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WHAT NEXT?

The most prominent question now agitating the public mind, is what is, to be the end of all the various Platforms Councils and Conventions that have been held and formed during the past month. We predicted on the 18th of June, through the columns of our paper, that any attempt to fasten upon the American party any sectional question or side issue, would tend to, and produce disorganization, and we claimed no special gift or foresight, for so doing. It was the natural result that must flow from such a cause.

The masses composing that party were men of all political creeds, who mutually agreed to lay aside all former predilections, and to sustain one great national principle—placing every department of the National Government in the hands of Native born Americans. This was a question upon which all true Americans could unite, and the only question was a matter of expediency. Many good and true men—many Native born American men, doubted the policy of such a movement, and therefore would not act with the party. gogues fearing a verdict from the people, opposed it as a matter of course, and the more so when they discovered that the door of this party was forever closed against them. With united effort and action this new element of political power met and completely routed the enemies of the people—the enemies of America.

Success caused the people to relax their vigilance, and certain seditious men crept in unawares, and stirred up sectional and local questions, and when the National Council met and would not act to suit men who had ulterior views and favorite issues to carry out, the few seceded from the Council, and this set the example of insubordination, and sowed the elements of disorganization.

'Tis no wonder that the example is followed. It was perfectly natural that the subordinate councils would follow the example of their State head, and hence, as will be seen the Council in Terre Haute have repudiated the platform adopted by the State Council, and have determined to stand by the National Council. This they had a perfect right to do, if the State Council had the power and right to nullify the action of the National Council. But we contend that the State Council had no such right. They had delegated their authority to the National Council and hence had no power to thus nullify her action—any more than any one State of the union has the right or the power to nullify a law of the United States to whom the several States have delegated their power to act. Thus we see the State Council cut off from the national, and the subordinate in like manner from the State. The question then very naturally arises.—What next?

The Governor of Kentucky has pardoned V. T. PERKINS, recently convicted at the Covington circuit court, for shooting R. B. CARPENTE, Esq.

REDEEMING.—The notes of the Wayne Bank Logansport, and Wayne Bank, Richmond, are being redeemed at the office of the Auditor of State.

Vigo K. N. Council.

At a regular meeting of this Council held on Thursday night, July 19, 1855, the following resolutions were adopted by a majority lacking one vote of being four to one! These resolutions, it will be seen, throw the order upon their original footing as a National Party, regarding the action of the State Council as seceding from the original order and the original purpose for which it was organized! They but speak the sentiments of a large majority of the voters of Indiana, as time will show. We hope every Council in the State will do likewise:

Resolved, That, while we do not, individually, agree with all the opinions and sentiments expressed in the Resolutions adopted by the Convention at Philadelphia, and might not have considered them as necessary to a national organization of the American Party, yet, as they have been adopted by a national Convention of the party, we will support the same.

Resolved, That we are heartily tired of excitement and agitation on the subject of Slavery—that we will by all the just means in our power, discountenance the same, because it is destructive of the harmony of the Country and dangerous to the Union—and that we believe that the organization of our party upon the basis of the Resolutions adopted at Philadelphia, will, more than any thing else, put a stop to this excitement and agitation.

Resolved, That we cannot follow the State Council in its act of secession from the National Council, but hereby declare that we will maintain our organization, in support of the principles declared by said National Council.

From the Indiana Journal.
A Kansas Yarn.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I had a hearty laugh over the story of the "sixty yoke of red bulls" that got "stuck in the Kansas incident which was told me by a man who said he was an eye-witness to it. The narrator, in company with a friend, had reached the Eldorado of the West, late in the evening. Early on the following morning they made their toilets, and sallied forth to drink in the beauties of the wide-rolling prairies. A stiff breeze was blowing, but being at their backs, they did not realize its force. After sailing before the wind some hour or two, they discovered in the distance a dark object resembling a man. Their curiosity led them to direct their steps towards the solitary traveler. As they neared him, it was found that he was clinging to a stunted scrub-oak, and his coat-tail and nether limbs were flapping and sawing fiercely in the wind at an angle of forty-five degrees. When within speaking distance, our travelers hailed him as follows:

"Hallo, stranger, how long have you been anchored here? Rather windy this morning."

"Oh no, not very windy," gasped the squatter sovereign, "I have been in this country five years, and this is the calmest morning I have seen yet!"

ROLLING PRAIRIE.

From New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16.

The Nautilus brings dates to the 11th from Brownsville.

Gen. Wool left Matamoras on the 7th, and assumed the command of the forces at Reynosa numbering from twelve to thirteen hundred.

The Revolutionists, numbering twenty-five hundred, have taken Camargo, and are marching on Reynosa, where a battle is expected.

Gen. Casto, with five hundred troops, remains at Matamoras.

The Revolutionists have issued a decree, declaring the supporters of Santa Anna, traitors, punishable by death.

Caballo's tariff of 30 per cent. ad valorem is in force in all the ports of the Rio Grande.

A grand jury in Louisville have found a bill against the court house in that city, as a nuisance!

What do they expect to Gain by it?

An article appeared in the Vincennes News a few days since, under the above head, complaining that Mr. Griswold had furnished an extra train to take St. Louis passengers to Terre Haute, and that his object in doing so was to benefit himself, as the owner of property in Terre Haute.

Mr. Griswold furnished an extra train at the urgent request of the passengers, they believing from their own experience, and from the declaration of the News a few days previous, that the hotel accommodations at the Old Post were not what they should be. By going to Terre Haute, they expected to find a place to sleep, and avoid the necessity of running a steep chase for their food. The official acts of Mr. Griswold are known and appreciated, and no one but the editor of the News expects him to act as a runner for the hotels in Vincennes.

Right Bro. Sanders. If Mr. Griswold owned a hotel here, there might be some grounds for the News's charge. But the fact is we have four Hotels here that are hard to beat in this, wooden country, and our Landlords demean themselves in such a manner as to insure a second call from their guests.

Kansas.

Extract from a private letter received by the New York Tribune from a well informed citizen of Kansas:

THURSDAY, June 21, 1855.

I am fearful of another outbreak here. You have seen in the papers an account of the case of McCrea, who shot Clark. His trial before Le Compt, Chief Justice of the Territory, terminated a day or two since. The Judge, after hearing the evidence on both sides, declared it to be a bailable offense, assuming that McCrea killed Clark in self-defence, which all disinterested persons knew before; yet the Judge did not remand him to the fort, as some say he did. He is now under the tender mercies of the most unscrupulous scoundrel in the State. He stands no more chance of living till court sits (October) than a fat calf would among butchers. It was expected that a company of Missourians would be over last night to glut their revenge on the man who gave five cents for his life; yet this man, if any receiver committed was justifiable, was justified in killing Clark, as Clark was in the act of striking him with a piece of scantling over the head when McCrea shot him.

The recent valuation of property in San Francisco is \$2,000,000.

Special Notice.

We recommend those in search of medicine to purify the blood, to procure Hurley's Sarsaparilla. If undisputed testimony and steady increasing demand be a criterion of its intrinsic value, then Hurley's Sarsaparilla is destined for the relief of mankind, and himself to be equally popular.

P. M. Donnelly is agent in this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

150 Second-Handed Cider Barrels for sale by P. P. PRICE. One door West Terre Haute House, July 19-dtf National Road st.

50 lbs. Fresh Honey for sale by P. P. PRICE. One door West Terre Haute House, July 19-dtf National Road st.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS. STILL MORE EXCITEMENT, AT THE NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE OF P. P. PRICE, On National Road street, one door West of the Terre-Haute House.

WHERE may be found all kinds of Fresh Groceries and Provisions, comprising in part, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Teas, Spices, Tobacco, Flour, Bacon, Salt, &c.; also, Fruits, Tubs, buckets, Powder, Lead, Shot, &c. All kinds of fresh Provisions bought and sold, cheap for cash. All goods purchased at this store will be delivered any where within the corporation, free of extra charge, by Price's fast line Mule Express. [July 18 aw3m.]

Notice.

OFFICE TERRE-HAUTE & RICHMOND, RAILROAD COMPANY, July 17, 1855.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Terre-Haute and Richmond Railroad Company, held this day, a dividend of Five per cent on the capital stock, was declared payable out of the earnings of the Company, for the six months ending June 30th, and payable to western stockholders at the office of the Treasurer of the Company in Terre-Haute, on and after the 25th inst. CHAS. WOOD, Sec'y. July 18, 1855-d1w2w

HOLMES' FOUNDRY.

EAST OF CANAL, NEAR TERRE-HAUTE AND RICHMOND RAILROAD DEPOT. WHERE he is well prepared to furnish Engines, Boilers, Mills and all kinds of Machinery, at short notice and in elegant style and finish. [July 18-dy]

Coal! Coal & Coke!

HANCHETT & KELLY having recently purchased the Sullivan Coal Bank, are now prepared to deliver their coal in Terre-Haute, or at any other point on the Evansville & Crawfordville Railroad upon the shortest notice. Their Coal and Coke needs no puff. It will recommend itself upon trial and can be had cheap enough.

All orders left with D. Griffith, at E. S. Wolfe & Co.'s, Terre-Haute, or addressed to Hanchett & Kelly, Ascension, Ind., will meet with prompt attention. July 16-dtf

AUCTION!! I WILL SELL ON SATURDAY, A FINE LOT OF FURNITURE!

(On consignment, both new and old; also, CLOCKS, WATCHES, READY MADE CLOTHING, &c., at No. 2, Early's Block. July 18 dts. J. M. ADAMS.

Select School!

MISS REBECCA TAYLOR will open a Select School in the basement story of the Universalist Church, on Monday next, July 23d. Persons wishing to send their children would do well to apply soon. Her terms are moderate. July 17-d1w

MAP OF VIGO CO.

Showing the Township, Range, Section, and Quarter Section Lines; the Civil Townships; the outline of each person's Tract of land, with the Owner's Name thereon; the Streams; Canals; Railroads; Plank roads; State and County roads; Towns; villages; post offices; Public buildings; Churches; School Houses; Mills; &c.; the City of Terre-Haute, with its Additions and Sub-divisions. Compiled with great care from United States, Corporation and Private Surveys, and County Records.

Scale, 2 inches to the Mile. Published by CONDIT, WRIGHT & HAYDEN, Indianapolis, Ind.

AMZI B. CONDIT, WILLIS W. WRIGHT, NHEMIAM HAYDEN, } The above gentlemen have secured the copy right for the Map of our County, and will proceed to publish it without delay, and we are requested to give notice to all persons that have DEEDS for land, and have never had them RECORDED, to send them in for record at once, otherwise their names will not appear on the Map.

ALBERT LANGE, Auditor. DAVID BELL, Recorder. E. W. SMITH. M. M. DODDS. SMITH & DODDS, Wholesale Grocers, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, And Dealers in FLOUR and PRODUCE, Wabash Street, Terre-Haute, Ind.

Particular attention given to the Purchase of all kinds of Grain. Have just received, among many other articles, not enumerated: 175 sacks Coffee, 129 bbls of Sugar, 30 bbls Refined White Sugar, 75 bbls Orleans Molasses, 60 bbls S. H. Molasses, in bbls, 1/2 bbls and 3/4 bbls, 30 bbls of S. H. Syrup, a general stock of Teas, 33 bbls Crushed Sugar, a large stock of Tobacco, 154 boxes of Raisins, in whole, half and quarter boxes, 40 boxes of Star Candles, 75 boxes of Soap, German, Orleans, Soda, White, Fancy, 85 boxes of assorted Candles, Confectioneries of all kinds and varieties, 30 boxes of Lemon Syrup, 30 boxes of Starch, 15 boxes of Mustard, 30 boxes of Pepper Sauce, 100 dozen of Blacking, a general stock of Tubs, Buckets, and Wooden Ware, also, Glass, all sizes, 60 dozen Brooms, 200 keg Nails, all sizes, Rice, Mackerel, Herring, Indigo, Madder, Nutmegs, Cloves, &c. A heavy stock of Wrapping Paper, also, a large quantity of Writing Paper, and Stationery of all kinds, &c., &c. Terre-Haute, July 13th, 1855 dtf.

Cigars! JUST received, a fresh and choice assortment of cigars and tobacco, at WESTFALL & TRAPP'S. July 11-dtf.

FOR RENT! A neat and comfortable dwelling-house on 6th street. Enquire of WM. E. McLEAN. July 11-dtf.

MORE EXCITEMENT OPPOSITE THE POST-OFFICE!!! JAMES DAVIS, DEALER IN GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, Fourth Street, Welch's Block, Terre-Haute, Ia.

HAVING a fresh assortment of Groceries and Provisions just opened, I am now ready to wait upon the citizens of Terre-Haute with as good and as fresh articles in this line as any other house in the city; and at prices that will correspond with the times. His stock comprises in part, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Teas, Spices, Tobacco, Flour, Bacon, Salt, &c., Tubs, Buckets, Brooms, Wash Boards, Powder, Lead, Shot, and almost everything in the line. Also, Cotton Yarn, Brown Muslins. Cash paid for all kinds of Produce. Terre-Haute, July 6, 1855-d1y.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR SWINE! NOTICE is hereby given to the owners of hogs in the city of Terre-Haute, that the undersigned will take up and compound all hogs running at large, contrary to ordinance, and that all hogs, that may be so taken up, and impounded for twelve hours, previous to the 8 o'clock, Tuesday the 17th, Thursday the 19th, and Saturday the 21st days of July, 1855, will be sold by me at said pound, to satisfy the penalty and costs that may be assessed. The ordinance for hogs running at large will be enforced. S. DODSON, City Marshal. July 16, 1855-dtf

DETERMINED TO CLOSE OUT!! BEING compelled on account of my health to change my business, I offer my entire stock of Queens-ware, Glass-ware, Hardware, and Silver-plated-ware; in short, the BEST ASSORTED STOCK! Of China ware, and House-Furnishing goods that I ever had in store; also, a lot of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES! All fresh and new, at wholesale or retail. I will take in part payment the building of a house to cost from \$3,500 to \$4,000, or I will sell one half of the establishment to some active business man, who would carry on the business. Until the above is effected, I will retail at cost and expenses. E. S. WOLFE. June 26-daw4w

NEW LINE TO CHICAGO. TERRE-HAUTE AND ALTON RAILROAD. One Through Passenger Train Daily (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.) AFTER Monday, July 18, the Passenger Train will leave Terre Haute, at 8:30 A. M., and arrive at the crossing of the Chicago Branch at 11:15 o'clock, A. M., connecting with the train of the ILLINOIS CENTRAL ROAD direct to Chicago, by 6 o'clock P. M. Returning—Leaves Crossing of Chicago Branch on arrival of Illinois Central Train, at 3:45 P. M., and reaches Terre Haute at 6:45 P. M. Freight Trains leave daily. Freight will not be received at the depot for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M. L. R. SARGENT, Superintendent. June 29, 1855 dwf

TERRE-HAUTE AND RICHMOND RAILROAD! CHANGE OF TIME! ON and after Monday, July 16, the train on this road will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows: connecting at Indianapolis with trains for Louisville, Cincinnati, and the East; and at Terre-Haute with trains for Vincennes, Evansville, St. Louis, Paris, Charleston and Chicago. MAIL TRAIN Leave Terre-Haute, at 8:30 A. M. Arrive at Indianapolis, at 11:42 A. M. Leave Indianapolis, at 1:10 P. M. Arrive at Terre-Haute, at 4:30 P. M. NIGHT EXPRESS Leave Terre-Haute, at 9:15 P. M. Arrive at Indianapolis, at 12:05 P. M. Leave Indianapolis, at 12:50 A. M. Arrive at Terre-Haute, at 3:41 A. M. CHAS. WOOD, Secretary. [Journal and Courier, copy two weeks—Daily Express, copy one week.] July 13-1w.

Self-Sealing FRUIT CANS! I AM now manufacturing, at the old Rough & Ready Corner, Self-Sealing Fruit Cans, for preserving fruits, vegetables, &c.—the only can ever made requiring no wax, solder or cement. These cans are warranted to perform as represented. Those in need of an article of this kind can have their orders filled on short notice, and on reasonable terms. Call at the old R. & R. Corner, and examine for yourselves. R. L. BALL. Terre-Haute, July 17-d2m

Summer Hats. ATTENTION, GENTS! PERSONS desiring neat and fashionable Dress Silk Hats, or Gents Fine Caps, will remember that the New York Hat Store is the place to find them, at all times. Also, Leghorn, Panama, and other fine straw hats, to suit any taste. A large lot of plain straw goods, for sale cheap. Call and examine for yourselves. Hats of the best materials, made to order, and warranted to be just what they are represented—the genuine A. No. 1 of the season. J. C. YATES. Modisett's Block, Terre-Haute, Ind. May 17, 1855-dtf

Buckingham's CHAIR & FURNITURE WARE-ROOMS, ON FOURTH STREET, (A few doors North of Main.) HAS just received the largest and most complete stock of Furniture ever offered to the public in this market—consisting in part of CHAIRS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION! Sofas, Plain Dressing and common Bedsteads, Tables, Stands of different styles, Centre Tables and other tables, Bedsteads of all kinds; Looking Glasses, Cribs of every description; Lounges and many other articles too numerous to mention. Also, kept on hand a large assortment of Chairs of home manufacture, warranted; and Spring Seat Chairs of every description. The attention of country dealers is called to the above stock. All sorts of repairing done on the shortest notice. H. BUCKINGHAM. Terre-Haute, July 6, 1855-dtf

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