

The Bedford Gazette.

Friday Morning, August 21, 1868.

Democratic Nominations.

NATIONAL FOR PRESIDENT, HON. HORATIO SEYMOUR, OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, GEN. FRANK P. BLAIR, OF MISSOURI.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL, HON. CHARLES E. BOYLE, OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL, GEN. WELLINGTON H. ENT, OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

JUDICIARY. ADDITIONAL LAW JUDGE, J. McDOWELL SHARPE, of Franklin Co. (Subject to decision of District Conference).

COUNTY CONGRESS. B. E. MEYERS, of Bedford. (Subject to decision of District Conference).

ASSEMBLY. ABRAHAM WILSON, of Somerset. GEORGE McGOVERN, of Fulton.

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CORONER. DR. P. H. PENNSYLV, of Bloody Run.

AUDITOR. M. A. HUNTER, of Broad Top.

THE BLACK TEST.

"I do solemnly swear that I accept the civil and political equality of all men, and agree not to attempt to deprive any person or persons, on account of race, color, or previous condition, of any political or civil right, privilege or immunity enjoyed by any other class of men. So help me God."

No northern man, soldier or civilian, can become a citizen of any of the "reconstructed states," without taking this oath.

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UNEQUAL TAXATION.

The Bedford Inquirer, being opposed to Equal Taxation, it follows, is in favor of Unequal Taxation. What do its readers and political supporters say to such a position?

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REMEMBER.

It should be remembered by those who have been deprived of their suffrages by the infamous Deserter Law, that that odious enactment has been wiped out of the statute-book by the decision of the Supreme Court.

If greenbacks are good enough for the soldier, the laborer, the farmer, the miller, the butcher and the shop-keeper, are they not good enough for the bond-holder?

THE MARCH TO DESPOTISM.

No election in Virginia, No election in Mississippi, No election in Texas, No election in Florida.

"To send a parcel of Northern men here as representatives, elected, as would be understood (and perhaps really so) at the point of the bayonet, and were I member of Congress here, I would vote against admitting any such man to a seat."

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Who boasted that they would not vote a man nor a dollar to put down the Rebellion? The Democratic Party.—New York Tribune.

"You lie, you villain, you lie!" Had it not been for Democratic soldiers and Democratic contributions of money, the rebellion could not have been subdued, and you know it, who white-faced hypocrite. But who declared that if the Cotton States choose to secede, it would be criminal to coerce them back into the Union? Horace Greeley, who dares not deny it.

The White Boys in Blue are all a-glow with enthusiasm. They declare that they will have the Union for which they fought, and nothing less. This they say they secure only by the election of Seymour and Blair, and they are going to elect him.

ARE YOU AT WORK?

Democrats of the several election districts of Bedford County! The time for work is at hand. If you are active, untiring, a great victory awaits you. From all parts of the county comes the cheering news. Connecticut, Oregon, Kentucky and Montana, have spoken in tones of thunder in favor of the Democracy.

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A RADICAL REBELLION THREATENS.

Johnson, of Missouri, Declares that Seymour's Inauguration Shall Be Prevented by Force!

The Radicals are preparing to rebel in case any of the Southern States are needed to elect the Democratic candidate. Johnson, their candidate for Attorney General of Missouri, made a speech at Saffine, in that State, a few days since, in which he said, repeating the sentiment several times:

"There could and should be but one result to the election this fall—that General Grant, backed by the army, would prevent, with the bayonet, the inauguration of a Democratic administration at Washington, and that the Radical State Government at Jefferson would resist and put down in the same way any attempt to inaugurate the Democratic party into power in this State."

Such is the revolutionary and bloody purpose of these desperate Radicals. The only way to settle them, is, for the people of the Northern States to overwhelm them at the polls.

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MORE LIES.

The Inquirer of last week is brimful of such lies as the more respectable Republican journals think it disgraceful to print. We copy:

"The 'Lost Cause' to be Relegated. 'What the Confederacy fought for will be won by the election of Seymour and Blair'—Gov. Z. B. Vance. Secession not Dead.

"I do not care for the platform. It tells a lie in its first resolution. It says secession is dead! Secession is not dead. It is more alive than ever."—Gov. Wise.

"The Confederacy Must Triumph. The cause for which Stonewall Jackson fell cannot be in vain; but in some form, will yet triumph."—Wade Hampton.

Horatio Seymour, after the adoption of the Confederate Constitution, said to Judge Charles H. Ruggles: "It is better than ours, (the Federal.) Then why not adopt it all heartily, by simply adopting that (Confederate) Constitution?"

These are specimen bricks. There is not one word of truth in the statement that either Vance, Wise or Hampton ever made use of the language attributed to them. They have all publicly denied that they have said anything of the kind.

As for Seymour preferring the "Confederate Constitution," he certainly had a queer way of showing his preference for it, when he issued 15,000 commissions to Union officers, organized over 300,000 troops, and sent 17,000 emergency men to Gettysburg, to help put down that Constitution.

How easy a thing it is to squelch a liar!

NOW, YOU CAN SEE!

The mouth-piece of the Radicals, Tom Marshall, at their meeting on Saturday night of last week, declared that his party is in favor of compelling the people of eleven States to have Negro Suffrage, and that it must also be established in the Northern States.

Now, Republicans, you can see what your leaders are driving at! They have riveted their odious policy upon the Southern States, and now, with Grant as an instrument to deceive you, they want to fasten it upon you!

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JOHN CESSNA'S MODESTY.

Seldom have we witnessed, says the Chambersburg Valley Spirit, such an outrageous violation of all the rules of decency as that of which the Radical County Convention was guilty last week.

Col. George B. Weistling had been announced by his friends as a candidate for Congress. No other person was named for the position from this county.

It was supposed by Democrats, who are accustomed to the observance of the rules of etiquette in their Conventions as well as in social life, that the Conferees from this county would be conceded to Col. Weistling. But not so.

For weeks prior to the assembling of the Convention, the Colonel was subjected to the most virulent abuse published in the columns of the party organ.

He was bitterly denounced for presuming to claim the recommendation of this county. The Repository gave all the space that was asked for to those who seemed to delight in traducing Col. Weistling and his friends.

When the delegate election in the North Ward of this Borough resulted in the choice of Weistling delegates, the Cessna men got up a small secession movement, and bolted. They threatened to elect other delegates.

On the night before the Convention assembled, John Cessna, with his characteristic modesty, appeared upon the ground, brought here by invitation, to assist in slaughtering Colonel Weistling in his own County.

"My nigger that blacks my boots is as good as any Democrat in the land." Tom Marshall, John Cessna's right lawyer.

"The gushing love for the soldier, that fills the soul of John Cessna, prompted him to go to Chambersburg on the day before the meeting of the Franklin county convention, to lay the ropes that would slaughter the gallant Col. Weistling, in the house of his friends."

What arguments Cessna used to convince the delegates that he was more entitled to the conferees than the soldier who was clearly the choice of that county, has not yet come to light.

John Cessna regards it as a crime for anyone to oppose him. Possessed of more impudence and self conceit than it would be safe to entrust any ten men with, he supposes that people everywhere have the same opinion of him that he has of himself.

It would be a mistake too, to charge him with having any keen sense of honor, or any of the notions of propriety which would have kept a man of refined sensibilities away from Chambersburg during the session of this Convention.

But the Convention was not satisfied with slaughtering the only candidate from this County for Congress in order to satisfy the demands of the little Bedford God, but it must needs add insult to injury.

Bring along the next victim! Will it be Lieut. Longenecker?

DEATH OF STEVENS.

Thaddeus Stevens died at his residence in Washington, on Tuesday night, the 10th inst., at 12 o'clock, aged 76 years. His remains were taken to Lancaster, where the funeral took place on Monday afternoon of this week.

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"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States."

Almost as short as Grant's speech at St. Louis, and a little more to the point.

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"We Polked them once, We Pierced them well, And then we Bucked them sore; And with Frank Blair We'll make them stare, That they may all Sey-mour."

Nearly every Conservative meeting in the South has been interrupted by negroes, instigated by the cowardly Yankee carpet-baggers. "Let us have peace."

The Radical Governor of Louisiana demands military aid, and Brownlow wants negro troops to help carry the State. "Let us have peace."

The Radicals want to organize campaign choirs, but out of regard for Grant, they will have no Jewsharps.

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The Connecticut Legislature, Radical, is accused of filching seven dollars per day. It is a Radical characteristic.

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The Radical party is staggering, and Prentice thinks it is from having swallowed Grant.

The Black Test—see it at the head of this paper and read it to your neighbor.

Ex-President Pierce writes that New Hampshire will go for Seymour.

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The next inaugural address will be a Hostage.

The Inquirer propose to "fight it out on this lying if it takes all summer."

Bloody Battles; Murders of Christians. No. 1.—One-Half of Jeddo Burned. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—The steamship Colorado, with advice from China dated at Shanghai and Hong Kong to July 15, and from Yokohama, Japan, to July 28, arrived here today.

General Jackson's Opinion of "No Policy" Candidates. "I shall have no policy of my own to interfere against the people."

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"The War between the States, its Causes, Character, Conduct and Results, by Hon. Alexander H. Stevens, is the title of a valuable work just issued by The National Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Histories of the late civil war have sprung up like mushrooms, and they can now be numbered almost by hundreds, but all who are desirous of arriving at a correct understanding of the causes, and a clear history of the events of the lamentable war, have felt the want of a reliable history of the same from a Southern standpoint, by some representative man of the South.

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