

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1880.

**NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**  
For President: WILFRIED W. HANCOCK, of Pennsylvania.  
For Vice-President: WILLIAM B. ENGLISH, of Indiana.  
**STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**  
For Governor: THOMAS J. JARVIS, of Ohio.  
For Lieutenant Governor: JAMES L. ROBINSON, of Missouri.  
For Secretary of State: WILLIAM L. SAUNDERS, of Oregon.  
For Treasurer: JOHN M. WORTH, of Kentucky.  
For Attorney General: THOMAS S. REMAN, of Wisconsin.  
For Auditor: WILLIAM P. ROBERTS, of Michigan.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction: JOHN G. BIRCHALL, of Mississippi.  
For Judge Superior Court: JOHN A. GIBBER, of California.  
For Director of Labor: J. H. BUSHNELL, of New York.  
N. H. LEACH, of Tennessee.

GEN. H. K. VANOS has been re-nominated for Congress in his district.

JUDGES BUNTON it is said will resign his judgeship, and CARRAS the State. We advise him to resign the nomination and ride the circuit unless he wishes to retire to private life.

GENERAL A. T. PRABSON, chairman of the Republican City Committee of Pittsburgh, so able speaker, has declared himself for Hancock. A few days ago he made a speech to a Democratic meeting, and declared his intention of supporting the Democratic National ticket. He is one of the most prominent Republicans in Western Pennsylvania.

PETER COOPER the Greenback candidate for President in 1876 and Gen. Sam Cary another prominent Greenbacker have paid a visit to General Hancock during which they assured him that they would do all they could to elect him. This looks very much like the whole party would vote to that way notwithstanding the hard money plank in the Democratic platform.

The Readjusters of Virginia met in convention at Richmond on the 7th inst., and determined to put in the field an independent electoral ticket, although the party all want Hancock they are not willing for the conservatives to name the electors who shall vote for him. There will be three electoral tickets in the field, and by the split Virginia becomes a very doubtful State.

MICHIGAN county has been worked before by some race which lived here before the Indians. Skeletons are found which have short legs and long arms. No traces of any prehistoric race have been found any where else in this State, though in the West and South many races, mountains, etc. have been discovered showing conclusively that this country was inhabited by a highly civilized race prior to the existence of the red man.

The Republican State Convention which met in Raleigh last week was said to be extremely disorderly. An much confusion filled the hall, due to two fistfights resulted. Judge Moore is assuming the chair said the Democratic party was full of treason and that its designs were treacherous. He intimated, says the Observer, that the party militated fight next year, and that the nomination of Hancock was made with that view. The ticket put in the field is published elsewhere. It does not seem the strongest that could have been made.

**THE REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.**  
For Governor—Ralph F. Haxton, of Cambridge.  
For Lieutenant Governor—Rufus Barringer, of Mecklenburg.  
Secretary of State—R. M. Norment, of Robeson.  
Treasurer—A. D. Jenkins, of Gaston.  
Attorney-General—Augustus M. Moore, of Clatsam.  
Superintendent of Public Instruction—A. R. Beck of New Hanover.  
Electors at large—Oliver H. Dockery and G. B. Everett.

There is no doubt a large and powerful element of the republican party which had General Grant for its object and its aspirations which would not be disappointed if Hancock should be elected. When Grant republicans are asked why they desire the defeat of their own party they say that they wish to show the country that a Presidential candidate can come from some other State than Ohio; that Ohio politicians are family-pampered, soft and cheap; that Ohio politicians are narrow, ostentatious and not highly-burly good fellows, and that if Hancock should be elected there would be enough Ohio men to retire from office to give Ohio a respectable position in the census report.

DR. TURNER, of New York, believes he can last forty days and is experimenting to test the matter. He has lasted fifteen days with no perceptible sign of weakening or languor. His appearance is normal; and in fact there is nothing to indicate that he has not tasted food for two weeks. He drinks water but nothing else is put into his mouth. It has been charged that food is administered surreptitiously, but that is not sustained by evidence. Physicians in the city take it by turns to watch him, and no one has yet discovered a hoax about it. If he should succeed Bob Ingersoll will have a new text to gull people with.

**R. & T. R. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.**

By reference to the report of the proceedings of the Executive Committee of this association to be found in another column, it will be seen that the officers etc all men who take an interest in the fair, and will make it a success. The Executive Committee can not be improved upon as has been testified by the successful management of the preceding exhibitions.

In addition to the usual attractions which have always made these exhibitions a pleas for recreation the committee has provided for a grand baloon ascension on Friday of the fair.  
A five-bunch-loading shot gun is offered as a prize for the shooting match.  
Hon Daniel W. Vorhees will deliver the address, and this alone will repay any one for all the trouble and expense of attending the fair. Every thing will be done to make the next fair the best of all. Good music on the grounds and in the ball room, elegant lays, displays of all kinds of industries, busy work, kindler garden work will make every one feel satisfied at having attended. The Society is especially fortunate in having Col. John W. Cotton of Tarboro as its chief marshal.

EXTRACT from Washington correspondence of Fayetteville Examiner:  
This city has not failed to recognize that of the many returning delegates from Cincinnati en route home, those from the old North State were the first to flout in the face of a fraudulently administered election. Messrs. A. B. Williams, W. J. McDaniel, A. A. McKethen Jr., L. M. Long, John W. Danahy and R. M. Furman (representing) at the St. James Hotel, were all modest gentlemen, but pronounced in their opinions, and gave an impetus to the Democratic ticket as they journeyed in our city.  
The arrival and departure of your delegates was almost unknown to the citizens of the Nation's Capital, for otherwise it would have been the pleasure of the Jackson Democratic Association, representing the Democracy of the District to have given them a welcome and so have from them on the site prospects of success that awaits the ticket in November next.

To conclude, it is worth while to again recall to the delegates from your section, who turned for awhile in our city. The delegates were local in quality of Senator Met. Ransom, whose genial, gentlemanly qualities won so many adherents in Cincinnati, and so, too, they all express their admiration of the ticket which heads your column.

The regular delegation from this State to Cincinnati, as our exchanges has said was inferior to none other either in intellect or good looks. They were all accomplished and handsomely-gentlemanly and we venture the assertion that Messrs. Smith, Williams, McDaniel, McKethen, Durham and Furman, were also as agreeable gentlemen as could be found in Cincinnati, and did honor to the State. North Carolina was well represented.

**AN HISTORICAL INCIDENT.**  
We take from the Wilmington Review the following incident which occurred in the late war, showing the humanity and generosity of Hancock toward his foes on the field. The Capt. Snow alluded to was Capt. Thomas Snow, a son of the late Ex-Sheriff Snow of this county. Capt. Snow was instrumental in raising a company in this county of which he became Captain.

One pleasing though sad incident of the battle of Wilmington on the peninsula, in May, 1862, has just come to our knowledge. The battle had been fought and lost to our side, and many of the dead and wounded left upon the field. Among the former was Captain Snow, of Halifax in this State, and among the latter Captain Henry Mallins, from Fayetteville, both brave members of the gallant Fifth N. C. regiment. Captain Snow's brilliant conduct was noticed by the enemy, and his dead body was found almost within ten yards of the rebel lines. He was charged, while Captain Mallins fell mortally wounded in nearly the same locality. Three days later C. D. K. M. Roe, the commander of the Fifth N. C., received by flag of truce from General Hancock, who commanded the opposing forces, a letter with two others enclosed, one of which was written to the mother of the brave Snow, by Hancock himself, commending the noble heroic conduct of her son on the battle field; the other was directed to the mother of Captain Mallins, and contained the last words of her dying son, which that chivalrous foe-man, the illustrious Hancock, conveyed in these words over his own signature, 'tell my mother I died a true soldier and a gentleman.' These facts have been given to us by Col. McKee, and that gentleman has further informed us that he had positive information that on the night of the day of the battle a white flag was hoisted, and that which was a black, drab, and white, and which night, that General Hancock personally supervised the removal of and attention to the wounded prisoners. And now maybe these facts show the survivors of the Fifth North Carolina 'sick a going to vote for Hancock? Well, all we have to say upon the subject is just let them keep on thinking so, and wait until the sun goes down on the 2nd day of November next, and maybe then they'll think when the result is known, that not only the Fifth N. C. but a good many other old Rebels besides voted to put this illustrious and fine man soldier in the place that was once filled by the father of his country.

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