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FOR PRESIDENT: WINFIELD S. HANCOCK, Of Pennsylvania.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT: WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, Of Indiana.

Nothing can intimidate me from doing what I believe to be honest and right.

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 rights of property, must be preserved.

When insurrectionary force has been overthrown and peace established, and the civil authorities are ready and willing to perform their duties, the military power should cease to exist, and the civil administration resume its natural and rightful dominion.

FOR CONGRESS: JOHN W. SHACKELFORD, Of New York.

[ELECTION, TUESDAY, NOV. 2.] DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

- For Governor—THOMAS J. JARVIS. Lieut. Governor—JAS. L. ROBINSON. Sec'y of State—WM. L. SAUNDERS. Treasurer—JNO. M. WORTH. Attorney General—THOS. S. KENNAN. Auditor—W. P. ROBERTS. Sup't of Public Instruction—J. C. SCARBOROUGH.

Gen. William O. Butler, of Kentucky, whose death at the advanced age of 87 has been announced already, was a man of note. His ancestors fought in the revolution, and he distinguished himself in the war of 1812.

Senator David Davis, of Illinois, has written a dignified and manly letter in which he pronounces in favor of Gen. Hancock. He thinks his election would put an end to all sectional strife and sectional parties.

Oakes Ames left three sons. They have published a letter in defence of their father, and insist that he was a purer and more honest man than Garfield or any of the seven or eight Congressmen who received Credit Mobilier stock.

You say the Hancock boom is weakening, do you? Bless your soul it has just begun to gather momentum. At Waynesburg, Pa., there are twenty-two old-time, straight-out Republicans who have joined the Hancock Club.

When Hayes was in the war he was nominated for Congress. He declined saying a man deserved to be shot who would leave the front at such a time.

Pure and wise Judge David Davis never uttered a completer truth than when he said in his admirable letter that "there is no hope of reform by leaders who have created a system of maladministration, and who are interested in perpetuating its evils."

What is the status of a "busted" operator on the New York Cotton Exchange? He is without a future.

The Oxford Free Lance states that the Democratic Board of Commissioners of Granville county have been looking into the matter of insolvent taxes. They have found that four Radical sheriffs had returned between them \$1,201.50 as insolvents when they collected afterwards this sum without making any returns.

We give the names and amounts: James Moore.....\$320 58 R. G. Sneed..... 679 95 B. F. Bullock..... 267 22 M. Hawkins..... 83 75 Total.....\$1,351 50

The same paper brings out some figures and facts that are not without interest which show the marked difference between Democratic and Radical economy. The Free Lance says the figures are official, and for the most part are the work of the Radicals themselves.

In 1870 the debt of Granville was less than \$4,000. They had entire control for eight years. In that time the debt ran up to \$37,000. The taxes levied for four years by them aggregated \$108,662 90. The last year they were in power they levied \$27,860 99.

The Democrats have been in power two years. The first year they levied (1869) the tax it was \$2,664.99 less than the Radical Board levied the preceding year. With this sum they paid all the expenses of the county, opened school houses and paid the teachers, and paid "more than \$5,000 of the debt contracted by the Radicals."

We must now copy from the Free Lance some samples of the way Radical Commissioners of the county managed matters. It says two Radical Sheriffs appropriated thousands of dollars of the School Fund and were "shielded, as far as possible, by the Radical Board of Commissioners."

"In the fifth place, it must be remembered, that for a number of years not a dollar in cash was ever paid into the county treasury. The Radical sheriffs, their deputies and others constituting the 'Ring,' took the county money, used it in buying up county orders at less than 50 cents on the dollar, and turned such orders into the treasury at their full value, thus pocketing every year more than half the county taxes.

These are the sort of arguments that the people appreciate. They show what a curse is Radicalism. They speak trumpet-tongued to the tax-payers on the subject of economy in county governments. Can it be possible that the honest people of North Carolina are for returning to the blighting, consuming, debauching rule of Radicalism? We shall not believe it.

THE CORRUPTIONS AMONG RADICALS IN PHILADELPHIA. The corruptions among Radicals in Philadelphia are widespread and deep-seated. The falsification of election records is very common. There is no doubt of this. Mr. George W. Childs is the special friend of Gen. Grant.

Why this statement by so decided a Republican if "frauds" do not flourish?"

"A Republican if 'frauds' do not flourish?" The Times, an Independent fearless paper, has a foretime borne similar testimony, if we remember aright.

It was mostly hanging on a scaffold. A day was appointed for division. A misunderstanding occurred. The landlord went in search of a Justice of the Peace to divide the tobacco.

And yet the Radical organs, the Press and papers of the same stripe, swear that the Republican party is pure as snow and sweet as a tuberos. But Mr. Childs, who has the character of a strictly honest man, tells another story.

Mr. R. P. Porter, of Chicago, has been quite prominent as a writer upon the industrial interests of the country. A paper of his published last year concerning the manufacturing and other industries of the Northwest, and the contrast he made between them and the industries of the Eastern States, attracted attention.

THE KIRK WAR TALKS AND "KURNEL" JENKINS. The Star has not paid its respects to the young man nominated for State Treasurer by the Radicals in pow-wow assembled.

"New and immense beds of phosphates have recently been discovered in South Carolina, but capital is needed to work them. Georgia has hundreds of thousands of acres of good soil for sale at 50 cents an acre, and the financial condition of the State is so sound that its loans are quoted at 12 per cent. above par.

But the great interest—that which is attracting the most attention, is cotton manufacturing. To carry the mills to the cotton is the great idea. In 1879 the United States had 12,500,000 spindles. This requires 800,000 hands and one thousand million dollars.

By employing its laboring population in manufacturing enterprises, the South will not only return within its own borders the money of which it is now deprived, but it will have products to sell to other countries.

It must be confessed that these details, and he gives many others, are full of encouragement.

lina why honest Dr. Worth should be turned out and Gov. Holden's aide-de-camp in the Kirk war should be substituted.

JUDGE BUXTON'S CHARGE IN A GRANVILLE CASE. "A man of brains and character" furnishes the Raleigh News with an account of a case tried before Judge Buxton in Granville Superior Court.

"A colored man was indicted under the statute for the removal of a crop of tobacco which he had made as a cropper on the lands of —, a white man, before a division of the said crop had been made, before Buxton, Judge."

The jury was composed of seven negroes and five whites. The five whites and six negroes at once agreed. One negro hung them and they were out all night.

THE KIRK WAR TALKS AND "KURNEL" JENKINS. They are entrusted with the "sinews." They amounted, we have seen it stated, to some \$75,000 or more.

As the Governor's aide, he was detailed to act as paymaster, and it is reported he received a large amount of the money. Some of this he had paid out under orders, but he still had about \$40,000 to his credit in bank.

This was remembering to keep the Sabbath Day holy with a vengeance. The excuse given for the "Kurnel" was that he was young and inexperienced and looked at things through a huge pair of green spectacles.

On Wednesday morning Capt. A. Garrison, of the steamer D. Murdoch, rescued two white men, whose boat had swamped in endeavoring to cross the river near Natamore, and who had succeeded in reaching a tree, where they had been all night, unable to make the shore.

A prominent merchant of Holly Springs, N. C., writes under date of November 19, 1877, "That Phillips are doing mighty wonders in this State, and are becoming more popular every day."

THE LATE RAIN. Tremendous Freshet in the Cape Fear—Damage to Crops—Hasty Struggle—Water Alarms: up to the Great Sherman Freshet—Inundation of Farmers on the Black River, Rockfish, &c.

The heavy rains of the past two or three weeks have been almost unprecedented in extent and power for evil in this and the surrounding counties, but especially on the line of the Cape Fear River.

We hear that several timber rafts on their way to this city have been broken up and scattered, and it is reported on the wharves yesterday morning that at least one man had been drowned by the freshet.

"Kurnel" Jenkins was Holden's Paymaster in the Kirk war. To carry on war, specially against your own people when they are at peace and at work on their farms or at their offices or places of business, requires money.

Death of an Aged Citizen. Mr. Phineas W. Fanning, one of our oldest citizens, breathed his last at his residence, on Church, between Fourth and Fifth streets, about 12 o'clock yesterday.

Third Congressional District Joint Meeting. Messrs. J. W. Shackelford and W. P. Canaday will address the people at the following times and places:

- Aug. 24, Hunting Quarter, Carteret Co. " 25, Beaufort, " " " 26, Newport, " " " 27, Pelletier Mills, " " " 28, Swansboro, Onslow County. " 29, Jacksonville, " " " 30, Chatham Lake, " " " Sept. 1, Chinquapin, Duplin County. " 2, Kenansville, " " " 3, Branch's Store " "

Democratic Congressional Committee. The Democratic Congressional Committee met in this city yesterday for the purpose of consulting with Mr. J. W. Shackelford, the nominee for Congress from this district, on matters pertaining to the campaign.

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— Greensboro (N. C.) Beacon: The two houses of W. S. Moore and Houston Brothers, bought during the past year 1879-80, for season, the enormous amount of 274,851 rabbit skins, 1,023 cones, 7,566 opossums, 59 cats, 280 fox, 31 skunks, 5 beavers, 1,820 musk, 28 otters, 8,114 musk rats, costing \$11,000.

— Winston Sentinel: There are four hundred guests at the Warm Springs near Asheville, with about ten good looking young ladies to one man.

— Lenoir Topic: Lawrence Bogle, a Taylorsville boy, was recently drowned near Macon, Miss., by falling into a river.

— Mr. Benjamin Upchurch fired two barrels of lead with buckshot into Exum Wester's left breast. Wester aided Mr. Styles in running away with a daughter of B. U. The Raleigh Visitor says: Styles and Miss Upchurch were married in N. C.

— Raleigh Observer: Mr. Samuel Rowland died yesterday, at his home three miles southeast of the city. He was well known in the State, and was a maker of a cotton gin by his name.

— Raleigh News: Samuel J. Fall, general agent of Emigration for the State of North Carolina, in Great Britain, Wellington, England, would be glad to hear from any one in the State who would be willing to let land on shares, finding house, implements, &c.

— Raleigh Biblical Recorder: Dr. Skinner, who is now at the Warm Springs, writes that he has very much improved.

— Charlotte Herald: Raleigh papers report that Isaac Hirschburg, formerly of this city, was shot at twice in that town by Chas. W. Stephens, a young man, but was not hit.

— A darkey arrived in the city last night, about 1 o'clock, post haste after a physician.