

## Huntingdon Journal.



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Forever float that standard sheet,  
Where breathes the foe but falls before us,  
With Freedom's soil beneath our feet,  
And Freedom's banner streaming o'er us!

FOR PRESIDENT,  
**JOHN C. FREMONT,**  
OF CALIFORNIA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
**WM. L. DAYTON,**  
OF NEW JERSEY.

**Union State Ticket.**

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,  
**THOMAS B. COCHRAN,**  
OF YORK COUNTY.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,  
**DARWIN PHELPS,**  
OF ARMSTRONG COUNTY.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,  
**BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE,**  
OF BRADFORD COUNTY.

**Union District Ticket.**

CONGRESS,  
**JOHN R. EDIE,**  
SENATOR.

**A. G. MULLIN,**  
SENATOR.

**Union County Ticket.**

FOR ASSEMBLY,  
**John H. Wintrobe,**  
**John M. Gibboney,**  
SHERIFF.

**John Brewster, D. F. Patton,**  
COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

**Nathaniel Lytle,**  
COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

**Henry L. McCarthy,**  
DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.

**Joseph Gibboney,**  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

**Theodore E. Cromer,**  
COUNTY SHERIFF.

**John P. Ramey,**  
AUDITOR.

**James Croc,**  
AUDITOR.

**United We Stand**

**UNION FOR THE SAKE OF THE UNION.**

**Rally! Rally! for the State and County Tickets.**

The people of Huntingdon County opposed to the present National Administration, to the Cincinnati Platform and the election of James Buchanan, and in favor of the UNION STATE AND COUNTY TICKETS, are invited to meet at the following times and places, to wit:

Huntingdon, Thursday, October 9, 6 P.M.

McAlay's Pt., Friday, " 10 1 do.

Spruce Creek, Saturday, " 11 1 do.

The signs of the times are propitious! The Watch Fires are burning brightly throughout the land, and from every quarter of the State we hear words of encouragement and hope.

Let the people of Old Huntingdon

**RALLY TO THE RESCUE,**

And participate in the brilliant victory before us.

Messrs. Benedict, Miles, Blair, Williamson, Wintrobe, Stewart, Prowell and others will address the meetings.

**DAVID BLAIR,**  
Chairman American County Con.

**JOHN G. MILES,**  
Chairman Republican County Con.

**Dave Gwin** has just returned from the East, with the richest, choicest, largest, best assorted, and most generally elegant stock of new goods, ever "brought up the pike." Dave is a clever, whole-souled fellow, and if you don't believe he's attentive, just give him a call.

**James A. Brown, & Co.,** have just received their full stock of hardware. Go and see. They have a magnificent store.

**Roman** has just received his full stock of clothing. Roman's Clothing Store, is the largest and cheapest in the county. He sells goods cheaper and better than elsewhere.

**A large stable** was burned down on Washington street, last Wednesday.

**Go to the Polls**

**Early, vote the**

**entire UNION**

**TICKET. Do**

**not be deceived by**

**Locofoco Lies!**

**Remember, that**

**the eyes of the**

**wholenation are**

**fixed on the Key-**

**stone State. Do**

**your Duty.**

## THE UNION STATE TICKET.

FRIENDS OF FREMONT,  
FRIENDS OF FILLMORE,

OLD LINE WHIGS!

All who desire the vote of Pennsylvania to be cast against that arch-demagogue, and political turn-out, James Buchanan—bear in mind that the sure-way of accomplishing such a result is to turn out to a man on the second Tuesday of October next and vote the UNION STATE TICKET.

Vote for:

**THOMAS B. COCHRAN,**  
for Canal Commissioner.

**DARWIN PHELPS,**  
for Auditor General.

**BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE,**  
for Surveyor General.

Let no lies or roborbacks, which the fertility of Locofocoism can invent, induce you to withhold your votes from either one of the above Union candidates.

Let nothing prevent your attendance at the polls. Rain or shine—be on the election ground on the second Tuesday of October next.

Form Committees of Vigilance in every township, ward and borough, to see that every anti-Locofoco vote is brought to the polls. Get out your teams, your horses and carriages, for the benefit of the sick or infirm, or those residing at a distance.

Let there be a union of hearts—a union of hands—and above all, a union of strength, in the October contest.

We have the strongest assurances from all parts of the State that the OLD LINE WHIGS, the AMERICANS, and the REPUBLICANS, will give to the UNION STATE TICKET a cordial and unanimous support. A full turnout cannot fail to roll up such a majority that Locofocoism will stand aghast.

Remember that as goes the State at the October Election, so it will go in November.

Two years ago we gave Pollock 37,000 majority—and that, too, without a single Roman Catholic vote! We can do as well for Cochran, Phelps and Laporte. We have the strength to do much better.

October is the time to strike. Men and brethren, let us do it with a will, by voting in solid columns for the union state ticket.

**UNION STATE TICKET.**

We call upon all of the opponents of the administration to support with their whole power the Union ticket. The crisis demands that we should sink all minor difficulties and unite our forces to defeat the sham Democracy on the 14th of October.

The importance of electing a Congressman true to the great question before the nation is too much overlooked. It is very probable Kansas will be asking admission as a Slave State, and it behooves the people to elect men true to freedom, who will resist the insidious subjugation of Kansas by Southern Ruffians. Hon. J. R. Edie is sound upon this question: an able lawyer and a man of backbone.

In reference to the Union State ticket, Dr. Joy Morris, in a recent speech in Philadelphia, made the following remarks:

"Mr. M. said he knew nothing so effectual to this end as the election of the Union State ticket in October next. Having originated that ticket himself—having for two months at Harrisburg, last winter, exerted himself to procure its sanction by the opposition members of the Legislature—having participated in the nomination of the gentleman who names it here, he knew its whole history and aim. It was formed for the purpose of purifying the State government of the corruption and mismanagement that has so long disgraced it. As we had placed a citizen of consummate integrity at the head of the State, we desired to see him surrounded by men of equal purity of principle, who would honestly unite with him in an effort to check the gross extravagance and the waste of public money, that had so long marked the Canal Board, and other branches of the government. For this purpose it was necessary to form a ticket which would unite the whole opposition in its support."

Mr. Laporte, a member of the Legislature from Bradford county, was nominated for Surveyor General from the Republican ranks. His father had filled the same office, with great distinction, under Gov. Shunk, and he himself is a practical surveyor. He is a gentleman of sound practical ability, and I never remember, said Mr. M., to have associated in any public business with a gentleman for whom I formed a higher esteem. A more honorable, pure, upright, frank-hearted and open-minded man than Bartholomew Laporte does not live within the limits of Pennsylvania. He is a high-toned, liberal, true man, worthy of the suffrages of all who can appreciate the sterling qualities of human nature.

My particular friend, Darwin Phelps, is the candidate for Auditor General, and an accomplished lawyer, with the head of a statesman, and the incorruptible temper and nature of Cato, the Censor. His conscientious, scrupulous conduct gave him great influence in the Legislature, and though members might differ with him in judgment on particular measures, none dared to question his honesty of purpose or the sincerity of his convictions. The era of reform will, indeed, be inaugurated, when such a man is placed at the Auditor's bureau. Mr. P. was selected from the American ranks.

Mr. Cochran, the candidate for Canal Commissioner, was well known, from his long experience in the Legislature where he had won himself a State reputation. Thoroughly cognizant of the system of Public Improvements, no man was better fitted to probe the abuses of their Administration, or to correct the extravagant and wasteful expenditures of which they had been the fruitful source. Mr. C. was nominated as an Old Line Whig. A strong ticket, it is all respects, never has been placed before the people of Pennsylvania. Its election would not only be a political triumph, but a moral one.

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## THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The Convention of Delegates, assembled in pursuance of a call addressed to the People of the United States, without regard to past political differences or divisions, who are opposed to the repeal of the Missouri compromise; to the policy of the present Administration; to the extension of Slavery into Kansas; and in favor of the admission of Kansas as a Free State; of restoring the action of the Federal Government to the principles of Washington and Jefferson; and for the purpose of presenting candidates for the offices of President and Vice President, do resolve as follows:

**RESOLVED,** That the maintenance of the principles promulgated in the Declaration of Independence, and embodied in the Federal Constitution, are essential to the preservation of our republican institutions; and that the Federal Constitution the rights of the States, and the union of the States, shall be preserved.

**RESOLVED,** That, with our Republican Fathers, we hold it to be a self-evident truth that all men are endowed with inalienable rights to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," and that the primary object and ulterior designs of our Federal Government were to secure these rights to all persons within its exclusive jurisdiction; that—our Republican Fathers, when they had abolished Slavery in all our national territory, ordained that no person should be deprived of property," without the process of law, it becomes our duty to maintain this provision of the Constitution against all attempts to violate it, for the purpose of establishing Slavery in the territories of the United States, by positive legislation prohibiting its existence or extension therein. That we deny the authority of Congress, of a Territorial Legislature, or any individual or association of individuals to give legal assistance to Slavery in any territory of the United States, while the present Constitution shall be maintained.

**RESOLVED,** That the Constitution confers upon Congress sovereign power over the Territories of the United States for their government, and that in the exercise of this power, it is both the right and duty of Congress to prohibit in the Territories, those twin relics of barbarism, Polygamy and Slavery.

**RESOLVED,** That while the Constitution of the United States, was ordained and established in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defence, and secure the blessings of liberty, and contains ample provisions for the protection of "life, liberty and property" of every citizen, the dearest constitutional rights of the people of Kansas have been fraudulently and violently taken from them—their territory has been invaded by an armed force, spurious and pretended legislative, judicial, and executive officers have been set over them, by whose usurped authority, sustained by the military power of the government; tyrannical and unconstitutional laws have been enacted and enforced; the rights of the people to keep and bear arms have been infringed; test oaths of an extraordinary and entangling nature have been imposed as a condition of exercising the right of suffrage, and holding office; the right of an accused