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For Surveyor General,
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Republican Committeeman of the 8th
Congressional District, Hon. H. H. Boudinot;
not residence, Terre Haute.

Republican County Central Committee,
H. L. Miller, Chairman; J. O. Jones, Sec-
retary.

First ward, D. C. Greiner. Terre Haute
Second ward, J. O. Jones. Terre Haute
Third ward, E. C. Jones. Terre Haute
Fourth ward, H. L. Miller. Terre Haute
Fifth ward, Samuel D. Cliff. Terre Haute
Sixth ward, John A. Reynolds. Terre Haute
Harrison tp. A. B. Pege. Terre Haute
Sugar Creek tp. George W. Harris. Terre Haute
New Haven
Fayette (Sam) James W. Watt. Sanford
Otter Creek tp. W. L. Ritter. Terre Haute
Nevins tp. W. H. Melrath. Coal Bluff
Lost Creek tp. L. W. Dickerson. Terre Haute
Riley tp. Christ Schumacher. Riley
Pratilton tp. Lawrence S. Balk. Terre Haute
Pratilton Creek tp. J. D. E. Kester. Pratilton
Linton tp. W. N. Kester. Plumb
Pierson tp. S. S. Stark. Plumb

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The fact that Senator McDonald is
growing to be a very dark horse for the
Presidential nomination at Cincinnati,
brings to mind his little report on the Mex-
ican claims which he presented to Con-
gress a few days before the adjournment
of that body. For some years, the Mex-
ican Government has protested that one,
if not two of the awards made against it
by the late commission, aggregating a mil-
lion and a quarter of dollars, were fraud-
ulent.

Sir Edward Thornton was the umpire of
the matter, and just before the commissioners
adjourned, proofs were laid before him, which satisfied him that the
American claimants had sprinkled their
claims with considerable fraud and
perjury. He said that there was no power
by which he could review his decisions,
but he did not think this government
would insist upon the payment of
these claims after they were
shown to have been founded upon
fraud and perjury, and that he should be
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MON. THOS. H. NELSON.

The citizens of this congressional district
very much regret that, in consequence
of ill health, Col. Nelson was unable
to go into the convention.

Col. Nelson's popularity, his untiring
devotion to the Republican party, his
earnestness in the cause, and his noble
statesmanship, give him a national reputa-
tion. He made the first Republican
speech that was made in this congression-
al district, when the dawn of liberty began
to glow upon the shackles of slavery.
His withdrawal from the contest is a
cause of great regret to almost every one
in this congressional district.

The Convention to-day was a harmonious
affair, and was particularly noted for
the good feeling that existed between the
different delegations. Most of the delega-
tions arrived yesterday and last night,
and took quarters at the Terre Haute
House. The delegations near the city
came in this morning, and joined their
political brethren assembling this morn-
ing at 10 o'clock. Every thing passed off
pleasantly, and on the 10th ballot Hon.
R. B. F. Peirce of Crawfordsville was
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There is no use to think that the Re-
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F. Peirce to his seat in Congress. It cannot
be done without work, and it will need
the vote of every Republican to do it. It
is not simply a question of electing Hon.
R. B. F. Peirce to Congress, but it is to
elect a Republican, and the prosperity of
our whole nation depends entirely upon
every Republican vote. Since the action
of our Democratic Supreme Court, Indi-
ana is a very doubtful State, should there
be any negligence on the part of Repub-
licans. But if we strike with a determina-
tion to win, we will not only elect Mr.
Peirce, but we will elect the whole State
ticket.

There are many things to take into con-
sideration in this contest, not only as per-
taining to our home affairs, but to National.
The Democracy will soon begin to fling
to the breeze their banner of State's
Rights and "reform," and every Repub-
lican should constitute himself a com-
mittee on these questions, and enter the
ring at once in the interest of the people,
and the laws protecting labor, and the en-
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HON. R. B. F. Peirce, of Crawfords-
ville, who was nominated for Congress at
Dowling Hall to-day is a man that the
Republican party may well feel proud of.
The News has been strictly for the nomi-
nee, and has been satisfied that the Re-
publicans in convention assembled, would
wisely, and candidly choose a man who
would lead the grand old party to victory
next fall. Such a man is the Hon. R. B.
F. Peirce, and the Republicans of this dis-
trict could not have made a stronger or
better selection if they had chosen their
leader from the Congressional material of
the whole State.

Now that the conventions are all over
the Republicans must get ready for battle.

THE INTER-OCEAN speaking of the pur-
chase of Alaska from Russia, by Seward,

says that when Secretary Seward set about
the purchase of Alaska from the Russians,
and Charles Sumner favored the scheme,
they were set down for a couple of lunatics
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