

Democratic
Friday, October 1, 1864.

FOR PRESIDENT
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN,
FOR VICE PRESIDENT
GEORGE H. PENDLETON.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

ROBERT I. JOHNSON, of Cambria County.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
RICHARD L. VAUX, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
WILLIAM BIGLER, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
EDWARD P. DAVIS, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
WALTER G. SMITH, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
THOMAS D. SMITH, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
WILLIAM MONTGOMERY, of Philadelphia.	PAUL LADDY, of Philadelphia.
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FOR CONGRESS,
WILLIAM BIGLER,
FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
EP. B. ELDRED,
FOR SENATOR.
HENRY W. BARR,
FOR COMMISSIONER.
DAVID D. COMES,
FOR CORNER.
G. H. GOLTRY,
FOR AUDITOR.
WM. F. ORMSBY,
FOR SURVEYOR.
A. D. HAMLIN.

APPROPRIATE.—The Coppelhead National Convention met at Chicago on Monday, August 20th, the anniversary of the birth of Benedict Arnold, the traitor of the Revolutionary War.
If the editor will look at the Almanac, he will find that Benedict Arnold was born January 24, 1740. From other records he will find also that Benedict Arnold for a time was a true patriot and then turned traitor as well as a traitor. It strikes us that comes nearer being one of the fathers of your party than the 20th of August being the Anniversary of his birth day.

MORE STRAWS.—At the Fair Grounds, Friday, says the *Hartford Times*, a gentleman from a neighboring town, out of curiosity, asked a man who was selling Presidential portraits, which candidate he sold the most of? The man hesitated from an evident unwillingness to disclose the possible political sentiments of his questioner, and replied, "Well, I want to tell you all of both kinds," "of which kind?" "Well, I want to tell you all of both kinds," "of which kind?" "Well, I want to tell you all of both kinds," "of which kind?"

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POLITICAL MEETINGS.—The meetings held at Smethport, were well attended. The Democratic meeting held on Tuesday afternoon, was the largest ever held in the county. A serious mistake was made in the arrangement, as Gov. Bigler was advertised to speak in the evening, instead of the afternoon, a large number did not arrive in town until the meeting was over, and were consequently disappointed.

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