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NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President, JOHN C. BRECKENRIDGE, Of Kentucky.

For Vice-President, GEN. JO. LANE, Of Oregon.

Presidential Electors.

- 1st Electoral District.—Judge OCTAVE ROUSSEAU, Elector.—PIERRE LAPOSTOLLE, Sub-Elector. 2d District.—BERNARD AUSTINE, Elector.—C. D. YANCY, Sub-Elector. 3d District.—FRANCOIS LANDRY, Elector.—F. S. GOODE, Sub-Elector. 4th District.—B. S. SIMMES, Elector.—JULES BELANC, Sub-Elector. 5th District.—JULES G. OLIVIER, Elector.—J. K. ELGEE, Sub-Elector. 6th District.—W. M. LEVY, Elector.—W. R. PECK, Sub-Elector.

Democratic Platform.

Resolved, That the platform adopted by the Democratic party at Cincinnati be affirmed with the following resolutions:

- 1. Resolved, That the government of a Territory organized by an act of Congress is provisional and temporary, and during its existence all citizens of the United States have an equal right to settle with their property in a Territory without their rights, either of person or property, being destroyed or impaired by Congressional or Territorial legislation. 2. Resolved, That it is the duty of the Federal Government in all its departments to protect, when necessary, the rights of persons and property in the Territories and wherever else its Constitutional authority extends. 3. Resolved, That when settlers in a Territory having an adequate population to form a State Constitution, the rights of sovereignty commence, and being consummated by an admission into the Union, they stand on an equal footing with the people of other States; and that a State thus organized ought to be admitted into the Federal Union, whether its constitution prohibits or recognizes the institution of slavery. 4. Resolved, That the Democratic party are in favor of the acquisition of Cuba on such terms as shall be honorable to ourselves and just to Spain, at the earliest practicable moment. 5. Resolved, That the enactments of State Legislatures to obstruct the faithful execution of the Fugitive Slave law are hostile in character to and subversive of the Constitution and revolutionary in their effect. 6. Resolved, That the Democracy of the United States recognize it as an imperative duty of this Government to protect naturalized citizens in all their rights, whether at home or in foreign lands, to the same extent as native-born citizens. And whereas, One of the greatest necessities of the age, in a political, commercial, postal and military point of view, is a speedy communication between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts; therefore, be it 7. Resolved, That the National Democratic party do hereby pledge themselves to use every means in their power to secure the passage of some bill to the extent of the constitutional authority of Congress for the construction of a Pacific Railroad, from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean, at the earliest practicable moment.

The Constitution and the Equality of the States. These are symbols of civilization. Let these be the rallying cries of the people. Instead of breaking up the Union, we intend to strengthen and to lengthen it. We know no section as distinct from the other; we know the Constitution and the States under it, and their rights are guaranteed under that instrument. Joseph Lane.

PLAQUEMINE: Saturday, July 21, 1860.

Our Campaign Paper.

As our campaign has now commenced in earnest, and as our paper will be devoted almost exclusively to politics during the contest, we offer it till the 15th of November next, at \$1 the single copy, in advance. To Clubs, ordering five copies and upwards, a deduction of ten per cent will be made. We trust that the various Clubs of Iberville will come forward liberally with their orders. We can say, we think without egotism, that the "Gazette & Sentinel" will compare favorably with any other interior campaign journal.

Our friend Mr. J. H. BALCH, who is now employed taking the Census, is authorized to receive subscriptions (either for the campaign or by the year) and to receive and receipt for all monies on account of the same.

See advertisement of Umbrella lost.

We acknowledge the receipt of a handbill, signed by over a hundred names, calling for a Breckinridge and Lane ratification meeting to be held in Clinton, East Feliciana, on Saturday next.

We are happy to perceive that our Recorder, Mr. A. PERRY, has recovered from his dangerous illness, and is again engaged in the duties of his office. His Deputy, Mr. B. RITS, we believe, still confined to his room.

The steamer Uncle Sam sank a flatboat of Mr. MARX's a few nights since, while making a landing at our wharf, when the Captain immediately and very honorably put his hand in his pocket and handed over the "damages."

See Mr. LEVY's advertisement.

We return our thanks to Judge R. C. DOWNES for several Baltimore papers and documents of interest. He was to have left Baltimore for home on the evening of the day he favors.

Our Ratification Meeting last Saturday.

Our meeting last Saturday to ratify the nominations of BRECKENRIDGE and LANE, was all that the most anxious and enthusiastic of the party could desire. In number, earnestness and animation, it was alike the Democratic gatherings of old, before ambitious aspirants had formed the flame of disaffection and disorganization in our ranks. The extreme heat of the weather had no effect in deterring the Democracy of Iberville from the proud duty of assembling together and proclaiming their hearty concurrence in the nominations for President and Vice President which the National Constitutional Democratic Convention has submitted to the approbation and support of the party and people of the Union.

At an early hour of the day, our Democratic 9 pounder sent forth its thunder far and wide, giving evidence that patriotism was at a premium, and that something unusual was on hand.

At about 11 o'clock Beihler's Band of Music struck up the first notes of the campaign, and in their revivifying strains, men fell in, in order, as if they were marching to a duty—and in a few seconds the Court-house was crowded to suffocation.

On no occasion in the parish, as far as our memory serves us, have we ever seen a finer Democratic turn-out—nor a more sanguine, determined and enthusiastic array of countenances. It is ever thus with the Democracy. It must be in a position of difficulty—when the jeopardy of defeat, without unity of action and energy, is glaring and certain—to awaken the latent fires of invincible determination which lay smouldering within. It is aware of the dangers that surround and menace the party as well as the country. For that country as for its own being, it well knows that in this canvass it must "do or die!" But with a WILL that never yet succumbed in hours of great peril, it feels now as of yore, that it shall sweep all opposition before it, and record another proud victory in November. Such is the sentiment and feeling of the Democracy of Iberville.

For the proceedings of the meeting, we refer the reader to the official account in another column. The resolutions will be found to come square up to the principles and issues of the party.

After the main business of the meeting had been got through with, several gentlemen were called upon, in the name of the Democratic party, to "stand and deliver!" but no one present, with heat at 97, had the temerity to acquiesce, save Mr. M. A. ESTEVAN, who arose, and for nearly an hour expatiated upon the Democratic prospects, principles and issues of the canvass. He was frequently and warmly applauded.

The speaker had scarcely taken his seat, when the tall and stalwart figure of Col. E. W. ROBERTSON, "Old Ironsides," was seen entering the Court-house; he had just arrived. It was the occasion for enthusiastic cries of "Robertson!" "Robertson!" The band however struck up a lively air, which made all else quiet for the while. At the conclusion of which, the Colonel, already looking fatigued, arose and made his obeisance to the meeting. He was not prepared to do justice to the occasion nor to meet the expectations of his friends. He had been notified but the day previous of the duty required of him, and he had not time properly to prepare himself.

Under no circumstances would he ever be so decreant, when the Democracy of Iberville, which he so often honored him, called upon him "to the rescue!" We shall not attempt to follow Col. ROBERTSON through his very able speech, (the best effort in fact that we ever heard him make) for the reason that we took no notes of his principal points, and do not feel capable from memory to do him justice. He ably vindicated the course of our delegates at Charleston—showed up in the light of truth and to the satisfaction of all, the culpable and nefarious action of the "bogus" convention at Donaldsonville, composed of all the isms arrayed against Democracy—exposed the falsity of its assumed representation from the various parishes—and showed how deep was the insult and the injury done us by the Douglas Convention in Baltimore, as was also done to Alabama, in refusing admission to the true and legitimate delegates from that State as from this. He proved the correctness of the action, under the circumstances and exigencies of the moment, of the Democratic State Central Committee, in issuing its proclamation for the re-assembling of the State Convention—and on the whole thought the Democracy, in support of the nominations which it had come together to ratify, was never in a prouder or a nobler position.

The Col's speech was interlarded with bursts of eloquence and amusing anecdote, that commanded enthusiastic applause and the most uproarious mirth. With his speech ended the meeting with "three cheers for Breckinridge and Lane!" and with feelings of the happiest nature in consequence of the enthusiasm and unanimity of sentiment that characterized it.

TAKING THE CENSUS.—Mr. J. H. BALCH is now engaged taking the Census of this parish, and all good citizens will evince their appreciation of the labor and petty difficulties attendant upon his duties, by assisting him as much as possible by being ready to answer his interrogations—the nature of which all newspaper readers must be acquainted with—and by leaving a proper memorandum if absent. It is a bad season to take the census here, when the weather is so hot, and when such a large number of our citizens are away.

HEALTH.—Our town at present, as far as we can learn, is comparatively healthy.

Singular Mortality. On a night in February last, four citizens of this parish, without any previous notification or design, except what the desire and impulse of the moment influenced, suddenly found themselves together in the public highway. One had just finished his day's labor, and was on his way to his family and fireside. He was stopped by two others, one of both of whom, wished to cross the river to come to Plaquemine. There was no previous misunderstanding among the party; but after a few words, contradictions and high words passed between the first named person and one of the two last mentioned, when a third person was called up by the first to prove what he had advanced. The difficulty however increased, which resulted in the latter shooting the former, who died in about three days.

The deceased was Alfred Brown, his antagonist Joseph Houssieux; his friend, Jerome Sartorio, and Williams an employe of Brown, were the witnesses. Houssieux was committed to jail for murder. Before his trial came on Williams had died. Houssieux was tried and acquitted on the ground that Brown had struck him first. In his dying declaration however, Brown asserted that he did not strike him at all. Since the trial, Sartorio, a witness for the defence, has also died; and now Houssieux himself, as will be seen elsewhere, has followed them to the tomb.—It will add to the interest of these events, the fact that the physician first called in, a warm friend of Mr. Brown, who admonished him of his approaching end, also died a few weeks since. And all in the space of five months!

JOHN C. BRECKENRIDGE.—We request the reader's perusal of the sketch of the character and career of this eminent gentleman, which will be found in our supplement, and which is taken from the Philadelphia Inquirer. Its main interest arises from the fact that it was written and published prior to the Charleston Convention. It is a noble tribute to the gallant Kentuckian, our nominee for the Presidency. It deserves to be extensively circulated and read. The writer evidently believes, with thousands of others, that he is not only the man for the times, but that it is the irrevocable fiat of destiny that he be our next President. In a State where a paper of the Inquirer's standing expresses even before the nomination, so exalted an opinion of Mr. BRECKENRIDGE, the conclusion becomes strong that he is popular in such State. We count on Pennsylvania. 'Tis she that will decide the battle.

STILL DEPARTING.—Our friend J. J. HERBERT, with his family, left for St. Louis on Tuesday, where he leaves his sons at the Catholic institution in that city, previous to his return home, after spending a short season among his old acquaintances. Mr. Theodore Johnston left with his son for Hampton, Va., on Monday. The Collegiate Institution in that place is said to be very popular in the South, as also is the one in St. Louis very popular among the Catholic community of this State.

FLATTERING TO DOUGLAS!—We understand that four of the seven gentlemen who were appointed as a Parish Central Committee at the Bayou Goula-Donaldsonville-Convention Meeting, have arrayed themselves, like gallant and patriotic soldiers, under the banner of Breckinridge and Lane! 'Tis thus the great ball is rolling.

THE CANVASS.—The demonstration made at the late ratification meeting in Baton Rouge, shows how "the cat will jump" in that parish on the 5th of November next. The "Old War Horse," Col. Davidson, is in the field, as also "Old Ironsides," gallant Col. Ed. Robertson, our efficient State Auditor.—Both will, we learn, speak to-day at Manchac, at Greenwell Springs on the 25th, and on the 28th at Brusle Landing.

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READING FOR THE MILLION.

John C. Heenan, "The World Champion" has arrived at New York. The Prince of Wales left England for Canada on the 12th. He will visit Washington. At the invitation of the President Victoria, replied affirmatively in an autograph letter, thanking him for his courtesy, and complimenting the sovereign people. A man in Spain has written off the whole of Don Quixote on a sheet of Spanish foolscap, at the expense of a loss of an eye. Dr Hayes' Arctic expedition left Boston on the 7th for that inhospitable region. The price now for admission into the Great Eastern, is 50 cents a head. A. B. Miller is the name of the captain who refused to assist the sufferers of the Ben Lewis. He has had to leave his boat, the Bay City. Mrs. Scripture, in Boston, killed herself because her husband committed a robbery. It would have been better for him if he had acted in obedience to Scripture. A man of respectable appearance, fell dead in New Orleans last week, near Lafayette square, while walking with his wife—cause, sun stroke. It is said that all the wives of the candidates for the Presidency are of Southern birth and education. The Delta of Thursday says there has been no yellow fever as yet in New Orleans. There were in the city last week, 42 deaths from sun stroke, and 40 from apoplexy. Wm. B. Astor is worth \$25,000,000. Paul Morphy has gone to Paris to reside definitely.

The Latest Items. Previous to the departure of the Japanese, they presented \$20,000 through Mr. Belmont, to the Police of the several cities they visited. Ralph Farnham, of Acteon, Me., aged 104, is the only survivor of the Battle of Bunker Hill. The carriage which was presented to Gen. Jackson thirty years ago was recently sold for sixteen dollars. 220 children are born in London daily. There is no truth in the report that Mr. Breckinridge is about to visit California. The Prince of Wales has arrived in New Brunswick; he is said to be a dull youth, of very common intellectual powers. A challenge appearing in the Herald, on the 17th, signed Morrissey, challenging Heenan to fight, was immediately accepted by the latter, when the former came out and denied the authorship of the challenge. There isn't a single Douglassite in Buckingham county, Va.!

The Washington correspondent of the New York Journal of Commerce thinks every Southern State, including Missouri and Maryland, and Tennessee, will certainly support Breckinridge and Lane. The Pacific States are quite certain for the same ticket. The close vote in Oregon was given before Gen. Lane's nomination was known there. The question is, whether for this nomination twenty-five votes North of Mason and Dixou's line can be procured. The correspondent has no doubt of it as yet, though it is not time to say exactly whether or how. New Jersey is good for her electoral vote to begin with.

A lady sixty years of age, eloped from Buffalo, with a hack driver, arrived in Albany was arrested and sent back.

A Young "Bruiser."—We find the following in the columns of the Delta: BORN—In New York, on the 2d, a Son to John C. and Adah I. M. Heenan.

MARRIED. In this town, on Tuesday last, by the Rev. Mr. Fallot, Mr. L. W. DALLAS to Miss Mary MADELINE HEELEIN.

DIED. In this town on Monday last, JOSEPH HOUSSEUX, in the 38th year of his age.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Iberville—6th Judicial District Court. In matter of Estate of Ludvine Landry, deceased.

WHEREAS, Jules Vivos, has this day filed in the Clerk's office of this Court, his final account of Administration of the estate of Ludvine Landry, dec'd., in his capacity of said testamentary Executor—

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern to show cause within thirty days from the date of the publication hereof, the reasons why said Tableau should not be homologated and made a judgment of this Court, and the Administrator's bond cancelled. Iberville, July 18, 1860. M. A. ESTEVAN, Clerk.

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Etat de la Louisiane—Paroisse d'Iberville—Cour du 6me District Judiciaire. Succession de feue Ophelia Bergeron. ATTENDU, que Toussaint Derocher a ce jour enlisse en cette cour son Tableau Final d'Administration de la succession de feue Ophelia Bergeron—

Avis est par le present donnee a tous ceux que cela concerne de deduire sous trente jours de la date de ce present les raisons pour lesquelles le dit Tableau Final ne serait pas homologue et fait le jugement de cette Cour, et le cautionnement de l'Executeur annule. Iberville, Juillet 18, 1860. M. A. ESTEVAN, Greffier.

Etat de la Louisiane—Paroisse d'Iberville, Cour du 6me District. Succession de feue Ludvine Landry. ATTENDU, que Jules Vivos a ce jour enlisse dans le bureau du Greffier de cette Cour son tableau final d'Administration de la succession de feue Ludvine Landry, en sa capacite d'executeur testamentaire d'elle.

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