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SOLID COMFORT
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EVERY PAIR WARRANTED
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Groceries,
Hardware,
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Our Groceries are pure, and will be sold as low as elsewhere. In our Hardware, Tinware and Woodenware Department, will be found everything called for. Our Farm Machinery, in great variety, of the most approved styles. Brick and Tile, manufactured by us, and kept constantly on hand. We respectfully solicit your patronage.

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Rensselaer, May 11, 1883.

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Has recently been new furnished through out. The rooms are large and airy, the location central, making it the most convenient and desirable house in town. Try it.

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Any make of Sewing Machine sold by C. B. Steward.



MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATIC
CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF
JASPER COUNTY.

Pursuant to notice, the members of the Democratic Central Committee of Jasper county, Ind., met at the Committee rooms, in Rensselaer, on Saturday, May 31st, 1884, and the following proceedings were had, Ezra C. Nowels in the chair, to-wit:

The basis for delegates to the Judicial and Representative Conventions was agreed upon. Each township is entitled to one delegate, and one one additional for every fraction over fifty votes cast for Secretary of State Myers, at the last election, as follows:

Township.	Delegates.
Hanging Grove,	1
Gilliam,	1
Walker,	2
Barkley,	3
Marion,	5
Jordan,	1
Newton,	3
Keener,	1
Kankakee,	1
Wheasfield,	1
Milroy,	1
Union,	3
Carpenter,	4

No. of Delegates, 27
The basis for delegates to the County Convention, to be held in Rensselaer, August 9th, 1884, was fixed at one delegate for every 10 votes, and one for each fraction over, cast for Secretary of State Myers at the last election, and is as follows:

Township	Delegates
Hanging Grove,	4
Gilliam,	5
Walker,	6
Barkley,	11
Marion,	20
Jordan,	5
Newton,	7
Keener,	2
Kankakee,	3
Wheasfield,	4
Milroy,	3
Union,	15
Carpenter,	—

No. of Delegates, 91
The delegates to the Judicial and Representative Conventions will be selected at the same time and place as those for the County Convention, provided the conventions are not called for an earlier date. In case the Judicial and Representative Conventions meet first, it is recommended that delegates be selected on the Saturday previous.

John G. Culp, Joel F. Spriggs, Lewis Rich, B. H. Patton and W. L. Bringle were appointed a Committee of Ways and Means.

The several townships are recommended to select delegates to the Conventions named, on the first Saturday in August next.

It was moved, and carried, that Committee and Club rooms be secured for the campaign, at the rate of \$4 per month.

EZRA C. NOWELS, Chairman.
JAMES W. DOUTHIT, Sec'y.

THOUSANDS SAY SO.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kansas writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year.—Sold at fifty cents a bottle by F. B. Leaning.

THE CONVENTIONS.

As the time of the conventions is drawing near, it will be well enough to put this item where it can be found when wanted:

State Democratic Convention, Indianapolis, June 25th
National Democratic Convention, Chicago, July 5th.

GOV. GRAY'S ACCEPTANCE.

Mr. President and gentlemen of the Convention—For this high compliment that you have paid me by this nomination I thank you to a far greater extent than I can find words to express. The Democratic party of Indiana, by its representatives in State Convention assembled, nominated me twice by acclamation for the office of Lieutenant Governor, a position to which I did not aspire at the time.—How well I discharged the duties of the office or performed the requirements of a candidate it is not for me to say; but I assure you that I appreciate as highly as it is possible for man to do this renewed manifestation of your confidence. [Applause, and cries of "You will be elected too."] Well, there is no doubt about that, gentlemen. [Applause.] It is not only a high compliment to be nominated for the office of Governor, the highest position within the gift of the people of Indiana, even if I had no hopes; but when this convention has nominated me over such distinguished, gallant Democrats as General Manson and Judge Turpie, it overwhelms me with gratitude. [Applause.] If there is a Democrat in Indiana whom I love from the bottom of my heart, it is General Mahlon D. Manson. [Applause.] If there is a Democrat whose magnificent abilities I admire, who is the peer of any Democrat or Republican anywhere, it is David Turpie. [Applause.] And in return for this high mark of your consideration, all that I can say to you is that with the banner that you have placed in my hands I will be found laboring to the full extent of my ability in every honorable way to carry it to victory and triumph in the coming political contest, and if I fall in the conflict, I promise you it shall be with my face to the foe.—Gentlemen, you have business to do here to-day of importance, and this is not the time, perhaps, nor the occasion upon which I should enter upon the discussion of the questions that will be at issue in the coming canvass. I have but little doubt, no! only of the election of the ticket nominated here to-day, but of that ticket that the Democratic National Convention shall nominate at Chicago. [Applause.] The Republican party has made many promises to the people, and I have such confidence in the intelligence, the virtues, and the patriotism of the people as to cause me to believe that it will not continue longer in power a party that has been guilty of so many acts of mal-administration, of so many acts of corruption in the administration of governmental affairs, and has been so false to every promise of reform that it has made to this people during the last sixteen years. [Applause.] There is one promise that the Republican party has made in its platform adopted at Chicago on the 6th day of this month that I think they will fulfil. It is the first promise in the platform wherein the Republican party renews its allegiance to the principles upon which it has triumphed in six successive Presidential elections.—[Applause.] The people would have taken that for granted without a declaration of that kind. [Applause.] I have no doubt that the Republican party, in the coming election, as in the past, will prostitute the offices of the Government, assess the office-holders, and use the money to corrupt the ballot-box and debauch the voter, and, if they can, resort to the frauds, perjuries and corrupt practices of 1876, by which they cheated the American people out of their lawfully expressed choice for President and Vice President of the

United States. [Applause.]—Why that platform at Chicago? It is a bundle of promises, and you know, my countrymen, what the world thinks of a man who promises everything to everybody. They don't generally regard his promises as worth very much. Why a promise to correct the inequalities of the tariff? The present tariff excise system of taxation was established by the Republican party. They have had twenty long years to correct its inequalities, and they have done nothing, looking in that direction, unless relieving the banks of \$12,000,000 of taxation annually and retaining the tax upon the necessities of life used by the laboring and producing classes of the country is to be called correcting its inequalities. Why, they say they recognize the importance of sheep husbandry.—That is since the last election in Ohio. [Applause.] Prior to that time no Republican spoke, and no Republican newspaper ever intimated, that the Republican party had not done a wise and proper thing in the reduction of the tariff on wool; but after the last election in Ohio it has been trying to get the wool out of its teeth ever since. (Laughter and applause.) And now that the Wool Growers' Associations have combined together and declared that they will support no party that is not in favor of restoring the tariff on wool, the Republican party true to its instincts and practices, reaching out after every vote gets down in most spangled-like humility and says, "Oh, don't do that; we will put it back." It reminds me of the gentleman at the dinner table who took a red pepper in his mouth and began to chew it, not knowing the nature of the article. While the water from his eyes was streaming down over his cheeks, and his mouth was almost on fire, he takes it out and says, "Ladies and gentlemen, if you have no objection I believe I will put this thing back." (Laughter and applause.)

Now, I am not here to say to you, gentlemen, that the reduction of the tariff on wool was right, but I say it was the action of the Republican party who never said anything about it or proposed to correct it until its corps was buried and promiscuously scattered around in the State of Ohio at the last election. Why, they say that the public lands are an heritage to the people and should be kept for small holdings. Those words, "small holdings," are good. There are no words in the Republican platform from beginning to end so appropriately used as those words. The Republican party, after having given away the public lands sufficient in extent to make five States nearly as large as Indiana—after having given all large holdings to railroad corporations—it was very proper to say that what little is left of the public domain shall be kept for small holdings for the people. (Laughter and applause.) And they are the party of that reform so auspiciously begun under a Republican administration. I have led my mind back over the history of this Government for the last twenty years to see if I could recall to mind anything in the administration of the Governmental affairs that would warrant a declaration of that kind, and I have thought of the Credit Mobilier and of raising the President's salary from \$25,000 to \$50,000. I have thought of the land grant subsidies; of the wrongs of the Indian. I have thought of the expediting of the Star-routers. I have thought of that quarrel or wrangle among the leaders of the Republican party, by which two United States Senators resigned, and which was kept up until it resulted in the assassination of [Concluded on eighth page.]