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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce HON. W. M. BENNETT, of Harrison county, a candidate for Senator in the Thirty-first District, composed of Harrison, Nicholas and Bracken, Subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce E. KEN-DALL, of Nicholas county, a candidate for Representative in the district composed of the counties of Nicholas and Bracken, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary election 6th. inst.

We are authorized to announce HOMER E. WHEELER, of Bracken, as a candidate for Representative from the counties of Nicholas and Bracken, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CITY SUPERINTENDENT.

We are authorized to announce JAMES R. MURPHY, as a candidate for reelection to the office of City Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce BARNEY R. ROBBELL, as a candidate for City Superintendent, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

DR. J. D. CRAIG has pulled to the pressure of friends and is announced as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from Christian and Hopkins counties.

From central reading of Kentucky newspapers and from what either is saying, it appears that the Democracy will ally safe to pick the political prophet that Senator William Lindsay will be nominated next winter, practically without opposition.

THE Elizabethtown NEWS says: "Public sentiment in Lincoln county is to be as strong for Judge Lindsay's return to the United States Senate from all the Legislative and Senatorial magistrates there have been elected to declare themselves for his re-election or to be left in the cross."

FAYETTE COUNTY politics has cooled off, and Col. John O. Hodges is the choice for State Senator and Hon. Wm. Bryan Bennett, Hon. Hart Gibson and Lee Ellis, Democratic candidates for the next General Assembly. Hon. T. Dawson, editor of the PRESS was nominated for Mayor, J. J. Jouett for Recorder, S. G. Sharp for Collector, R. B. Wilson, for Treasurer. The fight was a hot one from start to finish.

In Sunday's MERCURY will be found the announcement of Hon. E. Kendall as a candidate for Representative from the counties of Nicholas and Robertson. MR. KENDALL is just closing a term as Senator from this district, and both friends can congratulate themselves on his course in the Senate and Assembly. He was one of the most constant in attendance upon the duties of his position and on the right side. He was popular with his fellow members, who regard him as one to always count on and trust. He makes this race in response to the urgent request of a number of friends.

THE majority in favor of the Wilson-Repeal Bill in the National House of Representatives is variously reported by most sanguine friends. Conservative estimates had placed the figure at 40, but the vote was, your 230, nays 116, the overwhelming majority of the following given for repeal and sound money. The vote on the Democratic resolution providing for free coinage of a ratio of 16 to 1 was: Yeas 85, nays 220. Of the Democratic unchecked drifting Liberal Alliance and Silver delegation the majority by the smallest majority, 77.

IN another column of this issue will be found the announcement of Hon. E. Kendall, as a candidate for Representative of this district composed of Nicholas and Robertson counties. Although for his home county he has been the friends for some time, he did not consent to become a candidate until last week. We feel that it is useless for us to say but much for MR. KENDALL'S qualifications for the place, as he is well known to the people who have represented these two counties in the Senate and Assembly for the past four years. MR. KENDALL'S course in the Senate announces himself subject to the action of his party. He is one of the best statesmen of his county, and has made for himself a host of Hall of Fame friends who need not be ashamed, and we feel that if he will call for it he will call for a friendly good record.—[St. Matthews NEWS.

MRS. Cleveland Would Not Resign Her Position.

During the last hours which intervened between President Cleveland and two terms of office, his wife acted as his secretary. It was the unanimous opinion that the duties were too onerous for her to undertake with her social, social and domestic, that engaged her. But it was a pleasure to her to obtain for him a trustworthy person to do certain necessary writing. The letter of appeal was speedily followed by another, in which Mrs. Cleveland said he had accustomed his wife with the ways of the White House, and "I would rather, far rather, be the first lady in the land than to be the wife of any one else in private life. I tell her even now that no one shall assist me but herself. Will you please tell her that she is that Mrs. Cleveland refuses to resign."

A FRIEND of Governor Brown says of us a few days since, "Why don't you let up on Governor Brown, he is no longer in the Senatorial race, and you have no reason to attack him." Our reply papers pleading justice. To be sure Governor Brown is truly out of the Senatorial race, but he is not out of politics. We doubt very much if Governor Brown has enough friends in Kentucky to make a Legislature, but is, if it required one man from each county and Senatorial district. Of course, we do not doubt but that 120 men might be found for him in some one county—where he is not known. Having helped us in the "campaign of education," we propose to let his excuse float somewhere down the stream of time into the gulf of forgetfulness.

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Hon. E. Kenton.

[From Mt. Olivet Tribune Democrat.]

The announcement of Hon. E. Kenton as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from the counties of Nicholas and Robertson, appears in this issue of the Tribune Democrat. Were Mr. Kenton not well known to this legislative district, there might be some reason for us to reiterate in detail the events of his successful and useful career, the beginning of which, antedating the memory of the present generation of voters in both counties. Mr. Kenton, as a citizen, is above reproach, and should be inspiration and encouragement to every young man in the county. Starting in life with nothing, he has, by industry, economy and shrewd business tact, amassed a fortune and he has never lost an opportunity to assist his more needy friends. As Sheriff, he was faithful and efficient. Elected as Representative in 1885, he served out an honorable term. His friends from that district and endorsed him by sending him back to the Senate for a four years' term, which he has just completed. The Democratic Committee of Nicholas county, in calling for Mr. Kenton declared a return from public life and quietly look after his many interests at home, and in response to calls and solicitations, public and private, he has consented to run. He will be satisfied, and is now in the race. In all the years of his public life, Ed Kenton has dealt honorably, openly and fairly with his whole constituency; so much for his record. Should he again take a seat in the Legislature, he will continue to exercise that same diligence and interest in the caring for the people whose he would represent.

To Each County Democracy.

The Democracy of Bath County now have an opportunity to show a spirit of unity, patriotism and zeal for party success, such as never returned Hessing the Democratic party. For the first time since Bowen County has been formed she is entitled to present the Democratic candidate for the Legislature, and Bath County Democrats owe it to their party to send a man to see that he is elected. Mr. J. T. Tippett, the candidate, is a person himself by his works to be an honest Democrat, and those who know him best have endorsed him in the most expressive manner.

We have no desire to undertake to dictate to Democratic voters, but have the honor and duty of looking after the interests of the party in this Senatorial District, we hope no apology is needed for our calling upon our Bath County friends to do their full duty.

Mr. J. J. Powell, the candidate for State Senator is a Bath County man, and we have come to be a worthy Senator, and he must be elected. The old district has been represented in the Senate by a Republican for two terms, and this would not be permitted again. Let Hessing and Tippett, and the part will have been accomplished.

Not The Time.

[Owensboro Inquirer.]

In the Inquirer remarked some time ago, every day silver sentiment changes the sentiment of the nation, and the latest evidence of Lindsay's movement will not be J. Y. Brown's defeat for the Democratic nomination for Governor next year. He will be invincible in the election of Governor, as United States Senator next winter has proven a most effective one. Interest in every way to spread disinterested made, or assumed, together with the opposition that knows view of other candidates throughout the Republican party, and that they will stand in confidence.

Is there anything stronger than the Democratic party