

CALL  
FOR  
DEMOCRATIC MASS CONVENTION.

Headquarters of Jasper County Democratic Central Committee.  
Rensselaer, Ind.,  
March 6th, 1884.

A Mass Convention of the Democratic voters of Jasper county will be held at the Court House, in Rensselaer, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, '84,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of transacting the following business, to wit:

First—To re-organize the County Central Committee and elect a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer thereof.

Second—To elect four delegates to the Democratic State Convention to be held at Indianapolis, June 25th, '84.

Third—To elect delegates to the Congressional, Judicial, and joint Representative District Convention.

Fourth—To fix the time and determine the manner of nominating a county ticket.

Democratic and all other voters of the county who believe in the principles of the Democratic party and will support its candidates, are cordially invited and earnestly requested to be present and participate in the proceedings of the Convention.

By order of the Democratic Central Committee.

CHARLES H. PRICE,  
Chairman.

After the adjournment of the Co. Convention, the Democratic voters of Marion township are requested to meet and place in nomination candidates for the Town-ship offices.

HENRY FISHER, Chairman  
Dem Township Committee

During the Davis trial, at Monticello, Tuesday afternoon of last week, an alteration occurred between Prosecutor Gregory and the defendant's attorney, D. D. Dale. The pres. Judge, S. A. Huff, fined the participant's ten dollars each.

NO EQUALITY IN IT.—The man who engages in a manufacturing business that does not pay has no more right to call on the government to tax the people to give him a profit than the merchant, farmer or professional man has who finds his business does not pay. There should be no especially favored class in this country.—Laporte Argus.

We trust Democrats from all parts of the county will be in attendance on the Democratic Convention, at this place, Saturday of next week. Let us counsel together and go into the contest with the determination that the ballot box, next fall, will alone settle the presumption of certain radicals in this county that "a nomination on the opposition ticket is equivalent to an election."

Indianapolis News, (Republican): Washington opinion is that the Fitz John Porter bill will become a law.—We trust so. It is also held that a bill awarding him full pay will, in that case, become a law, as from the logic of this measure. We trust so. It is bad enough to deprive a man of his place in his profession and make him an outcast, but double injustice is done in the chance of a rise in his profession that is taken from him.—It is simply an act of decency that the pay of the place which was taken from him should be returned to him.

Legansport Pharos: "Mr. Simon Parr Thompson, of Rensselaer, is circulating among the Republicans of the western counties of the district in an endeavor to ascertain the whereabouts of his Congressional boom. The allied forces of DeMette and Thompson will meet the 'rule or ruin' in battle array at the Congressional convention. The 'rule or ruin' will make the greatest effort of their lives in attempting to overcome the allied hosts of DeMette and Thompson. A flanking party of Tallbottites has been assigned the duty of falling upon the rear of the 'rule or ruin.' The flankers promise to make the campaign a red hot one."

Thompson has "a barrel" at his disposal; he would make a formidable candidate.—Valparaiso Messenger.

Yes; a barrel of rain-water.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

The Philadelphia Record publishes a statement prepared by a mechanic of Packerton, that state, which gives the following exhibit of the wages of skilled labor and of the cost of living in the Lehigh Valley and in Bristol England:

Lehigh Valley, Pa.	City of Bristol, Eng.
Average wages for skill- ed labor.	Average wages for skill- ed labor.
Rent, per week, \$12.00	Wages per week, \$9.00
Rent, per week, 1.25	Rent, per week, 1.45
Coal, per ton, 3.25	Coal, per ton, 2.50
Sugar, 20	Sugar, 20
Coffee, 20	Coffee, 20
Tea, 20	Tea, 20
Eggs, all the year	Eggs, all the year
Coal oil	Coal oil
Butter, 25	Butter, 7
S. ap.	Soap, 5
Bacon, 12	Bacon, 10
Cheese, 14	Cheese, 13
Ham, 20	Ham, 20
Lard, 12	Lard, 12
Beefsteak, 22	Beefsteak, 14
Men's Shoes	Men's shoes
Men's suits	Men's suits

The cost of living per week would therefore be as follows:

Lehigh Valley, Pa.	City of Bristol, Eng.
Rent, \$1.25	Rent, \$1.25
Coal, 1/2 ton	Coal, 1/2 ton
Gas, 1/2 lb.	Gas, 1/2 lb.
Office, 1/2 lb.	Office, 1/2 lb.
Tea, 1/2 lb.	Tea, 1/2 lb.
Eggs, 1 doz.	Eggs, 1 doz.
Butter, 1/2 lb.	Butter, 1/2 lb.
Sap, 1/2 lb.	Sap, 1/2 lb.
Soap, 1/2 lb.	Soap, 1/2 lb.
Chesse, 1/2 lb.	Chesse, 1/2 lb.
Ham, 1/2 lb.	Ham, 1/2 lb.
Lard, 1/2 lb.	Lard, 1/2 lb.
Beefsteak, 1/2 lb.	Beefsteak, 1/2 lb.
Men's shoes, 1 pair	Men's shoes, 1 pair
in three months, 22	in three months, 19
Men's suits, one in 3 months	Men's suits, one in 3 months
79	87 1/2

\$8.74

Thus it appears that the skilled laborer in the Lehigh Valley saves \$3.23 of his \$10 per week, while his fellow workman at Bristol, England, saves \$3.74 of his \$9 per week.

At the end of the six days' toil the English workingman has just 54¢ to the advantage of his American brother, notwithstanding the fact that the wages of the latter are \$1.00 per week more than those of the former. But a comfortable cottage rents in most of the manufacturing towns of England for \$4.00 per month, or \$1.00 per week. Besides the cost of clothing for women and children, not estimated above, is much less in England than in this country. On the whole the English workingman buys with his weekly wages of \$9.00 what would cost not less than \$12.00 here; so that when the skilled laborer in this country gets \$10.00 per week, he is really \$2.00 per week worse off than the Englishman. And this is the sort of protection the workingman gets from a high tariff.

HOW TO BOIL WATER.—I must tell you the old story of how Charles Delmonico used to talk about the new hot water cure. He said the Delmonicos were the first to recommend it to guests, who complained of having no appetite. "Take a cup of hot water and lemon and you'll feel better" was the formula adopted, and the cup of hot water and lemon was simply a little hot water with a drop of lemon juice in it to take away the insipidity. For this antipathetic remedy the esterers charged the price of their best liquors—twenty-five cents or more—and it certainly was a wiser way to spend small change than in alcohol. "Few people know how to cook water," Charles used to affirm. "The secret is in putting good, fresh water into a an at kettle, already quite warm, and setting the water to boiling quickly, and then taking it right off for use in tea, coffee, or other drinks, before it is spoiled. To let it steam and simmer and evaporate until the good, water is in the atmosphere, and the lime and iron and dregs only left in the kettle—bah! that is what makes a great many people sick and worse than no water at all." Every lady who reads this valuable receipt of a great and careful cook should never forget how to cook water.—New York Times.

NOTICE is hereby given to William Washburn, Henry Jones, Alfred Thompson, and John Joseph B. Thompson, alias Mansur, alias of Isaac Mansur, Alfred McCoy and Thomas Thompson, Benjamin Welsh and Louis Welsh, Isaac N. East, Lyman Raymond, Leonard W. Raymond, Thomas J. McCoy and Alfred McCoy, Lydia E. Lane, Mary E. Loshbaugh, Charles Mathew, Eliza R. Burr, Emily B. Burr, and John E. Lane, all of Marion County, Indiana, that the assessments made in the Ditch cause number 34 in the Jasper Circuit Court, wherein Elliott R. Burr and William Washburn are Petitioners, will be due and payable at the time of the trial of the cause, and shall be paid at any time thereafter at Plaintiff's suit, for not less than its full appraised value.

WILLIAM O. ROADIFER, Administrator.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letters addressed as below remain uncalled for in the Post Office at Rensselaer, Jasper County, Indiana, on the 15th day of March, 1884. Those not claimed within four weeks from the date below given will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D. C.

1/24 National Bank. Mrs. Gee Baxter, W. A. Brewer, J. R. Gilman, Eliza Marion, Mrs. Annie Michaels, George Moore, B. F. Patten, Mrs. Bell Parker, Miss Aggie Smith, S. M. Sutor, W. A. Traugh, James F. Wallace, David Wood, Martha Jane Wood, Miss Miller, York, 2.

Persons calling for any of the letters in this list will please say they are advertised.

HORACE E. JAMES, P. M.

Rensselaer, Ind., March 17, 1884.

Ralph Fendig's for bargains

Quality not Quantity is what you get at Levino's Candy Factory. When you want fine goods do not be deluded by low prices for cheap adulterated candy. We guarantee all the candy we manufacture pure and free from adulteration. Levino's Candy Factory.

Go to Fendig's.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate!

NOTICE is hereby given, to the undersigned Administrator with the Will annexed, of the Estate of Vetal Vermett, deceased, in accordance with an order of the Jasper Circuit Court, will, on

SATURDAY, MAY 10, A. D. 1884,

at the door of the Post Office, in the Town of Remington, Jasper County, Indiana, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., off of Main Street, to sell the same, for the sum of \$1,000, for one-half the two-thirds of its appraised value, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

The north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section seven (7), town ship twenty-seven (27) north, of range six (6) west.

Also, commencing at the south-west corner of the north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of the same section, township and range, and running thence east fifty (50) rods, thence north eighty (80) rods, thence west fifty (50) rods, thence south eighty (80) rods to the place of beginning, containing in all thirty-nine and one-half acres.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid cash in hand, one-third in nine, and one-third in eighteen months from day of sale, the purchaser to give notes for deferred payments, drawing six percent. Interest from date, secured by mortgage on the Real Estate.

And should said Real Estate not be sold at any time and place, the same will be sold at any time thereafter at Plaintiff's suit, for not less than its full appraised value.

WILLIAM O. ROADIFER, Administrator.

Rensselaer, Ind., March 21, 1884.—\$11.25.

Notice of Ditch Assessments.

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ADDITIONAL NOTICE.

Commissioner in charge.

James W. Douthit, Atty.

for Petitioners. [March 21, 1884—\$5.50]

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