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DANIEL McCLURE, of Morgan.

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JOHN W. DODD, of Grant.

For Treasurer of State,

NATHANIEL E. CUNNINGHAM, of Vigo.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,

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JOSEPH E. McDONALD, of Montgomery.

For Judges of the Supreme Court.

SAMUEL E. PERKINS, of Marion.

ANDREW DAVIDSON, of Decatur.

JAMES M. HANNA, of Vigo.

JAMES L. WORDEN, of Whitley.

For Congress—8th District,

JOHN W. BLAKE, of Clinton.

Democratic County Convention,

LEWIS WALLACE.

Great credit is due this gentleman for his wise and conciliatory efforts to restore harmony in the party at the Congressional Convention at Lebanon. Lew is a Democrat in every sense of the word.

HURRAH FOR BLAKE.—The nomination of Blake is the only topic of conversation. Everybody is delighted with this excellent choice of the Democracy.

THE CAMPAIGN.

Extensive arrangements have been

perfected, whereby the present campaign will be carried on with an effective energy heretofore unknown in the district. Let every old liner roll up his sleeves for action.

The time for demolishing Black Republicanism has arrived.

HOW HE RECEIVES IT.

The nomination of Judge Blake, the little giant of Clinton county, is exceeding

ly distasteful to Wilson. When he first

heard of the nomination, his countenance assumed an ashy paleness, and he looked

a good deal like the boy that let the bird go. Knowing the striking contrast (in a

moral point of view) that will present

to the people of the eighth district, com-

pared with his competitor, he dreads his

arraignment before the bar of public opinion.

His meeting Blake on the stump will be like Beelzebub confronting Ithuriel.

HOW AMONG THE LUXURIES ENJOYED BY THE CRAWFORDSVILLE DELEGATION AT LEBANON, ON LAST THURSDAY, WAS A FEAST OF GREEN CORN.

AT NIGHT THE ENTIRE DELEGATION AMUSED THEMSELVES WITH CATCHING BED-BUGS.

LEBANON IS A GREAT PLACE, SITUATED NEAR THE COURTHOUSE.

ITS POPULATION CONSISTS OF A

M. BUCKINGHAM, EDITOR OF THE "PIONEER," AND IS RAPIDLY INCREASING.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET AT THE REVIEW OFFICE ON MONDAY EVENING NEXT.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS WILL BE TRANSACTED.

JIM WILSON AND THE "OLD LINE DOGS."

Each party has now a candidate for Congress in this District. Lest any Democrat of 1856, should hesitate about supporting Judge Blake, we call his attention to that bitter and insolent speech of Jim Wilson's, spoken at the corner of the Crane House, in this place, the night of the Republican jollification over his election—

"Thank God!" said he, "I have at last got my foot on the necks of the Old Line Dogs, and mean to keep it there!" Think of that sentiment. If in Montgomery county, there is a Democrat deserving the name of "Old Line Dog," is it not he who would vote for Wilson after such a speech? His "foot is on our necks," is it? Are we "Old Line Dogs?" Let us avenge this wanton insult at the polls.

A FOUL LIBEL.

Some of the Black Republicans, toadies we presume, of James Wilson, are circulating reports that Judge Blake is a notorious drunkard. Every person acquainted with the Judge, knows that this is a foul and malicious lie. The Republicans are bound, it seems, to make temperance an issue in this race, and are already stigmatizing Blake as being the candidate of the whiskey party.

THE DISTRICT CONVENTION—RESOLUTIONS.

The following were the resolutions adopted by the Convention on last Thursday:

Resolved, That the Democracy of the 8th Congressional District, in Convention assembled, reaffirm all the principles of the party asserted in the Cincinnati platform and the platform of the 8th January last.

Resolved, That we have full confidence in the wisdom, patriotism, and integrity of James Buchanan, Indiana's first choice for the Presidency, and that we will give him our undivided support.

Two other resolutions were adopted, one declaring against the British claim to a right to visit and search American vessels, the other in favor of a homestead for actual settlers.

We cannot well see how Democrats can find fault with the resolutions quoted above in full. The Lecompton men have an expression of full confidence in the wisdom, patriotism, and integrity of the President. Anti-Lecompton men find no endorsement of Lecompton, no endorsement of, or acquiescence in, the Green-English bill, nothing in short, but a re-affirmation of all the principles asserted in the Cincinnati platform and that of last January. The Convention very wisely refused to say anything about persons, with the exception of the President; and as Lecompton is referred to the people and thus disposed of, and as Mr. Buchanan's expressed hope that, hereafter the policy of submitting Constitutions to the people will be adopted as a rule, is, at this time, his position upon the vexed question, no Democrat can refuse to render him a hearty and earnest support.

As concerns the trouble that has agitated the party, we have no hesitation in saying that the above resolutions, brief, broad, and pertinent as they are, were the very wisest that could possibly have been selected. They give neither side a triumph, at the same time, they exact no sacrifice of honor or principle from either. They omit nothing necessary to define the position and principles of the Democracy. Mr. Blake takes his position upon them, and that is sufficient.

DANIEL W. VORHEES.

This gallant champion of Democracy will be found in the thickest of the fight in the present campaign. He will enlighten the people of the Eighth District on the infamous frauds perpetrated by the Black Republicans in Fountain county.

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We have in the person of Judge Blake, a candidate who stands fair and square upon the Cincinnati Platform, and whose whole life has been devoted in the service of the party. Aside from his sterling political integrity and devotion to democratic principles, his character as an honest, upright and sober citizen, has never been questioned, and which certainly will have its effect upon the moral sentiment of the people of the eighth district, irrespective of partisan feeling.

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