

# STAR OF THE NORTH.



WM. H. JACOBY, EDITOR.

BLOOMSBURG, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, 1860.

## Democratic Nominations.

FOR PRESIDENT.

**JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE,**

OF KENTUCKY.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

**GEN'L JOSEPH LANE,**

OF OREGON.

## PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

ELECTORS AT-LARGE.

RICHARD VAUX, GEORGE M. KEIM,

DISTRICT ELECTORS.

1. Fred. A. Server. 13. Joseph Laubach.

2. Wm. C. Patterson. 14. Geo. D. Jackson.

3. Jos. Crockett, Jr. 15. Geo. A. Ahl.

4. J. G. Brenner. 16. J. B. Danner.

5. G. W. Jacoby. 17. J. R. Crawford.

6. Charles Kelly. 18. H. N. Lee.

7. O. P. James. 19. J. B. Howell.

8. David Schall. 20. J. N. P. Fetterman.

9. J. L. Lightner. 21. Samuel Marshall.

10. S. S. Barber. 22. William Book.

11. T. H. Walker. 23. B. D. Hamlin.

12. S. S. Winchester. 24. B. D. Hamlin.

25. Gaylord Church.

## Meeting of the Democratic State Executive Committee.

Democratic State Ex. Com. Rooms,

419 Walnut street,

PHILADELPHIA, October 8, 1860.

A meeting of the Democratic State Executive Committee will be held at Reading,

on Friday, October 12, 1860, at 11 o'clock,

A. M.

Business of great importance will be laid

before the meeting, and every member is

earnestly requested to be present.

WM. H. WELSH, Chairman.

## The Tariff.

The Tariff question is one that does not

naturally belong to party politics. The

Democratic party and the Republican both

contain advocates of the protective policy

and both advocates of free trade. In this

State, where our immediate interests would

be promoted by a Protective Tariff, all parties,

with rare exceptions, are favorable to

protection, and anxious that Congress should

legislate so as to develop our great mineral

and industrial interests. Such being the

condition of the public mind in Pennsylvania,

this is the last State in the Union where

the Tariff issue should have been made.

But the Republican party deemed it necessary

at the last session of Congress to manufacture

as many issues as possible for the purpose

of carrying this Presidential election. For the Western States they devised

the Homestead issue as the means of making

political capital in that quarter. For Pennsylvania

they got up the Tariff induced Republican members of the House,

naturally opposed to the increase of duties

to vote for the Morrill bill as the political

dodge. It was delayed until the close of

the session, and as soon as it passed the

House and was sent to the Senate, a resolution

providing for an early adjournment of Congress

was passed by the Republican members—for the manifest purpose

of bringing the session to an immediate termination,

so that the Senate would have no time to act

upon the Tariff bill, and so that the Republicans

might attribute the responsibility of its defeat

to the Democratic Senate. The Senate could not refuse to

adjourn at the time proposed by the House

without incurring the responsibility of pro-

tracting the session—and for want of time

to act upon it the Tariff bill had to be postponed.

The House occupied months in maturing

and considering this bill, and then gave the

Senate but a week to reflect and act upon it.

The Republicans expected and wanted the Tariff bill to be defeated or

postponed for the purpose of using the question

for electioneering purposes in Pennsylvania.

They succeeded in their design, but what have they gained by it?

In forcing the Tariff issue upon the Democracy

of Pennsylvania, and attempting to make political

capital upon a question which is not of a party character,

and upon which the people of this State are nearly

all of one opinion, they have made a great

blunder, because they have led people to investigate

the question of responsibility for the Tariff of 1857,

under the operations of which the interests of Pennsylvania

## ELECTION RETURNS.

In Bloom township the Republican candidate

for Governor has 74 majority. Scranton,

Rep., for Congress has 105 majority. Bound,

Rep., for Senate, has 123 majority. In

Hemlock township the whole Democratic

ticket has the usual majority. In Scott

township the Republican candidates have

a decreased majority—not up to their

standard quite.

The whole Democratic county ticket is

safe. The District ticket is thought will be

elected by a small majority.

The estimated majority for Foster in Mon-

ter county is 250. For Randall, for Con-

gress, about 150.

The counties of Erie, Dauphin and Alle-

gheny, are set down for Curtin.

Sixteen Districts in Luzerne county report

gains over Scranton for Congress.

Foster's majority in Lancaster is 276.—

In Harrisburg it is 144.

Beets county will give Foster about 2800

majority. Schuylkill is said to have gone

for Curtin.

It is said that Philadelphia city will give

Foster about 4000 majority, it may be con-

siderably larger.

Columbia county will give Foster her

usual Democratic majority, it not increase

it.

We go to press too early to give any

thing definite.

## Horrible Sentiments.

We call the serious attention of the sensible

and patriotic people of Pennsylvania to the

following horrible and disgusting senti-

ments uttered by JOSHUA R. GIDDINGS, one of

the leaders of the Lincoln Black Republican

party. Can it be possible that the con-

servative voters of our noble Common-

wealth will follow the lead of men who

dare give utterance to such fiendish doc-

trines? Listen to this black hearted Lincoln

Abolitionist:

"I look forward to the day when there

shall be a REVOLVING INSURRECTION in the

South; when the black men, armed with

BRITISH BAYONETS, and led on by BRITISH

OFFICERS, shall assert their freedom, and wage

A WAR OF EXTENSION AGAINST THEIR MASTERS;

when the torch of the incendiary shall light up

the cities of the South, and blot out the

last vestige of slavery. And though I may

not mock at their calamity, nor laugh when

their fear cometh, yet I will laugh at the

day of a political millennium."

Patriotic citizens of Pennsylvania, how

can you sustain a party whose leaders openly

promulgate such horrible sentiments as these?

Do you not shudder at the bare

thought of placing such men in power?

Remember, this man GIDDINGS, is a leading

Lincolnite; and, but a few days since,

in company with CURTIS, addressed a Black

Republican Abolitionist meeting at Erie, in

this State! Are the people of Pennsylvania

prepared to endorse the teachings of such

men as GIDDINGS, the infamous Carl Schurz,

and the host of Abolitionists who have been

precipitated upon our State? No! perish

the thought! Up, then, Democrats! and

by one bold and united effort, put down

these miserable, traitorous wretches, whose

sole aim is to precipitate our happy country

headlong to destruction.

## Pennsylvania the Battle Ground.

The eyes of patriots throughout the country

are anxiously fixed on Pennsylvania.—

She enters as the main element into every

calculation as respects the defeat of LINCOLN.

May she prove that she is worthy of her

pride of the "Keystone State." The Boston

Post thus closes an excellent article

on the pending canvass:—

"But a survey of the political horizon

presents to-day Pennsylvania as the great

battle ground. All eyes will be upon her

sterling national men. Never was cause

more just than their cause; the nation seen

in support of it rises to the dignity of those

great movements that are for the good of a

whole country; and its triumph will be a

vast benefit conferred not only upon the

fraternal element that unites these States, but

to the manufacturing, the commercial and

indeed the business interests of the nation.

In this connection we take occasion to

call attention to the fact that, in this State,

in the Presidential canvass of 1856, the joint

majority of the conservatives over Fremont

was 165,009 votes. The vote for Buchanan,

230,772; Fremont, 147,963; Fillmore, 92,

200. It thus appears that the Black Re-

publicans will have to poll 312,973 votes,

and overcome a majority of 165,009 before

they can elect Col. Curtin. To suppose

this result is almost to suppose an impos-

sibility.

Democracy in Bloomburg.

Persuaded to notice the Democracy met at

the Court House, in Bloomburg, on Mon-

day evening last, and held the largest

political meeting of the season that has been

attended in this place. The Court House

was well filled. The Bloomburg Band was

in attendance, and executed some most ex-

cellent music.

The meeting was organized by the ap-

pointment of the following officers:

PRESIDENT:

GEORGE WEAVER, ESQ.

VICE PRESIDENTS:

John Snyder, Jacob R. Groni,

Henry Arthur, Peter Billmeyer,

Joseph Barkley, Richard Plomer,

John Cressler, Martin Woodward.

SECRETARIES:

C. G. Barkley, W. H. Jacoby.

The meeting being fully organized, and

everything properly arranged, WELLINGTON

H. ENT, Esq., was invited to speak, who

made his appearance before the audience,

and delivered the introductory speech of the

evening, which occupied nearly an hour's

time. He was followed by HENRY HARRIS,

Esq., of Wilkesbarre, who made a very ex-

cellent speech. After him, E. H. LITTLE

rose and made a few remarks, when the

meeting adjourned by giving a vote of

thanks to the speakers for their able and

patriotic addresses, and to the band for their

most excellent music, after which three

cheers were given for the whole ticket.

Death of Governor Willard, of Indiana.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 5.—A private despatch

from St. Paul's, Minnesota, says that Gov.

Willard died at 11 o'clock, on Saturday last.

He was 68 years of age, and had been

ill for some time. He was a member of

the Republican party, and was a strong

advocate of the Union cause.

He was born in New York, and spent

his early years in that State. He was

admitted to the bar in 1830, and practised

law in New York for several years.

He then removed to Indiana, and was

elected Governor in 1856. He served

one term, and was re-elected in 1860.

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