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BUTLER MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25, 1882.

Democratic State Ticket.

- For Supreme Judge, Thos. A. Sherwood
For Sup't. Public Schools, W. E. Coleman.
For Railroad Commissioner, Gen. James Harding.
For Congress Twelfth District, CHARLES H. MORGAN.
For State Senator Sixteenth District, John H. Britts.

Democratic County Ticket.

- For Representative, LEVI MOLER.
For Probate Judge, S. F. HAWKINS.
For Presiding Judge County Court, JOHN A. LEFKER.
For County Clerk, R. J. STARKE.
For Circuit Clerk, J. R. JENKINS.
For Sheriff, W. F. HANKS.
For Prosecuting Attorney, S. P. FRANCISCO.
For Recorder, JAMES R. SIMPSON.
For County Treasurer, R. S. CATRON.
For Coroner, D. D. WOOD.
For County Judge District No. 1, ANDREW RITCHEY.
For County Judge, District No. 2, A. NEPTUNE.

Vote every time for John A. Lefker for Presiding judge. He is the man for the place.

'Squire Neptune's victory over the opposition will be as complete and routing as that in Ohio was.

'Squire Ritchey is virtually having no opposition in the race for county judge of the Northern District.

The poor, old patent Record tried to say something for the Ohio street Republican ticket last week.

The surrender of Frank James and the Waterloo in Ohio has caused a consternation in the Radical camp.

'Squire Neptune will sweep everything before him as clean as the work of a cyclone on Nov. 7th.

Vote for Wm. F. Hanks, for Sheriff; there is no better material on the continent.

Stand square by Bob Catron for Treasurer on election day. He always stands by the people.

Our ticket is for Col. Sam Hawkins for Probate Judge, or bust a lame string.

Hon. Joe Blackburn has been re-nominated for Congress in the 7th district of Kentucky.

Thank goodness there is no room for dissatisfaction on the Democratic side. Everything is lovely and the goose will hang high on Nov. 7th.

We hope every Democrat in the county will turn out and vote on the 7th of November. We want to lick the Rads bad this time.

Col. George G. Vest made a telling speech at Lexington, Mo., last week. The large court house in that city was literally jammed and packed. Vest always draws a crowd wherever he speaks.

Col. Cockrell has been released on a bond of ten thousand dollars for the killing of Col. Slayback. The warrant on which he was arrested charged him with murder in the second degree.

THE OPENING BLAST.

As will be seen from the list of speakers and appointments for public meetings published elsewhere in to-day's TIMES, the Democracy of the county means to open the campaign with determination.

It is the intention of the Democratic Campaign Committee not to let up on the opposition until the polls are closed on election day. The Committee has wisely avoided a long and tedious campaign and will only occupy one week in making the fight.

Now we do not want to ask too much of our Democratic friends in the county, but if they will pardon us, we should like to insist upon every one of them laying aside their work for at least one or two days—and if not days let it be hours—and give politics their whole and individual attention.

See that the meetings billed for your point are well advertised, and bring out the old men, the middle aged men, the young men, the boys and what ever you do don't forget the ladies.

Democrats the tide is in our favor the Union over, and the increase of local majorities will count in the great day to come when the footing up for a Democratic President is made. So let us begin now and drill ourselves for the coming conflict, by making this weeks campaign one of the most enthusiastic and successful ever waged in Bates county.

THE THING IN A NUTSHELL.

The question of Prohibition like that of African slavery is being carried by its advocates beyond the bounds of reason and possible success.

The system of human slavery in this country was wrong in principle and it was right that it should have been abolished, but not in the manner in which it was abolished.

Had the Abolitionists kept the question out of politics the American civil war with its heart-rending details would have been averted, and instead of the devastated fields that even to this distant day mark the camping-ground of the soldiery, there would have been happy homes, wealth and prosperity.

The bigotry that characterized the action of the Abolitionist is duplicated to-day in the conduct of the Prohibitionists.

Of New England origin, by nature Puritan in principle, Prohibition first started as an organization, independent of all others. But it soon espoused religion and joined the church. Not satisfied there, it seduces the church and unites with the Republican party—the fit ally of every Puritanic idea that ever sprang from the mischievous brain of Harriet Beecher Stowe and her ilk.

The result is plain. The affairs of church and State are becoming mixed, and soon the very old scratch will be to pay in this country of ours unless this modern idea of the church and its isms wanting to usurp the rights of the State is effectually sat down upon by the people.

Hon. Wm. J. Stone.

Perhaps the most eloquent and logical speech that has been made this campaign in Bates county was delivered by Hon. W. J. Stone, of Vernon county, at the court house in this city Saturday last.

As a forcible, sensible orator and close reasoner, Mr. Stone has few equals, if any, in the southwest. He occupied about two hours time and his remarks were interesting from the beginning to the end.

The speech is unanswerable, so clear was his logic and so clinching his argument. He arrayed the Republicans in such a manner as to make it appear extremely odious. Mr. Stone is the right kind of a man to send out to make speeches.

James G. Blaine has contributed \$50 to the monument fund for the late senator Benjamin H. Hill. It should be remembered that Mr. Hill was the only man from the south who was in every respect Mr. Blaine's equal. Their memorable debate on the amnesty bill several years ago is a sufficient proof of that fact.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING.

Where Wesbrt. Fyke, Morgan and Britts Will Address the People.

SPEAKING AT BUTLER.

Hon. F. C. Nesbit, and M. A. Fyke will speak at Butler, Nov. 3rd. A special invitation to all to come out and hear the most polished orators that grace the soil.

The Hon. Chas. H. Morgan, Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, will speak at Papinville.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOV. 1ST.

This appointment is authorized by Mr. Morgan, and he will be there without fail and hopes to meet every citizen in the surrounding country.

A CORRECTION.

Say what they will about the Bates county Republican, it is fair enough in politics to make the necessary corrections when it is convinced of its errors. In its last Friday's issue it says:

The following appeared in a recent issue of the Republican: The Carthage Banner brings forward the following interesting scrap of history concerning C. H. Morgan, which we copy for the information of ex-Confederates:

"From the close of the late war to 1870 the present Democratic candidate for congress in this district was the most violent Radical in all southwest Missouri. In all kindness we commend the following extracts from his speeches to the careful and prayerful consideration of our ex-Confederate democratic friends."

"I will suffer my right arm to wither before I will ever consent to let a rebel vote."

"A Democrat is no better than a rebel and a rebel is no better than a horse thief."

"Fellow citizens! Just watch the road the Democratic party takes, and if you want to go right, go in the opposite direction."

"I would rather walk up to the polls by the side of the greasiest, nastiest nigger that God ever made than by the side of the proudest rebel that ever followed the Confederate rag."

Last Wednesday we received a letter from Mr. Morgan, calling attention to the fact that Carthage is not in this congressional district, and therefore, the article in the Carthage Banner could not have referred to him. We appreciate the truth of his suggestion, and we will not knowingly be a party to any species of misrepresentation, we publish the above facts for the information of the public and regret exceedingly that the error should have found its way into the columns of the Republican.

Our explanation is that the devil edited the paper that week, the editor being absent.

A plug lawyer, by name Johnny Gilbreath, all the way from Appleton City, delivered his little speech all nicely arranged with high sounding adjectives and carefully moulded periods at the court house Monday night. He established to a dead certainty the fact that the Rebels tried to kill the Government in 1861. The war was fought over and over again, and through the vale of tears that flooded our eyes we imagined that we saw rivers of human blood and were sitting in the very midst of a forty acre field of dead mens bones. We never want to feel again while this body of ours is alive as we felt that night. Our present physical condition is incapable of enduring so much patriotism and oratory all at one time without any intermission. Its just too awful sad to hear Johnny tell about them terrible rebels. Johnny is proud of this world and everything in it, including himself, and if no mishap strikes his crossways he'll spread over both continents in due course of time.. Note—Johnny is a Radical, and don't you forget it.

Tom Irish, of Rich Hill Mining Review, is one among the few newspaper men who are able to build a residence costing more than \$500. Mr. Irish is just completing in the proud little town of Rich Hill, a residence which when completed will cost between \$5,000 and \$6,000. The building has ten rooms as modern in style and finish as the latest patterns afford, and there is no end to the conveniences. It is by far the handsomest residence in the "Infant wonder." Just such as every printer ought to have.

Attend the Democratic meetings announced elsewhere.

Bring out the boys to hear Democratic logic at the various meetings next week.

Do your duty Democrats for the next ten days and you will ever be proud of the work.

Remember Charlie Morgan will speak at Papinville on the evening of Nov. 1st.

The Sedalia Dispatch justifies the killing of Slayback, last week by Cockrell of the Post-Dispatch.

Bates county needs a representative that will do her honor, and permit us to name the man, Hon. Levi Moler.

Yes, the "Old Guard" means to sweep the field as usual the Prohibition question to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Prohibition received a black-eye in Ohio. Its leaders and supporters had better never have dragged it into politics.

San Francisco, the eloquent and gallant young lawyer is developing a wonderful strength for Prosecuting attorney.

'Squire Ritchey is one of the soundest and most courteous men in the county; just the kind of a man to make a county judge.

The surviving members of Gen. John H. Morgan's famous Confederate brigade, have organized themselves into an Association at Lexington, Ky.

Yes, you are right. A vote for Moler and Britts is a vote for Geo. Vest's return to the United States Senate. Give us a little more just such racket please.

Dr. J. H. Britts, will have no superiors in the State Senate. He is a gentleman of moral and intellectual attainments, and no man will ever have occasion to regret a vote given him on Nov. 7th

Prof. W. E. Coleman, candidate for state superintendent of public schools and Dr. John H. Britts, candidate for state senate in this district, both walk with wooden legs, the effect of four years service in the Confederate cause.

The Sedalia Dispatch in a very sensible article advocates the re-establishing of the duello system as the only proper remedy to the personal journalism that prevails and is growing so rapidly in this country.

The Greenback nominee for Congress in the second Kansas district has withdrawn in favor of the Democratic candidate. Count one more for the Democratic delegation in the next Congress.

The Record designates the Democratic party as the "Old Guard." A more proper or pleasing name to Democrats could not be found in the English language. We accept it without further comment.

Hon. James Cosgrove, Democratic candidate for congress, and W. C. Aldridge, Greenback candidate were both robbed at Lamonte, Pettis county, last week during a joint discussion between them. Mr. Cosgrove lost his valise and Aldridge a new overcoat.

The Pettis county Republicans have endorsed Aldridge, the Greenback candidate for congress against Cosgrove in that district. Aldridge will stand about as much show going to Congress in that district as a tadpole in lake Superior.

The Republicans of Vernon county having no candidate in the field, have petitioned Judge Crespe, Democratic candidate for state senate, to know how he stands on the Prohibition question. Is this not evidence that the TIMES is correct in its position that the prohibition is a Radical issue?

The "Old Guard!" How glorious, how patriotic it sounds, how typical of the brilliant achievements the Democratic party has placed on the records of the past. Yes, we are the "Old Guards" ever ready to battle for the Constitution and the rights and liberties of the people.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKING.

Places and Names of Who Will Address the People.

THE COUNTY CAMPAIGN.

The following is a correct list of appointments for public speaking as authorized by the Democratic County Campaign Committee:

- M. L. Brown; J. W. Abernathy; John Francisco; Col. S. F. Hawkins will address the people as follows:
Virginia, Oct. 30th - 7 p. m.
Vinton, Oct. 31st - 7 "
Burdette, Nov. 1st - 7 "
Rosier, Nov. 2nd - 7 "
Hon. Levi Moler; Dr. John H. Britts; Thos. W. Silvers; W. G. Rose will speak at:
Adrian, Oct. 30th - 7 p. m.
Altona, Oct. 31st - 7 "
Peters Creek, Nov. 1st - 7 "
Johnstown, Nov. 2nd, 7 "
Dr. John H. Britts; Joan T. Smith; Dr. L. M. Wright; Wm. I. Henry; E. E. Switt; at:
Willow Branch Oct. 30th 7 p. m.
Rockville, Oct. 31st - 7 p. m.
Pleasant Gap, Nov. 1st - 7 p. m.
Redmond's school house, Nov. 2nd, 7 p. m.
John A. Lefker; Sim Francisco; Wm. O. Jackson; Hon. J. N. Ballard; Judge E. A. Henry; at
Walnut, Oct. 30th - 7 p. m.
Hume, Oct. 31st - 7 p. m.
Sprague, Nov. 1st - 7 p. m.
Fairview Nov. 2nd, - 7 p. m.
J. A. Lefker; J. W. Abernathy; Sim Francisco; at
Osage school house, Nov. 3d, 7 p. m.
Hon. Chas. H. Morgan, Slope school house, Nov. 4th, 7 p. m.
Hon. Chas. H. Morgan; Hon. Levi Moler; Dr. J. H. Britts; at Rich Hill, Nov. 6th, p. m.

What are the township committees doing towards organizing the party throughout the county. One company of well drilled soldiers is worth four of undrilled. There should be a Democratic club organized immediately in every school district in the county. Democrats organize and on election day come to the polls with a solid front.

If Prohibition Democrats in Bates county cared anything for the success of their party, they would not be caught in company with Republicans and Greenbackers, running around to every district school house in the county, preaching Prohibition—as postive an issue of the Radicals as any that party ever had.

W. O. Atkison, of the Greenback persuasion, spoke a piece at the court house Saturday night. It was daisy talk as he called it. Nothing at all like that bloody-shirt oration made by our Johnny Gilbreath Monday night. The maternal point of difference between the two men's calibre is that, Atkison has forgotten all he ever knew, while our poor Johnny never knew anything to forget. Atkison said he was raised south of Mason and Dixon line and voted for Tilden, but was now trying, trying to repent. If he is a Southern man by birth and education, then he's one of those whom are usually termed renegades.

A finer business man, a more competent man and a more intelligent man than John A. Lefker, for the position of presiding judge, never came before the people for their suffrage. Vote for him, every one of you to a man and you will have at the head of the county court a man of whom the people will feel proud

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors, and others interested in the estate of Elisha E. Frazee deceased, that Johnson Hill, Administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Bates county Probate Court, in Bates county, State of Missouri, to be held at Butler on the 13th day of November, 1882.

JOHNSON HILL, Public Admr.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, eczema, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

In an article upon the Prohibition question the Nevada Democrat remarks:

That it should not have been made an issue in the campaign in this state, we frankly admit. But it is an issue now; and who made it an issue in this county by threatening to defeat Mr. Hall unless he virtually placed himself under their dictation to be shaped to fit their theories as clay in the potter's hand.

Ex-State Treasurer Gates is not ambiguous on the Prohibition question, and we commend his utterances in a recent interview especially to Prohibition Democrats in this county:

I tell you that we old Democrats who have been through fire and smoke for the organization, know that if you do not take any sort of fanaticism by the throat at the start, and go to killing it like a man killing snakes, it will kill you. The only way to check Prohibition is to fight it. It is the spawn of New England, and it will poison us as a people if it ever gets a foothold in the State.

The Prohibition issue is a square, flat-footed fight against the Democratic party in Bates county, and we warn our people to avoid those Democrats whom they will meet now and then trying to make a Democratic issue of it. Upon this question they have abandoned the Democratic party and are, therefore, not to be trusted as true exponents of its doctrines.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution, on Mechanic's Lien, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed in favor of R. J. Hurley & Co. and against Jas. F. Gardiner, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendant of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The north one-third of the following tract of land, beginning at a point 12 links south of the north-west corner of section 23, township 40, range 31, thence north 317 links, thence east 317 links, thence north 317 links and thence west 317 links to place of beginning, and will on

Wednesday, November 15th 1882, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same, or so much thereof as may be required, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution and costs.

J. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff of Bates county.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution, on Mechanic's Lien, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, of said court, and to me directed in favor of T. D. Sanderson and D. H. Wilson, and against Joseph Richardson, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendant of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

Lot eight of block fifty in the city of Rich Hill, Bates county, Missouri, and I will on Wednesday, November 15th, 1882, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same, or so much thereof as may be required, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution and costs.

J. R. SIMPSON, Sheriff of Bates county.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, 1882, of said court and to me directed in favor of Nancy McNett, and against David Thomason, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendant of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

All of 5 acres off of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 13, township 41, range 33, as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of the above described tract of land running west 8 rods, thence north 40 rods, thence east 8 rods, thence south 40 rods to place of beginning, also the following described tract to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 24, township 41, range 33, thence west 9 rods, thence south 8 rods, thence north 8 rods, thence east 9 rods, thence north 8 rods and eight-ninth rods to place of beginning, also the following described tract to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 24, township 41, range 33, thence north 20 rods, thence east 4 rods, thence south 20 rods, thence west 4 rods to place of beginning, and I will on

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