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NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET. FOR PRESIDENT. WINFIELD SCOTT HANCOCK. Of Pennsylvania. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, Of Indiana.

OUR PLATFORM .- "The right of trial by jury, the habeas corpus, the liberty of the press, the freedom of speech, the natural rights of persons, and the right of property, must be preserved."-HANCOCK.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOE-Thomas J. Jarvis. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOE-James L. Robinson. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE - William L. Saunders. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL-Thomas - Kenan. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL-Thomas - Kenan. FOR STATE TREASURES - John M. Worth. FOR SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION -J.C. Scarborough. ELECTORS FOR THE STATE AT LARGE - James Madi-SON : each and Fablus H. Busbee. FOR CONGRESS-Clement Dowd.

THE VIRGINIA DEMOCRACY.

As has already been stated in these col umns there are two Hancock and English tickets in Virginia, the first, nominated at the regular Democratic convention, held in Richmond on the 19th of May, and the last by the Readjuster's convention, held in the same city on the 7th of July. We do not know which party is the stronger of the two, nor is it necessary for us to know for the purposes of our argument. We only know there ought to be but one. While the Democracy claim forty thousand majority, they are pursuing a very suicidal course. The Readjusters claim a party organization because they are opposed to the payment of the public debt of the State, in accordance with the provisions of the McCullough bill, and they have clearly endorsed the nominees of the Cincinnati convention as a matter of policy. Indeed it has been positively stated that they would have been willing to support Grant had he been nominated at Chicago. Its leaders heretofore claimed to be Democrats, and probably claim to be so still, but the line of conduct adopted by them at the convention held in Richmond on Wednesday shows that they are willing to imperil the success of Hancock and English in the Old Dominion, so as to further their own selfish ends. For the resolutions adopted by the convention state, "there are reasons both of duty and policy why the Readjusters' organization should control the voice of the State on national affairs, and that it is important to the successful contest for 1881 for supremacy in this commonwealth that this convention should nominate a full ticket of electors." A full ticket of electors for Hancock and English is therefore to be put in the field, though the regular organization of the Democracy has already an electoral ticket before the people. With two Hancock and English tickets in the field, each different from the other, the Republican ticket may win. And this risk is run by the Readjusters in order that they may "control the voice of the State on national affairs," and gain supremacy in the common wealth in 1881. There is no excuse for such a course as this. The Funders and Readjusters have differed on a question of State policy. These differences should be laid aside in a national contest. The Democratic party of Virginia, i such a thing were possible, and without attempting to decide as to the merits of either faction, cannot afford to imperil the success of the Democracy Northern establishments, and not conin the nation. Virginia might be as important to the success of Hancock and English as was New York before the Kelly schism was healed. General Mahone and his associates should rise above selfish considerations and make common cause with their brother Democrats against a common enemy. It appears to us this way now. But whether this is true or not there ought to be, and there must be but one ticket in Virginia which supports the nominees of the Cincinnati convention. There must be harmonyand conciliation. We will await developments with some interest. The story of the judgment of Solemon may be aptly studied in this connection. The true mother was she who preferred to surrender her child to another rather than have it cut in two.

When the "hands," as the Republi-cans are styled by Col. Lyers, got u-gether at Raleigh on the 7th, it became accessary to put forth a platform. Plank No. 1 endorses the nominees of

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

the Chicago convention, as indeed they were bound to do, Credit Mobilier, De-Golyer bribery, back-salary grab and

No. 2 attacks railroad corporations without stint, and demands legislation to forbid other people from coming to North Carolina to build railroads with their own money.

tion of the Western North Carolina (ore the last week. Mr. Gladetone gave notice of an the Republicans shall come in and share

tion.

No. 4 declares that the Republican reasonable alternative." party has always been a friend to public education. This is a sort of a political tub to the whale, for it is notorious that while the Republican party was in ance of peace probable, and that it power in the State they stole the school fund to get money to pay the way of Buzzard Bay Ashley back to the land of cod-fish.

No. 5 recognizes the laborer and mechanic, which is all right, because those horney handed sons of toil, the Messrs. Ralph P. Burton, and Rufus Barringer, couldn't run on any other ticket No. 6 deplores the action of the constitutional convention of 1875, about the time they didn't capture Edward Ransom, and thus secure a majority, No. 7 abuses the present system of

county governments, and especially the appointment of magistrates by the legislature notwithstanding the fact that this system was in vogue in the State for forty years, and notoriously gave a better administration of the laws, than when the magistrates were elected by ada the people.

No. 8 denounces the Democratic party as an oligarchy, and rants around generally, simply, we suppose, because they had to "cuss" somebody, and because the Democrats could stand it better than any one else.

On the whole it is a parody upon political platforms, and we can not afford to publish more than a synopsis of it because space is too valuable.

----COTTON MANUFACTURING SOUTH. narrow majority it would become a question for serious consideration The New York Times discusses the

business, be for the rest of the ession surrendered to the government. This

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will leave for private business only the evening session of Fridays. Mr. Gladstone said the government intended to confine themselves in regard to the hal-lot to a simple continuance of the exough franchinise bill. All other gov-

minent wills will be print the with. M. Glastone dated in the med there should be no restor for the ia-ment to set into the month of September. He said he thought that the nec-No. S views with anxiety the condi- essary business could be finished be-

railroad. As this institution has been amendment to Mr. Forster's compensaa sort of moral, political and financial tion for disturbance bill, so that the incubus on the Democratic party for tast clause shall read as follows: "And tenant shall be entited to compensa-twenty-five years, we are willing that tion in the discretion of the county court judge, if non-payment of rent is a portion of the burden, if in no more caused by prevailing distress, and he is substantial way than a cheap plank in | willing to continue in occupation upa cheap platform, at a cheap conven- on reasonable terms as to rent, arrears of rent and otherwise, or if such terms are refused by the landlord without

Sir Charles Dilke, Under Foreign Secretary, stated that information had been received from Bulgarian government that it does not regard a disturbstrongly objects to the union of Bulgaria with Eastern Roumelia. A Paris dispatch says the idea of

immediate severities against the Dominicans has been abandoned, therefore everbody excepts the Jesuits may share in the fete of July 14th. The Senate accepted a grant of a half million francs for the fete of July 14th by a vote of 168 to 34.

PARIS, July 12 .- The national fete has virtually began. The exterior quarters of Paris are already profusely decorated with banners and devices of

various kinds. The pleasure fairs organized in all the open spaces were in full swing even last night, damy thousands of persons from the provinces have already arrived and the railways are bringing large accessions. The weather is magnificent. QUEBEC, July 12.-A number of French Jesuits have arrived here by

the steamship Peruvian. They are said to be the advance of a hoast of others who are to seek an asylum in Can-LONDON, July 12 .- A London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian says: "I believe the chief subject for

consideration at last Saturday's cabinet council was the Irish compensation bill, and that three causes were discussed depending upon contingencies which are foreseen. If the bill is defeated on

its third reading Right Hon. Wm. E. Forster may feel bound to resign from the chief secretaryship for Ireland, but ation and not attempt to review the

measure. If the bill is passed by a competition for small bores to-day.



Special to the Courier-Journal WASHINGTON, July 9.-The following letter from Gov. Hendricks has been received here. It may serve to set at rest some Republican doubts as to how Indiana intends to vote:

INDIANAPOLIS, July 2, 188

col. John H. Terry : MY DEAR SIR-I was very glad to re-ceive your kind letter of the 28th ult. I very sincerely thank you for it, as, my friend, I want you to feel assured that I have no grievances growing out of the Cincinnati convention. The New York delegation assured the dele-gations from other States that I could not carry that State, and that preventd my support from them. A State that doubted my ability to carry New York did well not to support me. I want you to be assured, also, that I will most cheerfully and earnestly do my part to secure success, as will all my friends in this State. We will carry this State. The ticket takes very wall, and will make some gains from the Republican ranks. We have no special return of hard times, such as you describe as appearing in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, but the impression prevails that we ought to have a change of the national administration. I have no doubt of the success of the ticket. With best wishes, truly yours, T. A. HENDRICKS."

The Score of the Riflemon Testerday. WIMBLEDON, July 12.—In the first stage for the Alexandria prize, five hundred parts, Martini-Henry rifle, highest pursible score at Hyde made 24. highest possible score 31, Hyde made 24, Jackson 20, Farrow 22, Fisher 17. In shooting for the Alfred prize this mor-ning, Jackson scored 22 and Fisher 28.

Strike of Iron Mill Men.

READING, PA., July 12 .- The heaters, rollers and squeezers, numbering 50) men, employed at the sheet mill depart-ment of the Reading Iron Works, struck this morning against a reduction of 10 pet cent. Two hundred and fifty men thrown out of work by the strike, and the mill is stopped.

New York Police Matters. NEW YORK, July 12.-Gen. Smith

took possession of his office, at police headquarters, this morning without op-position from displaced Commissioner Voorhis. The latter, however, is expected to make some demonstration during the day.

The American Riflemen.

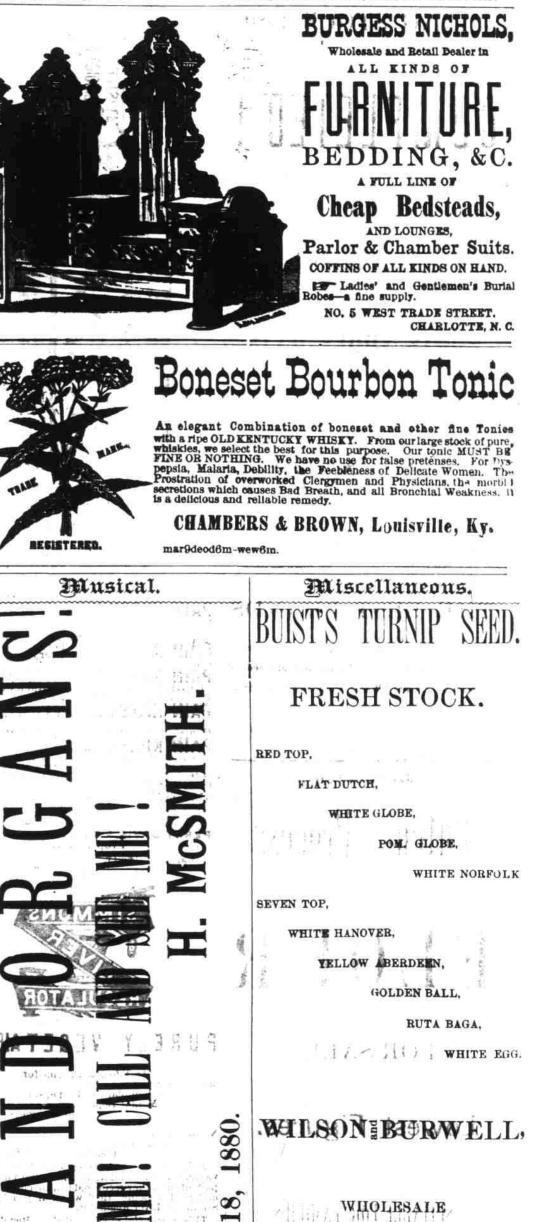
LONDON, July 12.-Scott, Farrow, Rockwell, Brown, Fisher and Clarke, of the American Riflemen, are now in the government would accept the situ- camp at Wimbledon. The whole team will probably participate in the open **Revolution**.



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VOTE OF THE SIXTH DISTRICT.

For the special benefit of the Republicans of the sixth district, who are to meet in Charlotte next Thursday to nominate a candidate for Congress, we present below the vote of the district by counties in 1876:

	Tilden	Hayes	T's maj.	H's ma
Anson,	1599	1317	282	
Cabarrus,	1641	927	714	
Catawba,	1874	446	1428	
Gaston,	1250	815	485	
Lincoln,	1180	687	493	
Mecklenburg,	8417	2649	768	
Montgomery,	648	751		10
Richmond,	1350	1456		10
Robeson.	2117	1784	883	
Stanly.	957	417	580	
Union,	1856	724	632	
Total vote.	17889	11883	5665	20

manufacture of cotton in the South in an article which is worthy of careful notice, because representing a northern view of this important subject. The Times dwells on the advantage in position of Southern mills which cannot only buy the raw material cheaper, while saving freight, but can hire labor at lower rates. The advantage of Southat lower rates. The advantage of South-ern mills over Northern mills, in the possession at their doors of the raw ma-to the compensation bill is anfounded. terial, includes the following items of

expense: Buyers' commission, warehouse and cartage, sampling, classing, pressing, shipping, discount on bills, loss of weight in sampling for mixed packages, fire insurance before shipping, marine risks, freight and cartage to the interior towns. These items amount to not less than \$7 a bale. To this must be added the loss from cotton poorly ginned and containing a good deal of leaf and sand, which is computed as representing a loss of six per cent. The Times quotes the profits of the Georgia mills under the disadvantage of infe-

rior machinery generally discarded by match sidered worth transportation, and adds: "The most successful mills there would not, in consequence of their manifest, disadvantages, have made anything had they been situated in this section. One mill in Georgia declared in ten years-four of them war years-\$1,260,-000 dividend." It is particularly worthyof note that during the most unfavorable years of the recent panic and depression, when the cotton factories in the North and in Great Britain were returning numerous deficits, our Southern mills, with the drawbacks of far inferior machinery and lumited capital, gave satisfactory dividends.

Meeting of the Democratic Congress sional Committee.

NEW YORK, July 12.-The Democratic Congressional committee met at noon to-day at the Hoffman House. Its members are Senator Wallace, of Penn-to-day were Blanton Duncan, Congresssylvania, chairman; J. S. C. Blackburn, Kentucky, vice-chairman; H. B. Ban-ning, Cincinnati, secretary; W. H. Bar-num, Connecticut; G. W. Gill, Massa-chusetts; Augustus Schell, New York; W. Pinkney White, Maryland; J. E. McDonald, Indiana; W. B. Morrison Illinois; J. T. Farly, California; J. B.

Clark, Jr., Missouri; B. F. Jones, Louisiana; S. Pasco, Florida; M. C. Butler, South Carolina; Eppa Hunton, Vir-ginia; J. C. Gould, Delaware; S. Hutch-ins, D. C.; H. G. Davis, West Virginia; and Frank Jones, New Hampshire. Campaign business is under discussion. The members of the committee pres-\$25,000.

ent were Wallace, Barnum, Schell, Banning, White, McDonald, Farley, Jones, Pasco, Butler, Hunton, Gould, Hutchins and Davis.

whether it would be better to with-ODESSA, July 12 .- Last week a timdraw it or submit it to certain defeat in ber raft with forty persons on board the House of Lords. If the governwas dashed to pieces in the rapids of ment by modifying the Attorney-Genthe river Linieper, and all peristied. eral's amendment can regain the support of the Irish members the bill The Tichborne Case. might go to the House of Lords backed by such a majority as would render LONDON, July 12 .- A fiat has been ap-

their responsibility in rejecting it very plied for to carry the appeal in the grave. The general impression is that Tichborne claimant case to the House the bill will not become a law. The reof Lords. port that the Earlof Kenmar, Lord Custom r-"Why are 'Mait Bitters' s > popular?" Druggist--"Because as a Food Medicine, they en-rich the blcol, harden the muscles, quiet the nerves, perfect digestion.

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minutes in Union Square without assistance, and seemed quite strong. Physicians freely prescribe the new Food Medi cine, "Mait Bitters," because more nourishing strengthening and purifying than all other forms of malt or medicine, while free from the objec-NEW YORK, July 12.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon Dr. Tanner was sleeping quietly. Physicians report his condi-tion good. He has dozed nearly all day tions urged against malt liquors. june 16-4w. and taken no liquid. He has received a telegram from some person in Balti-- New Advertisements. more challenging him to a fasting

A Tramp and His Butcher Knife.

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Mr. Hancock's Visitors Vesterday.

NEW YORK, July 12.-Hon. Wm. H. English, Democratic candidate for Vice President, visited Gen. Bancock on Governor's Island to-day, remaining man Ellis, of Louisiana, Gen. Blair, of Kansas, Gen. Ewing, of Ohio, and Joaquin Miller. / [21--] []]

Damage from Storm.

CHICAGO, July 12.- A portion of the eity of Waterloe, Iowa, was flooded yesterday morning by a heavy rain storm. Barns and small buildings were moved from their foundations and the more substantial buildings partly submerged. Two boys and one girl were drowned. Damage to property is estimated at

Death of a Well-Known Teacher.

HARTFORD, July 12 -- Prof. Jno. C. Bull, for a quarter of a century instructor in the American asylum for the deaf and dumb in this city, died to-day. He was known to all who are connect-

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