

FOR PRESIDENT, HORACE GREELEY, Of New York. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, GRATZ BROWN, Of Missouri.

MASS MEETING!

A meeting will be held at the Court-house, in St. Francisville, on Saturday, the 20th inst., for the purpose of ratifying the nomination of Horace Greeley and B. Gratz Brown; also to choose delegates to attend the Liberal State Convention, to convene in New Orleans, on the first Monday in August, next.

All who concur in this opinion, irrespective of previous political opinion, are cordially invited to be present at the time and place above mentioned.

Edwin Adams, "the eminent tragedian," won \$4000 on Longfellow.

One hundred and thirty baskets of natural flowers hang from a balcony of one of the Long Branch Hotels.

San Francisco is quietly depriving England of her tea laurels, without so much as saying by your leave.

The greatest "pain annihilator" in existence is said to be a boy who has smashed 1,000 windows this year.

A "society for the encouragement of young men desiring to marry" is organizing among the young ladies at Rondout, N. Y.

There are in the lunatic asylums of Austria one hundred and two persons, each of whom believes that he is the late Emperor Maximilian, of Mexico.

There are in the United States 63,000 church edifices, affording accommodations for twenty-one millions and a half of worshippers.

A copy of the third folio of Shakespeare, printed in 1664, was sold recently at a London auction for one hundred and forty-one pounds, or about seven hundred dollars.

A married woman lately sat up all night darning her husband's stockings, because she read in the newspaper that "in consequence of the wretched condition of the firemen's hose, much property was burnt up."

Picnics in Pennsylvania wind up with what is called the Dolly Varden march—the young ladies standing in a row and the young men passing along the line and kissing each good night.

The most sensible thing Eli Perkins has ever uttered is, that for a girl to whiten her face, pink her lips, redden her cheeks and blacken her eyebrows is to proclaim that she is one of the demi-monde.

It is stated that the State of Texas would contain the entire population of the United States without making it any more thickly settled than Massachusetts, and would hold the entire population of the French Empire (or Republic that now is) and leave uninhabited a margin of sixty miles around the boundary of the State.

A traveler in Alabama, finding his supper to consist of fried beef, fried ham, fried bacon, fried eggs, fried chicken, fried batter cakes and hot coffee, thinks an appropriate epitaph upon the grave of every other man who dies in that country would be, "Killed by a frying pan."

Caleb Cushing says the English papers are to him one of the standing miracles of the age. The exquisite simplicity with which they attack positions which no one cares to defend or tries to defend—positions hopelessly untenable—is a thing you can never explain by any reference to the ordinary rules of human conduct.

Secretary Robeson has for his chief messenger in the Navy Department a man who is denounced by the Washington Republican as a "dead beat" and swindler. It appears that recently he sold a clerkship in the Navy Department to the son of a saloon-keeper in Washington for \$150; that \$50 was paid, and a note for \$100 payable in ninety days was taken for the remainder. The appointment was made by the Secretary, and at the end of the month the broker insisted that the salary should be paid on the undue note. This being refused he had the clerk dismissed. All these facts having been laid before the Secretary of the Navy, he retains the messenger, evidently being afraid to discharge him.

A SORRY SPECTACLE.

The "last ditchers" of Louisiana presented a sorry spectacle at the Varieties Theatre last Friday night. They were there as the ghost of the Democratic party, gravely endeavoring to convince the people that they must accept the apparition as the substantial being of what was once a live party—a controlling power in the land.

These "last ditchers," failing to comprehend the popular will as expressed at Cincinnati, Baltimore, and elsewhere—virtually decreeing the dissolution of the Democratic party, and calling upon the people to rally under the Liberal banner—went forth last Friday night five hundred strong, and with torchlights, blazing banners, martial music and speeches the old party would have been proud of in days gone by, made a desperate effort to prove to the people that what they had pronounced dead still lived and had a being.

It is impossible for the "last ditchers" to conceive how the Democratic party can be dead while such men as Judge Colton, Governor Voorhies, Governor Hyams, General Lewis, Professor Booth, Judge McEnery, Mr. Jonas, et al., live. But it is not impossible for the people to see that the Democratic party is dead and buried, while the gentlemen named are alive and kicking, for the simple reason that the people know they are not the Democratic party, nor even that powerful branch of it that once ruled the destinies of this State.

Therefore the people are not a little surprised to hear so intelligent a gentleman as Judge McEnery proclaim, at a meeting called for the purpose of ratifying the nominations of the national candidates of the Liberal party, that the outgushing of the honest masses upon that occasion reminded him of "the stale, flat and unprofitable charge that the Democratic party has ceased to live." The outgushing of the honest masses in every State of the Union in favor of Greeley and Brown should have served to enlighten the naturally acute mind of Judge McEnery upon the real condition of the Democratic party. These daily outgushings have long since convinced far less discriminating minds of the fate of that party. But the Judge refuses to see it and says:

We know that the action, the final action of the Baltimore convention was awaited with great suspense and great anxiety by the whole American people. We know particularly that it was awaited with great anxiety and great suspense by the party which has put Mr. Greeley in nomination, for they know as well as that we stand and sit here to-night, that it would have been fruitless, hopeless, to have placed him before the American people for their suffrage unless he could have brought to his aid the Democratic party of the United States.

The party that nominated Mr. Greeley certainly did await with much anxiety the action of the Baltimore convention, for it knew that unless the people had been successful in sending a sufficient number of delegates there to prevent the nomination of a Democratic ticket, the cause of the Liberal Republican party would be less certain in the selection of a President. The Liberal party knew that the question of reform had been agitated among the people throughout the country; knew that the Democratic masses in many of the States had determined to send delegates to the Baltimore convention pledged to the support of Greeley and Brown; but it was impossible to know until after the meeting of the convention what progress had been made in the interest of reform in the short time that elapsed between Cincinnati and Baltimore. This accounts for the anxiety manifested by the friends of the reform party, and referred to by the orators at the Varieties Theatre.

Men of Judge McEnery's way of thinking did endeavor to nominate Democrats for the offices of President and Vice President, and if they could have succeeded in doing so at Baltimore, it is quite probable that the judge and his friends at the Varieties Theatre would have been found, in that event, denouncing instead of praising Greeley and Brown. As it is, we find them denouncing the Liberal movement in this State

and endeavoring, contrary to what is known to be the popular will of the Democratic voters, to force a Democratic State ticket, thus strengthening the chances of organized ignorance to rule the State for the next four years. And chief among the reasons assigned by the principal speakers of Friday evening why the united State ticket should be supported was that of nativity. Mr. Jonas, one of the principal speakers and the candidate for Lieutenant Governor, would make this a great consideration in the choice of State officials. It was not enough to know that a man had been here ten years, and came here in defense of this country; but it must be known that he was born and reared here and had been in the Confederate service to entitle him to office. We do not believe the people are prepared to sanction this narrow, proscriptive and selfish Know Nothing doctrine put forth by Mr. Jonas. An equally infelicitous were the remarks of Judge McEnery when he said:

There is an element in the Liberal party which I can address myself to almost as a matter of right, certainly as a matter of duty, for these gentlemen who now form an integral part of that party have stood shoulder to shoulder and side by side with me in many hard fought battles.

The speeches of these gentlemen make them cut a sorry spectacle as candidates for the highest offices within the gift of the people at a time when the prejudices of the past are to be forgotten and the interest of society studied in the broadest, most intelligent and unselfish sense.

—N. O. Republican.

FROM THE PARISHES.

Hon. Taylor Beattie, of Terrebonne, has been requested by the Bar of the 15th Judicial District, to run for District Judge.

The Donaldsonville Chief reports the death of Dr. G. A. Franklin, a native of Maryland, and for more than twenty years a resident of Ascension.

The Chief also reports the death of a colored man from sun stroke.

We learn from the Attakapas Register, that the charges of bribery which had been preferred against Judge Train, and District Attorney Merchant, have been dismissed after a lengthy investigation by the Grand Jury.

The same paper has been presented with a stock of sugar cane, four feet high, having six red joints.

Speaking of the new alliance of the Reformers and Democrats, the Baton Rouge Gazette-Come, says:

The announcement of the combined Democratic State ticket in this city created about as much enthusiasm as a first-class suicide would.—The efforts of political hacks to choke that ticket down the public throat will not take. The people have no objection to the men, but they do object to the manner in which they were nominated. The gentlemen who have been announced on that ticket would exhibit their good sense, as others have shown, to withdraw their names. If they do not now see that they have no show of election they will find it out in November, when the end sought by the people will be defeated as well as they, and who will be responsible for it? The politicians who think an office good for sore eyes—or the people who think these politicians too blind to be cured at the sight of an office; we opine that the sore eyes of those candidates will never be cured if they are depending on the cream from old bundles milk to do it.

The same paper contains the following: Our friend Mr. Harrington Haralson brought to our sanctum on Wednesday last a species of worm which he pronounces to be the genuine cotton worm. Mr. Haralson exhibited two specimens, one of the first and one of the second crop of worms. It would be a sad calamity to our planters now to have their hopes of a good crop blasted by the devastations of this vermine. The corn and cotton crop through the parish is said to be splendid. The sugar prospect is not so good.

The Patriot-Democrat, of Clinton, has heard it reported that the army worm has been found in several fields in that parish. The report has reach the Natchez Courier that the army worms have made their appearance in the Parish of Concordia.

TO THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

By Sec. 1010, Ray's R. Statutes, it is the duty of the Justice or Magistrate, to investigate and bond accused parties in all cases, where the offence for which the accused is so charged be one that may not subject the party to capital punishment or to imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Where the punishment is fine, or imprisonment without specifying "hard labor," or at the discretion of the Court, Magistrates have jurisdiction: and I am inform by the District Judge, that he will not approve any bills of cost in such cases unless investigated by the Magistrates, as required by law.

W. W. LEAKE, Parish Attorney.

Mme. Octavia Walton Le Vert, one of the grand old women, has been made happy by the birth of a grandson, George Walton, named after his grandparent on the maternal side, who was one of the three signers of the Declaration of Independence from the State of Georgia.

A converted Indian preacher, in Kansas, says he can always tell a christianized Indian by the treatment of his squaw. When she rides a horse and the husband walks, it is conclusive proof that a work of grace has been accomplished.

A Danbury man feels so mortified over the reflection that his children are not able to attend Sunday school for want of suitable clothes, that he spends every Sabbath in the woods, accompanied by his faithful dog, which wears a five dollar collar.

The Sandwich Islands are rapidly becoming depopulated. In 1823 their population was 142,000. In 1866, this had dwindled to 63,000. Forty years more will suffice for the total extinction of the Sandwiches. Every race seems to decrease except the white, which is increasing at a rate unequalled in history. Sooner or later the Caucasian will inevitably be the only type of man on the globe.

Sheriff Sales.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of West Feliciana, Parish Court—No. 110. In the matter of the Succession of Horace B. Vibbert, deceased.

ORDERING that in order to me directed from the court aforesaid, I will sell at the premises of the late Horace B. Vibbert, in the town of St. Francisville, on

Thursday the 25th day of July A. D., 1872, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

One lot of household and kitchen furniture, one bay mare, one sorrel colt, the contents and fixtures of the late Horace B. Vibbert, in one second, old piece, tires copied and enlarged, and large Photographs and Landscapes to be sold.

It is also associated with Mr. John Boyd, who is prepared to cut stencil plates and key clocks. Call soon for any work in our line, as "Time is Money."

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of West Feliciana, 7th District Court.

Mrs. Martha Phares, wife of No. 243 Allen D. Thomas, husband.

BY VIRTUE of and to satisfy a writ of F. Fa. issued in the above styled suit, from said Honorable Court, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, at the Court House, in St. Francisville, on

Saturday the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1872, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., of said day, the following mentioned and described property to-wit:

One Gray Horse, One Light Bay Mule, One two horse wagon.

Terms of Sale Cash—with the benefit of two months.

Je16-ct1-#7 20. F. V. LEAKE, Sheriff.

M. HUBERT, Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron Worker.

Maguire's Old Stand, Sun Street, Bayou Sara, La.

Citizens, Planters, and others, needing work in his line, will please send in their orders and they will be promptly attended to. Particular attention paid to Roofing and Guttering. Also, to repairing Cooking Stoves. All work guaranteed.

PARISH BONDS. PARISH TREASURER'S OFFICE, July 16, 1872.

HOLDERS of Parish Warrants, (Old Issue), are requested to call at my office, on or after Monday 22d inst., and exchange them for the Interest Bonds, issued by authority of the General Assembly of 1872.

Jy16-24. JNO. P. MUMFORD, Parish Treasurer.

M. REECH, CABINET MAKER, Burial Case Manufacturer & Undertaker.

Principal Street, Bayou Sara, La.

Respectfully announces to the citizens of this and adjoining parishes, that he manufactures and keeps on hand a good assortment Collins, Leaden Caskets, always on hand and for sale at reasonable prices for cash only.

A new and elegant Hensse with a fine span of harness can be secured at moderate rates.

TREES: FLOWERS: BULBS: SEEDS: HEDGE PLANTS! Nursery Stock! Fruit and Flower Plants!

Address P. K. Phenix, Bloomington Nursery, Illinois.

600 ACRES: 21st year: 12 Greenhouses. Apples, 1,000 1/2, \$20; 2 1/2, \$30; 3 1/2, \$40; 4 1/2, \$50. 4 Catalogues, 20 cents. Jy16-50.

St. L.-Ville Advertisements.

JAKE MITCHELL, DEALER IN DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS. Ferdinand Street, St. Francisville, La.

Having lately made additions to my extensive stock of family and

FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS.—SUCH AS—

Ladies' Dress' and Trimming Goods, Gents' and Boys' Furnishing Goods, Ladies', Misses and Infants' Shoes, Gents' and Boys' Dress Boots and Shoes, Brogans, Bussets, Woolen and Cotton Goods, English, French and American Prints, Japanese French and English Silks and Cloths, Laces and Embroideries, Pocket and Table Cutlery, Pins and Needles.

ALSO GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

My stock having been purchased for cash and selling for cash exclusively, I am satisfied that I can hold out great inducements to the trading public. My stock is in part of

Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Hams, Shoulders, Pork Lard, Butter, Cheese, Candles, Coal Oil, Whisky Brand, Mackerele, Herrings, Cod Fish, Macaroni, Vermicelli, Canned Fish, Canned Fruit, Potatoes, Onions, Pickled Beef, Gun Powder, Drop Shot, Crockery, Wood and Willow Ware, Smoking and chewing Tobacco, Cigars, Pipes, all sporting Materials and Goods.

ALSO PLANTATION SUPPLIES

of all descriptions. All of which will be disposed of at a slight advance only above their original cost. Asking a share of patronage from the public. I promise satisfaction.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

E. C. KIBLINGER, Jackson, La.

(Where he has been located nearly twenty years.) He has just returned from New Orleans, with new stock and chemicals, and some new apparatus, and has opened a gallery at Mr. L. F. Frankenberg's, Bayou Sara, La., where he will fix to sustain his reputation as an artist.

Children's pictures taken in one second, old pictures copied and enlarged, and large Photographs and Landscapes to be ordered.

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B. FARRELLY, Books and Stationary.

Foot of the Hill, Near the West Feliciana Rail Road track.

NOTICE: NOTICE!! STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of West Feliciana.

THE Tax Payers of the Parish and State aforesaid, are hereby notified that the undersigned Board of Assessors, located at the Court House in the town of St. Francisville, will have in our hands the Tax Roll, for assessment, thirty days from and after the first day of August, A. D. 1872.

Parties interested are requested to attend the assessment of their property during that time.

FELIX V. LEAKE, Sheriff. CALVIN GOODMAN, Clerk. A. A. MILLIKEN, Recorder.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD will be paid for evidence sufficient to convict before any ordinary jury any parties placing obstructions on the tract of the West Feliciana Rail Road Company.

J. BURESS McKEE, President. mh24t

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD. FOR Scrofula, Scrofulous Diseases of the Eyes, or Scrofula in any form.

Any disease or eruption of the Skin, disease of the Liver, Rheumatism, Pimples, Old Sores, Ulcers, Broken-down Constitutions, Syphilis, or any disease depending on a depraved condition of the blood, try Dr. Crook's Syrup of Poke Root.

It has the medicinal property of Poke combined with a preparation of iron which goes at once into the blood, performing the most rapid and wonderful cures.

Ask your Druggist for Dr. CROOK'S Compound Syrup of Poke Root—take it and be healed.

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Country orders solicited and attended to with promptness. Address Box 87, P. O. St. Francisville, La.

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Manufactures all kinds of Ladies, Gentlemen and Children's

BOOTS AND SHOES

at a short notice, and at prices which defies any and all competition.

Special attention paid to the getting up a calf, kid and moroce upper.

Special Notices.

What Dr. Crook's Wine of Tar... GENTLEMEN: I am under great obligations to the benefit I derived from Dr. Crook's Wine of Tar. And to those afflicted with chronic bronchitis that I had been suffering for sixteen months with a bronchial affection, I commenced using medicine with but little confidence in its powers. But after using the Wine of Tar for a few bottles, I am happy to state that I am cured and in the enjoyment of good health.

Signs of the Zodiac.—A physician writes, grows into admiration of the Wine of Tar, sign he shall be tried, which he tried, and found it to be the best medicine he had ever used for an affection of the liver; also for a purifier for his blood. He adds that he knows to wear his valves under Tar, and his pipe in Scorpio, cut his hair in Aries, his feet in Pisces or Aquarius as they require.

The disguised drams, falsely called "whisky," sold in bar-rooms as "whisky" and "whisky" have nothing in common with the real whisky. That whisky which does not owe its stimulating properties to adulterated Alcohol, but to medicinal herbs, would never be detected. The Wine of Tar, in cases of chronic indigestion, liver complaint, and cases tending to consumption, is a medicine that except to those who have felt its power, the result seems incredible.

The Commonweath Co-Operative Society.—The working men of our State and country, whose wages are largely expended in comfortable homes for their families, and who desire to prevent want, misery, and privation among their families, little ones, this Society offers special instruments of a liberal nature, the benefits of which are within the reach of the poorest and the failure to make such a donation amounts almost to a criminal neglect of their duties.

A CARD. The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that having met with encouragement for purchasing his most improved spectacles, that he does not propose to open a business here, reports to the country at large. He will give the same attention to friends and customers as heretofore and will have charge of a Wharfboat, at the Landing, which will so increase his facilities for transacting business, as to dry up the business and endeavor to merit a continuance of its patronage heretofore bestowed. All his lines constantly for sale under his prices. Very respectfully, Jy12-1m. E. W. BENTON.

B. S. L. 1831 O. B. B. THE members of Bayou Sara Lodge No. 1, B. S. L., will bear in mind that the regular meeting will be held on each Sunday at 10 o'clock, or otherwise notified, at which all members are requested to attend.

M. LINDSEY, Secretary.

Bayou Sara Advertiser.

LEON ADLER, Of Levy & Adler, Bayou Sara, La. LEVY & ADLER, Foot of the Hill, near the W. F. R. R.

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We have also a fine and well assorted stock of

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ALSO—An immense stock of trimmed goods, such as Shawls, Ribbons, Hosiery, &c. offer at prices which defy competition.

Our stock being renewed every week, always to be found fresh and of the first quality. Also on hand a large lot of furniture for sale cheap for cash.

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Fancy and Staple Dry Goods.

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Gentlemen's and Boys' Furnishing Goods and Youths' Dress. American Prints, Bleached and Colored Goods, Kersey, Cottonades, Sheetings and Shirtings, Jeans, &c.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.—ALSO—Wood and Willow Ware.

My stock of groceries is renewed weekly and I will sell them at a slight advance only above their original cost for cash. The highest market price paid for all kinds of produce.