

## THE PLYMOUTH DEMOCRAT.

J. G. OSBORNE, : : : EDITOR.

PLYMOUTH, INDIANA:

THURSDAY, SEPT. 22, 1864.

FOR PRESIDENT  
GEN. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
OF NEW JERSEY.FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
GEORGE H. PENDLETON,  
OF OHIO.

## Democratic State Ticket.

For Governor,  
JOSEPH E. McDONALD, of Marion.For Lieutenant Governor  
MAHION D. MANSON, of Montgomery.For Secretary of State,  
JAMES S. ATHON, of Marion.For Auditor of State,  
JOSEPH RISTINE, of Fountain.For Treasurer of State,  
MATTHEW L. BRETT, of Daviess.For Attorney General,  
OSCAR B. HORN, of Decatur.For Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
SAMUEL L. RUGG, of Allen.For Judges of the Supreme Court,  
SAMUEL E. PERKINS, of Marion.

ANDREW DAVISON, of Decatur.

JAMES M. HANNA, of Sullivan.

JAMES L. WORDEN, of Allen.

For Clerk of the Supreme Court,  
ETHELBERT C. HIBBEN, of Rush.For Supreme Court Reporter,  
NAPOLEON B. TAYLOR, of Marion.For Congress—9th District  
DAVID TURPIS, of White.For Common Pleas Judge, 17th District,  
JOHN G. OSBORNE, of Marshall.For District Pro-secutor,  
G. L. BETTINGER, of Elkhart.For Representative,  
LLOYD CLAZERBROOK, of Starke.

Democratic County Ticket

For Treasurer  
D. O. QUIVEY.For Sheriff  
H. M. LOGAN.For Coroner  
J. B. N. KLINGER.For Commissioner, 1st District,  
H. A. RANK.

A Fizzle.

The "Grand Union Rally," advertised so extensively in the Republican and by flaming handbills, was held here yesterday, as per notice, and in numbers or enthusiasm was a complete fizzle.

Hon. James Wilson, an ex-member of congress from the 8th congressional district, was the distinguished gentleman advertised to address the loyal multitude which were positively to be here.

Early in the forenoon the flag was run up on the abolition pole over at Pershing's corner, and a little later a four-horse team was rigged out, a drummer and fifer employed to discourse sweet music, and one or two boys placed in the wagon to make a procession. With the two musicians and these two boys, the grand procession, solitary and alone, moved through the principal streets for some time, and finally subsided, making no further effort at trying to get out a crowd. Altogether it was a sorry affair, and must have forcibly struck the speaker with the utter hopelessness of the abolition cause in Marshall county.

The abolitionists looked blue—a few tried to keep up appearances by whistling patriotic airs, but it was no go, each countenance betrayed the secret feelings of the heart.

We see that Henry B. Pershing has been appointed agent of Marshall County for the State Sanitary Fair. While we would say nothing to discourage the people in giving liberally of their means to aid in this work, yet it is our duty to expose the fraud attached to this work here. This man Pershing, assisted by the Rev. J. E. Chapin, is canvassing the county and receiving contributions, as they say, for the Sanitary Fair, but we have the best of reasons for saying that the legitimate object is a scheme to further the interests of abolitionism in this county, and thereby carry the vote for Colfax. These two worthies are warm friends of the much abased negro; their generous souls are filled with love and admiration for him; they talk also of their love for the soldier, but their acts show a greater love for the former. We will venture the assertion that two-thirds of the money collected in this way, will be used to obtain the election of Colfax, and the balance will go to some contraband society. The people must have some evidence that their money goes to the soldiers, not to politicians, nor to worthless negroes—it must be entrusted with honest men and until that is done the people have the best of reasons for withholding their support.

Formerly the symbol of the government was U. S.—meaning Us, the people. Now it is "I" written on the small of men's backs, meaning "I, Abraham Lincoln."

## PUBLIC SPEAKING.

A. C. Capron, Esq., will speak at Welch's School House, Center Township, Tuesday evening September 27th.

Hon. Horace Corbin will speak at Cross Lanes, Union Township, Tuesday evening September 27th.

C. H. Reeve, Esq., will speak at Wal-mart Center, Wednesday evening Sept. 28.

Hon. M. A. O. Packard will address the citizens of West Township at Thompson's School House, Wednesday evening September 28th. The Glee Club will be in attendance.

Dr. J. M. Confer at the School House near Webb's, in Polk Township, Thursday evening September 29th.

Hon. C. H. Reeve at Bourbon, Thursday evening September 29th. The Glee Club will be in attendance. Free train to Bourbon and return.

Hon. Horace Corbin at High's School House, North Township, Friday evening September 30th. The Glee Club will be in attendance.

A. C. Capron, Esq., at Tippecanoe, Friday evening, September 30th.

Dr. J. M. Confer at Bremen, Friday evening, September 30th.

Hon. M. A. O. Packard was chosen to address the Club at its next meeting, to be held on Saturday evening, Sept. 24th.

The Democratic Brass Band and Glee Club were requested to be present.

A special invitation was extended to the ladies to be present. The Glee Club sang the Star Spangled Banner, and the meeting adjourned.

Gen. Hooker for McClellan.

Our statement that this officer preferred the election of Gen. McClellan to Mr. Lincoln has been disputed by some of the Lincoln papers, but it is true. An Albany dispatch to the New York Herald, dated September 18, says:

"General Hooker has been here to-day and seemed to manifest surprise at any person considering him against McClellan. He announced himself unequivocally for McClellan on the platform and policy advocated by the Herald. His conversation to-day was explicit and outspoken. He urged the suppression of the rebellion, but considered a change of administration essential."

Five Rebels to one Yankee—Figures Wo't Lie.

Correspondence of the Democrat.

Soon after the commencement of the rebellion it was intimated by some noisy southerners that one of the chivalry sons of the south was, at any time, good for five Yankees. You may recollect, Mr. Editor, how many of Old Abe's broad-stick family turned up their noses at this bit of boasting; and when you see the figures you may also remember how subsequent events have settled it.

To suppress the rebellion and enforce a rigid observance of the constitution and laws of the United States, we must admit was a stupendous undertaking from first to last, but that we have had for three years and a half past, an imbecile and ignorant chief in its management, there can be no doubt, and as one simple evidence of it, I will give you a few facts and figures, which I find in the "preliminary report of the eighth census," sent to me during the last session of Congress, by my friend, Schuyler Colfax; and I ask every one, who may doubt the correctness of these figures, to examine for themselves, and if they will take the time and patience that I have, there need be no misunderstanding about the matter.

1st. See page 131, and you will find that the total white population of the United States and Territories, as appears from the census report taken in 1860— including the District of Columbia—was, in the Northern States.....18,939,443 In the Southern States.....8,059,400 Total.....26,978,843 Thus showing a difference in actual white population in favor of the North, of 10,850,043—more than twice and one fourth the population of every southern state in the Union at the commencement of the rebellion. But how stands the States of Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Arkansas, the entire white population of every one of which is included in the above eight millions.

We will not ask to deduct the entire white population of these States, yet five of the nine named, still hold a full and free representation in the Federal Legislature; yet we will ask to deduct the white population of those holding an indisputable representation in both branches of Congress, to wit:

Delaware, Population.....	95,589
Maryland.....	515,912
West Virginia.....	(one half).....561,500
Kentucky.....	509,517
Missouri.....	1,063,509
Total.....	3,113,033

Deduct therefore from the gross population of the South, as we first had them above, 8,039,400 States represented 3,113,033

Total 4,926,367

A beautiful spectacle do these figures present! Twenty-two millions of white people under the control of Old Abe, with which to whip a little over four millions of rebels, and yet it is a "military necessity" that the nigger must be freed and put in the army upon an entire equality with our white soldiers—pay, rations, and all! Truly, this would be more than five Yankees to one rebel, after all! And yet another draft is just now upon our hands for half a million more men.

In addition to our excess of population, turn to pages of the same document, 194

Mr. Lincoln is evidently intending to give his personal superintendence to military operations. Henceforth he will have his "I" upon every soldier in the army.

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