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SIXTH. That the Democratic party, as of old favors a constitutional currency of gold and silver and of paper convertible into coin.

SEVENTH. That we are opposed to the system of subsidies by the General Government under which, during the period of Republican rule, the political and public service, the reforms and economies enforced by the Democratic party since its advent to power in Congress have been nullified by the millions of dollars and we believe that a like result would follow the restoration to power in the State of Pennsylvania.

EIGHTH. That the Democratic party, being the natural friend of the common man and having throughout its history stood between him and oppression, renews its expression of sympathy with labor and its promise of protection to its rights.

NINTH. That we look with alarm and apprehension upon the proposals of the great transportation companies to be above the fundamental law of this commonwealth, which governs all else within our borders, and until they accept the Constitution of 1876 in good faith they should remain outside of the commonwealth and not be allowed to exercise the rights of citizenship.

TENTH. That the recent attempt, under the personal leadership of Blaine, to corrupt and to take from the commonwealth the rights of the common man, a habit that has never been ascertained, is a fresh and alarming evidence of the aggressiveness of the political party which should receive the signal condemnation of the people at the polls.

ELEVENTH. That the great fraud of 1876, by which, upon a false count of the electoral votes of three States, the candidate defeated at the polls was seated in the Presidential chair, and for the first time in American history, the will of the people was set aside under a threat of military force, was the most deadly blow ever aimed at our system of representative government.

Twelfth. That, in conformity with the time-honored custom of the Pennsylvania Democratic party, and to the end that our commonwealth shall not be deprived of the influence, her delegates to the National Convention are instructed to vote as a unit upon all questions and they are further instructed to oppose the abrogation of the two-thirds rule.

Just at this particular time Blaine seems to be going it with a rush. He is without doubt the favorite candidate for President, in the Republican party, and it has much the appearance as if "Blaine of Maine" were the coming man for the Republicans. State conventions have been held last week in New Jersey, Delaware, New Hampshire, Maryland, Tennessee, Wisconsin and Mississippi. Blaine walks away with the entire delegation of all these except the last three. Of these Blaine has seven out of twenty delegates in Wisconsin, five out of fifteen in Mississippi, while Tennessee leaves the country in the dark as to her preference.

He is also likely to receive considerable support from the New York and Pennsylvania delegations, notwithstanding the instructions for Grant and the unit rule. As matters now appear there may be a regular stampede from Grant to Blaine, and yet there is no telling who will be the successful man at Chicago. Blaine's strength may prove his weakness.

One of the most urgent demands of our times is a system of education in which shall train the young to apply their school learning. At the Pennsylvania State College practical instruction in Agriculture, Horticulture, Botany, Zoology, Mechanics, Chemistry, etc.; is given, and thus theory in the classroom is applied and enforced by experience in the field and laboratory. Spring session opens April 9th. For catalogue and full information address the Business Manager, State College, Centre Co., Pa.

UNLIKE Pennsylvania the Buckeye Democrats do not mean to fritter away their strength in the Cincinnati convention among several candidates. They speak out in unmistakable terms, just as our state convention should have done, in favor of the unit rule and their own favorite son, that pure, good man and able statesman—Allen G. Thurman. Here are the resolutions:

RESOLVED, That the Democratic party of Ohio recognizes the long service and great ability of Allen G. Thurman, a worthy of constitutional liberty which marks the career of Allen G. Thurman, and, confiding in his rectitude and fitness for the Chief Executive of the Republic cordially instruct the delegates at large this day appointed and request the district delegates chosen by the several districts of the State to present to the National Democratic Convention the name of Allen G. Thurman for President of the United States and use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

RESOLVED, That in order that Ohio may have full influence and power in the National Democratic Convention to which her position in the Union entitles her, we hereby instruct the Ohio delegates to that convention to cast the vote of the State as a unit.

RESOLVED, That we recommend the Democratic National Convention to adopt the two-thirds rule in nominating candidates.

The Curtin Yocum contested election case was finally "reached" on Saturday. We hope it may stay reached until disposed of. There has been so much delay, shifting and postponement that everybody is thoroughly disgusted with the whole matter. The committee and congress could long ago have said who in their opinion was elected and entitled to the seat. Let us know the end of the contest right soon.

LATER. Just as we go to press we see by the PATRIOT that the contest was pressed to a vote in the House and decided in favor of Yocum by a vote of 133 to 75. The minority report of the committee, declaring that Yocum was entitled to the seat and Curtin not entitled, was adopted by above vote.

Just at this time "Charley Wolf" as he is familiarly called by all Union county, is about the biggest man in the Republican party; and again just at this particular time the Republican party is sadly in want of an able, honest, popular statesman as a candidate for President. *Assemblyman?* pshaw! We know at least a dozen Republicans in Union county fit for Assemblyman. Why there are brothers Schoch or Cornelius—either one would be an ornament to the House at Harrisburg. But Wolfe is entirely too big a man to represent so small a county as Union. There is no proportion no symmetry in the matter. No, it won't do. But start a Wolf boom at once. Compeel such small fry as Grant, Blaine and Sherman to withdraw, and make his nomination as nearly unanimous as possible. That would go very far in assuring his election. *Rah for Wolf!*

Our Washington Letter.

Washington, May 10th, 1880.

The war of the radical factions is fast approaching a point where it will be difficult to arrive at any unity. The Blaine and Grant men do not seem to be in a clear opinion that they will be in the case of the defeat of their respective favorite. The race so far is neck and neck, but the feeling against the third term has been growing steadily, and now there is no doubt that even Grant's own state will send a divided delegation. The Grantmen are exasperated and are endeavoring to combine on Wasi burne, but here they come in conflict with Logan and Conklin, who declare that they will nominate Blaine in preference. Altogether the fight is a lively one, and serious fears are entertained in the minds of the managers that the result will be a serious split, a third ticket and the defeat of the Radical party or at least the throwing of the election into the House.

The great and glorious Civil Service reformer, Carl Schurz, has signified his intention of being present and making a speech at the St. Louis anti-third term convention. Poor Carl is in a bad fix. His only hope is in a dark horse as neither Grant nor Blaine will allow him to cross the threshold of their doors.

On the Democratic side matters are wearing a much improved appearance and it begins to look as if the party will go into the campaign with a united front, and this under good leadership means victory. Randall and Wallace for years have managed to divide the party in Pennsylvania and thus that state has come to be looked upon as a steady stronghold. But this is really not so. The city of Philadelphia nearly always overcomes the Democratic vote outside, and but for this the reins would long since have been in the hands of the Democrats. Under the advice and pressure of the leading managers these squibbles have all been laid aside and the Democracy now have more than a fighting chance to carry the state. In the event of Grant's nomination this will become almost a certainty, as the heavy republican counties are bitterly opposed to him and to the third term.

The only thing in the way of Democratic success is the unfortunate division in New York. But those who heaped up matters in Pennsylvania have now taken this case in hand and it is whispered that immediately after the Radical nomination at Chicago an announcement will be made that will strengthen the hands of the party all over the country and present an assurance of success in November.

Why Hancock Should be Nominated.

The Hancock association of New Orleans recently issued an address to the people, in which fourteen reasons are given why General Hancock should receive the presidential nomination, as follows:

1. He is a true exponent of democratic theories and democratic principles.
2. He has filled to the fullest measure the duties of a well rounded life, in which are singularly blended the highest type of the American soldier and the splendid accomplishment of the civil ruler.
3. He maintains the subordination of the military to the civil authority.
4. He is personally the most popular man of the nation.
5. His nomination would secure thousands of votes from union soldiers who would support no other democratic candidate.
6. His nomination would harmonize the contending factions in New York.
7. He can carry the state of Pennsylvania.
8. His nomination would create such enthusiasm in the south as to render every state beyond doubt.
9. His character and record are such that in no possible event could he be put upon the defensive.
10. His nomination would antagonize no section of the country nor portion of the democratic party.
11. He better than any man living can allay the passions of civil strife, drive sectionalism out of politics and forever end the "bloody shirt" crusades.
12. His entire life is a desire that he would call none to his councils but those on whom the country could safely rely.
13. He combines more elements of strength and availability than any other named in connection with the presidency.
14. If elected, he will take his seat.

Mercantile Appraisement.

THE vendors of foreign and domestic merchandise, distillers and brewers, brokers, etc., in Centre County, will take notice that they are authorized by the undersigned appraiser of mercantile and other liens tax for the year 1880, as follows, to wit:

AARONSBURG.			
NAMES.	BUSINESS.	CLASS.	AMT.
Fleisher & Humble	Merchandise	13	10.75
Phillips & Co.	Merchandise	14	7.75
Veatch Thomas	Groceries	14	7.75
Musser, M. M.	Merchandise	13	7.75
MILLHEIM.			
Spitzer J. H.	Butcher of beef	14	7.75
Valentine & Co.	Merchandise	14	7.75
McFarland Wilson & Collingwood	Merchandise	10	20.75
Hicks, H. K.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Harris, J. & Co.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Lock, S. & A.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Green, F. A.	Druggist	10	20.75
Guendeliner, L. & Co.	Merchandise	14	7.75
Smith, G. & Son	Groceries	14	7.75
Miller, J. C. & Co.	Book Store	12	12.75
Weaver, H. C.	Tobaccoist	14	7.75
Goodman, H. D.	Druggist	14	7.75
Miller, H. V.	Book Store	14	7.75
Sweeney, W. A.	Tobaccoist	14	7.75
Mann, J. F.	Druggist	14	7.75
Harris, John	Druggist	14	7.75
Joseph Ross & Co.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Scott, J. & Co.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Powers & Son	Boots & Shoes	13	10.75
Goldsmith, Steln & Hexter	Clothing	14	7.75
Wagner, D. M.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Sechler, J. B.	Merchandise	10	20.75
Cruse, A. J.	Tobaccoist	14	7.75
Richards, F. C.	Jeweler	14	7.75
Smith, J. & Co.	Merchandise	14	7.75
Weaver, W. H.	Grocer	14	7.75
Barker & Landis	Machinery	14	7.75
Brach, J. H.	Merchandise	14	7.75
Lincoln, H. J.	Tobaccoist	14	7.75
Brach, J. H.	Furniture	14	7.75
Graham & Son	Boots & Shoes	14	7.75
Graham & Co.	Boots & Shoes	14	7.75
Flanagan, G. W.	Groceries	14	7.75
Clyde, R. & Son	Lumber	13	10.75
Kirkson, W. H.	Lumber Dealer	13	10.75
Zeigler, J. B.	Druggist	14	7.75
Beizer, Ferdinand	W. Distiller	13	10.75
Hass, Louis	Brewer	13	10.75
Rippon, Lawrence L.	Corn & Coal	10	20.