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THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATES

FOR PRESIDENT—JOHN C. FREMONT, of California. FOR VICE PRESIDENT—WM. L. DAYTON, of New Jersey.

UNION STATE TICKET.

CANAL COMMISSIONER, THOMAS E. COCHRAN, of York Co. AUDITOR GENERAL, DARWIN PHELPS, of Armstrong Co. SURVEYOR GENERAL, BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE, Bradford.

UNION COUNTY TICKET.

Hon. LEMUEL TODD, of Cumberland. KIRK HAINES, of Perry County. Dr. W. W. NEVIN, of Southampton. THOMAS B. BRYSAN, of Hampden. WM. B. MULLEN, South Middleton. GEORGE MILLER, W. Pennsboro. JAMES R. SMITH, Carlisle. JOHN HUMER, Carlisle. JOHN FISHBURN, jr., Dickinson. WM. D. SHOOP, Lower Allen. ANDREW I. KAUFFMAN, Mechanicsburg. JAMES MULLIN, Carlisle.

Hon. Lemuel Todd.

Freemen of Cumberland! in the Hon. LEMUEL TODD, your present talented Representative in Congress, you have a candidate of whom you may be justly proud, and for whose election you ought to make every effort. His talents and attainments have made for him, in one session of Congress, a National reputation. He is a man of whom any district or any constituency may feel proud. He is able to cope intellectually with the best minds of the land, and he is always found on the right side. Let us give him a vote this time that will show how we appreciate such qualities.

Vote the whole Ticket!

Friends of the Union County Ticket! Give it, and every man on it, your cordial support. Beware of lying rumors circulated by your enemies to injure it. It may be represented in different localities that in a distant election district, certain candidates will not receive the whole vote, &c. Don't believe these idle tales; they are got up to deceive, and to diminish your vote. Work for the whole ticket. You can and will elect it easily; but give to it a decided majority. Two years ago Cumberland county gave Gov. Pollock over five hundred majority. Last year, although our friends were divided and the vote was small, the county still gave the Union candidate for Canal Commissioner, nearly THREE HUNDRED MAJORITY! This year we can and ought to double that majority. Go to work, friends, and you will easily accomplish it!

SNUBBING OLD BUCK!—That testimony of Mr. Buchanan in favor of Col. Fremont, which we published two weeks since, is a bitter pill to the Buchanan men. The Washington Union is vainly trying to break the force of it. It says Mr. Buchanan "labored under a misapprehension" when he declared under oath that Col. Fremont was better entitled to be called the Conqueror of California than any other man.

NOW TO THE POLLS!—FREEMEN.

Let the Ballot-Box Speak! Freemen of Cumberland! friends of the Union State Ticket—friends of TODD—friends of the Union County Ticket—RALLY TO THE POLLS NEXT TUESDAY! Rain or shine, be there! Let nothing but extreme sickness deter you from voting. The eyes of the whole country are on Pennsylvania. Let us not disappoint the anxious expectations of our friends abroad. WE SHALL TRIUMPH if we are energetic and vigilant! RALLY! NEXT TUESDAY in your strength! Let no vote be lost! Be at the Polls, early! Examine your tickets carefully! See that every name is right! Be watchful against frauds! See that your neighbor is out to vote! Help the aged and infirm to get to the election! Do your whole duty and— VICTORY WILL FOLLOW!

The Great Question Next Tuesday!

Henry A. Wise's characteristic speeches when he was the democratic candidate for Governor of Virginia, two years ago, will be remembered. His picture of Virginia, in her utterly worn-out and barren condition, was strikingly graphic, and he asked to be elected Governor that he might lift up the poor old State from decay and ruin. But although the people gave him the reins of government we do not learn that Virginia is any better off. We make the following extract from one of his speeches:

"Commerce has long ago spread her sails, and sailed away from you. You have not, as yet, dug more than coal enough to warm yourselves at your own hearths; you have set no tilt hammer of Vulcan to strike blows worth Godwin your own iron-foundries; you have not yet spun more than coarse cotton enough, in the way of manufacture, to clothe your own slaves."

You have had no commerce, no mining, no manufactures. You have relied alone on the single power of agriculture—and such agriculture! Your sedge patches outshine the sun. Your inattention to your only source of wealth has scorched the very bosom of mother earth. Instead of having to feed cattle on thousands of hills, you have had to chase the stung, tailed steer through the sedge patches to procure a tough beef steak.

The present condition of things has existed too long in Virginia. The landlord has skinned the tenant, and the tenant has skinned the land, until all have grown poor together. This certainly is not an inviting picture. It is not greatly calculated to fascinate the farmers of Pennsylvania. Yet the census returns, as well as evidence from other Virginians, show that it is literally true. It shows precisely what Virginia—once the richest, most populous and most powerful of the States,—has become under the blight of Slavery. The Richmond Enquirer in 1852 thus bewailed the condition of Virginia:—

"We have cause to feel deeply for our situation. Philadelphia herself contains a population far greater than the whole free population of Eastern Virginia. The little State of Massachusetts has an aggregate wealth exceeding that of Virginia by more than \$126,000,000—a State, too, which is incapable of subsisting its inhabitants from the production of its soil. And New-York, which was as much below Massachusetts, at the adoption of the Constitution, in wealth and power, as the latter was below Virginia, now exceeds the wealth of both."

Here is the condition of the most powerful of the Slave States, where labor is bought and owned, compared with the Free States, where labor is free and receives a just compensation. And the great question which presses itself upon every voter—especially upon every Farmer and Workingman—when he goes to the Polls on Tuesday next, is, shall the blight of Slavery be fastened on Kansas? Shall Kansas be doomed to the ruin and decay of Virginia? You have the picture of Virginia as drawn by Henry A. Wise, its own Chief Magistrate. Would you have Pennsylvania so? We know you would not. Then save Kansas, also, from the same curse, by voting for TODD and the UNION TICKET next Tuesday!

Gov. Johnson, of Georgia, has the following idea of Labor. Read & think.

"There is a difference of opinion in regard to the question whether it is better for capital to own its labor or hire it. In Pennsylvania you have determined it one way, while in Georgia we have determined it another. We cannot hire labor in the cotton fields, or the rice swamps or the tobacco plantation—therefore unless we own our labor, the land now under cultivation for cotton, tobacco and rice, would lie a barren waste."

Foul Falsehoods Against Todd.

Under the title of "Lemuel Todd's Record," the last Volunteer has another column of foul, reckless and unscrupulous misrepresentation of Mr. Todd's course in Congress. We have not space to devote to each one of these charges singly, but we denounce them one and all as devoid of truth. The Volunteer charges Mr. Todd with being "afraid to face the music." We tell the Volunteer that Lemuel Todd shrinks from no investigation of his course. He is able, ready and willing to meet his malignant and unscrupulous vilifiers and traducers. He has met the people in every township in free and familiar intercourse, and has everywhere frankly and fully explained his official course and votes in Congress. He has kept back nothing—he has concealed nothing—Every one of the Volunteer's lying accusations has been fully answered by Mr. Todd in his addresses to the people. He has shown up that paper's wilful perversions of truth as well as its downright falsehoods, and branded his traducers as malignant falsifiers. Bravely and nobly has he defended the great principles he was elected to support, and with a free and intelligent constituency sustaining him, as they do, he boldly defies the malice of his political foes. Last week's Volunteer was full of slanders. This week's will probably be more so. But the second Tuesday of October is near at hand, and we confidently leave it to the ballot-box to speak the people's triumphant vindication of Lemuel Todd! Friends of Freedom! stand by him as he has firmly and fearlessly sustained your principles. GO FORTH TO THE POLLS on Tuesday next, in your strength, and Victory will crown your efforts!

HARRY CLAY WHIGS!

Remember, when you vote next Tuesday, that the Whig party has uniformly and consistently opposed the extension of slavery. In 1844, when Henry Clay was a candidate for the Presidency, and the annexation of Texas was at issue, Mr. Clay wrote a letter objecting to it on the ground that it would spread slavery. And in the last speech that that great man, who embodied the principles of the Whig party, ever made in the U. S. Senate, he declared that "NO EARTHLY POWER CAN EVER MAKE ME VOTE FOR THE EXTENSION OF SLAVERY OVER FREE TERRITORY." So did Daniel Webster, and all the Whig conventions that ever took notice of the subject, declare against the extension of this great evil. The issue is now before the country on its naked merits, and no man who was sincere in his devotion to Whig principles, will now fail to vote and to work for the triumph of freedom.

BUCHANAN ANSWERS YOU!

"Is John C. Fremont an honest man?" is the heading of a slanderous article in the last Volunteer. Yes! we reply. Every action of his life shows him to be an honest man, and if further evidence is needed the testimony of JAMES BUCHANAN himself, which we published in the last Herald, triumphantly establishes Fremont's integrity and purity of character. In my opinion, says James Buchanan, on oath, Col. John C. Fremont is more entitled to be called the CONQUEROR OF CALIFORNIA THAN ANY OTHER MAN! Can the Volunteer honestly question Fremont's honesty after James Buchanan's testimony, so fully and freely given? Friends, when you hear a loud-mouthed democrat ffully slandering the gallant young Pathfinder, shut him up at once by reading James Buchanan's testimony!

CONNECTICUT FOLLOWS.—At the town elections held in Connecticut on Monday last we learn by telegraph that in 40 towns heard from, the Republicans have carried 28 and the democrats 21.

WHO IS OUR POET?—We copy from the Philadelphia Morning Times a spirited Fremont poem. The author does not give his name but he hails from Cumberland county. Who is our poet?

Burlingame's Eulogy of Todd.

Mr Burlingame closed his great speech yesterday with a brilliant and glowing tribute to the intellectual ability & personal qualities of the Hon. LEMUEL TODD. We cannot give his eloquent language, but it was such a eulogy as only the brilliant Burlingame could have fitly spoken,—as glowing as it was just, and springing right from the heart. And we wish every friend of Todd in the county could have heard and joined in the tremendous response of that excited audience! It was like the thunder to the lightning! the instantaneous breaking forth of the great heart of the multitude in deafening shout upon shout for our noble Representative! Burlingame is a colleague of Todd in Congress. He knows Todd's talents—his grit—his firmness and his fidelity! Friends of Todd! you will have an opportunity NEXT TUESDAY to make another response through the ballot-box! Let it be in the shape of not less than ONE THOUSAND MAJORITY!

Now for Canvassing.

Friends of the Union Tickets! You have now had your Mass Meeting. The mighty demonstration has made your opponents quake and tremble! You have shown your strength and the enthusiasm which animates your ranks. But this is not all that is needed. You must now closely canvass each borough and township. See all your neighbors and know how they are going to vote. Be sure that every friend of the Union State and County Tickets comes out to VOTE ON TUESDAY! This is the work that must be done quietly but efficiently. Friends! Give every day up to next Tuesday to this important work.

A CONSISTENT VOTE.—A Chicago paper says, on the train of cars which conveyed Senator Douglas to Galena, a vote, as usual now-a-days, was taken. The canvassers did not know Douglas, and when they came to him, while going through the cars, the following conversation took place: Canvasser—Who do you vote for, sir—Buchanan or Fremont? Douglas—(angrily looking up from the personal of the Chicago Times)—Vote for the devil!

The result of the canvass was as follows:—Fremont 117; Buchanan 15; Fillmore 17; hey Devil 1. This was certainly the most consistent vote that ever demagogues ever cast, and we dare say the candidate was delighted with his natural and voluntary support.

BLESS THE GIRLS!—One of the prettiest items of the recent Fremont procession at Sandusky, Ohio, was one hundred girls in an immense carriage, drawn by forty horses. The girls were all in white dresses, with blue sashes, and they carried a banner, with the inscription, "Of the Tribe of Jessie"

In the celebration at Aurora, Indiana, at the hind end of a wagon from Harrison, four brooms were fixed in an axis and made to revolve by a crank, above which was the pertinent motto: "Aelean sweep!" Over the ladies' car from Harrison was a banner on which was "We want no old Buck who has no little Dears!"

BRECKENRIDGE A DISUNIONIST.—Mr. Breckinridge, the Democratic candidate for Vice President, in a speech recently delivered in Ohio, made use of this language: "Look at the principles of this party, [the Republican.] Listen to the ignominy and reviling which they combine to hurl on your sister States. We are told that the Declaration of Independence is embodied in the Constitution of the United States! The Declaration is an abstraction. Put it into the Constitution and what would follow? It would follow that the Constitution must protect every man in his right to 'life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.' * * * You would find it interfering with the institutions of the States, and it would lead our country rapidly to destruction. But why do I calculate upon what it would do?—Long before this our Union would be obliterated forever. It would become as INTOLERABLE and HATEFUL, as its past has been beneficial and glorious."

DEATH BED REPENTANCE.—Posters calling a Democratic meeting at Coudersport, Potter county, on the 16th, announced as a rallying cry, "BUCHANAN, BRECKENRIDGE and Free Kansas!" Rather too late to deceive the people, who know the grievous wrongs which have been perpetrated to make it Slave Kansas.

PITTSBURG FRELING.—The Pittsburg Journal says that the change of 250 Democrats in Detroit in favor of Fremont, is nothing in comparison to the change in West Pennsylvania. The Journal adds: "We venture to say that in six workshops and mills, we can find between two and three hundred voters who have always heretofore voted the Democratic ticket, and now declare for Fremont."

GREAT UNION MASS MEETING.

WELCOME TO BURLINGAME!

Cumberland Awake to the Contest!

The Spirit of 1840 Again.

The out-pouring at the Union Mass Meeting yesterday was immense, and the day was one of the highest excitement and enthusiasm in our borough. All classes, young and old, partook of the excitement, and our streets were as gay and crowded as on a great holiday. The people—THE FREE PEOPLE—were here in their strength and majesty, and the gathering was like the gatherings of 1840 and 1844, an ASSEMBLAGE OF THOUSANDS! We leave it to others to make an estimate of the numbers—we shall not attempt it. Suffice it to say, that from all sections of the county the people came in crowds—in huge extra trains of cars from the east and west—in wagons, in carriages, on horseback and on foot—an "army with banners!" Among the delegations which poured in was a large delegation of our Chambersburg friends, who were accompanied by their fine Band and bore a splendid banner. They received a cordial welcome. This was the only delegation from other counties. Three other Bands of Music—the Shippensburg, Newville and Mechanicsburg Bands—were also present with large delegations from these places and made our streets resound with the spirit-stirring swell of martial music. The delegations from Middlesex, West Pennsboro and Frankford made an imposing display with their numerous banners. Upon the arrival of these delegations, a procession was formed under the charge of Col. A. NOBLE, Chief Marshal, assisted by Messrs. Dr. Smith, Jacob Hoffer and James Callio, as Assistants, but it was found impossible to rally the whole number, and the procession did not exhibit one third of the numbers in town. The little Junior Freemonters of our own borough made a brilliant display.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the immense mass assembled in the public square, and were organized by the election of the following officers. President, Hon. JOSEPH RITNER, Ex Gov. of Pa. Vice Presidents, Capt. Sam'l Woods, Dickinson. Jacob Rhoads, West Pennsboro. Fred'k Mentzer, Frankford. Joseph McDermond, Newville. William McCune, Newton. Maj. A. W. Sterrett, Millin. Benj. Snodgrass, Shippensburg. William Clark, Leesburg. Jacob Noffsinger, South Middleton. John Miller, North Middleton. Levi Merkel, Lower Allen. Alex. Cathcart, Upper Allen. John C. Duvalp, Silver Spring. Robert Wilson, Mechanicsburg. Jesse Young, Monroe. James B. Orr, Hampden. B. F. Lee, New Cumberland. John Wilber, Esq., East Pennsboro. Joseph Trego, East Ward, Carlisle. Charles Fleeger, West Ward. Thos. J. Early, Chambersburg. Secretaries, Dr. R. C. Hays, J. W. Craighead, J. L. McDowell, John G. Williams and Sam'l Elliott.

The meeting being organized, the Hon. ANSON BURLINGAME, of Mass was introduced to the meeting. Mr. Burlingame's appearance on the stand excited the wildest enthusiasm. Shout upon shout rent the air in welcome of this distinguished and fearless young orator. Mr. Burlingame spoke for about two hours in a strain of lofty, burning eloquence which thrilled every heart. Even if we had the space we confess our inability to do justice to his address, which was that of a classic and finished orator. Suffice it to say that it equalled the highest expectations of his excited and eager audience and was listened to with the profoundest attention. Mr. Burlingame was followed by the Hon. B. G. NOBLE, of Wisconsin, in a stirring speech, replete with convincing argument and humorous anecdotes, which elicited roars of applause. Mr. Noble is a speaker of the right stamp and gave the highest satisfaction. The meeting then adjourned with cheers for BURLINGAME, cheers for FREMONT and cheers for TODD, which made the welkin ring!

In the evening a large and enthusiastic meeting assembled in the Court House, which was ably and eloquently addressed by the Hon. DANIEL BAKER, of Mass, and by the Hon. LEMUEL TODD. Mr. Todd took the occasion to reply to the slanderous misrepresentations of his votes and course in Congress, which he did to the entire satisfaction of all present. The meeting adjourned with three rousing cheers for our gallant Representative. The number, the enthusiasm and the spirit manifested at both afternoon and evening meetings, shows that the people are awake to the contest, and that old Mother Cumberland may be safely relied upon to contribute her share to the glorious TRIUMPH NEXT TUESDAY!

The Fremont and Fillmore State Committees met at Harrisburg yesterday and adjourned again to the 16th.