

THE REGISTER

LIGONIER, AUGUST 29, 1858.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR SUPREME JUDGES.

1st Dis.—HORACE P. BIDDLE, of Cass;
2d.—ABRAM W. HENDRICKS, Jefferson
3d.—SIMON YANDES, of Marion:
4th—WM. D. GRISWOLD, of Vigo.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

WILLIAM T. OTTO, of Floyd;

TREASURER OF STATE.

JOHN H. HARPER, of St. Joseph.

AUDITOR OF STATE,

ALBERT LANGE, of Vigo.

SECRETARY OF STATE,

WILLIAM A. PEELLE, of Randolph.

SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

JOHN YOUNG, of Marion.

Congressional Convention.

The Republican Convention to nominate a candidate to represent the tenth Congressional District in the next Congress, will meet at Kendalville, Noble Co. on Thursday the 12th day of August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

All who are willing to unite in the overthrow of the present corrupt Administration of the general government are cordially invited to attend and participate.

By order of the Central Committee,

B. W. OAKLEY, Chairman.

Fort Wayne, June 29, 1858.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Noble County, and all others who are opposed to the iniquitous course of the present Administration, are requested to meet in Convention at Albion, on Saturday, the 28th inst., to nominate candidates for Representative, Treasurer, Sheriff, and two County Commissioners, and for the transaction of such other business as may be deemed necessary. The following is the apportionment as agreed upon by the Central Committee, based upon the last Congressional vote, viz:

Washington	6	Sparta	7
Perry	18	Elkhart	6
York	6	Noble	6
Green	3	Jefferson	5
Orange	6	Wayne	12
Allou	9	Swan	9
Albion	5		

Let all attend who possibly can.
By order of the Co. Cent. Com.

A. B. MILLER, Chairman.

THOSE NOTES.

The notes due us on stock subscription, we should like to realize the money for. We have already borrowed twice, to give our friends time to pay. We now hope that each one knowing the claim unpaid, will step forward and allow us to meet our loan engagements. We hope no one will forget.

We regret to see the spirit evinced by some in regard to Congressional nomination. This matter we opine should be left to the free, unbiased choice of the Republicans of this District. Whom it is evident they prefer—the delegates to the Congressional Convention should select as the nominee!

As we hold that the one that the delegates should thus select, as bound to obey the choice of the Republicans of the District—without he can give weighty and substantial reasons why he cannot.

Any other course is not fair—is not just. You must have the fair open expression of public sentiment expressed in your nominations, or else you cheat and defraud the people, and violate public confidence.

Let no unworthy motives, no selfish considerations, no disgraceful political chicanery and trickery, conspire against such a result. Upon such an unselfish basis let Republicans join hands—close up the columns and on to the fight and victory!

Circuit Judgeship.

We see the following gentlemen spoken of as candidates for Circuit Judge: T. R. Dickenson, E. B. Wilson, and Wm. M. Clapp, Republicans; and E. M. Chamberlain and R. J. Dawson, Democrats. We hope whoever may have the fortune to be nominated and elected will dare to do right regardless of politics or other surrounding circumstances.

A general gathering of the Indian tribes is reported in Oregon, with the evident intent of proceeding to hostilities.

Awful Uprightness and Sincerity.

We saw a paper published in this District last week, which was brim-full and running over with wit, sarcasm, ridicule, irony and pious denunciations against any one, who dare be *profane* enough to think of selecting a Congressional candidate from Fort Wayne, and even attempting to call to life a deceased Statesman, assuming to get his aid in inventing.

But lo! how is it? a very few weeks ago this very paper claimed the nomination as due to Fort Wayne this year—urged it as a *bounden duty* upon the rest of the district to award it there.

Read this same paper last week, and reflect whether its volcano of anathemas, its frenzied appeals are intended to hit, overwhelm and demolish the author of "Fort Wayne's claims" of a few weeks before.

Get the two documents from the same pen, reader, and see where the flood of *damnations* which are poured out last week belong.

Satan rebuking sin 'aint nowhere,' as compared with this "re-organizing the Whig Party."

A. Ellison, Esq.

This Attorney appears to be getting 'fits' from different sources. John Dawson gives him the benefit of a long leader last week, containing some things which if *true* are rather 'fornit' Andy. And besides the resolutions of a meeting in our county, denouncing his course, we see that a meeting convened in his own County—Lagrange—passed the following among other resolutions:

Resolved, That we look upon Andrew Ellison, of this place, as an operator with the black-legs of this County; and viewing his course as such, a sense of duty compels us to denounce him as a traitor to the interests of society, and the good of our country.

Lawrence, DeKalb Co., Ind.

This town on the Air Line railroad about twenty-seven miles east of this place, is only a few months old; yet it now numbers advantages which most places of years growth cannot boast of.

The number of buildings put up in this, the first year of its growth, is unparalleled we believe in this era of hard times.'

The growth of this place is all due to the energy of the proprietor, Mr. Hine who gives a lot to each man who will erect a building upon it—and also furnishes lumber at reasonable rates on a credit of months.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel tells a story of a squad of burglars in that city, that heads any display of impudence that we have heard of lately—they attempted to break into the House of a Mr Conver, on Monday night, last week, but were seen by a young man who lodged in the adjoining house, and was sitting by his window. He made a noise, showing that there was somebody about, and the rascals left. On the next night he watched again, and again they come on their rascally expedition, but seeing him again abandoned it. This frustration of their plans seemed to have excited the scoundrels a good deal. The next day he was notified by an anonymous letter that he was interfering in what did not concern him, and if he didn't stop it he'd get a bullet through his head. He then notified the family, and a watch was kept over every night. The night following this letter they came again but seeing the "watch" ready they threw a brickbat at the window in a fury of disappointment, whereto the "watch" retorted with several bullets from a revolver that scattered them.

Regulator Notice.

The different organizations are hereby notified that the central committee will convene at this place on the 18th of August at 1 o'clock P. M., and all societies who have paid the 35 per cent tax, and such as are still willing to bear a proportionate share of the expenses attendant upon this great work of reform, are requested to be represented by one or more delegates to said meeting. By order of the President.

W. H. MOTT,
Sec'y Cen. Com.

The Regulators belonging to the Lodge in Ligonier, known as the Noble County Invincibles, are earnestly solicited to meet at McLean's Hall on the 7th day of August at 3 o'clock P. M., to elect new officers and appoint delegates to the Central Convention which will be held at Kendalville on the 18th inst., and to transact other important business.

H. H. WOOD, Pres.
S. D. PIERCE, Sec.

County Convention.

Our readers will please take notice of the call for the Republican county convention on the 28th of the present month. We hope the Republicans throughout the county will take sufficient interest in the matter to generally attend the convention on that day. Let the delegates to the convention be selected with fairness; let there be an open fair selection of candidates, and with truth and right on our side, we cannot but prevail. To your posts Republicans.

We have some instances of so-called 'justice' that may be of public interest to unfold. The rendering of law as a mere farce and swindle, and the studied inventions to make it subserve black-hearted *revenge* is not exactly safe to all concerned. The dodge behind subterfuges will hide only for a while.

There is a series of this kind now.

They may continue too long.

A Sensible View of the Republican Party.

The Hon. John C. Breckinridge, Vice President of the United States, says the Chicago Press and Tribune, lately made a stump speech at some obscure place in Kentucky, intended to bear on the election which is about to take place in that State. It was not perhaps, quite in keeping with the dignity of his position to make a stump speech at all; but it is creditable to him that he uttered more truth than generally falls from the lips of a Democratic orator. He appreciates the position and strength of the Republican party, as may be seen by the following extracts from his speech:

"The Republican party, is the strongest organization in the Union, unless the Democratic party is stronger. It is the only great living vital organization that has or can withstand the Democratic party. It is a powerful, a compact, a hopeful organization. * * * Republicans don't mean to change their name or their issues; they are too strong, too powerful, too confident for that; and yet you are invited by some Kentuckians to go in with them and form a People's party to break down this great, dominant party. Its principles are deeper and broader, and its purposes more resolute than anything on the surface would indicate. Don't underrate their power."

A Democratic Muzzle.

The following is the nature of the muzzle which dropped from the nose of a Democratic dog, as noticed by the Detroit Herald a few days ago. It is the muzzle which all Democrats are required to wear, or be Bob Davis'd. Its dimensions are taken from the Washington Union:

"It is characteristic of a good Democrat that he is as *perfect in obedience* as he is *absolute in command*—while he is a private in the ranks he feels it to be a duty to *obey the behests of party*; when he is promoted to leadership he exacts *implicit obedience* to the authority which has been vested in him. When we elected James Buchanan for President of the United States we also elected him *President of the Democratic party*; and he, together with the Cabinet and the Democratic Senators, Representatives in Congress, are tribunals which the party itself set up in 1856; to declare what are *Democratic doctrines and Democratic measures*."

Jesse D. Bright's Popular Sovereignty Doctrine.

Jesse D. Bright, in his recent speech in the United States Senate, used the following language:

"So strong, Mr. President, is my conviction of the viciousness of the principle of submitting to a direct vote of the people the propriety of the enactment or rejection of laws, that for one I am prepared to extend the same objection to a submission of entire Constitutions to the same tribunal."

How Mr. Buchanan Worked for Leavenworth.

The late Senator Henderson of Texas, wrote a letter shortly previous to his death, to Major John Marshall in the course of which he made the following reference to the Lecompton struggle:

"On the morning of the day the bill finally passed, the President sent for me, and made such an earnest and strong appeal to me to vote for the bill, and aid in saving his Administration and the Democratic party of the North as to induce me to leave the Senate Chamber and not vote at all, as I would have felt bound to vote against the bill if I had voted."

A correspondent of the Boston Herald alleges that a duel took place early on Monday morning in Roxbury, between a Southern gentleman and a young law student of Boston. The Southerner was wounded in three places it is feared dangerously. The Boston boy was only run through the sleeve of his shirt. The Southerner insulted him on Saturday forenoon, and the student challenged him at once. All parties are highly connected.

Fifth Congressional District.

The Republican Committee for Fifth Congressional District in this State, have called a convention to meet in Augusta on the 15th inst., to nominate a candidate for Congress. Hon. J. C. Davis is the Democratic candidate and Hon. J. W. Morris the Douglas candidate for this district. The Republicans expect to beat them both.

[Chi. Tribune.]

Some Dog.

The following is clipped from the Peru (Ind.) Republican. We can appreciate such a dog as that. We think he must be a real 'Henry Clay' of the dog species. If there is not a good deal more humanity and sound sense in 'Birch' than in some of his fellow-two-legged pretenders, we should be mistaken.

Mr. Wm. Scantling, formerly of this place now residing in Huntington, once owned the favorite Dog Birch, now the property of Jesse Zern of this city.—Scantling was down on the 4th, and prevailed upon Zern to let him take Birch home on a visit. Birch visited Scantling's family and looked around Huntington a few days, when being content with staying, he walked over to the depot and without the knowledge of Mr. Scantling or any body else took the first train for Peru. He came into town from our Depot last evening in company with the other passenger from the East. Birch had no acquaintances aboard and no money.—It is supposed he sponged his fare, the only mean trick he was ever accused of.

Birch's sagacity is evinced first in deciding to take a train rather than walk

and second in distinguishing between

trains going east and west.

St. Louis Election.

The contest in St. Louis is hot. The Pro-Slavery party are making desperate efforts to defeat Blair for Congress, and are appealing to the Know Nothings for assistance. The Democrat appears confident of a Free Soil triumph. We make an extract from a stirring appeal in its Friday issue:

The VICTORY IS OURS.—The Republican of yesterday virtually confessed to a humiliating defeat. Its tone was subdued, its confidence all gone, its low trickery exposed to the world.

The crushing defeat of Barret, Hogan,

and the Nationals, is now put beyond

the question of a doubt. The Free

Democracy have only to stand to their

positions, and Monday will record

for them a triumph more glorious

than ever transpired in the annals of

our city. They have it in their power

to poll a larger vote for Blair than for

both the other candidates combined.

Those whom the Nationals sought to

betray have discovered the treason, and

are leaving their ranks by hundreds in

every ward in the city. The eyes of

the working men are opened to the de-

lusion that was practised on them, and

they see to raise wages we must increase

business, and to do that we must have

in Missouri enterprise, not stagnation.

All classes recognize that the progress

of free labor extinguishes slavery before

it, and that its conquest will leave no

negroes in the state.

The amount of sugar destroyed by

the inundation in Louisiana is esti-

mated at 50,000 hogsheads—worth

\$3,000,000.

The cotton destroyed by the over-

flow on the banks of the Mississippi it

is said, will be 100,000 bales—worth

probably about \$4,000,000.

In the Wabash Valley, as represented

by the Evansville Journal, the losses

by the farmers and property owners