigorous growth as soon as the water is again supplied. Previous to this the base of the Fuchsia should be pruned in, and water given sparingly at first, increasing the supply as the young shoots grow. Geraniums should be partially shaded from the summer sun after they are cut down, which should be as soon as their flowering season is over. Until they are repotted into smaller pots, about the beginning of the month of September, very little water should be given them. Geranium cuttings may be put in at the time they are cut down. For this purpose select the shortest and stockiest shoot with a growing point, and divert them of most of their leaves; keep rather dry till they show symptoms of growth, and success is almost certain. Visit your garden daily, and see that every weed and stray blade of grass is pulled up; that the soil around each plant is kept loose by the frequent use of the hoe; that all plants requiring support are neatly tied up; that all dead leaves and branches are removed without delay, and that water is freely supplied during drought. Thus the smallest garden may be really "a thing of beauty," instead of looking neglected and untidy, as is too often the case when the summer advances.

LIST OF PREMIUMS. To be awarded at the Second Annual Exhibition of the Farmers and Mechanic Industrial Association of Franklin County, to be held at Chambersburg, on the 3d, 4th and 5th days of October, 1860.

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There is no change to be remarked in the state of trade in France since last week. Commercial men are waiting the course of events, and Garibaldi's movements are watched with great anxiety. The monthly account published by the government of the Bank of France on Friday is regarded as favorable in a commercial point of view, inasmuch as the commercial bills discounted have increased by 11,000,000F. within the last month.

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GEO. M. HAYCOCK.

Publisher and Proprietor.

OUR FIRST OBJECT.

"The main object of all good Democrats is to defeat the election of the Republican candidates."

FOR PRESIDENT. STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS, of Illinois.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT. HERSHEL V. JOHNSON, of Georgia.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. GEORGE M. SMITH, RICHARD VALE.

- 1 Frederick A. Sawyer, 14 Isaac Beckwith, 2 Wm. Patterson, 16 Geo. H. Jackson, 3 Joseph Crockett, 17 J. A. Abt, 4 J. G. Breaner, 18 J. B. Danner, 5 G. W. Jacoby, 19 J. H. Crawford, 6 Charles Kelly, 20 H. N. Lee, 7 D. H. James, 21 N. R. Howell, 8 David Sobell, 22 S. M. Zimmerman, 9 J. L. Lightner, 23 Samuel Marshall, 10 N. H. Barber, 24 William Book, 11 T. H. Walker, 25 B. D. Haman, 12 N. S. Winchester, 26 Gaylord Church, 13 Joseph Lusk.

Resolved: That the Democratic Electoral ticket be headed with the name of Douglas or Breckinridge as an Elector at large, and in the event of the success of said ticket, if a greater number shall have been cast for Douglas, then the vote of the Electoral College shall be cast for Douglas and Johnson, but if Breckinridge, then for Breckinridge and Lane.

Resolved: That if the vote of Pennsylvania cannot elect the candidate for whom the majority of votes has been cast, and can elect any man running for President, claiming to be a Democrat, then the vote of the Electoral College shall be cast for that candidate; if it will not elect either of the Democrats for whom it is cast, or any of the Democrats who are named for in the State, then the vote shall be cast for the candidate who has the majority of the votes of the State, and the Chairman of this Committee be requested to obtain from the Electors their several and distinct pledges of acquiescence in the foregoing resolution, and report the result of his action at a future meeting of the Committee.

FOR GOVERNOR. HENRY D. FOSTER, of Westmoreland.

FOR CONGRESS. HON. WM. P. SCHELL, of Bedford.

FOR ASSEMBLY. D. K. WENDELL, of Ch'g. Dr. A. C. V. McNEAL, of Fulton.

FOR PROTHONOTARY. HIRAM C. KEYSER, of London.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER. GEORGE W. TOMS, of Quincy.

FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS. B. Y. HAMSHIER, of Lurgan.

FOR COMMISSIONER. CORNELIUS LAUDERBAUGH, of Mercersburg.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR. S. BRECKENRIDGE, of Green.

FOR AUDITOR. WM. JOHNSTON, of Concord.

The Northern Disunionists.

We hear a great deal from the Black Republicans in denunciation of the disunionists of the South. We think that proof, like charity, ought to begin at home. And if our Black Republicans were to look at home for disunionists to reprove and condemn, their efforts would be rewarded by the discovery of a larger number of more malignant, more mischievous and more determined enemies of the Union, as our fathers made it, than YANCY ever beheld in his most exaggerated dreams.

For many years a large number of persons at the North have made abuse of the South almost their sole occupation. Not content with the freedom they enjoyed, they have made constant war upon the institution of slavery. Their numbers have, at various times been swelled by accessions to their ranks from the disaffected elements of the great parties into which the country was generally divided. But it was not until the formidable old Whig Party lost its great and patriotic leaders CLAY and WEBSTER, and fell to pieces, that the Northern Disunion Party assumed proportions that filled the lover of his country with alarm.

This must be the object of these constant denunciations against slavery? What else can be their object? They know very well that they can never set one single bondman free by all their furious denunciations against slavery. They know that fierce denunciations will never induce the people of the Southern States to abolish slavery. They know that Congress cannot abolish it. They know that the Constitution of the United States, guarantees the Southern people the peaceable possession of their slaves, and they know that the South will never surrender her constitutional rights.

These Northern nigger-eaters are determined to break up the Union. But they wish to conceal their agency in the work of dissolution. Hence, instead of openly avowing their purpose, they go at it "behind the back." They do not preach disunion openly, but they employ every means at their command to divide the South and throw upon that section the odium of dissolving the Union. They want the hammer work done, but they also want to escape the responsibility of doing it.

Their cunning will not serve them. Their purpose is apparent, and if they accomplish it they will have to answer to their names, when the roll of traitors is called. They cannot escape by the "stop thief" yell of "YANCY! YANCY!" for the impartial historian will record the fact that though YANCY may have lighted the funeral pile of the Union, it was they that built it and placed the blazing torch in his hand.

Abolitionism means Disunion, and Black Republicanism is only another name for Abolitionism. The Black Republicans, including FORNEY and his straight-out followers who will soon be openly admitted to full communion with the party they are serving so well, are the real Disunionists. If ever a dissolution of the Union takes place, it will be the direct result of their infamous teaching; that the South has no rights which the North is bound to respect.

We can see but one way to save the Union, and that is for the conservative voters of the North to unite and put down these Northern Disunionists.

Why We Emigrated.

It is well known that old ABE LINCOLN, the Northern Disunion candidate for the Presidency, emigrated from Kentucky to Illinois in early life. But the reason why he emigrated is not generally understood. We have found it out.

O. J. ABE's extreme ugliness has been remarked by all who have seen him or his picture. We are reliably informed that it was his frightful phiz that led to his exodus from his native State. His father was a slaveholder and he got shag finely with his slaves before ABE was born. He treated them well, as Southern gentlemen generally treat their negroes, and they were happy and contented, and never thought of going off the plantation. But when ABE came into the world and the house servants saw him pecker his mouth for an assault on the maternal bosom, they all got sore and ran away. When he grew old enough to walk out and the field hands got a glimpse of him, they went a-ter the house servants and never came back. And when he became a young man and got to riding around the neighborhood, the niggers decamped from every plantation he visited. It was the first time in their lives that they had seen a living thing uglier than themselves, and the apparition was too much for them. They imagined that the day of judgment was near at hand, and that "the old boy" was going around to pick his men in advance.

At length the slaveholders resolved that they would no longer submit to the scaring away of their servants, and they appointed a committee to wait on ABE and request him to leave. He was advised to go to Illinois, where his ugliness might be turned to good account in scaring away the wolves with which that region was infested. He took the advice of his old neighbors and turned his ugly face westward, and the wolves fled before him as he made his way into the interior of the Prairie State. It is supposed that the idea of taking to spitting nails after he got there was suggested to him by his success in making niggers "split" before he went.

This is the true history of old ABE's emigration from Kentucky. And this is why the Abolitionists commended him for President. They occasionally expect to rid the country of slavery through the instrumentality of his frightful phiz if they get him elected. They argue that if, in his early infancy, he could make a free ugly enough to scare off his father's house servants when he pecker his mouth to take hold of the private part, he could not fall to scare away all the niggers in the United States when he came to take hold of the great public part.

Treason in the Camp. A word of explanation may be necessary from us, at this time, for the purpose of letting the party through out the country know how the Times happened to change for Douglas, and the little faith to be repaid in the change. The Republicans finding that their party would not sustain two papers, and that they got along best with but one, very willingly allowed the Times to take sides in the quarrel going on among the Democracy and thereby keep that party divided and distracted for their special benefit.

They saw the effort the Spirit was making to unite and harmonize the party and they at once set to work, in a very cunning manner, to baffle its efforts and destroy all the good it was likely to accomplish. They found a few rabid, reckless, fanatical, straight-out Douglas men, in this place, whom the party had set aside, time and again, either as candidates or for nominations, and who had nothing more to expect from the party, and who were ready to engage in any project that would sink it to obtain revenge for their fancied ill-treatment and numerous defeats. Into the hands of this clan the Times was given in charge with the understanding that it would stir up all the strife and discord possible in the Democratic party. We would appeal for proof to the last number of the Times as to how well and faithfully they are serving their Republican masters. They advocate Douglas after the manner of Forney's Press, the surest way to kill him off, and are opposed to all measures to promote union and harmony in the party.

Could a better method be adopted to defeat the party if Democrats were not made aware of the treachery about to be practiced upon them. Is there any man in the Democratic party so stupid as to believe that the Republicans would permit an able and efficient paper in their ranks to take down the name of LINCOLN and put up that of DOUGLAS unless they were certain to be benefitted politically by the change. Here in Chambersburg, where the Republicans have plenty of money, they never would have allowed, in the middle of a close and exciting campaign, such a change as that to take place unless first convinced that it was for the interest of their party. In this place were the whole movement is well understood it is looked upon as a clever stroke of policy on the part of the Republicans, and as a black-hearted piece of treachery on the part of the few Democrats who have lent themselves as willing tools to the disorganizing scheme.

To foment and keep up disturbance in our ranks is the aim of the Black Republicans. They will know that their only hope of success lies in our being divided, and to excite antagonisms and fan the flame of discord in our party they have detailed the Times as a privateer to engage in that disreputable service. The Republicans, however, are not so much to blame. We must expect them to take advantage of the unfortunate differences in our party, and make the most out of it, but how any Democrat can support, or in any way countenance, such infamous treason in their own camp is perfectly astounding. The success of Forney's Press has given encouragement to a batch of vile imitators who are secretly working for the success of the Republicans and overthrow of the Democratic party. Any man who will say that Forney is not working hard to defeat FOSTER is little else than a fool, or a very great knave, and what assurance has any man, that, as soon as the State election is over, the very same means will not be used to defeat DOUGLAS? Is not Forney's straight-out ticket the first step in that direction, and does not every Democrat who supports it cast his vote in directly for LINCOLN? The Times is now waiting on Forney's Press to announce the straight-out ticket and will hoist it up as soon as Forney and the Republicans say so. It professes to be a great stickler for "regular nominations" but has failed to put up the regularly nominated electoral ticket formed by the Democratic State Convention at Reading. Do Democrats require any better evidence of its treachery towards their party than that? How can any one vote for DOUGLAS, or any other Presidential candidate, without an electoral ticket, and the Times, while professing friendship for DOUGLAS, cuts off all chance of voting for him by refusing to put up the regular electoral ticket? Is

this not the most consummate hypocrisy ever heard of, and the men engaged in it are they not deserving to be hoisted out in a scold and detestation? If there are any Democrats in this county, who have been deceived by false representations into the support of this piratical sheet let them cut loose from it at once and they may save themselves and their party from a cause of mortification and regret. Handle not touch not the unclean thing.

The Right Talk.

We commend to the earnest consideration of all our readers the following excellent article, which we copy from the Pittsburg Post and which we not only endorse but adopt as our own. The Post is the leading Douglas paper of Western Pennsylvania, and is doing good service for the party in the present campaign. We ask all to read its production and be convinced that the union men, and not the "straight-outs," are the true friends of DOUGLAS.

The Committee appointed by Hendrick B. Wright, Chairman of the Mass Convention, held at Harrisburg, met at that place on the 15th, and resolved, in secret session, as we are informed, to place "a clear Douglas electoral ticket" in the field. As the friend of Mr. Douglas, and an ardent desirer of his success, we condemn this movement. It was in the power of this Committee to have rendered a very great service to the Democracy by recommending the support of the compromise at Cresson. Instead of this, the Committee has taken such action as will assist the Republican party in the election of Lincoln. They seem to have utterly repudiated the idea of any effort to preserve the Democratic organization of the State, and by declaring against it, has given great satisfaction to the Opposition. By openly going over to the Republican ranks, this Committee could not serve the cause of Lincoln more effectually than they have done by their effort to create and continue a division in the Democratic ranks.

No true friend of Mr. Douglas can, with any consistency, favor this Harrisburg movement. It is, in fact a Bolter's ticket. The ticket nominated at Reading is certainly the only authorized and regular ticket of the Democratic organization of the State. We do not wish the name of Mr. Douglas to be associated with disorganization. We do not wish to see him run on a minority ticket.

However, we are well assured that this Harrisburg movement will meet with a lean and slender support from the friends of Mr. Douglas in the State. The real friends of Mr. Douglas do not wish a separate ticket in the State, and they will not support one placed in the field without the shadow of Democratic authority.

The Cresson compromise, gives every Douglas man an opportunity to vote for Mr. Douglas and his principles. It simply acknowledges what every man knows to be a fact, that there is a division in the party, and by a simple arrangement it allows those who do not wish to vote for Mr. Douglas to express their preferences for another, without granting that that other is in any sense entitled to claim a single Democratic vote. Under no contingency which can possibly arise under the resolution, can the Cresson movement possibly be of any benefit to any other candidate for the Presidency than Mr. Douglas.

But those who still hold out in favor of State disorganization, openly admit that they prefer Mr. Lincoln to any other Democrat than Mr. Douglas. Their partisanship for the man has swallowed up their fealty to the Democratic party. As for us, Democracy is first and Democratic men afterwards. There is no Democrat of good personal character and reasonable capacity whom we would not prefer to see in the Presidential chair rather than Abraham Lincoln.

We warn our friends at the onstart movement. John Forney is at the head of it, carrying out his bargain with the Republican party to foment divisions and sub-divisions in the ranks of the Democracy in Pennsylvania for the benefit of Lincoln, and those who go with him, are most, if not all, seeing a hole through which to sneak into the Republican party.

Democrats, don't forget to attend the union meeting on Saturday next.

From the "Times."

A paid emissary of the Federal Government visited town last week, and succeeded in publishing a notice which was secretly circulated over the county by a man, who certainly cannot claim to be a Democrat.

The circular pretends to be a call for a Union Democratic meeting, but it is a very ingenious dodge, and it is necessary to warn the people against the deception. For the real object of this meeting is not what it is represented to be, but is either to endorse the favorite candidate of the Disunionists and his treasonable doctrines, to establish an organization counter to the regular one, to repudiate the action of the late county Convention, either expressly or impliedly, or to DISTRACT AND RUIN THE PARTY, AND DEFEAT THE NATIONAL STATE AND COUNTY TICKETS. The movement was wholly originated by the friends of Breckinridge, who are determined to rule or ruin, and is disastrous to the prospects of Mr. Douglas. The men do not deserve the confidence of the Douglas men and the friends of the party, for their course is DISORGANIZING and TREASONABLE. Why, the fact of the publication of this circular was kept secret from the friends of Mr. Douglas in Chambersburg, more honorable men and truer Democrats than the originators of this plot, or the colporteurs of the tract ever dare be. The Douglas men should have nothing to do with this SMALL FACTION OF DISORGANIZERS. SOME OF THEM, INFLUENCED BY FALSE AND UNSCRUPULOUS REPRESENTATION, SIGNED THE CALL, but will repudiate those who have deceived them, and stand by the regular organization. THEY NEVER WILL SUBMIT TO BE BOUND HAND AND FOOT, AND LED INTO THE DISUNION CAMP. Let these men go, on, then, and if they attend the meeting and endeavor to REPUDIATE THE COUNTY CONVENTION, THEY SHOULD A HEAVY RESPONSIBILITY. That Convention performed its whole duty, and all good Democrats will abide by its action.

WE TELL THE DOUGLAS MEN, HONESTLY AND CANDIDLY, THAT IF THEY APPEND THEIR NAMES TO THIS CALL, THEY ARE VERY GROSSLY DECEIVED, AND WILL HAVE CAUSE TO REGRET THE ACT HEREAFTER. A meeting of the friends of Breckinridge and Lane, IN DISGUISE, will be held in the Court House on Saturday, Sept. 15th, at 10 o'clock, P. M. All those willing to ENDORSE SECESSION, DISUNION AND TREASON, all who are in favor of repudiating their old principles and asserting new ones, and all who are determined to bolt the regular organization of the party, are earnestly requested to attend the meeting. All who may attend are enjoined to disguise the object of their visit to town as far as possible. Several eloquent Disunionists may be expected to address the meeting. Turn out, treason!

The above articles are copied from the Times, a paper making large pretensions to the Democratic faith, and professedly friends to the election of Judge DOUGLAS. We have not taken from, or added to, these productions a single word. We give them to our readers as we find them in that paper full and entire. We would gladly spare them the indignation and chagrin they must feel on reading them did not an imperative sense of duty to the party compel us to spread them before it. They will read strangely to Democrats who have not been accustomed to hear their party, and themselves, ridiculed and traduced, and the measures proposed to restore peace to the party, and insure success in the contest, slandered and misrepresented—and that too by men who assert that they are Democrats? They Democrats!—save the party from the contamination of such Democrats as their words and their deeds prove them to be. The party could very well put up with such language, and such treatment, from their Opponents, but from their own political associates it is not to be tolerated and is deserving of the severest condemnation. We find in these articles the very best men in the party, who have signed their names to this CALL for a meeting, and who have been all their lives reliable Democrats above suspicion or reproach, denounced in the most scornful, despised and vindictive manner. It is not in human nature for men to endure such

abuse and base treatment, without wishing for, and without seeking opportunities for taking vengeance on their vile calumniators. Let the insulting sheet be sent back by every man into whose face it has been thrust and they will only be discharging a duty which they owe their own sense of decency and self-respect.

Despite the ill-temper and malevolence of disposition displayed by those who are opposing this meeting, to restore union and harmony to our distracted ranks, it will nevertheless take place and be largely attended by the most respectable, intelligent and reliable men in the party, and those whose petty jealousy prompted them to cry it down will be the only ones who will sneak into it in "disguise" and hang their heads in shame and disgrace because their malicious efforts to make it a failure did not prove successful.

It is expected that every true Democrat in the county will give one day for the good of his party and be present at this meeting. The men who have called it are among the most reliable and honorable men in the party. It was not, as the Times falsely states, originated by "a paid emissary of the Federal Government," nor was the notice written or circulated by any one connected with the Spirit Office, and no man from Chambersburg solicited signatures to the call in any district in the county. The unscrupulous statements the Times makes in regard to this meeting will do it no credit as they are known over the county to be palpable falsehoods. This call for a meeting was started at the solicitation of prominent Democrats from different sections of the county, and by them circulated among their neighbors for their approval by giving it their signatures. If they can believe that their own immediate neighbors are "TRAITORS" and "DISORGANIZERS" as the Times would wish to make them appear, then, indeed, they had better not attend the meeting; but if their faith in the integrity and honesty of their neighbors remains unshaken, notwithstanding the vindictive assaults of the Times, their presence at the meeting would be the best rebuke they could bestow on the slanderers of their friends and their party.

From information received from different parts of the county we can give the assurance that the meeting on Saturday will be largely attended. The meeting will be for no other purpose than what the call sets forth. No amount of misrepresentation can pervert it to any other use. The true Democracy of the county will meet together and cordially unite to preserve the organization of the party entire and secure the election of our State, District and County tickets. That is the fair and honest intention of the meeting and its successful accomplishment would be glory enough for one day.

What Next?

The Times newspaper, published in this place, was started as a neutral paper and after entrapping a number of Democrats into its support it came out Black Republican and hoisted the Lincoln flag. It sailed under that while it could keep afloat, but finding a split in the Democratic party it pitched in there to widen the breach by opposing every measure to promote union and harmony in the party. The first week it was afraid to come out "straight-out," but the second it swallowed the treason at a gulp, and next week we may expect it to hoist Forney's Lincoln-Douglas ticket. What it will be the week following it would not be safe to predict—should not be surprised if it hoisted WALKER, the fillibuster, as its candidate for the Presidency! Such a candidate would exactly suit the Times. Democrats will be careful not to "burn their fingers" with this fillibustering sheet another time. A word to the wise, &c.

Shakespeare Improved.

When the Times was delving in Shakespeare for quotations to embellish its columns, and display in smartness by attempting to improve the language of the immortal bard—a thing not often attempted now—days—it should not have overlooked a part of the very same Act it distorted by its quotation, and which we will take the liberty of quoting with all due deference to the prerogative of our pedantic cotemporaries.

A strange tongue makes my case more strange, resolved I pray, speak in English. The value of the manuscript belonging to the New York Faint Club, in New Bedford harbor last week, was \$200,760.

The Honorable. Why, the fact of the publication of this article was kept secret from the friends of Mr. Douglas in Chambersburg, more honorable men...

So it appears that one of the new features to be adopted for creating disturbance and distraction among Democrats in this county, by the Lincoln-Douglas Times, is to institute comparisons between men's characters in the party...

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Congressional Conference. The Democratic Conference for this Congressional District met in the Court House, in this place, on Tuesday afternoon...

John W. Forney. We were our Democratic friends against treating this renegade from the Democracy with leniency...

Letter from Mercersburg. To the Valley Spirit:—I see by the Blank Republican Times, that Sellers and Kennedy are abusing the Democrats who have a good their names to a notice for a union meeting...

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DEMOCRATIC Union Meeting. A FULL MEETING AND AN UNDIVIDED SUPPORT TO OUR STATE AND COUNTY TICKET. TURN OUT! TURN OUT! Saturday, September 12th, 1880.

- List of names for the Democratic Union Meeting: Jeremiah Hunter, James W. Arnold, Christopher Fouts, Samuel Bousheller, John H. Leitch, Charles Byrd, Adam N. Bialy, E. D. Brumbaugh, Henry Billie, Joseph H. Bialy, Robert Little, S. H. Dickett, Andrew D. Gift, Daniel Hausman, Henry W. Hayes, John McCurdy, Peter Steiger, A. B. Madden, G. W. Amstutz, Julius C. Ladd, Jacob Pitzer, George Leck, David D. McLaughlin, Joseph H. Bialy, Amos Cox, Harry Crawford, Wm. A. Hensberger, C. Campbell, John Straightfoot.

The returns of the census, so far as received, justify the expectation that the population of the city of New Orleans will be shown to be near 200,000.

Terrific Calamity on Lake Michigan. A steamer of the name of the Lady Eighteen-Over Three Hundred Live Lost. Chicago, Sept. 8.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. CAUTION—Notice is hereby given that my wife Elizabeth left my bed and board...

LETTER & HAMILTON. STOVES, TIN, COPPER, SHEET IRON AND JAPANESE WARE. MAIR ST., CHAMBERSBURG, PA.

NOTICE—We have always on hand a large lot of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron...

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OF CHAMBERSBURG, PA. 1880. Assets: Bills and notes discounted, \$48,911.00; Cash on hand, \$1,000.00; Loans on hand, \$1,000.00; Deposits on hand, \$1,000.00; Total, \$51,911.00.

PUBLIC SALE—John A. Smith, Sheriff of Adams County, Pa., will sell at public sale, on the premises, on the 12th day of September, 1880, the following REAL ESTATE...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. A MEETING OF THE PUBLIC LIQUOR SOCIETY of Adams County, Pa., will be held on Thursday evening September 12th, at 7 o'clock, at the residence of J. W. Smith...

DR. WOLFE'S SODIUM SCHNAPPS. A SWEETENED TONIC, DIURETIC, ANTI-DYSPEPTIC, INVIGORATING CORDIAL. To the Citizens of New Jersey and Pennsylvania...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. CAUTION—Notice is hereby given that my wife Elizabeth left my bed and board...

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MEDICAL

THE ONLY PREPARATION HAVING PROOFS POSITIVE AND DIRECT AS TO THE DUSTY OF ALL... For Asthma, Cough, Hoarseness, etc.

BOOTS & SHOES

GEORGE B. BROWN... Boots and shoes for all seasons.

EDUCATIONAL

CHAMBERSBURG FEMALE SEMINARY... Education for young ladies.

MUSICAL

OUR MUSICAL FRIEND... Musical instruments and lessons.

MISCELLANEOUS

THE NEW YORK TIMES... News and general information.

HOTELS

WESTERN HOTEL, CHAMBERSBURG, PA. Accommodations for guests.

JACOB MURPHY... Medical services and prescriptions.

W. W. PAXTON... Boots and shoes advertisement.

St. Ann's College... Educational institution advertisement.

PHILADELPHIA PIANO WARE... Musical instruments and piano sales.

FRANKLIN HOTEL... Hotel advertisement.

CHAMBERSBURG HOTEL... Hotel advertisement.

DR. EISENWEIN'S TAR AND WOOD... Medical product advertisement.

BOOK BINDERY... Book binding services.

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND... Educational institution advertisement.

HAIR BRUSH... Hair care product advertisement.

CHAIRS AND SETTEES... Furniture advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

DR. HENRY LANGENBERG... Medical services advertisement.

BOOK BINDERY - M. Kiefer & Co. Book binding services.

MARSHALL COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE... Educational institution advertisement.

AUCTIONEERING... Auction services advertisement.

CHAIR AND CABINET MANUFACTURER... Furniture advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

THE TRUTH MUST BE TOLD... Medical advertisement.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA... Association advertisement.

MARSHALL COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE... Educational institution advertisement.

AUCTIONEERING... Auction services advertisement.

CHAIR AND CABINET MANUFACTURER... Furniture advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

J. W. SCOTT... Business advertisement.

A. S. ROBINSON... Business advertisement.

COMMISSION HOUSES... Business advertisement.

REMOVALS... Business advertisement.

CHAIR AND CABINET MANUFACTURER... Furniture advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

KEROSENE AND COAL OIL... Fuel advertisement.

NOTICE TO COAL CONSUMERS... Coal advertisement.

LIVERY AND EXCHANGE STABLES... Livery services advertisement.

CHAIR AND CABINET MANUFACTURER... Furniture advertisement.

CLUBS... Club services advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

G. A. & R. A. LANDELL... Business advertisement.

NOTICE TO COAL CONSUMERS... Coal advertisement.

LIVERY AND EXCHANGE STABLES... Livery services advertisement.

CHAIR AND CABINET MANUFACTURER... Furniture advertisement.

CLUBS... Club services advertisement.

REPAIRS... Repair services advertisement.

LINE AND SAND... Business advertisement.

YOUNG & CARSON... Business advertisement.

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