

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1878.

THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Congressional Nominations.

FOR CONGRESS SECOND DISTRICT: W. H. KITCHEN, of Halifax.

FOR CONGRESS FIRST DISTRICT: JESSE J. YEATIS, of Hertford.

FOR CONGRESS THIRD DISTRICT: ALFRED M. WADDELL, of New Hanover.

FOR CONGRESS FOURTH DISTRICT: J. J. DAVIS, of Franklin.

FOR CONGRESS FIFTH DISTRICT: ALFRED M. SCALES, of Guilford.

FOR CONGRESS SIXTH DISTRICT: WALTER L. STEELE, of Rockingham.

FOR CONGRESS SEVENTH DISTRICT: ROBERT F. ARMFIELD, of Iredell.

FOR CONGRESS EIGHTH DISTRICT: ROBERT B. VANCE, of Buncombe.

ELECTION—TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH

W. W. BRICKELL, ESQ.

This estimable and honored citizen died at his residence in this county, on the 9th inst., of consumption, after an illness of several months. Mr. Brickell was valued by all who knew him for his positive integrity, inflexible and constant practice of justice in all business relations with a high sense of honor which he never forgot. As a county officer, he was just, but firm. As a friend and neighbor he was kind, but stern in adhering to his sense of duty. As a Christian, he observed rigidly the laws of God and man. Just to all. If this world was filled with just such men as he was, we would be a prosperous, honorable people. Had he lived until the 12th of this month he would have attained the age of seventy-one.

THE WESTERN ELECTIONS.

The result of the late elections in West Virginia, Ohio and Iowa should be a potent warning to the Democratic party. Any departure from an honorable, prudent and just administration of our financial affairs will not be tolerated by the people. We have gained Congressmen, not by Greenback aid, but by changes made in Congressional districts by the Ohio Legislators. The strength of the new party has been greatly over-estimated, and the Democracy has been justly rebuked for pandering to the dishonorable policy of the ultra-greenbackers. We gain three or four Congressmen in Ohio, one in Iowa, two in Indiana, where we also have the Legislature, thus electing a Democratic Senator, but lose the State ticket in Ohio. On the whole we have lost the good effect of victory in Ohio last year, and the laurels of Senator Thurman have turned to weeping willows. And we fancy we see the star of that splendid gentleman, and true Democrat, Thos. E. Bayard rising and growing more brilliant as the next Presidential election approaches.

INTIMIDATION.

Our Northern Republican friends have been for many years bitterly opposed to what they call intimidation of the Republicans in the South—and many are the editorials and letters published in the papers at the North severely denouncing this outrage on Republican institutions; and charging the whites with its perpetration to secure Democratic votes. It is useless for us at the South to deny the truth of these statements or to disclaim any intention to intimidate the blacks.

This article is not written for that purpose, but merely to call the attention of our contemporaries to the following instance every word of which we vouch for as being true, it having come within our own knowledge.

At the late election for state officers and county officials in Northampton county, the Democrats had nominated that true Democrat and clever gentleman J. W. Grant for the State Legislature. A colored man who had known Mr. Grant for a long time, probably during his whole life and for whom Mr. Grant had done some small favors, proclaimed his intention of voting for him. The other negroes by persuasion and threats attempted to prevent him from doing so. He told them that he would do so and moreover to show that he was a free citizen that he would vote the whole Democratic ticket, a thing he had never before done, he being a good Republican and wielding some influence.

He did cast his vote for the whole Democratic ticket, and the negroes refused to associate with him and finally drove him out homeless with three small children. He was so outraged at their injustice that he has quit the Republicans and joined the Democratic party, and will soon make a speech in the county showing up the radicals in their true colors

and telling these some painful, but wholesome truths.

This is a true statement and the name is Richmond Faison. We will say to the Republican papers that this is the only kind of intimidation used at the South and the reason why the Republican ranks have become so thin and the Democratic votes so largely increased within the past three or four years. We commend it to them and ask them to think about it.

COTTON.

We are informed of the sudden and unexpected decline in cotton, this is really bad on our poor farmers, they have to toil so hard to make the staple, and after the anxiety in getting it in they are unable to get its once value. We would like to understand why it is. Is it because our farmers are making too much of it, and not devoting their attention to something else; or is it done for the benefit of the speculators. We think that if there is a people on this mundane sphere who should get value received for their work, it is the farmer. What would become of the speculator if it was not for the farmer? He would not be able to do anything, nor would any body else. The whole people are depending on the farmer and when the farmer fails everything is still and immovable, for the time being, and this state is not altered or changed till he has another start and while he has failed in cotton for instance, everything goes up and he has to pay a most exorbitant price for provisions to last him through the next year. But it strikes us very forcibly that if our farmers would experiment on raising a varied and assorted crop that it would be far better, and they could then make both ends meet, whereas, if they depend solely on the cotton crop they will come out badly. We would suggest that they raise hays, corn, wheat, oats, potatoes and such things, and if they have spare ground plant cotton, then they would be better able to stand the decline necessarily following the over production of cotton, and if they failed entirely with that staple, they would probably have plenty to eat and not be borne down by the oppressive prices which they would otherwise be subjected to. Gentlemen try it.

We have received the prospectus of a new Daily Democratic paper to be published in Wilmington N. C., by Mr. Cicero W. Harris, and under his editorial management the Wilmington Sun will from the beginning rank among the very best newspapers of the State. The first issue will make its appearance on 17th Oct. Subscription price \$7.00 per annum.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WHAT WANTED. We wish to buy a Thousand Bushels of Prime Wheat to grind into flour. Apply to Emory & Capell or to T. A. Clark at the Weldon Mills. Oct 10th.

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SALE OF LAND. Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court for Halifax County made at Fall Term 1878 in the cause entitled W. W. Green and N. M. Long against H. G. Spillman and B. W. Spillman, I shall, on Monday the 22nd day of December 1878, at the Court house door in Halifax, sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash, the following tracts of land, situated in Halifax County to wit: That tract adjoining the lands of Mrs. J. H. Sumner, Hyman Holt, John W. Wilkins and others, containing by estimation one hundred acres, more or less. Also one certain lot or parcel of land situated in the town of Weldon, known as Spillman's corner at the intersection of Broad and Water streets, now known as Washington Avenue and First streets, the same being a part of lot No 10 on plot of said town, Oct. 11, 1878. W. W. HALL, Commissioner.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as Administrator of the will annexed upon the estate of A. G. Melville, deceased, situated and being in the State of North Carolina, all persons indebted to said testator are required to make immediate payment; and those holding claims against him are hereby notified to present the same duly authenticated to me at Halifax, N. C., on or before the 15th day of September 1878.

JAMES M. MULLEN, Administrator. Sept. 16th.

NOTICE. To the Creditors of S. B. Hyman deceased. Take notice that a Special Proceeding has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Halifax County before E. W. Hyman, Administrator of S. B. Hyman, deceased, for an account and settlement of his administration, and to pay to the creditors what may be payable to them respectively, and this is to notify you to appear before said Clerk on or before the 15th day of October, 1878, at his office in the town of Halifax, and file your evidence of debt against said deceased duly authenticated, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Let a copy of this notice be published at the Court house in Halifax for thirty days, and a copy thereof be published in the Roanoke News, a newspaper published in said county, once a week for six successive weeks, this Sept. 18th, 1878. JAMES T. GREGORY, Clerk Superior Court and Probate Judge Halifax County, N. C. Kitchen and Dunn Atty for Creditors.

NOTICE. To the creditors of John R. Gary, deceased: Take notice that a special proceeding has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Halifax County, North Carolina, against Paul Gary, as administrator of John R. Gary deceased, for an account and settlement of his administration, and to pay to the creditors what may be payable to them respectively, and this is to notify you to appear before said Clerk on or before the 25th day of September A. D. 1878, at his office in Halifax town and file your evidence of debt against said deceased duly authenticated, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Let a copy of this notice be posted at the Court House and a copy thereof be published in the Roanoke News, a newspaper published in said county, once a week for six successive weeks. This Sept. 18th, 1878. JAMES T. GREGORY, Clerk Superior Court, and Probate Judge, Halifax County, N. C. Aug 26th.

LAND SALE. By virtue of the authority vested in me as Administrator with the will annexed of A. G. Melville, deceased, I will sell privately, and on reasonable terms the following valuable lands belonging to the said deceased, situated in Halifax County, North Carolina, to wit: 1. One tract known as "Elmwood," adjoining the lands of G. H. Macon, deceased, T. W. Nicholson and others, and containing about three hundred and eighty-four acres, formerly owned by W. P. Solomon, deceased. This fine land and situated in a healthy section. 2. One undivided half interest, in an island in Roanoke river near the town of Weldon, known as God's Island, and containing one and a half acres. In one other tract lying between the canal and said river at Weldon, containing about twenty-five acres, and upon which is said to be a fine mill site. And on one other tract lying in said river just below the basin of said canal and containing about twelve acres. If these lands are not privately disposed of before that time, I shall offer them at public auction, at the Court house in Halifax town, on Monday the 22nd day of December next. I also have for sale as Attorney for different parties other valuable lands situated in said county, in tracts to suit purchasers. For further particulars apply to me, Halifax N. C. JAMES M. MULLEN, Administrator. Sept 16th.

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