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DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR GOVERNOR. HON. GEO. W. WOODWARD, OF PHILADELPHIA.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, WALTER H. LOWRIE, OF ALLEGANY COUNTY.

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ASSEMBLY, J. WESLEY AYL, Harrisburg. CHAS. H. ZIEGLER, Reed township. SHERIFF, JOHN RAYMOND, Middletown. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, T. A. HAMILTON, (3 years,) Harrisburg, JACOB BUCK, (1 year,) Upper Paxton.

TO DEMOCRATIC EDITORS AND PRINTERS.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Many of the newspapers in the interior of the State are printing the name of our candidate for Supreme Judge, "Walter B." instead of Walter H. Lowrie, which is the proper way. This mistake, especially if carried out in the printing of tickets, may be the means of depriving us on the count of thousands of votes.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The several County Committees of Superintendence are requested to communicate the names and post office address of their members to the Chairman of the State Central Committee.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

Rooms 144 S. Sixth Street, Second Story. Chairman—Hon. CHARLES J. BIDDLE. Secretary—JAMES F. SHUK, Esq.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS.

Thursday, September 24. Washington Square, White Plains township, Montgomery county. [To be addressed by Hon. Wm. H. Witte.]

Governor Curtin and Arbitrary Arrests. The convention at Pittsburg, after nominating Andrew Curtin for re-election, passed a resolution fully endorsing all the arbitrary arrests and detentions of Secretary Stanton...

The President, by his recent proclamation, has deprived us of that sacred writ of liberty for which the peoples of the world have battled for more than three hundred years; he has practically abolished the courts to which we have been wont to resort for the protection of our rights under the law...

Under these circumstances, it is not probable, nay is it not certain, that many violations of law and interferences with the rights of individuals and of States will be omitted? And yet our provincial Governor, instead of stretching forth his hand to save a citizen from injustice...

Curia on the Stump. We fear that our estimable Chief Magistrate—the only real friend, if we can believe him, and his supporters, that the poor soldier has got in this broad Commonwealth—must sometimes find himself in the condition of that aquatic musician we read of in a popular song...

Judge Woodward's Speech.—The Statement of Wm. Lewis. That renegade from the Democratic ranks, Lewis, of the Huntingdon Globe, some time since published in his paper a statement in relation to a speech alleged by the Abolition press to have been made by Judge Woodward...

Messrs. Editors:—A copy of that vile sheet, the Harrisburg Daily Telegraph, the organ of Shoddy and Horse contractors, and all the other "loyal" thieves who are now sucking the life blood of the nation...

NEWS OF THE DAY. BY TELEGRAPH. THE ARMY OF THE CUMBERLAND.—THE GREAT BATTLE. ROSECRANS CONCENTRATED AT HARRISBURG.—DISPERATE FIGHTING.—TERRIBLE BRAGG.—ROSECRANS REFORCED BRATTLE REBELS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Dispatches from General Rosecrans dated Chattanooga, at 3 and 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, were received this morning from which it appears that the enemy's attack upon General Thomas' corps, Rosecrans' left, on Monday afternoon, was handsomely repulsed...

General Rosecrans' order for his whole army to concentrate was accomplished before midnight of that day, and it is now in a defensive position, which can be easily held until reinforcements arrive. The movements of the troops was executed in excellent order, and although they had been worked hard for seven days and nights, they were in excellent spirits...

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—An unofficial dispatch from Chattanooga to an army officer, speaks of the engagement of Monday last, when Longstreet's corps attacked the corps of Thomas as a complete Union victory. The fact that Thomas was able to join Rosecrans at Chattanooga on Monday night embraces positive confirmation of the fact.

FOREIGN NEWS. SAN PEDRO DE MACORIS, Sept. 23.—The steamer China has passed from Liverpool with dates to the 13th. ROME, Sept. 22.—The ex-queen of the Italian Kingdom has been withdrawn, as a reprisal for a similar step in regard to the Consul at Naples.

IS IT TREASONABLE? The New York Sun, a neutral paper, with slightly Lincolnian proclivities, contains the following: "The Hon. Thad. Stevens, the Republican leader in the last Congress, in a speech delivered in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, on Thursday, in favor of the re-election of Curtin, expressed the following sentiments:

THE KING OF PORTUGAL has ordered a census of the population, a process never before realized. It is remembered that I have resided in this place for the last thirty years, and that I was engaged in the printing of the Debates from the beginning to the end of the publication.

GENERAL GIMORE'S big guns, from the batteries now erecting at the head of Morris Island, are especially hurling on Charleston a storm of devastation...

General Gilmore is still ostensibly preparing to renew the bombardment of Charleston. Whatever the result may be, Charleston will be taken, if at all, by an advance of the Union troops overland, not by the iron-clads moving victoriously up the harbor.

On Saturday, the 10th, a demonstration was made by the rebels in strong force, which appears to have been repulsed by the force under General Thomas with the advantage on the Federal side.

On Sunday an engagement commenced late in the morning. The first gun was fired at 9 a. m., but no considerable firing took place until 10. Previous to 10 o'clock General Rosecrans rode the whole length of our line. Soon after, the battle commenced.

General Thomas, who held the left, began to call for reinforcements. About 12 o'clock word came that he had been forced to retire. The second line of reinforcements were then sent to him, and McCook's whole corps, which was on the right and as a reserve in the centre, was sent to his assistance.

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FROM NEW ORLEANS. THE MOVEMENT UPON TEXAS. The New Orleans correspondent of the World under date of 15th September, says: It is unnecessary to predict what the movement upon Houston (Texas) will be—but it has been ordered from Washington and the march may begin to-day...

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