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THURSDAY, APR. 26, 1888.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

AUGUST ELECTION, 1888.

For Sheriff—F. S. BENAY.
For Jailor—WM. S. SAUNDERS.
For Coroner—JOHN HARVEY.

CONSTITUTIONAL notice is valued at a quarter of a million dollars.

HON. GEN. H. Pendleton, U. S. Minister to Germany, has a stroke of paralysis at Wiesbaden.

THE Magistrates of Fayette County elected Squire Daniel Jones, a democratic president judge, to place of County Judge and Auditor.

THE Governor has vetoed the bill appropriating $200 to pay the expenses of the Fenian Knell parade, which participated in the inauguration of Gen. Knell.

THE House has passed the annual Pension Bill, appropriating $88,200,000. Yet the Republican claim that the Democrats are opposed to paying pensions to the soldiers of the late war.

A PACKAGE of low $100 bills was found by Commissioner Mr. Mahoney, a week ago in the vault of the Treasury after it was thought every foot of paper as large as a postage stamp had been discovered.

THE latest news from Mr. Blaine's parts lies in Maine, where he has been leading with King Humbert of late, in a good time. He has been received by Pope Leo and attended by a dozen scenes at the Vatican.

THE Suicide of Commonwealth's Attorney Houston have held a meeting to protest against his proposed resignation. An effort will be made to make Legislative action compulsory, which is as an incentive to his remaining in office.

SENATOR SHERMAN's anti-polygamy claim that he has secured 162 of the votes necessary to secure the nomination at Chicago. Are a portion of these votes coming from Utah? It will be for the Senator to have these votes in him without question.

THE Democrats had an easy victory in Louisiana. The Republicans in Nicholls, the head of the Democratic State ticket, will run between 40,000 and 40,000. The majority in the Democratic in the Legislature is perfectly overwhelming.

THE general opinion seems to be that Mr. Cleveland's name will be the one presented to the convention for the Presidency, and there are reasons for it of the further opinion that for winning of any other candidate would be nearly calculated and doubtful.

THERE is no enthusiasm for war, whatever in Congress, even among those who are committed to the use for the Presidential nomination. Those who supported Mr. Blaine 1884 prefer that Mr. Sherman should be the nominee, and the Senator is the nominee of his friends.

DR. S. TATE is the "Sugar" Democrat elected to office in Kentucky, man that wanted to be Governor, and, as Engine Knowell, when there was sugar in money in the State, he was a man of a reputation, should need to be distributed among the party.—Louisville Republican.

THE amount of ex-Treasurer Tarpenning's defalcation, with all credits now placed at $129,000. It is hoped that just before leaving Fair office he put the book for a long-continuing for wanted paper a school room. As no school claims were due, the inside evidence that he took away $129,000 instead of $100,000.

THE Commissioner's work has been investigating the Pension Bureau for at least made public the great number of the late frauds which have been perpetrated in the name of a soldier's pension. The public were led to believe it would. The total amount evidenced as due is $68,782,00, and it is estimated that more than one-third is yet to collection.

THE 20 indictments against Jesse James and his sixteen, of Missouri, were pardoned by the Governor on the grounds that the offenses were alleged to have been committed since the decision rendered Feb. 25th, by the Supreme Court to the effect that defendants might legally sell in quantities not less than a quart, and before said decision had been reversed by the Supreme Court."

THE subject of Indian reservations before the House for work, in bill reported from the Committee on Indian Affairs, is a Bolero, to protect interest of shelter in this Commonwealth. The bill provides that any water reserving may amount, at any time, any thing of value as consideration for his work, shall be disfranchised for ten years. Agents or persons acting for candidates in letting votes shall be disfranchised for ten years. Candidates and other persons furnishing money or other things of value, for letting votes, shall forfeit the office then held, and be disqualified for holding any State, county, city or town office for ten years. Current amendments were rejected and the subject discussed until the bill was laid aside for the Orders of the Day.

AN ACT

To Organize and Establish a System of Public Graded Schools in Carlisle County.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

1. That the trustees of a Common School District No. 28, which embraces Ky. 117 Carlisle, are hereby changed as follows, so as to include the following territory, to wit: Beginning at the mouth of Lick Creek, thence up the Lick Creek to the Jno. Clay farm and Wm. Clay farm, thence with the line of the Clay farm to the Mt. Carmel road, thence to Harry Mangrum, thence to Mrs. Bell, thence to Wm. West, thence to Lebanon Brady's farm, thence to the Ky. 117 Carlisle, thence with the Ky. 117 above place, thence to the beginning. That all the territory and school districts now in the limits of the present corporate limits of the City of Carlisle, which shall be under the control and management of a Board of Trustees, to be known as the Carlisle Graded Common School District, and shall be governed by the Graded City School District of Carlisle, Ky.

2. That said Graded School shall consist of a Board of Trustees, to be known as the Graded City School of Carlisle, Ky., and by that name shall be a body public and corporate, capable of suing and being sued, of contracting and being contracted with, and of holding and conveying real and personal estate for the use and benefit of said school, and public school property in said district, and shall have a common school.

3. The Board of Trustees of said district shall be six, to be elected on the first Monday in August, 1888, and every two years thereafter, and shall be elected and qualified. A majority of the Board of Trustees shall be a quorum for the transaction of business, and in case of a tie vote on any question, the Chairman of the Board of Trustees shall have a vote, the Board of Trustees shall have a vacancy, the remaining members of the Board of Trustees shall have the appointment of a member to fill the vacancy, and the Board of Trustees shall have the power to fix the time and place of their meeting, and shall have the power to make rules and regulations for the government of said Graded City School District, and for the government of the Graded City School, and