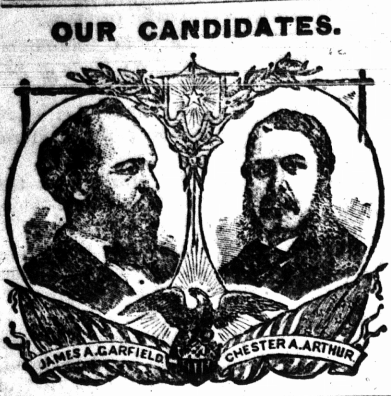


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THE SENATORIAL QUESTION.

The Waukegan Gazette and Republican have taken great pains to misrepresent the facts in relation to the Senatorial Convention held in this District, hoping thereby to create a sympathy in their favor. So diligently have they worked in this matter that they have led many outsiders to believe that McHenry County were the bolters and that Senator Joslyn was running as an Independent Candidate. The exact facts in the case were clearly stated by us last week, as no man who was at the Convention can truthfully deny. The buncombe put forth by the Republican about "backbone" comes with poor grace from one who is supporting a delegation who did not have the "backbone" to come into the Convention and present their claims, if they had any. The talk of any compact being made is all bosh. Had there been the Waukegan Ring would not have been slow to avail themselves of it, and show it up at the time of the Convention.

Hon. M. L. Joslyn was nominated by the Senatorial Convention called by the regular Committee, and held at the appointed time and place, and consequently is the only regular Republican nominee for State Senator in this District, and for the Waukegan Ring to ask that he be withdrawn in favor of their man, who was nominated by them in a 7x9 bedroom, with guarded doors without the least semblance of authority from any Convention, we say is simply cheek, and will not be endorsed by the people.

From advices which we have received from Lake County, outside of Waukegan, it will be well for these bolters under the lead of Farwell & Co, if they see their "mistake" before it is too late.

THE MAINE ELECTION.

The following telegram, which was sent by Senator Blaine to the Republican National Committee, gives the most candid and compressed statement of the result of the Maine election that we have yet seen:

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 17.—We have complete returns with the exception of a few distant plantations. I give you the summary. In the election of 1879 the Republicans lacked 1,045 votes of a majority. This year we made gains in twelve counties, held our own in two counties, and in two other counties had slight losses. Our net gain in sixteen counties is reckoned at 1,300 as the minimum, with a possible maximum of 1,600, making Davis' re-election a certainty. This is no longer denied by his opponents. His majority over Plaised will probably not vary much from 400. We have chosen three-fourths of the county officers, more than two-thirds of the State senate and a large majority of the house of representatives, giving the complete control of the State government in all of its branches. Our only regret is the failure to regain the fourth and fifth congressional districts. We succeeded in reducing the majority in each to about one-third of the fusion majority two years ago, but the Democratic alarm over the result in Vermont caused the application of arguments in both districts last week which we could not meet.

J. G. BLAINE.

The Republican ticket in this District and county is now complete from President to Coroner, and before the Republicans of the county. Every candidate on it will stand the closest scrutiny. It now only remains for the Republicans to give the men of their choice a hearty support, and victory will crown their efforts on the first Tuesday in November. The opposition are leaving no stone unturned to create a division in our ranks. Let no Republican, under any pretext, scratch a single name on the ticket. Work from now until the polls close on the 2d of November for one result, and that the election of the entire Republican ticket, County, State and National.

At latest accounts both parties are claiming the election of Governor in Maine. While the Republicans think that Davis is re-elected by a small plurality, the Democrats declare that Plaised is elected, and, with no ground but that of alleged slow returns from some of the remote rural districts, are loudly declaiming about Republican frauds. The folly and groundlessness of their cry is shown by the fact that the returns have come in more rapidly and promptly than at any previous election in Maine, and also by the fact that there is no material difference in the figures as given by Democrats and by Republicans.

Gen. Butler's proclamation of a belief that a majority of the volunteers in the Union army were Democrats, has occasioned the publication of the records, which show that in 1864 Republicans in the army outnumbered the Democrats three to one.

The Issues of 1880.

The following paragraph from Col. Ingersoll's speech, delivered before the soldiers in Indiana, is as good today as when first uttered, and as gracefully describes the Democratic party: "I stood a little while ago in the city of Paris, where stood the Bastille, where now stands the column of July, surmounted by the figure of liberty. In its right hand is a broken chain. In its left hand is a banner; upon its shining forehead a glittering star, and as I looked upon I said: 'Such is the Republican party of my country.' The other day, being along the road I came to a place where the road had been changed, but the guide-board was as they put it years before. It pointed diligently to the direction of a desolate field. Now, that guide-board has been there for twenty years. Thousands of people had passed, but nobody had heeded the hand on the guide-post, and it stuck there through storm and sunshine, and it pointed as hard as ever, as if the road was through the desolate field. I said to myself: 'Such is the Democratic party of the United States. The other day I came to a river where there had been a mill; part of it was there yet. An old sign said, 'Cash for Wheat.' The old water-wheel was broken; it had been warped by the sun, cracked and split by the many winds and storms. There hadn't been a grain of wheat ground there for twenty years. There was nothing in good order but the dam; it was as good a dam as I ever saw; and I said to myself: 'Such is the Democratic party.' I was going along the other day, when I came to where there had been a hotel. But the hotel and barn had burned down; nothing remained there but two chimneys, monuments of the disaster. In the road there was an old sign, upon which were the words, 'Entertainment for man and beast.' There hadn't been a hotel there for thirty years. That sign had hung and cracked in the wind; the snow had fallen upon it in the winter; but the sign stuck to it, and kept swearing to it—entertainment for man and beast; and I said to myself: 'Such is the Democratic party of the United States.'

We have a few words to say to the manufacturers, this week, about their duty in the coming congressional elections, and these we shall say plainly: Gentlemen, you will see a congress of free traders in power at Washington in a very little while—only a few months—if you do not instantly bestir yourself to help the protectionist elements of the country. *your own workmen included*, to prevent such a calamity. England realizes that she is rapidly losing her profitable market for the sale of her manufactured goods, and she is making one determined and desperate effort to regain full control of it. Through her paid agents and her pamphlets she is misleading public sentiment in states which have but few manufactures. Our whole tariff system will be past praying for two months hence if manufacturers do not at once exert themselves to save it. They should go to work immediately to strengthen the hands of every reliable protectionist candidate for congress. With few exceptions, the men who are employed by them are ready to co-operate with them to sustain the protective policy at the polls in October and November. Each manufacturer should, from this time forward to the close of the polls on election day, take a personal interest in the congressional canvass in his district, and he should not hesitate to help that candidate who can be trusted, if elected, to stand fast to the policy of protection to home industry. We do not mince this matter. We say what we think. We are talking business to business men. Protection is to them the one great and overshadowing issue of the present congressional campaign. It is in serious peril. The occasion requires that we should say this plainly, for others perhaps do not realize the fact as fully as we have ciphered it out. If our advice is promptly followed, all will be well; if it is not followed, this will be the last year of the Morrill tariff, which has so greatly benefited all the industries of the country and so greatly blessed all of its inhabitants.—Bulletin of American Iron and Steel Association.

SETTLED IN ADVANCE.

Judge Jeremiah Black and Senator Carpenter—who are warm friends personally as they are unyielding foes politically—some years since got to talking about the probabilities as to who would be elected president in 1880. Finally, Senator Carpenter proposed to Judge Black that they should go to work as they would to get a jury—each to write down twelve names which were to be taken up one by one and objected to or accepted. The Judge agreed. The list was made out, the senator with his usual courtesy, heading his list with Judge Black's name, and Judge Black heading his list with the senator's name.

Of course, Carpenter struck off his name to begin with, and, of course, Black struck off his name. Then the canvass went on. The remaining names were fully discussed. One man was pronounced eminently fit for the presidency, but unavailable for some cause; another had made some mistake which would prevent his election; another was too extreme a partisan; another lacked popular qualities; another had a troublesome record, and so on.—This process of "striking off" continued until but one name was left, as the man who was likely to be elected president in 1880.

That name was the name of James A. Garfield. Our authority for this interesting account of a novel expedient for settling a presidential contest, three or four years in advance, is Senator Carpenter.—Ex.

Greenback Senatorial and Representative Convention.

Pursuant to call the Greenbackers of the 8th Senatorial District comprising the counties of Lake and McHenry met at the Parker House in McHenry at 1 o'clock P.M. on Saturday Sept. 25th, 1880.

The meeting was called to order by Thos. McD Richards, of Seneca, Hon. Geo. Gage elected temporary Chairman, and C. H. Morey Secretary.

On motion a committee of the following five delegates, B. F. Peck, John Palmer and A. W. Anderson of McHenry, Vela Whitney and Nathaniel Vose of Lake County, were appointed by the Chair, to present the names of candidates for nomination for State Senator and Representative. After a short intermission the meeting was called to order and the following names presented.

For Representative—J. H. Doran, of McHenry County, and Nathaniel Vose of Lake County, for State Senator, Thos. McD Richards, of McHenry County, and A. D. Whitmore, of Lake County.

On motion it was decided to put but one candidate in the field for Representative.

The Convention then proceeded to vote by ballot for Representative. C. V. Stevens and C. H. Morey were appointed as tellers. The result was as follows. Total number of votes cast 39, of which J. H. Doran received 37 and N. Vose 2. Mr. J. H. Doran of McHenry Co., was declared unanimously nominated.

Mr. D. H. Whitmore declined to have his name brought before the convention as a candidate for State Senator and requested the convention to give their entire support to Thos. McD Richards. Vote was then taken by acclamation and Thos. McD Richards was unanimously chosen as nominee for State Senator.

On motion the chair appointed J. W. Kimball, A. W. Anderson and N. Vose, to notify the candidates of their nomination.

On motion the delegates from Lake County appointed the following gentlemen of their County as Central Legislative Committee. Secretary H. Whitney of Gurnee, A. D. Whitmore of Gurnee, and N. Vose of Whittier. The Central Committee of McHenry County, is A. W. Cummins, Secretary, Woodstock, Thos. McD Richards, Woodstock, and C. V. Stevens of McHenry. On motion John Palmer, A. W. Anderson, and H. Whitney were instructed to draft resolutions for this Convention, to be forwarded to Solon Chase, of Maine, commending him for his noble, independent stand in opposition to any fusion of the Greenback party in Maine, or elsewhere.

Moved that the proceedings of this Convention be published in the county papers and also in the Express and Sentinel. Adjourned.

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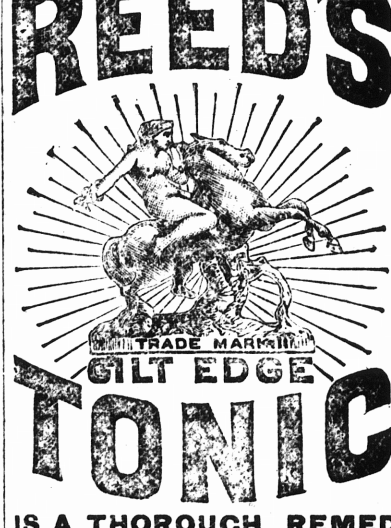
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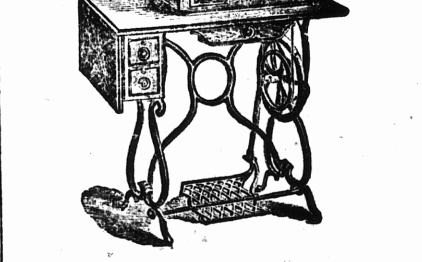
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