

Speaking from the Book.

A REPUBLICAN ON HIS PARTY.

I am old line republican, one of the fire-tried sort, and am a republican to-day; but I will confess that I have never seen the hour when I thought a southern white man could be a republican and be decent.

The above are the words of D. L. Bringle, Esq., former postmaster of Salisbury.

Judicial Convention.

The Democratic Judicial Convention for the Eighth Judicial District, is hereby called to meet in Lexington, N. C., on Thursday, the 31st day of July, 1890, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Judge and Solicitor for said district.

For the Committee, JOHN C. BERNHART, Chairman.

June 14, 1890.

The 7th District Convention.

The democrats of the 7th Congressional District are called to meet in Convention at Salisbury, at 12 o'clock on Friday the 1st day of August 1890, to nominate a candidate for election to the House of Representatives of the United States.

FRANK BROWN, Chm. Dem. Ex. Com. Papers in the district will please copy.

THE CALLS.

PRIMARIES AND CONVENTIONS FOR 1890.

Democrats will note that the boxes for the primaries will be opened at each voting precinct SATURDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF JULY, at 2 o'clock p. m., and remain open until 5 o'clock.

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A Candidate at the Polls. CAPT. FISHER'S CARD—"AND PITY 'TIS 'TIS TRUCE."

It is a matter of deep regret that Capt. J. A. Fisher has seen fit to cast loose from party friends and close party affiliations, abandon the ties that bound him to the great body of respectability in Rowan, renounce the principles of his party, wreck his political prospects for all time, forfeit his reputation for staunch, reliable democracy, and go over bag and baggage to the enemy.

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White supremacy in North Carolina must and shall be maintained. Capt. Fisher and every recreant, disorganizing, rebellious, self-seeking white man must be beaten, whatever the cost.

Why should Capt. Fisher run? Has he ever accomplished any great things for Rowan? Does Rowan owe him anything beyond what she has already accorded him, along with her thousands of other citizens?

To the voters of Rowan county: On account of so much unfairness brought to bear by the county and township bosses (so-called) and misrepresentations circulated, I feel it my duty to announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff for the county of Rowan, feeling sure that the people at the ballot boxes will decide more justly and satisfactorily.

What Capt. Fisher means to say is that because his candidacy has not been favored by the vast body of the more influential citizens of Rowan, therefore he proposes to try what can be done with the republicans and such floaters as can be gotten together.

By bosses he means influential citizens, men who largely shape public opinion, men who will have influence enough to beat him again—at the polls.

The Lafayette Through the House. 155 to 149.

Reed's House has done its worst. By a vote of 155 to 149 the first step toward the second fierce bill and the horrors of a renewed reconstruction era has been taken.

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Washington Letter. (From our regular correspondent.) WASHINGTON, June 30.—It seems that the free coinage people will have to select some hotter climate than that provided in the U. S. mints, to melt their ore—and sell it afterwards as coin.

Democratic Executive Committee. ITS MEETING LAST SATURDAY—NAMES OF MEMBERS—CONVENTION AND PRIMARIES CALLED—BALLOT BOXES AT THE PRIMARIES.

Before Cleveland was elected President, it was the general argument, that in spite of the many corruptions, and general inefficiency of many preceding administrations, still it would not do to trust the democrats with the management of the intricate machinery of the great government.

The republicans had conducted affairs so long, and the democrats "were out" for so great a period, that this argument actually prevailed with a great many people.

But that cry will not be heard again. The smooth running of the government machinery under the direction of democratic engineers is prominent in the memory of the people.

On account of the rather too early call for the judicial and congressional conventions, which our county convention, of necessity, must antedate, the latter was set for July 26th, and the primaries for July 19th.

So that, be it remembered, the primaries are set for JULY 19TH, and the convention JULY 26TH.

MANNER OF HOLDING PRIMARIES. 1st. The unit of the convention will be the unit of the precinct, and not the township.

Each precinct will first register his name and then vote for each candidate by written or printed ballot. The polls will open at 2 o'clock and will close at 5 o'clock and the vote shall be then publicly counted and announced by the judges.

FOR WHOM VOTE COUNTED. The following tabulation is the voting strength of the various townships and precincts:

Table with columns: Precincts, Fovote rate, Strength. Lists precincts like Salisbury, Franklin, Mt. Vernon, Cleveland, Steele, Mt. Ulla, Bradshaw's, Enochville, Locke, China Grove, Boston's N Roads, Heilig's Mill, Gold Hill, Bernhardt's Mill, Morgan, Hatter Shop, Rowan Academy.

APPOINTMENT OF POLL HOLDERS. That it shall be the duty of each member of the Democratic Executive Committee to appoint three poll holders or judges of election for his respective precinct.

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Administrator's Notice. Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Oscar Sumner, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the fifth day of July, 1891.

Dr. R. L. RAMSAY, DENTIST. Offers his professional services to the people of Rowan and adjoining counties.