

Person County Courier.

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ROXBORO, N. C., June 21, 1888.

Democratic Nominees.

NATIONAL TICKET. For President: GROVER CLEVELAND, of New York.

For Vice-President: JOSEPH J. DAVIS, of Franklin.

STATE TICKET. For Governor: DANIEL G. FOWLE, of Wake.

For Lieut. Governor: THOMAS M. HOLT, of Alamance.

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Thos. S. Ashe: JOSEPH J. DAVIS, of Franklin.

For Associate Justices of the Superior Court under amendment to the Constitution: JAMES E. SHEPHERD, of Beaufort.

ALPHONSO C. AVERY, of Burke.

For Secretary of State: WM. L. SAUNDERS, of Orange.

For Treasurer: DONALD W. BAIN, of Wake.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction: SIDNEY M. FINGER, of Catawba.

For Attorney General: THEODORE F. DAVIDSON, of Buncombe.

For Auditor: G. W. SANDERLIN, of Wayne.

Electors—For the State at Large: A. M. WADDELL, of New Hanover.

P. N. STRUDWICK, of Orange.

Our County Convention.

Next Monday, one week, is the day set for the meeting of the County Convention of the Democratic party, which will be held in the court house in this place.

The prospects of success for the Democratic party in this county has not been as bright for years as it is to day, still there is a great deal of work to do and we must organize for this work.

The township conventions have been called to meet on Saturday the 30th of this month. Democrats can't you lose just half a day to attend your township convention and appoint delegates to the county convention?

The Democratic party is not responsible for the Internal Revenue laws, and if the Republican newspapers will give their readers the facts they cannot make it appear so.

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The National Republican Convention is in session at Chicago this week and all political interest is centered there. At this writing (Wednesday), it is very uncertain who will be the nominee for President.

The Internal Revenue.

The Republican newspapers in this State are trying to make it appear that the Democratic party is solely responsible for the obnoxious Internal Revenue laws that are so distasteful to the people of North Carolina.

Reader, we ask you to look at this matter honestly, and then answer us. Does it jingle with the sound of sincerity to hear the Republican party making a great fuss over the fact that the Democratic party after a term of less than three and a half years of power, have not abolished this whole obnoxious and burdensome system, when you know that it was the Republican party that saddled these Internal Revenue laws upon our people, and also remember that they did for more than twenty years of power, allow this hateful system that they are making such a fuss about, remain on our people without making one effort to have it removed?

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The party declares against Internal Revenue. Do not even the Republicans the same? Yes, indeed. How can we tell which party is in earnest? Look at their records. Examine the fruit they have brought forth.

structures all legislation which has for its object the amelioration of the hardships that we undergo, and rises in its might to pass all pension bills, all river and harbor jobs, all bills to return direct tax, in short all bills that will reduce the surplus. The Democratic party is trying to reduce taxation. The surplus, if gets no larger, will not ruin us, but the continued increase of the surplus, caused by the present rate of taxation, will soon stagnate every department of business.

Joshuaway Again.

Messrs. Editors:—I see in the last issue of your paper a communication from "Old Pomp" in which he advises "Joshuaway" to take back the word "Foul" in his "Joshuaway's" last letter to the COURIER, and suggests that it kicks. In answer we desire to say that if we desired political advice from "Old Pomp" party, that we would never think of calling on "Old Pomp" to get it, as "Old Pomp" is not "great" in our estimation of this "age," but we would rather hob nob with "my son Oliver" when he "lays by his cray" or with Messrs. Keogh & Boyd, or some respectable Republican, than as if we could find one and that one is a white man.

We are reminded right here to say that we are not unmindful of the fact that the white Republicans of North Carolina are taking great comfort to themselves and saying that President Cleveland has destroyed the color line by the appointment of a negro to office in the District of Columbia, and that no more blame can attach to them for voting with the negroes than attaches to Mr. Cleveland for appointing one to office.

In this matter, let it be understood from one end of the State to the other that it is not what Mr. Cleveland or any other Northern man, however fair he may try to be, thinks of the negro question, but it is what those who have to deal with it themselves think of it. The negro question in New York is no more a practical question than the Indian question in this State.

News continues to pour in from all parts of the State with the welcome intelligence that the ticket recently nominated by the Democratic convention is causing the greatest enthusiasm. Whatever breaches were threatened by the conflict are fast healing up and never before in its history has the party been on a better footing in North Carolina.

Duty.

Duty to God, duty to country, duty to home, duty to wife and duty to society are the grand essentials of a happy and contented life, and when all these are crowned with the glorious wreath of a splendid consecration to the Democratic party, existence receives a beautiful completeness, and man becomes angelic.—Wilson Mirror.

Notice.

The Chairmen of the different township Executive Committees are hereby requested to hold a convention in their respective townships on Saturday before the first Monday in July, and elect delegates to the County Convention which meets in Roxboro on Monday the 2nd day of July, 1888.

THE BEST PURIFIER MADE.

I have suffered with Cstarrh for about four years, and after using four bottles of Botanic Blood Balm I had my general health greatly improved, and if I could keep out of the bad weather I would be cured. I believe it is the best purifier made.

OUR EXCHANGES

THEIR OPINIONS EXPRESSED ON DIFFERENT SUBJECTS.

We look upon the purity of the ballot box as the best possible security against threatening evils, and we demand such reasonable State legislation as will fully and justly exercise of the elective franchise by fraud or violence poisons the springs of power.—[Extract from Platform of Radical Convention, adopted May 26th, 1888.

The only intimidation which is practiced in North Carolina against the purity of the ballot box is that which is practiced by the negroes of the State against their own color whenever one attempts to vote the Democratic ticket. There has not been an election held in North Carolina since the war in which colored men voted who with the Democrats have not been subjected in most cases to violent persecutions, and in all cases to ostracism by their own color.

If the whites who vote the Republican ticket were subjected to the same treatment by the white citizens of the State that the colored people who vote the Democratic ticket are subjected to, there would be fewer white Republicans in North Carolina than there are. The fact is that the negroes of the State have drawn the color line so sharply and distinctly that every negro voter knows and feels it, and he governs himself accordingly. The negro is evidently not ashamed to draw the color line, because he draws it very boldly. The consequence is, the negro vote is massed solidly on one side.

In the face of this fact, what ought the white people of the State to do? Ought they not to pursue the same course? When we think of what the white people of the South have endured at the hands of the solid negro vote, (aided by a hungry segment of the white vote, the leaders of which are seeking to make a "high cut" for office,) when we think of how States and Counties and Cities in the South have been bankrupted by this vote wherever it has held sway, there can be but one answer to the question, and that is that a man shall be known by the company he keeps in politics as in everything else.

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Notice.

Report showing amount of money collected by Magistrates for the three months beginning January 1st, 1888, and ending March 31st, 1888.

Execution Sale!

By virtue of an execution in my hand, entitled Charles W. Whitcomb vs. W. A. Thaxton, H. H. C. Pritchard & C. A. Tuck, I have levied on the personal property of W. A. Thaxton, H. H. C. Pritchard & C. A. Tuck, in the County of Person, North Carolina, for the sum of \$100.00.

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