



Rough and Ready Club.—Extract from the minutes of the proceedings of the "Rough and Ready Club," at a meeting held on the 31st ult.:

"On motion of J. C. Davis, Esq., it was resolved, that article 1st of the bye-laws of the Rough and Ready Club be amended so as to read thus:—Art. 1st. The meeting of this Club shall be held at the Court House every Saturday at 10 o'clock, A. M. On motion of J. M. Jones, Esq., it was resolved, that the Recording Secretary be and is hereby requested and instructed to have the above time and place of meeting of the Club published in the Southern Sentinel as a standing advertisement during the campaign."

J. L. HORNSBY, President. J. S. WENN, Recording Secretary.

NOTICE.

HAVING received my commission from the Auditor of Public Accounts, as Auctioneer for this Parish, the public are respectfully informed that all duties appertaining to my vocation, will be punctually and promptly attended to.

BENJAMIN DEBLIEUX.

Selling off at Cost for Cash.

BEING desirous to close out our old stock of goods, previous to receiving our Fall and Winter supply, we now offer our entire stock of Dry Goods at present on hand, at cost for cash.

BRINEGAR.

FEW gallons of 15 years old Apple Brandy on hand, and for sale at \$1.50 per gallon, by

BRINEGAR.

JUST received a fresh supply of superior Kentucky Lard, and for sale by

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LARGE supply of superior sugar cured Hams, just received and for sale by

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SUPERIOR LOT of Old "Bourbon" Whisky, for sale by

BRINEGAR.

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ROTH, BROTHER & CO. are now receiving from the North a general assortment of Best quality Jewellery—received direct from the manufacturer, and is warranted in all cases of the best material and make. Clothing for gents, of best quality and style; Shoes and Boots of all kinds, and well made; A general assortment of Hardware.

ROTH, BRO & CO.

TWO Thousand yards Lindsey; 1500 yards Jeans, for sale by

ROTH, BRO & CO.

FIFTEEN bbls Packing Yarn; 25 bbls Lard Oil for sugar house; 10 bales Oakum; 10 tons assorted Iron, suitable for plantation use; Barrel and Hoghead Truss Hoops; White Lead and Linseed Oil.

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LOOKING GLASSES of all sizes for sale by

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ONE Thousand pair best and second quality of Knives and Brogans; for sale by

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REGULAR PACKET.—For the Coast, Donaldsonville, Plaquemine, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson, Waterloo, Bayou Sara.—The regular packet steamboat ELISKA, J. G. Landry, master, will leave New Orleans every SUNDAY at 9 A. M., and WEDNESDAY at 9 A. M., returning will leave Baton Rouge every Monday and Thursday at 10 o'clock, A. M.

For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply on board or to BRAUD & LANDRY, Bienville street. GERARD & FERRIER, Conti street. Aug. 28—tf.

NOTICE.—Will be sold by Adolphe Grass, Treasurer, on MONDAY, 11th day of September next, at the court house of the Parish of Iberville, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to the highest and last bidder, all the ferries of the Parish of Iberville, for the term of one year, to commence on the 12th day of November next. Said ferries to be sold under the rules and regulations established by law, and the ordinance of the Police Jury of this Parish.

ADOLPHE GRASS, Treasurer. Parish of Iberville, August 10, 1848.

AVIS.—Il sera vendu par Adolphe Grass, Trésorier, Le dimanche 11ème jour de Septembre, 1848, à la maison de Cour de la paroisse d'Iberville, à 10 heures A. M., au plus offrant et dernier enchérisseur, tous les Ferries de la paroisse d'Iberville, pour le terme d'une année, à dater du 12 Novembre prochain. Lesdits Ferries seront vendus d'après les règles établies par les lois et les ordonnances du Juri de Police de cette paroisse.

ADOLPHE GRASS, Trésorier. Paroisse d'Iberville le 10 Août 1848.

J. PETERS, WATCHMAKER, AND JEWELLER. Pipkins street, Plaquemine opposite Mr. A. Porron's Coffee House. Dec. 25.

FIVE HUNDRED LBS. Spanish Whiting; 500 lbs Rosin; 150 lbs Venetian Red; 150 lbs Yellow Ochre; 500 lbs Epsom Salt; for sale by

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The Prospect.

THERE IS WORK TO BE DONE.—SEE TO IT.

We find the following encouraging article in the N. Y. Express of late date: "The nomination of Mr. Van Buren, at Buffalo is, however, a fortunate event for the Whig Taylor party; much more fortunate than if a Whig had been taken, and it removes all doubt, if any ever existed, of the election of Taylor to the Presidency. In 1844, the vote of New York was:—

Table with 3 columns: Polk (237,588), Clay (232,482), Abolition (15,812).

"Mr. Van Buren and Mr. Cass will now about divide this vote of 237,588,—leaving, say 118,794 for Van Buren, and 118,794 for Cass, thus giving over 100,000 plurality in the State of New York for Taylor. But granting that Mr. Van Buren—an utter impossibility—should get some 40,000 thousand run mad Whigs to vote for him, yet General Taylor will have an immense plurality, sweeping all before him. The divisions of the Locofoco party, if the Whig columns stand firm, and as here, in this part of the State, where Mr. Clay's friends were and are most numerous and zealous, we have the means of judging of that best, we can safely say, from the best of our knowledge and judgment, that Gen. Taylor's majority will be larger than was ever before under any circumstances, given to any Whig candidate.

"Now the like cause, but to a less extent, however, it must be admitted, which operate upon New York, are operating upon Pennsylvania and all New England, and upon Ohio. If in Pennsylvania any sort of a Van Buren Electoral ticket is gotten up, every voter for it is a subtraction from the Democratic party, for no Whigs are Van Buren men there,—and therefore just so much of a subtraction of the majority that the Whigs there have to encounter. Such a ticket is to be got up at Reading at an early period, and we look upon it as securing to the Whigs the State. New England is just as impregnable as it ever was. You catch no New England old Yankee Whig throwing away his vote for Van Buren, or whatever loss there is, it will be at the rate of one Whig taking with him five Van Buren men, and to that extent breaking up the Democratic party. In Ohio there has been much to apprehend, but unless we much mistake the tone and temper of that people, the doubt is settled by the nomination of Van Buren. Whigs of Ohio will not vote for Van Buren, but Democrats will, and to that extent break down and disorganize the Democratic party. We look upon the three great central States of the Union as now certain, if the Whig columns only stand as they have ever stood, through twenty years of adversity, firm. Twenty years of wrong they must remember they have now to right. Twenty years of suffering, oppression, and proscription to revenge. And will they not stand firm!

"The West is doing well enough. Mr. Clay himself, in his vote for Mr. Crittenden, has pointed out the way for all true Whigs to go,—and Mr. Clay himself has thrown cold water upon the expectations of all who supposed that through his influence Kentucky was to wheel out of line, because Mr. Clay was not nominated for the Presidency. The indications in the West are generally pretty much what they were when Gen. Harrison swept that region. All the Southern States that we got in 1840, we shall get with Gen. Taylor in 1848, and probably Florida, and it may be Mississippi and Virginia. In Virginia, the Whigs can overthrow the Democratic party if in the strong Democratic counties they send their best speakers, and make a loud, long, and hearty fight. Shenandoah and Rockingham are not invincible with General Taylor,—and break

down the majorities there, and the State is safe.

"The spectacle now, then, that the Whig party presents, since the coalition of Barnburners and the Abolitionists, with Martin Van Buren (Barnburner) for President, and Charles F. Adams (Abolitionist) for Vice President, is as satisfactory and as united as in any exciting canvass, a Whig could we desire. We have lost all we have to lose,—and how few are missing, or if missed, many more have come to take their places. The true Northern Yankee practical sense is discovering its interests and what is patriotism, fast. The real issue is Taylor or Cass. He who reasons well, says: "Van Buren will have a large number of electors, but no electoral votes. Shall I then vote upon an abstraction, and throw my vote away, as did the Birney men in 1844?" He answers no. "The best I can do is to be done, and that is in voting the Taylor ticket. If Cass is elected then comes the renewed war upon American industry, the continued Sub-Treasury, the rabid rampant man made President, who in France adulated the King and Court of France to the skies, but who at home is stimulating his countrymen to all sorts of wars and aggressions. Peace with the soldier Taylor. War with the demagogue Cass. Home industry safe, with Taylor from vetoes. Power and Patronage to oppose me, with Cass, "Buffalo Hunts" as well as Buffalo parties, with Cass,—no more wars, nor conquests, with Taylor. Cuba and Canada and Cass.—Peace, Prosperity and Probity with Taylor."

"But remember Whigs, nothing is to be done without WORK. No man or party deserves success but as it works. Work is the Law of Life. Victory will have nothing to do but with WORK. Whoever or whatever will not work must die.—Work alone works out everything successfully. As well sit down, and expect to see corn grow, or bread made, when the corn is grown, or clothes spring spontaneously upon your own back and limbs from the cotton pod or sheep's back, as expect a political triumph unless you work for it. Work, we repeat, is the law of life. He who stands still, goes astern,—for the world runs on and leaves him behind it."

GEN. TAYLOR IN PENNSYLVANIA.—The Philadelphia Inquirer—one of the ablest and best informed journals in the State—says:

We have hitherto refrained from speculations as to the result of the Presidential election in Pennsylvania. We have no desire to deceive our friends by false hopes, or advance opinions unauthorized by facts. An insight into a correspondence with all parts of the State, and the reports of persons of good judgment, who speak from personal observation, guarantee the belief of the reasonable and the unprejudiced that the Taylor and Fillmore ticket will obtain the electoral vote of this State by a large majority."

The Inquirer believes that Van Buren will receive 15,000 Locofoco votes in Pennsylvania, and not more than one thousand Whig Free Soil votes; and that Taylor will obtain a large accession from the rank and file of the Democratic party. We place great faith in the statements of the Inquirer, having ever remarked that it is a cool, dispassionate and sagacious observer.

Extract from a letter from an intelligent citizen, of Natchez, dated Harrodsburg, Ky., Aug. 20th, 1848:

"On my way to Nashville, Tenn., I was of course alive to all that was doing in politics. You may be assured that both Kentucky and Tennessee will give very large majorities for Gen. Taylor. Judge M— is here, and says, that it is understood, all through the east, that Taylor will get all the eastern Whig States, and that Van Buren's nomination by the Free Soil Convention seals Cass's fate in Ohio, New York and Pennsylvania. It seems to me that it is time southern men were understanding that the race is between a southern slaveholder and republican, and the enemy of southern institutions; and that Cass cannot be elected, and ought not to be thought of. I think now the question is, TAYLOR or VAN BUREN."

Another Witness—Senator Miller Sustained.

A Correspondent of the Charleston Courier brings forward additional proof of the inconsistency and tergiversation of Gen. Cass upon the Wilmot Proviso question, as charged upon him by Senator Miller, of New Jersey. For the benefit of all sceptics on this subject, we beg leave to introduce the testimony of the Hon. Mr. Brinkerhoff, of Ohio, one of the reputed fathers of the Proviso. It is taken from his late speech before the Buffalo Convention, and is conclusive and unanswerable.

"If the Wilmot Proviso is not Democracy, then Gen. Cass' Democracy is entirely new. It is very green, (Laughter.) For, not longer ago than one year, he was loud in his complaints against John Davis for talking against time, and thus preventing him from having an opportunity for voting in its favor. Lewis Cass was then no Democrat, according to the logic of his advocates, or else he has flopped over." (Laughter.)

"I heard Gen. Cass speak in the Senate of the United States. He then professed to be in favor of the principle, but said it was not the time to act upon it. But a short time before, he thought it was both the time for action and expedient to act. Now I cannot turn with him. I defy Gen. Cass to contradict this statement. If he attempts it, I can bring the testimony of nine men—every one of them as good as myself—to substantiate what I have said. [We don't want them—your word is sufficient.] He knows it is true, and hence the expression in his letter, "he thinks there has been a change coming on in the public mind, and in his own." [Great laughter.] I would respect Gen. Cass' opinions, if I thought they were sincere. I respect the sincere opinions of any man, though they lead to a change, for I have experienced such myself. But I believe that Gen. Cass thinks as I do, that the Proviso is both expedient and unconstitutional. I believe that he put his hand in his bosom, and took out his soul and laid it out in view of the devil, for the purpose of receiving a little temporary elevation. (Laughter.) Let the North repudiate him. I believe the South will; and if they do, perhaps there will be others getting up parties to burn barns. (Laughter.)

Let it be remembered, adds the writer, that Mr. Brinkerhoff is a member of Congress, and has had every opportunity of observing Gen. Cass' course upon this question. He defies Gen. Cass to contradict the above statement, and promises to produce the corroborating evidence of nine gentlemen, all as worthy of credence as himself. As a witness, he is entitled to full belief, inasmuch as his opposition to Gen. Taylor is as strong as that to Gen. Cass.—Bee.

If anybody wishes to see superlative impudence personified, just let him listen to a Cass speaker ten or fifteen minutes. In that time he will hear it strongly insisted that Gen. Taylor is a Wilmot Provisoist and positively asserted that Millard Fillmore is an abolitionist! And this is done gravely, too, right in the face of the damning fact that a democratic President recently signed a bill in which the Wilmot Proviso was incorporated and that EVERY northern democratic senator and TWO southern democratic senators voted for its passage through the United States Senate!—Brass must be cheap this season.—Natchez Courier.

Massachusetts.—A very large and enthusiastic Whig meeting was held at Boston the evening of the 29th ultimo. After regularly organizing, a series of resolutions were read and unanimously adopted: They pledged an active and undivided support to Taylor and Fillmore, as the best and only means of securing a sound conservative administration of our government. The venerable and distinguished Abbott Lawrence was present and addressed the meeting. He spoke in the highest terms of Gen. Taylor, endorsing him as a genuine Whig, and a man in every respect fully competent to fill the high office to which the honest people of

this country were about calling him. A number of other gentlemen made speeches, after which the meeting adjourned, amid long and repeated cheers. At the same meeting, whig delegates to the State Convention were appointed, at the head of whom is the Hon. Mr. Winthrop.

P. P. C.—A joke occurred at Washington some time ago, which floats about the fashionable circles there pretty freely: When Mr. Cass was about to leave for his home, he left his card with his brother Senators marked, as is usual in such cases, "P. P. C." Mr. Berrien inquired of his wife, "What does this P. P. C. mean?" "Why, my dear," said Mrs. B., "Your ignorance of conventional manners quite surprises me. It means pity poor Cass."

A Tough Story.—"As I was hunting on the banks of the Sarara," said John Hawkins, a sportsman famous for shooting, both with a long rifle and a long bow, "I saw a fine buck on the other side of the river, and blazed away at him. Just as I drew trigger, a big salmon leaped up in the middle of the stream, right between me and the deer. After passing through him, I found the ball bored into a bee tree, and the honey was running out in a stream as large as a gun barrel. I looked around for something to plug up the hole with, but there was nothing at hand but a rabbit. So I caught him up and tried to jam his tail in the hole, but he struggled so hard that he made me mad, and I flung him away so hard, that I knocked over three braces of partridges and a woodcock with him."

Discovery of Mummies at Durango.—The Texas Star states that about a million have been discovered on the environs of Durango, in Mexico. They are in a sitting posture, but have the same wrapping, bands, and ornaments, as the Egyptians. Among them was found a sculptured head, with a poignard of flint, chaplets, necklaces, &c., of alternate colored beads, fragments of bone, polished like ivory, fine worked elastic tissues, probably our northern Indian rubber cloth, moccasins worked like those of our Indians of to-day, bones of vipers, &c. It remains to continue these interesting researches, and America will become another Egypt to antiquaries, and her ruins will go back to the oldest period of the world, showing doubtless that the ancestors of the Montezumas lived on the Nile.

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