The official call for a convention to be held at Hopkinsville to nominate a Democratic candidate for

Resolved, That a district convention shall be held in the first railroad district of Kentucky on Wednesday, March 8, 1899, for the purcandidate for railroad commissioner in said district. Said convention shall meet in the city of Hopkinsville at 11 o'clock a. m. Deleto be held at various county seats their own in any show, in the district at 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, March 4, 1899.

the presidential election in 18%,

tions to select delegates.

J. D. Mocourry Chargman. CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Secretary.

Democrats Take Notice.

house in Hopkinsville, Kv., at 1:30 o'clock, upon Saturday March 4th. 1899 for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the convention at store fronting on the largest thorfor Railroad Commissioner to: therariroad Commissioner's District cloudiness, still, visitors were conin Kentucky

ISAAC GARROTT, Chairman, GEO. E. GARY Sec'y., Dem. Co. Com.

Southland.

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Last mouth (January) we had the pleasure of meeting a large number of pondity own whose homes the in the Saith, a le visiting the exhibition at Momphis, Tenn., and to say that we were pleased with them and their exhibits is putting it mildly, as their hospitality was almost boundless, while their stocks shows rapid advancement in the line of breeding and discrimination as well as management. We have visited some portions of the South nearly every year for the past ten yeas, and it is gratifying year by year, to note the improvement in this branch of stock raising which is our specialty.

It has been asserted for many years, principally by assumption without positive knowledge, that as fine specimens tould not be produced in the South, as in the East and West. This we believe to be unfounded. As fine birds are bred in Southern Ohio, southern Indiana, southern Illinois and Missouri as are bred elsewhere, and the same may be said of the Carolinas. Virginra, the north half of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisana, the whole states of Kentucky. Tennessec and Arkansas, are similar in climate and can under proper management do equally well.

Years ago it was asserted by an Eastern Light Brahma breeder that the fine color could only be produced in New England but it did not take many years for Western poultrymen to upset that statement, and the South are proving by the fine specimens shown, that they too can not be forestalled by such erroneous theories. Two years ago we saw an exhibit of Light Brahmas by Geo. M. Clark at Chattanooga, Tenn., that ranked among the best shown that year, among which was a cock two years of which scored about 94% points, the best L. B. cock we saw that year This year at Memphis, the same exhibitor showed an L. B. cock three years old which casily reaches 94% points, in fact his whole exhibit was of a high order of mern A lady from Alabama, we do not remember her name, exhibited a fine line of White Wyandottes bred and reared by herself which for size and purity of plumage could hardly be excelled in any locality of the United States. Silver S. Hamburgs were shown by N. L.

Miss., which were fine in all that goes to make high scoring specimens. He also showed Barred P. Rocks excellent in size and color. Black Langshans shown at Memphis were good in size and color, and the whole class were freer from purple and bronze than is usually seen in northern exhibitions. Mr. railroad commissioner, issued by E. Dunstan, of Winona, Miss., exthe Democratic committee of the hibited Buff Cochins reared by First railroad district, is as fol- himself, which were first-class, showing long and abundant feathers, and fairly good color. There were Bantams from Texas that would be heard from in any show. The Leghorn classes were good, pose of nominating a Democratic many specimens in Brown, Buff and White which for size, color and style deserves the highest commendation. Carl C. Moore, of Hopkinsville, Ky., showed a fine string of gates to said convention shall be C. I. Game, the females of which for chosen at county mass conventions, size, color and weight could hold

It is unnecessary to make special mention further, and it can truth-That the basis of representation fully be said that for the first exhifrom each county to the district bition the Miss. Valley Poultry Asconvention shall be one delegate for sociation was one of high merit and in the oil; hold it there a moment every 200 votes and each fraction has shown to the world at large and withdraw; immediately wipe over 100 votes cast for the head of that the South has good stock and the head dry to prevent feathers the Democratic electorial ticket at that it is not impossible to raise as good thoroughbred poultry in that That all known Democrats and part of Uncle Sam's domain as in others who will pledge themselves any other. The South is waking up to support the nominee of said dis- to this interest and already large trict convention shall be entitled to "poultry plants" are being estab- cayenne pepper and mustard;make participate in the county conven- lished in various localities. The into pill size of top joint of little at Memphis assured us that he is dose in twelve or twenty-four hours sparing no expense to make it com- as case requires. plete in all of its appointments, and A Democratic Mass Convention is specimens gracing its yards. His pint of water and give the bird a hereby called to meet at the court exhibit at Memphis was very large teaspoonful of the solution. Burn number of high-scoring specimens, ter the fowls have gone to roost.

The exhibition hall was a large Hopkinsville, Ky, which meets upon oughfare of the city, running back March 8, 1899, for the purpose of to the alley; three floors were used nominating a democratic candidate for the exhibition. Although the week was one of rain, mist and tinually coming and going, but probably the crowd would have been three times as large had the weather been propitious. Already the management were discussing the undertaking of their next annual show. While there, we met others of the Mississippi State Poultry Association, as well as offiers of the Arkansas State Poultry (Association and they assured us that efforts were being made looking to exhibitions next year in their respective states. We have extended this report to show our readers the great awakening in the South and to give them an insight to the resources and possibilities of that country in producing fine fowl. It should also be remembered that those first in this new field will be the first to reap the best returns from their efforts.

Sassafras and Lice.

In every experiment made with the use of sassafras in any one form as a remedy against lice it has given excellent results. One who tried the method gave a teaspoon ful of oil of sassafras in the mixed food of ten hens twice a week, and claims that lice left the bodies of the lowls. The use of sassafras root, steeped in boiling water, the water being used for drenching the roosts proved excellent, and even poles of sassalras as roosts are better than any other to prexent lice A mixture of one part sassafras oil and four parts sweet oil, applying a few drops on the head, comb, face, wattles, legs, under the wings and around the vent, is excellent, and when well rubbed into the skin of the head and neck is a sure remedy for the large head lice. Bear in mind that when using oil or grease of any kind on fowls only a little should be applied, as grease will sometimes destroy chicks. As a spray for poultry house use kerosene emulsion (or kerosene), adding a gill of sassafras oil and half a pint of crude carbolic acid to a gallon of kerosene or emulsion. I'wo or three application, will destroy not only the lice, but the "nits" and eggs. Mirror and Far-

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REMEDIES FOR ROUP.

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Roup is principally caused by draughts, damp houses, small cracks in walls near roost poles. insufficient protection from sudden changes in the weather at this season of the year. The disease is contagious and sick fowls should at once be separated from the flock.

R. W. Davison says:-First remove all causes of colds, such as cracks, overhead ventilators, dampness, etc. When fowls are first affected add spongia to the drinking water, say 25 to 40 drops of the tincture to a pailful.

Dr. Woods gives the following remedy:-Tincture of aconite, ten drops; tincture of spongia, ten drops; alcohol enough to make one ounce. Put a teaspoontul of this in a quart of drinking water daily.

Should the head swell, and cheesy matter form in the roof of the mouth take a quart can and fill it with kerosene oil, take the bird by the feet and neck and plunge the head from falling out.

A. F. Hunter, editor of Farm Poultry recommends the following -A tablespoonful of clear lard, half a teaspoonful each of ginger. proprietor of Bellevne Poultry Farm finger and administer, repeating

P. H. Jacob says:-Dissolve a already has hundreds of elegant teaspoonful of chloride of lime in a and fine, and contained a large tar and turpentine in the house af-

> W. D. Elwell, in Reliable Poultry Journal, says the following remedy has proven very effective in over one hundred cases curing every one: Cider vinegar, one pint; the wings and legs securely with advantage to start at once with a the other and dip the head well into the solution. Hold it there as long as you can without choking the fowl, dip about three times: repeat the operation night and morning and two or three days will ef-

In aggravated cases the hatchet is the best remedy. Southern

To cure cases of long standing where the heads are swelled and be eyes are frothy, use the sharp point of a small pen knife blade, open the swelled face down near the beak. There is no pus, only a white, slimy substance, slightly white of an egg. With the back of the knife press all of this out of the opening, pour a teaspoonful of carbolic acid into two tablespoonfuls of water, and with a small syringe cleanse the cavity with the acid solution; then into the cavity insert small plugs of medicated cotton that have been saturated with the acid and water; allow them to remain three da s; then remove with a steel crochet book: keep these openings open as long as you think t necessary. The great trouble with them is that they heal over too quickly and have to be reopened .-Michigan Poultry Breeder,

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