



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1868.

Let our laws and Constitutions speak not of white men, not of red men, not of black men, not of men of any complexion; but, like the laws of God, the Ten Commandments and the Lord's Prayer, let them speak of the PEOPLE.—HON. ACK MAYNARD.

Next TUESDAY, Nov. 3rd, will be ELECTION day.

THE SKY BRIGHTENS!—SIGNALS OF VICTORY.

As the day of battle approaches, the heart of every true republican bounds with joy. The contest has been a long and in many respects a tedious one, but when we see the certain indications of a grand and glorious victory looming up just before us, we are ready to forget all the trials and anxieties connected with the past campaign.

Unlike the dismayed and disoriented democracy, republicans approach the great day of final trial with no distrust or forebodings as to the result. No republican in our ranks from Maine to the Pacific coast, or from the lakes of the North to the Gulf of Mexico, desires that our standard bearers shall abandon the track.

All are satisfied with GRANT and COLFAX, nay, more than this, every republican is proud of our two noble leaders, and would really feel shocked at any intimation favoring their withdrawal.—Look, upon the other hand, at the extraordinary position of our opponents.—Thousands of them have become disgusted with Seymour and Blair and have exhibited an intense anxiety for them to retire and give up the race. They will retire after the election, and will go down to obscurity and oblivion "unpitied, unwept and unmourned." Under these cheering circumstances every republican can heartily respond to the sentiments of the poet:

"Then up with our flag—let it stream to the air. Though our fathers are stiff in their graves, They had hands that could strike, they had souls that could dare, And their sons were not born to be slaves!"

REMEMBER, WHITE MEN AND COLORED MEN, REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS, THAT THE INFAMOUS CIRCULAR, PURPORTING TO HAVE BEEN GOTTEN UP AT WASHINGTON ON THE 24th OF AUGUST LAST AND PUBLISHED IN THE "JOURNAL OF COMMERCE" IS A DELIBERATE FORGERY AND FILLED WITH FALSEHOODS FROM BEGINNING TO END.

ELECTION DAY—LET US HAVE PEACE AND ORDER.

We have something more to say about election day Tuesday next. We desire to be very plain and specific. Although as is generally very natural after a prolonged canvass a good deal of feeling has been aroused, yet, we are happy to say that no indications of disorder, riot or collision seem to exist. So far as the Republican party or republicans are concerned, we can assert that the noble sentiment of General Grant, "LET US HAVE PEACE" is one that is desired to prevail, and exert all its legitimate influence on election day. It is further desired that every man who is lawfully and legally entitled to vote, whether he is poor or rich, white or colored, or whether he is a republican or a democrat, shall be permitted to exercise his privilege, freely and unmolested. In other words, let us by all means have an orderly and well conducted election. While republicans will not trespass upon or interfere with the rights or privilege of others, of course they will not permit any interference with their own rights.

Beware of Mixed Tickets!

THE EFFECT. Many Democrats are utterly disgusted with the publication of that forged and infamous Circular. They are satisfied that the whole thing was concocted here in New Bern and that no Union League ever had anything to do with it. The mean, contemptible and wretched effort to palm off as genuine, when it had the stamp of forgery and villainy all over it has shocked the moral sense of every unprejudiced man in the community.

Take your tickets from no man whom you do not KNOW to be a straight REPUBLICAN.

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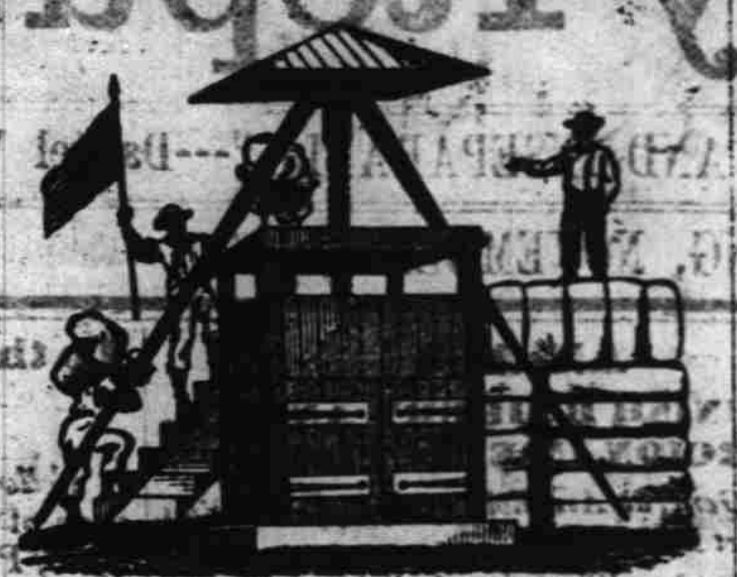
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Caution!

LOOK WELL TO YOUR TICKETS!

More Democratic Infamy!

Tricks and Deceptions!

The utter moral desperation to which the democratic and conservative leaders have become reduced, becomes more and more evident with every new move they make. They have no hope of carrying an election by honest means. Tricks, flattery, deceptions, slanders and brazen lies are the weapons now employed by men who feign would represent the virtue and intelligence of the country.

We warn our readers against a new deception, contrived by the democratic party. We have been shown a ticket purporting to be a genuine ticket of the National Republican Party, which contains the names of all the republican electors, but has attached the name of the democratic candidate for Congress! The ticket was prepared at Washington, D. C., for the first Congressional District of this State, and we have reason to believe that similar ones will be offered in other districts. This spurious ticket can be readily recognized. It is printed in colors and has an American flag at its head and the names of Grant and Colfax in large letters. The name of the democratic candidate for Congress is at the foot of the ticket!! BEWARE OF IT! See the true copy in to-day's Republican.

Beware of People who Pretend to Find Pocketbooks.

[For the Republican.]

The above is a correct copy of the only Genuine National Union Republican Ticket, to be used Nov. 3rd, in Craven County and The 2nd Congressional District. All Republican Tickets having any other Names or Device are Spurious.

WARNING IN TIME.

It becomes our duty as a faithful sentinel of the republican party to inform every true republican that the Rev. Alexander Bass has been in concert and collusion with democrats of this city so far as to get tickets printed at the office of the Journal of Commerce, or receive them, when printed at, that office.

We have one of these tickets now before us, and it came from the hands of Mr. Bass. Can any good republican for a moment countenance any such collusion with the enemy?

Look out for spurious Tickets, bearing the names of Grant and Colfax at the head, but having the "Democratic Electors AT THE BOTTOM."

Let every man vote for UNION, LIBERTY and EQUALITY before the law.

TRICKERY.

On the Ticket printed for Bass by his rebel friends, the name of the only colored Elector, A. H. Galloway, is intentionally misspelled. Any man voting for Bass will therefore be obliged to vote against Galloway, and indirectly, for Seymour and Blair.

THEY ARE COMING!

We are glad to see that republicans are coming to gether on the eve of the contest. Those entitled to vote here who have been away are returning. Colored voters who prize their rights and liberties and who readily comprehend the great issues at stake, are leaving the swamps and the woods and coming to register and vote where they have the right. The feeling seems to be general among republicans and the true friends of the Union, that it is a proud thing to vote for GRANT AND COLFAX and hence they do not intend it shall be recorded that they were absent when duty and patriotism, alike summoned them to the polls. "LET THE BATTLE CRY OF FREEDOM" on election day resound with that other cry.

TO THE POLLS! TO THE POLLS!

"Take heed that no man deceive you." Secure your own rights by voting the REGULAR REPUBLICAN Ticket.

RIDICULOUS ASSUMPTIONS AND GASCONADE.

From the moment it was announced the REPUBLICAN would appear as a DAILY we became satisfied there would be an increase of bitterness among the more reckless and desperate partisans of the Seymour and Blair party. Especially, we were led to conclude that the pent up rancor and venom of the Journal of Commerce concern, would be certain to burst forth before the close of the canvass.

That paper, some weeks since, as will be well remembered, assumed ridiculous and pompous airs by announcing that "it would take no further notice of the REPUBLICAN," or words to that purport. Our paper, among other things, was termed a "Spout Machine" around the corner.

Now, all this gasconade excited at the time, no other feeling than that of scorn, for we knew very well it was all "put on," a sort of hollow attempt to appear consequential without the slightest claim to anything like positive merit.

As we have proceeded in the even tenor of our way, defining republican principles and measures, and stripping bare the false and hypocritical pretensions of the Democracy, we have marked the writhing and squirming of the leaders of that organization in this locality; especially have we witnessed in the Journal of Commerce, palpable exhibitions of uneasiness and regret at having made the stupid announcement "it would not notice us."

From day to day it discovered our blunders were telling, but how to "notice us" was "the rub." An event at last occurred, however, by which all this funkiness of assuming to "fall back on one's dignity" was made to unmask itself and stand forth in its naked dignity.

The Journal of Commerce, with an avidity unsurpassed since upon a production bearing palpable falsehood on its face, and reeking all over with infamy, and willingly gave it to the public as a genuine production of the Union League. Although it knew the fabrication was "picked up" in the street, near its own door and could clearly see that its publication would be regarded as offensive in the highest degree to thousands of true and loyal men, yet, fairly gloating and chuckling over the supposed opportunity to strike a blow at the Republican party, rushed this thing before its readers.

Of course, knowing as we did that this circular was a base fabrication, and believing as we did and now do, that it was wholly conceived by one or more Democrats here in New Bern, we stamped and exposed the thing as it justly deserved. Since then we see the REPUBLICAN has not only been "noticed" but seems to be the main object of attack by the Journal of Commerce.

Such is the contemptible position into which the organ of the Democracy has been driven. It seems with the most scurrilous allusions, not only to the REPUBLICAN, but republicans generally.

Republicans! Secessionists now are no better than the secessionists of 1861.

Be sure to read the REPUBLICAN of Sunday next.

REMEMBER THIS! Every Republican who does not vote the regular Republican ticket will be aiding the rebels to defeat GRANT and COLFAX.

GET THE TRUE TICKET ONLY!

We again warn our friends that they cannot be too careful as to the Republican Ticket, on election day. Our advice is, to have nothing whatever to do with a ticket printed at a Democratic office. The regular Republican Ticket will be gotten up at the Republican Printing Office, and every Republican is liable to be cheated by voting any other ballot.

WATCH YOUR TICKETS ON ELECTION DAY AS YOU WOULD WATCH YOUR LIBERTIES!

DONT BE CHEATED.

We hear that a spurious Ticket has been printed, and is or will be put in circulation. Look out! white and colored men! and do not be deceived. Recollect that the only reliable Ticket for GRANT and COLFAX, for this County, will be printed at the Republican Office.

UNITED WE STAND.

The republicans of Craven County are most enthusiastically UNITED on the Presidential and Congressional Ticket, and no interference of democrats can cause any breaking in the lines. A few days since there may have been cause for apprehending some division as to the Legislative Ticket, but we are now gratified to say, republicans are united on this score, also.

As every true republican, white and colored, knows that the true secret of success is in STANDING TOGETHER, they are determined to support the regular nominee in all cases. It is a republican rule to do this, and hence ALL BOLTING and BOLLERS MUST BE AVOIDED. Tickets printed at a democratic printing office should not be touched.

"Nabby" on the Issues of the Campaign.

Petroleum Nabby observes: "The extravagance of the radicals was a keerd wich I hed hopes uv, but it didn't amount to nothing. Somehow the people wood ask us which of our leaders we proposed to put in the places of the abolitionists, and when we answered Vallandigham, Fernando Wood, and his brother Ben. Dan Voorhees and Jesse D. Britz, they laff derisively, and say, 'Lord save us, of these hungry and thirsty theives get their jaws into the Nabby's carnis. We'd rather keep them which we hed.'"

"It's my opinion we'd better drop extravagance. Taxes hed a juicy look, but good Lord, the people answered us, sayin, 'Ef the deb is to be paid, won't we hev to be taxed to pay it? It's payin' the taxes that hurts—not the politics uv the party which taxes us—and ez our people don't pay taxes as a rule, they don't thrill much over taxes.'"

"It's my opinion that we'd better drop taxes. 'Ekal taxashun' wuz rather hefty at the beginning, till the poor men and farmers delivered that they were payin scarcely nothin on their houses organs and cows, while the rich cusses wuz carryin the load. Ex soon ez they made this discovery they concluded they didn't want ekal taxashun much, and they turned agin us."

"It's my opinion we had better drop ekal taxashun. 'Reppidashun looked well enuff, but that waz no go. I started out with it, but alars, we found most everybody hed bonds, and everybody hed greenback. The bond-holders wouldnt consent to reprodiate the bonds, and the greenback holders sed: 'Ef we commence at bonds why ahood we not come to greenback?' And so that split."

"It's my opinion we had better drop reprodashun. Seymour is rich, yet he never issued Uncle Sam one dollar to enable him to crush the rebellion. The country therefore, sees him nothing, not even so much as "one" vote.

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ADDRESS

To the Colored Voters of Craven County.

Brethren: Through two great political campaigns in which we were on trial before the whole civilized world, we stood shoulder to shoulder, and vindicated our claim to be free, and have the rights and privileges pertaining to freemen.

Again we are to appear before the world and especially before the American people to be judged of our fitness to become a part and parcel of the great National Jury which shall control and decide the destinies of this great Republic.

How shall we appear? Shall we now, as on former occasions, unitedly go with, and stand by the Republican party which, under God, gave us the liberty that we now have? Or shall we allow disappointed, ambitious men of our own race to split our ranks, and lend themselves to the use of the Democracy, enabling them to practice all sorts of tricks and fraud upon an unwary people and if possible defeat or injure our whole ticket, and destroy our liberties?

Some of us deprecate this action of the Rev. A. Bass and his coadjutors, because we sustain a near relation to him in the church. But all of us do protest against his course, and do most earnestly appeal to every colored man, and advise and entreat him to stand by the party and the regular nominations and vote the straight Republican ticket as being the proper and only safe course to pursue.

(Signed)

- JOHN RANDOLPH, Jr. GEO. B. WILLIS, J. R. GOOD, LEWIS H. BRYAN, ED. R. DUDLEY, GEO. S. FISHER, WM. INGRAHAM, R. TUCKER, MOSES BRYAN, THOS. BATTLE, V. A. CRAWFORD, D. HEATH, C. D. PIERSON, WM. H. JOHNSON, J. D. DUDLEY, E. H. HILL, FERNEY WEST, AARON BIDDLE, AMOS M. BROWN, FRANK LANE, ED. HAVENS, ROBT. SPIVEY, JACOB GRIMES, PHILIP LEE, AMOS YORK, L. L. RANDOLPH, J. H. PEARSON, Sr. JAS. M. SMITH, LIMBER LEWIS, EZEKIEL JACKSON, WM. H. SINGLETON, A. BLOUNT, JOS. A. ANDERSON, J. A. HARRIS, JAS. MUMFORD, HULL GRIMES, B. B. SPICER, WM. GASKINS, JOHN BARBOUR, J. H. HATCH, J. R. BRYAN, S. W. OREN, JOHN LOVICK, GEO. WATSON, WM. TANKARD, EPHRAIM GRIMES, COLLINS MOORE, SALEM CLARK, PHILIP H. WIGGINS, BENJ. SMITH, And many others.

Richard reads—"Jockey of Norfolk, be not troubled with your Drake, my master, is bought and sold." A weak invention of the enemy. —Shakespeare.

Of all miserable sells and weak inventions ever contrived by political tricksters to deceive and mislead, the late attempt of the enemies of progress to influence the popular mind by publishing a pretended document of the Union League, is the most transparent and barefaced. Any person who is in the habit of reading the resolutions prepared by the Seymour and Blair clubs, can see at half a glance that it was got up by some political hack, who is in the habit of hashing and dishing up these heinous compounds. The same narrow minded, illiberal, bigoted, prejudiced and malevolent ideas that form the staple commodity of the resolutions of the Seymour and Blair clubs, are to be found in almost every paragraph of this pretended document. The language is slightly changed, but the ideas are identical. The abortion bears unquestionable internal evidence of being the production of an ardent admirer of the institution of slavery, of some poor deluded wretch who has so far justified himself as to believe that slavery is of divine origin. The ideas and language are the very same that every colored person in the South has heard white folks talk at the fireside from his earliest infancy. Read it to an old white headed colored person and he will exclaim: "Master wrote that, it is just the way they used to talk before the war."

It has not even the merit of originality. It is even an old worn out, used up, threadbare, played out trick of the slaveholders to tighten the fetters and rivet the manacles of the colored race. This fashion of dropping and finding plots of pretended servile insurrections has been resorted to by timid, fearful slaveholders, to my certain knowledge, for more than a third of a century.

A pretended plot would be found in the street or on the road, meetings of the magistrates would be called, extra watch called out in the town, extra patrols in the country, men scouring the country with pistols, guns, swords, bludgeons, and cowhides, harassing, tormenting and punishing poor unoffending colored people at the slightest pretext or no pretext at all, merely for the sake of gratifying the basest passions of the human heart.

That this pretended document was found in the street is quite likely no doubt. The very respectable gentlemen who found it in the innocent simplicity of their unsophisticated hearts, might have thought the precious bantling was a real Simons pure article, and with the most careful and upright intentions, without the least idea of conniving at fraud or deception, instead of devoting it as it ought to have been, to the service of the Roman goddess with an unpronounceable name, who, according to the ancient mythology, presided over sewers, cess-pools, and other receptacles of filth, carried it to Col. Pool, who received it with joy and gratitude as a perfect windfall to help out the lost cause, and averts his intention of inflicting it upon subscribers of the Standard.

Vote the Whole Republican Ticket.

General Grant recently wrote a letter to Hon. Mr. Brewster of Pennsylvania, in which he used the following memorable words:—"This much I wish, and I declare this to be my policy: That such a degree of peace and tranquility shall exist in this country, that a man may speak his mind in any part of our great land, and that without molestation or hindrance." Here, then, is one fundamental and vital point of the policy of our best President. It is a golden "plank" for a Presidential platform.

VOTERS! BEWARE OF ALL TICKETS PRINTED AT THE OFFICE OF THE JOURNAL OF LIES!

Have you Registered?