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Democratic County Convention.

The Democratic County Convention, to nominate officers to be voted for at the October election 1896, will be held at the Court House in Plymouth, June 16th next, at one o'clock P. M. The democratic vote of the last Presidential election is taken as the basis for representation, and one delegate for every ten votes and the fraction of ten, proposed. This gives the following delegation from each township: Polk 9; West 11; Union 13; Green 10; Walnut 11; Tippecanoe 8; Bourbon 26; German 29; North 11; Centre 45.

The townships are requested to meet and appoint delegates as early as Saturday, June 13th, without fail. It is important that all the delegates be present, and that contingents be selected who will attend in case of absence of the regular delegates. It is recommended that each candidate be allowed his relative strength in the convention, on first ballot at least. Prompt attendance at the time and place fixed is desired. It is hoped that every township will be fully represented without fail. A general attendance of democrats from the county at large, on that day will be heartily welcome, for consultation and a "good time" generally.

By order of the Central Committee.

C. H. REEVE, Chairman.

A. C. CAPRON, Secretary.

Township Convention.

The Democracy of Center township are requested to meet on SATURDAY, JUNE 9th, 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., to select delegates to the Democratic County Convention to be held at Plymouth, on the 16th inst., and to transact such other business as may be necessary.

By order of the Committee.

We were visited on Saturday night and Sunday morning with a fine rain, which was much needed. The weather after the rain turned much too cold for the rapid growth of vegetation. It is raining again this (Monday) afternoon and the weather still continues cold.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT AT FORT WAYNE.—The Indiana State Billiard Tournament will be held at Fort Wayne, commencing on the 4th of June, and continue one week. A prize of a golden cue valued at \$300 will be awarded to the champion. Phelan, McDevitt and Carme, of New York, Phil Tieman, of Cincinnati, Jas. Dion, of Montreal, and other distinguished players will be present. The billiard men of Fort Wayne are anticipating a grand time.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—We learn that Mr. James Lynn of Bourbon, while moving a stick of timber one day last week was accidentally shot by a pistol contained in his breeches pocket. It is said that the ball after seriously damaging Mr. L., in a manner much to be deprecated, lodged in the upper part of his thigh, where at last accounts it still remained. We learn that it is the intention of the attending Surgeon to avoid an amputation, if possible, though one was talked of first.

ARRESTED.—Col. Place, of La Porte, whose house was entered a few months since, and robbed of some six or eight thousand dollars in money and bonds, succeeded last week in finding the scamps who committed the robbery. We learn that they offered one of the stolen bonds at Warsaw and were detained until Col. Place was informed, who proceeded at once to that place, and after identifying the bond, returned to La Porte in charge of the three men accused of the offense. Most of the money, a considerable part of which was in gold, was recovered.

LADY'S FRIEND FOR JUNE.—This superior magazine leads off with a suggestive steel plate called, "The Mother's Blessing," illustrating a romantic story. The fashions are distinguished as usual for elegance and appropriateness. Airily graceful and delicately gay, they befit the month of roses, of summer skies and soft south winds. "The Music Mistress," a good wood-cut, also illustrates a story. Then follow some well chosen designs which the ladies will find useful, a Gored Dress, an Oriental Braiding Pattern, The Spanish Fichu, Grecian Coiffure, fashionable caps and bonnets. Address Deacon & Peterson, 515 Walnut st., Philadelphia.

NO SECOND PRICES!—It is not possible for any business man to please all classes of customers. For instance, last week we mentioned the case of a lady who thought they were "very independent" at Westernville, because they would not sell an article less than the price to please her. Another one went there a few days since and looking at a piece of goods asked the proprietor, who was standing near, the price; at the same time remarking, "You have no second prices here have you?" He answered, "Not any second prices." Said she, "That's where I like to trade; when I buy goods where they have two prices I always get cheated." She commenced trading at once and in a short time had bought a nice bill of goods and went on her way rejoicing. Westervelt informs us that as goods are advancing he does not wish to quote prices this week, but will give prices any day to all who call for them at their counter.

Ignatius, of the concern over the way, still persists in a moderate use of Chrys-tadoras best." The shade of invisible bridle which the invigorator imparts to the old man's "golden locks" gives his Japanese head and face rather a novel look. We suggest that he apply to some traveling menagerie for exhibition as the mammoth Japanese Swine.

A drunken man with only one arm became very boisterous on Monday last. He became much enraged at one of the Saloon keepers for some cause, and in his anger broke out a pane of glass, whereupon the proprietor took a running jump at him, striking him in the face and knocking him down. Soon after this the drunken fellow passed down street to another Saloon where he laid himself liable to a prosecution for public indecency. The Marshall came around and arrested him.

We learn that the ladies of the Episcopal Church in this place will give a Strawberry Festival in a short time, but where it is to be held we are not informed. Since the burning of the public halls here last winter the citizens of Plymouth have been deprived of the benefit of all amusements, there being no building in the place properly constructed to answer as a substitute.

When Messrs. Corbin and Benson complete their new brick block we will have a public hall, which will be open to Festivals and the like.

STARK COUNTY LEDGER.—We see by the Winemac Democrat that the initial number of a paper bearing the above title had been received at that office, W. J. Burns, formerly of this place, as editor and publisher. The paper has not appeared at our table for some reason.

P. S.—Since writing the above a copy of the Ledger has been received at this office in exchange. It is a neat six column paper, soundly democratic, and ought to receive a generous support.

New Goods, and great reduction in prices, at J. M. Dale & Co's. They are in receipt of a very large stock of Spring and Summer Goods. Good Prints at 15c; good Delaines and Lawns at 20c, and all other goods in proportion. They also have for sale a large stock of Ready-made Clothing, Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps, and Carpets at reduced prices. Don't fail to call and examine their Goods before purchasing elsewhere. No pains will be spared and no charges made for showing goods. remember the place, Cleveland's old stand, on La Porte street, one door west of Reeve's office.

Let every democrat attend the township conventions on the 9th and see that good men and true are selected as delegates to the County Convention. None who are not thoroughly committed to the principles and usages of the democratic party should be returned as delegates. There are, we are proud to say, plenty of such men in Marshall county, and hence we may expect a full and harmonious County Convention, which will give out no uncertain sound, but will enunciate principles upon which constitutional men can cordially stand shoulder to shoulder in the coming contest.

AN ELOPEMENT.—A young friend of ours, who for the present shall be nameless, becoming tired of his position in life as a single man, a few days since took it into his head to taste the comforts of a wedded life. His fair Dulcinea was nothing loth, but alas, her cruel parents did not approve her choice. Determined not to be kept out of paradise, against their wishes—an elopement was agreed upon, and our enterprising friend having procured a span of horses and a buggy repaired to the residence of his fair one, arriving in the absence of her parents. While making the necessary preparations for departure, the young lady's mother arrived at the scene of operations, and seeing how matters stood, peremptorily ordered the young man to leave at once and alone. This he declined doing and report says there was quite a little skirmish between them, during which the fair one betook herself to the buggy, where she was joined by her irrepressible lover who soon put quite a distance between the lady and her home. They arrived in town soon, and with the assistance of the lady's favorite minister were duly made one. Thus endeth the first lesson.

"We have no taste whatever for personalities."—*Republican*.

If by "personalities" the editor of the *Republican* means personal conflicts where there is the slightest danger of suffering bodily hurt, then is the above true as gospel. If he means to convey the impression that he has no taste for using evil, false, scandalous, vulgar, slanderous and abusive language relative to those with whom he may not agree personally or politically, then is the above an unmitigated falsehood, known by all who have ever known the editor of the *Republican*. In view of the past record made by him he should at least have had the decency to refrain from placing himself in such an unenviable position before the public.

No man who ever lived in this place has used half as much personal abuse towards his opponents as has Ignatius Mattingly, and yet he has the boldness to declare that he has "no taste for personalities."

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A first class Shaw & Clark Sewing Machine. Enquire at this office for particulars. (1f.)

We call the attention of farmers and others interested to the advertisement of the La Porte Woolen Factory, which can be found in another column.

Members of the Fire Department can procure their certificates of membership by calling on the Corporation Clerk; office over the Bank.

We call the attention of the public to the health ordinance published in another column. The Board of trustees should see that this ordinance is strictly enforced, as it is much needed.

The Presbyterian Church has procured a new organ, a great improvement over the old one. We learn that the new instrument cost \$300, and was furnished by Mr. Whitmore at the wholesale price, with transportation added.

MORE NEW GROCERIES.—Ab. Becker & Co. are receiving another large and well assorted stock of groceries and provisions at their room north of Brownlee's brick.

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The Phenological Journal for June contains portraits of Hon. Solomon Foot, Thomas Jefferson, Aaron Burr, Constance Emily Kent, Jenny Lind, a Group of Men and of Indian, with upwards of twenty illustrations and sketches of character; also Practical Physiology, Love and Lovers, Marriage and Divorce, Celibacy, Revolutions and Sciences, Your Likeness, Strong Men, Hints to Preachers and Sextons, Physical Culture, True Politeness, How to Talk, Fashions, etc. 32 a year or 20 cents a number. A new volume—the 4th, begins with next number. Address Fowler & Wells, 389 Broadway, New York.

The rumored pardon of Raphael Semmes proves untrue, although he is earnestly pressing his application for amnesty.

MARRIED.

On the 29th inst., by C. Grube, Esq., Mr. HENRY RHINEHART to Miss MELINDA GREEN, all of this County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
We are requested to announce the name of D. E. VANVALKENBURG as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic Representative Convention of Marshall and Stark Counties. (1f.)

FOR AUDITOR.
We are requested to announce the name of A. C. THOMPSON (present incumbent), as a candidate for the office of County Auditor, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention of Marshall County.

TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN W. BLODGET as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Marshall County, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

MR. EDITOR.—Please announce the name of DANIELS GRUBE as a candidate for the office of Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. (1f.)

We are authorized to announce the name of MORRIS J. JONES as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. (1f.)

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We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. N. KLINGER as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Marshall County, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. (1f.)

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We are authorized to announce the name of FREDERICK HENRY as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Marshall County, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. (1f.)

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES H. CASE as a candidate for Sheriff of Marshall County, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID HOW as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. (1f.)

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.
We are authorized to announce the name of E. G. McCULLUM of LaPorte as a candidate for the office of Prosecuting Attorney for this Circuit.

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Pork net per cwt.	5.90 @ 10.00
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Eggs	14
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" Tame	10
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