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THURSDAY, SEP. 25, . . . 1888

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President,
GROVER CLEVELAND.
of New York.
For Vice-President,
ALLEN G. THURMAN,
of Ohio.
For Congress,
THOS. B. FAYTER,
of Greenup County.

HON. FRANK HURD, of Ohio, eloquent and convincing tariff reform orator, will speak at Lexington, on Wednesday, September 26.

We are requested to announce that a Young Men's Republican Club will be organized at Berg Gore's office Saturday night.

STANTON BRUCE's health has rapidly improved since going to Fortress Monroe, and he expects to return home to Washington next week thoroughly recruited.

THE law confiscating all Mormon church property, not used for church purposes, has taken 5,000 acres of land from the Mormons. The proceeds go to the Utah school fund.

MR. CARLISLE was nominated for re-election to Congress, Tuesday. Now let the Democracy of the Covington district give him a majority that will be creditable to them.

No other Democratic candidate having offered for the position, Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge has been officially declared the regular nominee of the Democratic party for Congress in the Seventh District.

LIEUT. GOV. BYRAN, who has been 21 at the house of relatives at Owensboro, has partially recovered, and under the advice of his physicians has gone to Asheville, N. C., for relief from the malarial influences that have affected him.

It is really amusing to see the efforts the Republican papers are making to show that Grover Cleveland, of New York, is not any type of a Democrat. Bill Hubard says that if either is a Democrat he would rather it would be the Governor than the President.

THE record department of Iowa Judge is the effect that Blonder the Prohibitionist of that state a man cannot manufacture cider for the use of his own family, it strikes us, is carrying the prohibition business to the point of idiotism and making the whole thing ridiculous.

OFFICIAL figures show that the Republicans in Maine have gained not five votes in the last four years, while the Democrats, Prohibitionists and Labor parties have gained 5,561, of which 2,847 were Democratic gains. The Republicans have really lost 2,716 votes in that time.

In the last congressional two the Third, Ninth, Eighth, Tenth and Eleventh Congressional districts gave Democratic majorities. But the next Republican election turned the tables in the district in favor of the Democrats by more than 2,500 majority. There is no doubt of the district being Democratic when the Democracy is united which they are this year.

THE prettiest comment on the President's letter is that of Congressman W. H. Crain, of Texas. It embodies an aspiration in political economy that is axiomatic. "He talks straight from the shoulder and hits hard, but hits the truth," said Mr. Crain, "for when combination throttles competition, then the consumer becomes the consumed."

THE papers are publishing the statement that "Hon. P. W. Hartin opened the Democratic campaign at Versailles last Monday." Col. Hardin may have opened the campaign at Versailles, but Claude Thomas, John Green, Hughes Hallam, Jack Hendricks, John Hogan and about a dozen young "chaps" have opened it a dozen times before last Monday.

HON. JOHN F. HARDIN, the Assistant Democratic Elector for this district, spoke here last Saturday afternoon. We are sorry that Col. Hager could not have had a larger audience, but the tobacco crop in this section was occupying the attention of our people too much to permit them to attend political meetings. On Monday, Col. Hager addressed a large crowd at Mt. Sterling.

In his letter President Cleveland contends that the $100,000,000 surplus is not any surplus in reality, but that the $100,000,000 surplus represents the collection of this amount of money from the classes of trade and labor wages, make all business dull and collection slow, hamper all trade, have a tempting and corrupting influence on Federal legislation. It has been and is being piled up by a severely taxed tariff.

A MOTH like John S. Black is dangerous to bad with. It has none of the elements of danger so clearly recognized in a bare rear, but the lightning and the needlebar play around do not note so harmoniously together, that alone is one such thing as crossed when the weather combination that may arise. Col. Black's nature, somehow seems to be so harmoniously blended