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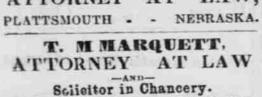
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THE PENDLETON ESCORT. The latest Bulletin on Uniform and oth er Constitutional Measures - Astound-Holders.'

From the Cincinnati Commercial, June 14. There is daily drumming in Democratic quarters for recruits for the Pendleton escort, and frequent and exhaustive deliberations and discussions, and

in New York. For several weeks protracted consultations have been had with tailors, drapers, upholsters, man-

tua-makers, milliners and sermstresses, to settle the overpowering question of a proper uniform. It has at last been determined, if we are not misinformed, that motley shall be the only wear-

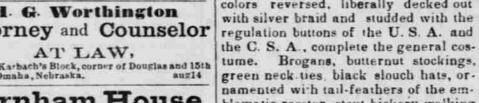
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tume. Brogans, butternut stockings, green neck ties, black slouch hats, ornamented with tail-feathers of the emblematic rooster, stout hickory walking sticks with the bark on, oil-cloth carpet bags, and a boiled rag for change, are This costume was not adopted without severe dissensions and internal broils, there being as much diversity of sentiment about it as there will be

in the convention about the platform. At first sight it may appear a trifle in

GEN. GRANT AND THE OLD SOLDIER. DISFRANCHISED WHITES.

During the year 1865, an old soldiers named Lemuel Owens, was dising Wall street and the" Bloated Bond- charged from the Arsenal in this city. owing to some very abrupt reply he had given to a self appointed committee

who were sounding him upon his politics. As Owens had served twenty six years in the regular army, and had wound up his term of service of the Peninsula, under McClellan, he would sessions lasting deep into the night, to allow no man to question his right to determine what the escort is to do here vote and boasted, too, that he has servand what is to be done when it arrives ed in the Fourth infantry, under Grant

a lieutenant. He told the committee he would go and see Gen Grant himself about the matter. They jokingly replied, "De so, old fellow, he'll make it all right." General Grant was temporarially living on Twentieth and Fourlh streets, pantaloons, one leg of Confederate in this city and the veteran trudged up gray and the other of Federal blue, with with his story to the General's house. an Enquirer greenback conspicuously He stepped up, rang the bell, and went pasted upon that portion of the garinto the entry hall When the servant appeared, and saw an old, sunburned, centre of gravity in the human animal. poorly dre-sed man, he very promptly Short jackets of the same material, the asked, "What do you wantf" colors reversed, liberally decked out "I want to see Gen. Grant," was the with silver braid and studded with the calm reply.

"The General's engaged and cannot the C. S. A., complete the general cosbe seen. Have you got a card?" Just at this moment a little girls appeared, and old Owens said to her, "Sis, run up stairs and tell your papa an old Fourth infantry man wants to see him.'

A message soon came down for the old soldier to come in, when he was ushered into the presence of Gen. Grant. He shook him by the hand, and said, "General den't you know me?" The Gen. replied that he had seen so many people of late that it was hard for him to remember them all. congruous in its composition, but a mo- Owens told him he had served under ment's reflection will convince any one him, and that had been discharged of its appropriateness, as the highest from his work, and that he had lost his result of the application to the art of eldest son from disease in the war, tailoring of the great conservative and his family had nothing to depend

principle of compromise. We cannot upon but his labor. Grant patiently

WILL NOT SATISFY. The Petersburg Index has recently The Copperhead press have for promulgated its ultimatum, by a flammonths represented that immense num-

bers of white men were disfranchised ing announcement of what "will not satin the South, some of them asserting isfy" rebels in the pending Presidenthat in several States a majority of that tial election. Here is the way it lays class were denied the right of voting. the lash upon the backs of its submis-According to figures recently sent to sive Northern associates: It will not satisfy Democracy to se-Congress by Gen. Grant, we are told

that in Virginia the whole number of cure control of the government merely whites registered is 120,111, and the to leniently execute unconstitutional whole number who failed to register. Radical measures. judging from the tax list and other data, It will not satisfy Democracy to come

is 17,343, making the total white male into posession of, and perpetuate a when the renowned chieftain was but population of voting age 136,454.— Union pinned together by radical bay-a lieutenant. Union pinned together by radical bay-It will not satisfy democracy to ad-

ty the number disfranchised, but it must fall considerably short of the minister Radical theories, to put a new number failing to register. Yet assum | Sinbad upon the Southern neck, and to ing that every man registered who win the privilege of experiencing all could do so under the laws, less than the consequences of a host of uncorrecttwelve per cent are disfranchised. If ed Radical mistakes.

only seventy five per cent of those who It will not satisfy Democracy to indid not register are disfranchised, or herit negro suffrage from the dead 12, 258, then less than nine per cent Radicals and to control a black man's of the whole are disfranchised This vote in that hall in which Douglas de is probably very near the exact figure. clared this was a white man's govern-In North Carolina the number of whites ernment, formed by white men, for of voting age is about 126,200, of white men and their children forever. It will not satisfy Democracy to hold little more than nine per cent. In South the offices of the country while the Carolina the figures are : Whole num | South writhes under the heel of a deber of whites, 67,876; disfranchised, posed tyrant, and is ruled by a radical 8,244 or a little more than fourteen enthroned negro olligarchy per cent. Georgia : Whole number No! No! No! A thousand times No! of whites, 114,833 ; disfranchised 10, We will gain peace by reaction, which 000, or a little more than nine per cent. shall remove the leprosy from the af-The reports from the other rebel States flicted South. We must undo all that do not show the number disfranchised has been wrongly done. We must go

gether probable that the proportion dis- law, of love, of peace and of rermafranchised in the other States is not nence, with the great Charter for its

As strength or availability is the only Henry Clay Dean, the famous Copper- whose officers have reported to him. test or evidence of fitness which the head orator of Iowa, was in the city that the escort will ultimately appear picking up his pen, wrote a few lines Democrats require, we would suggest yesterday, with his big augerheaded in this costume, as the party is now not to the effect that Owens should have Dr. Winship of Massachusetts, and walking stick. This stick was a hick-Mike McCoole of Missouri as a strong ory sapling, around which a vine had ticket. And as a candidate's politics twined itself like a serpent, giving it ing his former field of labor, armed is a matter of perfect indifference, pro- the shape of an auger-the proper emwith the formidable order. and when vided he can "beat Grant," we are not blem of a bore. During Mr. Dean's he presented it with the signature of sure but Zack. Chandler and Jim Ash- visit to the east, the stick further develthe Commander in Chief attached, it ley would make a good run. With a oped its nature by presenting a brazen determination to "go the whole hog" view of uniting intemperance and tem serpent standing on the head of the perance men, Dick Yates and Sam cane, coiled like a cork screw, with modern phases, by voting to endore the as entitled, thenceforth to a respectful Cary would be a strong combination, flaming eyes, open mouth, and protrud- Visible Admixture act, which has been so would Andrew Johnson and John B ing tongue. The snake is of solia declared unconstitutional by the Su-Gough. Henry Ward Beecher and copper, and is the best representation preme Court. Brigham Young would not be a bad of a copperhead we have ever seen, ticket, and we submit, finally, for con- except Dean himself. The rod of Aaron sideration, a combination ticket upon devoured the other serpents, but the which men and women of all parties stick of the great Iowan vomits forth a might unite-a ticket composed of such Copperhead of genuine metal.-...Mo. names as Wendell Phillips and Brick Democrat 16th. President Johnson says that he does not heed the taunts and jeers cast on sey, or R. P. L. Baber and Anna Dickhis calling as a tailor and asserts as a reason that "that occupation never dis-Four years ago, after Geo. B. graced a man who did not disgrace his McClellan had been nominated as the craft." If this assertion means any-Democratic candidate for President thing, it means that if a man disgraces against Abraham Lincoln, the De- his craft, his occupation (or profession mocracy were exultant, defiant and ap or trade) disgraces him. The senparently united, and more than one tence is far more ambiguous than any Republican allowed himself to de- other one by the same high authority. spond. General McClellan had "Treason must be made odious and advantages that can enure to no rebel- traitors must be punished and impov Democrat in the present campaign. erished." In the case of Andrew He had a party in the army, and in- Johnson, the tailor has disgraced his they will smite, slay, and spare not." herited all the old tricks of the party craft; though it never disgraced him; leaders who had selected him. Be- his treason has been made odious, and the Democrat had better hunt his hole. sides, Abroham Lincoln had many the traitor ought to be punished and strong adversaries in the Republican impoverished. ranks. But when the final conflict came the people settled the question by a majority which, overwhelming as it the Albany Argus says that the Ohio was, will be exceeded by that thrown friends of Mr Pendleton will assent for Grant and Colfax in Novemt er. the New York Convention, and that if A Democratic paper says: "The Dethey fail, under the operation of the mocracy are laboring and will continue | rule, to nominate their candidate, they to labor, to make the people thorough will use their power under the rule to ly acquainted with both the principles and policy of its party." We think the Chase. people understand both the principles and the policy of the Democratic party. There is a great dearth of principles will read, with distended eyes, upon of life, yet we awl waste more time in it, and its policy is to rule or ruin; Francisco-including Peter Donahue, acted as officers of the Grant and Coland the people thoroughly understand Don't mistake arroganse for wisdom: the fact that its rule is ruin to free in fax ratification meeting in that city. A hundred guns were fired at Shasta, in live upon the coupons of the Govern menny people hev thought tha wus stitutions and to the national honor and honor of the nomination of Grant and credit. Colfax. Andrew Johnson predicts that uni versal suffrage will create an exterminating war of races. Well, in Oc tober, 1865, he predicted that "the negro will vote with his late master, stepped out of a third story window, immediately came west. whom he does not hate, rather than falling to the pavement. His injury is with the non-slaveholding white, whom supposed to be fatal. he does hate." A very pretty antithesis ,but as unsound as Andrew Johnson himself. The experience under the Sandusky Register says that the woods in the town of Patch Grove, Grant Co., reconstruction laws falsifies it in every on the island are alive with locusts that Wis., on Monday night last. A girl particular and shows that he is no are still coming up through the ground by the name of Kate Jordan living in more to be trusted in the role of pro- in great numbers. They seem quite that town, had been affianced to a harmless, however. phet than in the role of President Gen. McClellan, it is announced on the strength of a private letter, will re with over 50 men, started from Salt the alliance, On Monday night Kidd in a nut shell the animus of the oppo- the same time that a mud turtle could turn from Europe in August, and will Lake City, May 30, to commence work invited Miss Jordan to take a ride with not be a candidate for President this on the Union Pacific Rail Road, under him in a buggy. She consented. time. He prefers Gen. Hancock, but President Young's contract. Several hundred tons of iron for the will support the nominee of Tammany Real Estate Agents, THE BEST OF GOODS, hurt himself when he captured Lee! mountains, is transported daily over the stump for the Tammany ticket, but denies the statement which is going in some bushes a short distance from the Central Rail Road of New Jersey we think that must be an error. He the rounds of the newspapers, that town, horribly mangled and her throat

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sea birds are said to drink from the clouds.

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New York is flooded with bogus five cent nickel coin.

Nine hundred and ninety-eight persons are going through bankruptey in Massachusetts.

Each of the three States, Pennsylrania, New York and Alabama, has the same area, 46,000 square miles.

There is a woman Chelsea, Mass. who has twelve children, all living and married, except the youngest, who is twenty-six years of age.

Beauregard is breakfasted by the New York Democracy at Delmonico's, while Grant is denounced and ridiculed by their organs.

The St. Louis Democral says that 'Brick" Pomeroy's recent speech in that city made Grant 200 votes, and wants "Brick" to come again.

The Mayor of Titusville, Penn, fined a party five dollars the other day for indulging in a free fight, and then lent him the money to pay the fine with.

The steamer Daniel Drew recently ran from Yonkers to New York, a distance of fourteen and a half miles, in thirty four minutes and forty-five seconds, the fastest time on record.

Cincinnati is the abode of a boy of eight who is now in jail on two charges -of grand petit larceny. He was alare disfranchised, and nearly all were when the Constitution was disregarded, ready under bonds on another charge registered and have voted. It is alto. and begin anew to build up a Union of of having committed the former crime.

> The Montgomery Mail advises its associates to cease assailing Gen.Grant, lest this may injure the Democracy of the North. The Lynchburg Republican says the same thing.

The Secretary of the Michigan Republican State Central Committee reports thirty three Grant and Colfax A WONDERFUL WALKING STICK .- clubs already formed in that State,

whom 11 6% are disfranchised, or a

We are told that in Florida but few back to the very day and moment greater than in the four States above corner stone.

named. The average in those States | If such be not the purpose, avowed is but a trifle over ten per cent. That and resolute, with which Democracy is one in ten of the white men of the shall enter the fields it ought to and Southern States are disfranchised on will be beaten, and we shall have account of their participation in rebel. neither reaction nor peace. lion. - Tribune.

affirm with satisfactory positiveness listened to the old soldier's story, and, of one mind on any subject for more work as long as he wanted it. than forty-eight hours, and this incerti-The old man was not long in reach-

cort. The uniform in which a public appearance will be made cannot, therefore, be absolutely determined more than two days in advance of the time created much surprise, and the veteran the escort takes the train for New soldier was graciously acknowledged

consideration.

the imagination to conceive. It is un derstood that Mr. Pendleton contem-

Can Chase or any other Man Divide the Colored Vote. Mr. Harris, the elequent North Carolina Negro orator, said on this of the result of the great Democratic point in his Faneuil Hall speech:

"Now we are told that if the Democratic party nominate certain candidates Pomeroy, Ben. Wade and Vinnie Ream, there is tear among some that they the poet Longfellow and John Morriswill divide the colored vote. Now, my friends, let me assure you, in the inson .- Ohio State Journal. name of 71,000 colored voters in North Carolina, and I think I can also assure you in the name of 700,006 loyal black voters in the South no candidate that the Domocrats might reach down and bring up [laughter]; no candidate that the democrats might reach up and ing of an escort without something to drag down; no man who breathes the be escorted to speculate on the subject free atmosphere of heaven who would accept the nomination at the hands of the Democratic party, no such man ate a tremendous sensation in the great could obtain the support of the black people of the South. [Loud applause.] As I have said before, on another oc casion, if the Democratic party were to nominate an angel we would not vote chivalric joust and tournaments, it is not for him, in that the very fact of his acimprobable that they will excite as cepting a nomination from the Demogreat an uproar as did the escaped an- cratic party would be evidence of his imals from Barnum's Museum, when being a fallen angel. [Laughter.] that structure was in flames. The And, in my humble opinion, he would have falien very low when he shall and Broad street who live by specula- first rest upon a Copperhead platform, ting in the bonds and other securities [Renewed laughter.]

## Josh Billings-isms,

It strains a man's philosophee the Pendleton and greenbacks. As rank wust kind tew laff when he gits beat. Awl ov us komplain ov the shortness the surplus of each pantaloon, the fate than we use.

ment bonds, and demand interest and wise when the wus onla windy.

The principal difference between a admonition to the Belmonts, the Woods, necessary and a luxury is the price. Whenever the soul is in grief it is taking root, and when it is in smiles it mit to Pendleton and the redemption of is taking wing.

'Give the devil his due," but careful there ain't much due him. After a man has rode fast onst he

never wants to go slow again. It won't do tu stir up a man when he is thinking enny more than it will

he is nominated. If he wants South- a pan of milk when the kream is rising. It is easy enuff to raise the devil but he's a hard crop to reap.

We ar told that a contented men iz A Trenton paper, reporting the following conversation on the street, gives happy, and we might have been told at sition to Grant: Republican-Do you fly if it had wings.

lican-Why? Democrat-Because he Central Pacific Rail Road east of the Hall. One account says he will take

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The Columbus Journal says several of the Ohio delegates to the Democrat-

ic National Convention, notwithstanding their instructions for Pendleton, are working openly for Chase.

The Democrats of Columbus, Ohio at their recent convention, evinced their in support of the Domoerney in its more

A lady asked a minister if she might pay attention to dress and fashion without being proud.

"Madam," replied the minister, whenever you see the tail of a fox out of a hole you may be sure the fox is there also."

An old lady once said that her idea of a great man was, "a man who was keerful of his clothes, and didn't drink speerits; kin read the Bible without spelling the words, and kin eat a cold dinner on wash-day to save the women folks the trouble of cooking."

The La Crosse Democrat is of the opinion that the Republicans will be beaten in the coming Presidential election because "the people are preparing for a great devil hunt about that time When this hunt comes on the editor of

At a party the other evening while a lady was playing the piano with a The Washington correspondent of peculiar touch, a gentleman remarked: "I'd give the world for her fingers." He was greatly taken back by her to the passage of the two-thirds rule in prompt reply, that he could have the whole hand for much less than that. But then its leap year, you know.

A person, late on Saturday afternoon, hailed an Englishmen as he was veto the nomination of Chief-Justice skillfully essaying the wily fisherman's art, for trout, with, "Halloa, there! got

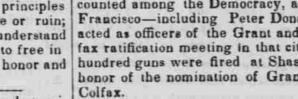
anything?" "Got anything! of course A number of gentlemen formerly not. I only came here last Wednescounted among the Democracy, at San day!" was the reply as the patient angler once more cast his patent fly.

Among the most industrious, thrifty and desirable European immigrants coming to this country are the Swedes. They make excellent citizens. Seventeen thousand of them have made ar-A man by the name of Brume, rose rangements to immigrate to America from his sleep in Dubuque one night this year. Seven hundred of the numlast week and while in the same state ber arrived at New York, last week,

A private letter to the Janesville (Wis.) Gazette states that a fiendish The Put in Bay correspondent of the and revolting murder was committed young man named William Kidd. An

exposition of Kidd's bad character in-Bishop John Sharp, the Mormon. duced her to cast him off and refuse They left together and nothing was heard from either until the next day.

The Chicago Journal authoritively when the body of Miss Ross was found



Lands bought, managed and sold. Valuable Tim her Land for sale. Taxes paid for Non-residents Cellections promptly attended to. march 25 1362. Oct. 30, 47. CAGE & DAVES. We return thanks for the liberal patronage we have received, and hope to merk its continuance. Ninty three inches of snow fell in to New York, whence it is shipped to takes the back track when he takes any Schuyler Colfax is going to marry one cut from ear to ear. Kidd has not yet thing.

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