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NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, BENJAMIN HARRISON, of Indiana. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, LEVI P. MORTON, of New York.

To understand the disgusting and trifling disposition of Mr. Cleveland to keep himself before the country as a reformer in vetoing small measures, we have but to examine the small bore vetoes one by one as they are laid before congress.

SOME over wrought enthusiast who monopolized a large part of the Journal's local page last evening and who signs himself a star of the smallest magnitude, to an article still less discernible in argument, like the average free trader, starts at a point as far distant from this continent as geography and history will permit.

HOW THEY DO IT IN NEW YORK. BREWSTER'S, N. Y., Aug. 17.—A large and enthusiastic republican mass meeting was held here tonight. A. J. Miller, district attorney, presided, and introduced Congressman W. E. Mason, of Chicago, who had the close attention of the audience for an hour.

sugar raised in the south shall be protected, I will see how it seems to vote for a republican.

A. H. Porter, a civil engineer, said: "I voted for Cleveland, but will vote against him this time." Wm. H. Wright, a jeweller, of Ostego, said: "That speech convinces me that I ought not to vote again for Cleveland.

FOR THE CROWN OF THE DEMOCRATIC HAT.

While the party of retrograde ideas is bellowing about the workman and the "robber tax," they are careful not to mention the way the labor interests of the country was treated by the dark lantern committee in framing the solid south Mills bill.

MUSIC FOR THE CAMPAIGN. We have just received from the publishers, S. Brainard's Sons, 145 Wabash Ave., Chicago, a copy of the "True Blue Republican" Campaign Song Book, containing sixteen pieces of music, arranged for male quartette, with words and music complete.

HEAVEN AND EARTH. There are no shadows where there is no sun; There is no beauty where there is no shade; And all things in two lines of glory run.

AWAY FROM MY LOVED HILLS. Away from my loved hills, away from all That is most dear to my unhappy soul, I go in sadness, nor can I control My anxious thoughts, nor check the tears that fall.

AN EXPLANATION. What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown.

OUR MERCHANT MARINE. We earnestly recommend that prompt action be taken in congress in the enactment of such legislation as will secure the rebirth and restoration of our American merchant marine, and we protest against the passage by congress of a free ship bill as calculated to drive our labor by lessening the wages of those engaged in preparing materials as well as those directly employed in the shipyard.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The republicans of the United States, assembled by their delegates in national convention, pause on the threshold of their proceedings to honor the memory of their illustrious and immortal champion of liberty and the rights of the people, Abraham Lincoln, and to cover also the memory of his noble and brave successor, Andrew Johnson.

WE AFFIRM our unwavering devotion to the national constitution and to the indivisible union of states to the autonomy reserved to the states under the constitution, to the sound rights and liberties of citizens in all states and territories in the union and especially to the supreme and sovereign right of every citizen, native or foreign born, white or black, to cast one free ballot in the public elections and to have that ballot duly counted.

WE DENOUNCE the Mills' bill as destructive to general business, labor, and the farming interests of the country, and as a violation of the consistent and patriotic action of the republican representatives in congress in opposing its passage.

WE AFFIRM our opposition to all combinations of capital organized in trusts or otherwise to control the production and distribution of goods and services, and we recommend to congress and the state legislatures in their respective jurisdictions such legislation as will prevent the execution of all schemes to oppress the people by undue charges on their supplies or by unjust rates for the transportation of their products to market.

WE AFFIRM our approval of legislation by congress to prevent alike unjust, undue and unfair discrimination between states.

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The shipping interests of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific states as well as for the payment of the maturing public debt. This policy will give employment to our labor, activity to our various industries, increased security to our country, promote trade, open up new markets for our products and cheapen the cost of transportation.

FOREIGN RELATIONS. The conduct of foreign affairs by the present administration has been distinguished by inefficiency and cowardice. Having withdrawn from the senate all pending treaties effected by republican administrations for the removal of foreign burdens and restrictions upon our commerce and for its extension into a better market, we have neither affected nor proposed any others in their stead.

FISHERIES QUESTION. We arrange the present democratic administration for its unparliamentary treatment of the fisheries question, and its pusillanimous surrender of all privileges to which our fishery vessels are entitled in Canadian ports under the treaty of 1818, the reciprocal maritime legislation of 1890 and comity of nations, which Canadian fishing vessels receive in the ports of the United States.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM. The men who abandoned the republican party in 1884 and continue to adhere to the democratic party have only the name of honesty of honest government, but of sound finance, of freedom and purity of the ballot, but especially have deserted the cause of reform in the civil service.

A Careful Financier. "I say, Fred, lend me a dollar, will you?" "A dollar bill is produced. The borrower looks at it a moment thoughtfully, and then exclaims: "By the way, Fred, I just remembered that there are counterfeit one dollar bills in circulation. To prevent mistakes, suppose you take this back and lend me a two instead."

Feline Sagacity. "Bridget, has Johnnie come home from school yet?" "Yes, sorr." "Have you seen him?" "No, sorr." "Then how do you know he's home?" "Cause the cat's hidin' under the stove, sorr."—Time.

Diamond Measure. "How do you suppose Mr. Poorcase manages to get diamonds for his wife?" asked a lady of her husband. "Oh, buys them by the quartz, I presume."—Detroit Free Press.

Of Greater Value. Chicago Citizen (to lawyer)—Why do you charge me \$300 for a divorce, Mr. Blank? It only cost me \$5 to get married. Lawyer—Why do you pay \$200 for a diamond and \$5 for a Rhine stone?—New York Sun.

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