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ANNOUNCEMENT

We are authorized to announce ALBERT P. WHEELER, of Bourbon, as a candidate for State Senator from the 9th Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce R. REDDIN, of Bourbon County, as a candidate for Representative from Bourbon and Nicholas Counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce R. ED. BOLAR, of Bourbon County, as a candidate for Representative from Bourbon and Nicholas Counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. A. MIDDLETON, of Nicholas, a candidate for Representative from the counties of Nicholas and Bourbon, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce DR. C. W. HAYS, of Nicholas County, a candidate for Representative from the counties of Nicholas and Bourbon, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce DR. C. W. DAUGHERTY, of Nicholas County, a candidate for Jailer of Nicholas County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Lawrence Aspley's candidacy for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JAMES BLAKY.

Please announce Lawrence Aspley as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JAMES BOARMAN.

Please announce Jas. Blaky as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JAMES BOARMAN.

Editor Mercury:

You will announce me as a candidate for Jailer of Nicholas County, subject to the action of the Democratic party, without money or any expenses.

THOS. J. CRAWFORD.

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1891

PRIMARY Election next Saturday.

EX GOV CHRISTMAS, of Missouri, is active Democratic candidate for Governor.

THE Convention held at the Court house in this city last Saturday was so quiet that it was oppressive.

PERSONS desiring to read the new Constitution can get a copy by calling on County Clerk Campbell or myself.

HON. HARDIN KENNEDY at his office.

MR. A. P. HOBBS, of Fleming County, will address the Farmer's Alliance of this County at the Court House on Saturday. Farmers are especially invited to hear him.

JUDGE H. H. GRIMES, of Garrard County died last Monday. He was a prominent candidate for Governor at the time J. Proctor Knott was nominated.

THE Cincinnati Enquirer interview of 24 delegates to the Republican National Legislative Committee recently held in Washington, Harrison, Blaine, Reed, Allison, Sherman, Hanna, Foraker, Morton, and of Ex Senator Sherman.

HON. S. S. HILLS, of Lewis County, was elected Department Commander of the G. A. R. at Louisville last week. Mr Hills is a good man and his unanimous election is a high compliment worthily bestowed.

THE Chinese government has notified our government that it cannot undertake to protect Chinese subjects from the country. Mr Blair informed the H. of Chinese by his speeches in the Senate.

THE Boston News says that as the Nicholas County delegates to the Louisville Convention are fully instructed, they will have to treat themselves while at Louisville for this year instead of being treated to cigars as one can scrape them of selling now.

THE young Emperor of Germany is charged with the ambition to win a great name as a soldier, and is suspected that he needs a war to give him a chance. He can doubtless be accommodated, and if he has the pluck he will get a good licking.

H. A. M. Henderson, some a Baptist in the Confederate Army, afterwards a Minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church, later Superintendent of Public Instruction in Kentucky, later a minister to the Northern Methodist church, has recently accepted the Republican League in Cincinnati. Wonder why?

HON E. KERMIN closed his canvass of Nicholas last Monday, and is leaving his interests in the hands of his friends here, he seems to give him their support and certainly Mr. Kermin is fifteen years a citizen of this county the author for his support. Mr. Kermin is a Democrat and a gentleman he can be relied upon to use people for his vote under no circumstances, shows him in the good opinion of the people.

Commencement.

THE Middleburg Echo says that Hon A. P. James, the delegate from Nicholas County to the Louisville Convention, states that he was present at the Convention for the adoption of the new Constitution. The Echo adds that the people of that county have not yet read the amendments, and it is difficult to tell how they will vote.

THE Harlan County Republican says that the Democrats of that county have put their party delegates to the Republican State Convention into arrest. The Democratic County Republican have just taken the same right of voting from Democrats in this region in a general free for all. Harlan county has nominated for State Senator Stewart for re election, and Lee Wright Mayor of Harlan, and Mr. Kelley's opponent in Mr. Cool Hudson, of Republicanism.

IN our column today will be found the notice of a meeting of the Board of the office of clerk of the Nicholas Circuit Court. Mr. Bowles is one of our best citizens, an active and energetic young man, a Democrat and a worthy of any place the party might be able to give him. As the field is likely to be fully occupied by a short list of candidates, we suggest that all take pleasure in casting their votes at least in their first stage before the people, and hope to see Mr. Bowles at the head, and gentlemanly treatment.

"Magnetism" is the quest name of the greatest headache remedy made. Reed & Little have it for sale. Regular size, 50c and $1.

A CARD.

To the Democracy of the Parish Democratic District.

For several months I have been importuned by my friends in Nicholas and Bourbon and Harrison counties, to allow my name as a candidate for State Senator from the District composed of these counties. I have kept the matter from the knowledge of my candidacy, I thought it best to wait and see how the matter would be received in the premises. This I have done, and I find that in every county throughout the three counties there is a feeling of the most cordial approbation of my candidacy. In obedience to this general sentiment, and in deference to the wishes of my friends, I announce myself formally candidate for the office of Senator, and submit my claims to the Democracy of the District.

Kindly, I will say that I have always endeavored to be consistently Democratic in principle and have labored to see that the Democracy of this district has been of the strictest party order. I refer to the fact that I voted the Democratic ticket in 1860 and 1861 and according to the Democratic rule when Democrats were crossed over the pole. At every election I have never spoke to render harmony in the party. I have never bolted a Democratic nominee, I have always supported the Democratic party in every contest, and I believe I have never failed to vote the Democratic party.

As to my private and official life both are before the people. I recognize that I have done all I could for the Democratic party.

Fellow Democrats, I have made no pledges to any man, I have made no promises to make other than that, if I represent the District in the Senate, I will be the people whose interests I represent, as I have done heretofore.

I will appreciate most thankfully for any support accorded me, and will endeavor to show my appreciation by my primary office.

F. KERMIN.

TEN "Ins and About Kentucky" near the Louisville Convention. The Courier is sending on the Kentucky farmers this year with a vengeance. Farmers that ought to drive straw to the manure pile are buying it at $10 a ton to keep from starving to death. Tobacco has gone to something immense. The Courier prophesies that it will go from 10 to 15 cents. Tobacco was quite a good crop in Nicholas and a fine tobacco region. Cattle are away up too for prices and hogs are higher than usual, though not much so much as the tobacco crop. Cattle are fine, hogs are fine. And it is said that there will be more hogs than ever before in Nicholas as we have the spring. It is estimated that there were at least 60,000 hogs killed in Nicholas last year, and the raising counties the farmers are jubilant over the prospect of a good price for their pork. Nicholas is the best hog raising county in the state, and we believe we will thirty days. A good crop year is worth a dozen quack prophesies, and we are hoping for a good condition of John Prosperity.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

The Republicans of Nicholas County are requested to meet in the Court House at Nicholasville on Monday, May 11th, 1891, (Court day) at 2 p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Louisville Convention, May 20th. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

CHAS. N. C. Dep. Ex Com.

RAGS & DUDS, for disguises, disorder and dirty people, Reed & Little have a supply for the purpose of making a tramp terrible. I bought a fifty cent supply of handsome Paris Rouge and applied it to my limbs, which have been bare since the Kentucky Derby, and I succeeded in scaring all the tramps I met for Paris Bill I was unable to get a single dime. Reed & Little have a few remedies for sale, such as Dr. Bull's H. Fort, Hollywood Kennon, Mr. A. Mr. Mrs. Mrs. Mrs