

Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT RUTHERFORD B. HAYES, of Ohio.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT WILLIAM A. WHEELER, of New York.

ELECTORS.

- AT LARGE BENJAMIN HARRIS BREWSTER, JOHN W. CHALFANT, 1. JOHN WELSH, 2. HENRY DISSTON, 3. CHRISTIAN J. HOFFMAN, 4. CHARLES THOMPSON JONES, 5. EDWIN H. FITLER, 6. JOSEPH W. BARNARD, 7. BENJAMIN SMITH, 8. JACOB KNAPP, 9. JOHN R. WARFEL, 10. JOSEPH THOMAS, 11. ARIO PARDEE, 12. LEWIS PUGHE, 13. EDWARD S. SILLMAN, 14. WILLIAM CALDER, 15. MILES L. TRACY, 16. S. W. STARKWEATHER, 17. DANIEL J. MORRELL, 18. JEREMIAH LYONS, 19. WILLIAM HAY, 20. WILLIAM CAMERON, 21. J. B. DONLEY, 22. DANIEL O'NEILL, 23. WILLIAM NEEB, 24. ANDREW B. BERGER, 25. SAMUEL M. JACKSON, 26. JAMES WESTERMAN, 27. W. W. WILBUR.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

- For Congress, GEN. HARRY WHITE, of Indiana County. For State Senator, JAS. GREEN. For Assembly, J. B. AGNEW. For District Attorney, S. D. IRWIN. For Coroner, W. C. COBURN. For Jury Commissioner, P. V. MERCILLIOT.

Pay your Taxes.

Friday, October 6th, is the last day for the payment of taxes in order to vote at the election in November. If you have not paid a State or county tax within two years previous to the election you cannot vote.

Before and After.

When it became apparent that Tilden would be nominated, the Cincinnati Enquirer gave expression to the following:

"There are a few facts concerning Sam. Tilden which we trust will sink into the minds of Western and Southern Democrats:

- 1. He cannot carry his own State in November. 2. He cannot carry any Northern State. 3. He is a hypocrite, a political swindler, has long been a public plunderer, and is really the only disreputable candidate prominently named on the Democratic side. 4. He has sought this high office by methods so unprecedentedly shameful and disreputable that it would be an everlasting stigma upon a Democratic Convention to nominate him, and a reproach upon the American people to elect him, if nominated.

And on the 20th of June, a week before his nomination, it said:

"Tilden and his friends bamboozled the poor workmen of New York by telling them that they could have plenty of work at good wages if they would vote for him for Governor. They did so. To-day there are more idle workmen in New York city than when Dix was Governor."

And then again it spoke as follows: "It could not but be a man educated in cunning, hypocrisy, and iniquity, nominated in corruption and shameless effrontery, even though his millions could elect him, would give us the most corrupt administration the country has ever known. 'Neither imperial dignities nor the gloom of solitude' says Tacitus, 'could save Tiberius from himself,' and Tilden could not rise above himself or above the sources of his power."

The Enquirer has swallowed it all, and now shouts for Tilden and reform. Of such is the Democratic party.

Democratic newspapers say, "now that the Tilden income business is disposed of etc." Not by any means. The indictment is in full force, and not half the witnesses for the Government have been called. When the Tilden perjury and fraud case is disposed of, Tilden will be effectually disposed of, and won't trouble politics much.—Meadville Republican.

The Democratic press unwisely show that the interests of their party are in the direction of business depression, by referring to the general statement of the press that business is reviving as though it were a Republican campaign plea. The New York Herald will not be classed by any one as a Republican journal, yet it editorially says of the situation: "It is remarkable that a general revival of trade should take place in the midst and heat of a Presidential canvass, when usually, even in good times, trade suffers and becomes slack. If this business revival were felt only in the Eastern cities it might properly be called one of the effects of the Centennial Exhibition. But trade is awakening and confidence reviving sensibly West as well as East. St. Louis journals note a large increase of country buyers and a generally active trade. Chicago, Cincinnati and other Western cities report greater activity in trade than has been known since 1873. From New Orleans we hear that the new cotton crop coming into market has a marked effect upon business. New England reports hopeful efforts toward establishing an export trade. Wool, which has been dull for a long time, finds sale again. The Pittsburgh papers speak cheerfully, even of the iron trade, which has been the most depressed of all. There are, it seems, indications of an improved and improving business in iron." Thus from all points of the country, the same intelligence comes,—that business is reviving, and trade prospects brightening. Thus we have evidence that this is not a Republican campaign story, but a solid fact that cannot be denied.

Our Washington Letter.

Special to the REPUBLICAN. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 30, '76

There are thousands upon thousands of good men and true, throughout the North, South, East and West, who have "kept the faith," pure and unadulterated; who love their country, its Constitution, its laws and its institutions, its history and all the glorious associations connected with it. These men stand ready to do battle for the right at a moment's warning, and all that is necessary to bring them into action, is to convince them that the present struggle is the counterpart of the campaign of 1860. The Democrats are not discussing measures nor political principles. The stakes they are playing for is the "possession of the government," and this they hope to obtain by a solid Southern vote, and urge the necessity of carrying every Southern State, at all hazards. This party has shown that they are unequal to the task of administering the government, that their measures and principles are hostile to its best interests, and that under their control the liberties of the people are in danger. And yet they have the brazen effrontery to call upon the people whom they have so basely betrayed, to again place them in power. What can any honest sensible man hope to gain by such a change? How much better off will he be under a rebel-democratic administration than he is now? On the contrary, he has all to lose and nothing to gain. Our platform is National, and so broad and liberal that every honest man, every lover of his country, can stand upon it. It is only opposed by unprincipled demagogues, lawless, vicious ruffians, Southern traitors, and those who are blindly led by them. The principles of the Republican party are before the country, and will bear its scrutiny. They favor legislation by the Government for all men alike; they declare an unalterable belief in the policy and wisdom which commends our home industry and labor. They believe that the Government should give its fostering care and protection to the common school system, and insure an education to all classes of citizens. They favor harbor and internal improvements of a national character by the General Government. They are in favor of the Executive Administration conforming with all the wishes of the people; of reforming the currency and putting it on a firm foundation; the prompt payment of all national obligations; confining Congress to its legitimate and proper duties of legislation for the whole country, and lastly, for a rigid adherence to the Constitution and its amendments, and against its violation in form or fact. Upon these fundamental principles and a firm reliance upon the patriotism of the people, the Republicans base their

hopes of electing Hayes and Wheeler on the seventh of November next. Gen. Goff, the Republican candidate for Governor of West Virginia, is making a vigorous fight in that State, and will no doubt poll a large vote, but the rebel democracy have a strong hold there, and will be hard to unhorse.

Vance, the Democratic candidate for Governor of North Carolina, is so sanguine of his election that he can afford to appear in his true colors. In a public speech at Shelby, in that State, on the 15th inst., he said: "Remember that all of our brave Southern heroes who dipped their hands in Union blood, and all their leaders in the South, are for reform and Tilden." Vance of North Carolina, and Gooch of Virginia are fair specimens of Southern Democracy.

The campaign in the South may now fairly be called the campaign of terror. Intelligence continues to be received from various parts of the South, of violence and disorder attending the political canvass, in which the victims are invariably Republicans, and generally negroes. During the past week several serious outrages have been perpetrated in Mississippi, and a number of Republican meetings have been broken up.

In my opinion, the proper way for the Republicans in the South to pursue is to prepare for the conflict, and meet force with force. The only way to secure the respect of the average Southerner is to beat him at his own game. Retaliation should be the rule under the circumstances,—for every Republican murdered two democrats should be made to bite the dust. This would put a stop to their infernal butcheries, and "peace would reign in Warsaw." MAXWELL.

The New York Post in referring to the decision of Judge Clifford to the effect that a Union colonel was liable for a quantity of sugar taken by members of his regiment from a plantation in Louisiana during the war of the rebellion, very pertinently says: "Has not this decision an important bearing upon the Southern claims which are now before Congress for property destroyed in the Rebellion? We print to-day the items which go to make up one of these claims. It may fairly be taken as a sample of its class. In view of the unanimity with which the late Confederate leaders are supporting the Democratic party, it is a pertinent question to be put to every Democratic candidate for Congress, What do you propose to do about these claims?"

The South wants to manage its own affairs, and it proposes to do this according to the following programme as published in the Charleston News, and endorsed by that journal as the "keynote of political redemption."

- 1. Resolved, That we will not rent land to any Radical leader, or any member of his family, or furnish a home, or give employment to any such leader or any member of his family. 2. That we will not furnish any such leader, or any member of his family, any supplies such as provisions, farm implements, stock, &c., except so far as contracts for the present year are concerned. 3. That we will not purchase anything any Radical leader, or any of his family may offer for sale, or sell any such leader, or any member of his family, anything whatever.

The negroes, so far as we know, are not making any attempt at reorganizing the Republican party in this country. But we should watch them closely, and any one, no matter who he is, black, white, or copper-colored, who attempts to create a fresh race prejudice here between the whites and blacks should be dealt with severely, and banished from the country. Such a thing should never be allowed here again. No, never!—Mississippi Herald, Sept. 1, 1876.

A currency of uniform value in every State of the Union; public credit unequalled in our history; personal freedom vouchsafed to the humblest individual; a wise homestead system, giving free farms to all who live upon them; and peace at home and abroad are among a few of the items for which the nation is indebted to the Republican party.

The Senatorial contest in the Jefferson and Indiana District is satisfactorily settled. Dr. McKnight, of Jefferson withdrew, and Dr. St. Clair, of Indiana, was nominated.

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