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THE 22nd FEBRUARY CONVENTION.

If we thought the gentleman concerned in the movement for the 22nd Feb., intended anything in detriment to the Democratic party, we would at once denounce it. If they do anything that day to divide the party, there being no more cause for such a course than is offered at the present writing, we shall assuredly set our face against it.

Briefly, that Convention can do much good, and, on the other hand, more harm. Our opinion is that the Republican party could more easily prove George Washington a Tory, or Andrew Jackson a Federalist, than prove the Democracy of Indiana opposed to a Sub-Treasury, or in favor of Banks or of retrocession of the Canal. Still, it is usual for Conventions to pass resolutions; and a few plain, short, blunt declarations on those subjects by the Convention of the 22nd Feb., can do no harm; neither will the passage of another resolution re-affirming the principle clearly and emphatically set forth in Mr. Wallace's resolution of the 8th January. In other words, we do not care how often high ground is taken by Democratic Conventions in favor of the old well-established doctrines of the party. The daily repetition of the 'services' as a kind of climacteric in the ceremonies, Miss Filkins will be led out to embrace him, and show him, as from a high mountain, the new land of Beulah, inhabited by "runaway niggers" and all their white brethren, the enemies of the ancient Democratic party.

If any Democrat likes the prospect, let him at once throw away his love of the Union and reverence for the Constitution, and get ready for the journey.

REPUBLICAN FANDANGO ON THE 4th OF MARCH.

Our readers have been duly informed of the forthcoming Convention on the 4th of March next; but they may not be posted as to the policy of the Republican gamblers who are at the bottom of it. The following extract from the official proclamation of the Black faculty, will answer that purpose:

"At a meeting of the undersigned Republicans from different portions of the State, called together by the Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, at Indianapolis, on this day, it was unanimously agreed to call a Mass Convention to be held at

Indianapolis, on the 4th of March next, At 11 o'clock, A. M.; and to extend to all persons, without regard to past party designations, opposed to the Lecompton policy of the present Administration, a cordial invitation to attend and to participate in its deliberations."

Take one look at the proposed composition of that Convention. "All persons, without regard to past party designations, opposed to the Lecompton policy of the present Administration" are cordially invited.

That will do! If any Democrat in the State is fool enough to be gulled by such bait, in the Lord's name let him go.

Fusion is again the order of the day—to such degree is the Republican party reduced. Only think of the Fremonters of one year back—the bloody-minded, independent, free-thinking Mountaineers—on their knees, begging Democrats—the accused, enslaved, South-ridden, Pro-Slavery Democrats—to meet them in Convention on the 4th of next March.

Suppose the day arrived, and a Democrat in the Convention. Good Lord, what a refreshing time he will have! He will be permitted to shake hands with Gov. Morton—distinguished privilege, truly!

He will be allowed to listen to Lane, and cheer that gentleman when he says a funny thing in ridicule of the old party—a pleasure never to be forgotten! When Hull speaks, in all probability the now convert will be detailed to hold that distinguished blasphemer's coat and cravat—thrice-blessed convert!

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PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

We call the attention of our readers in another column to the statement of this old and reliable company. No man owning property of a perishable character should hesitate for a moment to have it insured in a good and reliable company. Such a one is the Phenix.

Let the citizens of Montgomery county discard all one-horse insurance companies, and take out their policies in the Phenix. James Heaton, who is the authorized agent at this place, can be found always at his office ready to issue policies with promptness and dispatch.

DRYING UP THE LIQUOR BUSINESS.

A large meeting, irrespective of party, was held at Greencastle a few days since, at which it was resolved by the unanimous voice of the citizens, that every doggeray must suspend operations within one week.

A committee was appointed to notify the owners of these disreputable places of the determination of the people. At last accounts, every one in the traffic had caved.

At Ladoga, a few nights since, a grocery was destroyed by the citizens of that place.

OSBORN & MOORE.

These gentlemen, so favorably known to our citizens for their eminent legal abilities, have located themselves in Chicago, the great city of the north-west, where they design opening a Law Office. We commend them to their brethren of the legal fraternity in that city as gentlemen of unimpeachable character and standing.

—Senator Fitch, of Indiana, in a recent speech in the United States Senate, remarked that if he thought his course on the Lecompton Constitution was not sanctioned by a large majority of his democratic constituents, he would resign. Now, we can assure the Honorable Senator that so far from his course being sustained by a majority of his political friends at home, nine-tenths of the democratic party of the State are opposed to his action on that question. There is no mistake about this fact, and the sooner the Senator finds it out, the better it will be for him.

AMENDE HONORABLE.—It is ever a source of peculiar regret that any of our patrons should have just cause of complaint, yet at times such things may occur in the best regulated establishments.

By an oversight of the compositors the advertisements of MESSRS. LAYMON BROTHERS & CO. do not appear this week as promised. We would now feel worse about this disappointment if we did not thoroughly know that they are numbered amongst our truest and most indulgent friends. Yet, from the fact that they are doing so excellent a business, notwithstanding a large competition, we judge the people generally know where they are and how exceedingly low they are selling their goods. Success to you, gentlemen—long life to your business, and prosperity always to McClelland's Building.

Noble spirits rejoice in the consciousness of a motive—base ones delight only in a pretext.

—Every man is a volume, if you know how to read him.

LECTURES ON PHRENOLOGY.—Prof. Palmer and lady are giving a course of lectures on the science of Phrenology, at Temperance Hall. As a lecturer, Mr. P. unquestionably stands at the head of his profession—His delineation of character is in all cases read with a startling degree of correctness. The immense crowds which throng nightly to hear him is ample testimony as regards his proficiency to instruct and amuse.

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THAT RESOLUTION.

We are inclined to think that the civil raised by Dr. Fitch and the Black Republicans—singular fraternity—over the construction of Mr. Wallace's resolution, is now pretty well settled. In answer to a question propounded to them by the Editor of the *Volksschule*, the candidates on the Democratic State Ticket have unitedly declared that they each and all understand that resolution to be anti-Lecompton, and require a submission of the constitution to a vote of the people of Kansas, before the Territory is admitted as a State. This is Mr. McDonald's understanding of it. A lawyer of his ability could not, of course, give it any other construction; a Democrat, of his integrity, could not, of course, be induced to play into the hands of the Black Republicans by refusing to give his opinion on the subject when respectfully called on for it.

And now we offer a reward of \$1,000 to the Republican who will find that "great split" in the Democratic party. We've got the money on deposit. Show us the 'split,' and we'll pay.

HOW IS IT CONSTRUED BY THE CANDIDATES ON THE DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

The State Sentinel, speaking of the popular sovereignty resolution adopted by the Democratic State Convention, says:

We learn that the candidates upon the State ticket, in reply to interrogatories addressed to them upon their interpretation of that resolution, have answered that its application was intended to include Kansas, as well as all other Territories of the Union.

This declaration of the nominees of the 6th of January Convention, as to their understanding of the platform on which they were nominated, ought to be satisfactory, and to close all controversy on the subject of the true meaning of "the Wallace resolution." There is no difference of opinion amongst the Democracy of Indiana as to the proper construction to be given to the resolution last adopted. All agree to receive it as it was intended by its author and by those who voted for it—as applying to Kansas. The truth is, the number of Democrats in Indiana who favor the bringing of Kansas into the Union in opposition to the will of the people, and with a constitution which they despise, is very small in indeed. Black Republicans may hang their harps upon the willow. The capital which they expected to operate upon in the coming canvass has vanished into thin air.

WHAT THEY DRINK.—The city of New York alone sells three times as many "pure, imported brandies," and four times as many "pure wines," annually, as all the wine and brandy producing countries export. Somebody, it is clear, drinks a sprightly article.

—The dispatch from Kansas which we published last week informed our readers that the Free State men had elected their entire State ticket and a large majority of the Legislature. Later advices state that King Calhoun intends giving certificates of election to the Pro-slavery candidates—thus giving the State government and the Legislature into the hand of the Pro-slaveryites. The ground upon which he intends doing this infamous act, is that a portion of the returns were made to Governor Denver instead of to him. To suppose that the people of Kansas will quietly submit to such a fraud as this, is to suppose that they have lost all sense of their rights as freemen. When ever he tries such a scheme as this to rob the people of their solemnly expressed will at the ballot-box, we predict his days will be numbered.

—The Free State officers elect of

Kansas, and members of the Legislature,

have united in a protest and sent it to Washington against the admission of the Territory under the Lecompton Constitution.

The Territorial Legislature has passed an act abolishing slavery from and after the first of March.

—The Chicago DAILY TIMES.—Urian Scott, newspaper agent, is now in the daily receipt of the *Chicago Times*. We can recommend this paper to our democratic fellow citizens as a sound and able exponent of democratic principles. To persons desirous of taking a good Chicago Daily, we would say all means subscribe for the *Times*.

—The Democracy of Pennsylvania are beginning to hold their county meetings for the purpose of appointing delegates to their State Convention. At the meeting in Westmoreland, one of the strongest and most steadfast Democratic counties in the State, the following resolution, among others of a similar tenor, was adopted:

Resolved, That Congress should admit

NO. 1. A. W. Jones,

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L. S. Boiling, John M. Wallace,

W. T. Spicely, L. A. Prather,

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