

POLITICAL.
Judge Jere Black of Pennsylvania, credited with being the father of the Chase Presidential movement.

Hon. Thomas A. Hamilton, of Shelby, is proposed as the next Republican candidate for Governor of Tennessee.

The Ohio Statesman (Democrat) says: "Chief Justice Chase's terms won't suit. We can do better."

Henry A. Wise and Montgomery Blair are not satisfied with any of the candidates yet named for the presidency of the Democracy.

Gen. Joseph A. Cooper, who was some time since announced as a candidate for Congressman at large from Tennessee, has formerly withdrawn from the contest.

The Newark Courier thinks that ex-Congressman Nehemiah Perry is sure to get the Democratic nomination for Governor of New Jersey.

A rumor going the rounds states that Vallandigham will soon start a daily newspaper in Cincinnati, as the exponent of pure Democratic sentiment as he understands it. It is to be called the Herold.

A Washington correspondent writes that Miss Dr. Mary Walker has been visiting certain high functionaries there, and adds that "she is very severe on Gen. Grant, and intends to take the stump against him, together with other representative woman on account of Grant's hostility to female suffrage while he endorses negro suffrage." It is heart rendering to hear news of this kind.

The Philadelphia Morning Post says: Mr. Doolittle said, at a Democratic meeting in Trenton the other day, that the jaw of the negro was different from his own, and on that notorious basis, a profound argument that colored men should not vote. Some people however, think that the distinguished Senator has too much jaw, and a very peculiar jaw, being able to talk on both sides of his mouth."

Fulton county papers state that Col. Amos C. Babcock declines the Republican nomination for Congress in the Ninth Illinois District. Col. Babcock assigns his reason to be that, as Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, he thinks the two positions incompatible with each other, at least so far as the most efficient discharge of the duties of both would be concerned.

Hon. Addison Oliver, who has been nominated by the Republicans for Judge of the First Circuit of the Fourth Judicial District of Iowa, was a prominent Senator in the last Legislature, and also in that of 1895. He was one of the delegates from Iowa to the Baltimore Convention of 1864. He is a prominent lawyer of Western Iowa, and a genuine Radical.

The La Crosse Democrat says the "Chase movement is the most infamous thing that has occurred in political history, and should be trodden under the nailed heels of the grand army of Democracy, as a viper whose life needs to be crushed out in an instant, and though there perish with it men hitherto the highest, most cherished and trusted in the Democratic party. Such treason is past forgiveness, and deserves only instant political death."

The Newark (N. J.) Journal says: "The great demand of the times is for a success recognizing the principles of constitutional liberty, and if Chief Justice Chase is regarded by the Democratic National Convention as the man under whom revolutionary Radicalism can best overturn, it will be their duty to put him in nomination, and that of the people who love their country to ratify the choice of their convention."

Gov. Brownlow of Tennessee, in his newspaper, the Knoxville Whig, expresses the following opinion: "Of the States now in the Union, we concede Kentucky and Maryland as certainly against Grant—Oregon and Connecticut we set down as doubtful. All the other States we claim for Grant, no matter who may be nominated at the New York gathering of old Democratic prostitutes, Whig renegades and defeated rebels. Of the Southern States that may be admitted to vote, we claim one half for Grant, certain, and consequently we claim the triumphant election of the Republican ticket."

The New York News (Ben Wood's paper) thus rejoices over the failure of the Chase movement: "Had the execution of the maneuver been delayed some five or six weeks later it might have been successful; but unfortunately for the Democratic party and for the country, it was attempted too soon. The people have had time to consider the matter, and they are settling down to the conviction that he is the most available candidate who is most thoroughly in accord with the Democratic party; who most perfectly represents its instincts and opinions: And who is consequently the most popular in the party itself. The field of selection has thus been narrowed down to Mr. Pendleton, Judge Field of California, Gov. Seymour, and Hendricks, one of whom will probably be the nominee."

The celebrated long-winded horse Gen. John Stewart performed the greatest ten miles time that has ever been done. He trotted 10 miles in 28 minutes 2 1/2 seconds in the Riverside Park, his best previous time 28 minutes 8 1/2 seconds.

An exchange says if the Democracy desires a candidate that will run well, let them put any one of the thousand of draft sneaks who put for the Canada border when the first call was made for volunteers. They can't be beat for speed and bottom.

Two boys in Atchison, a few days ago, got inside of a baker's bread box—such as is used in distributing bread, cakes, etc., about the city, and was accidentally or otherwise shut up in it, the lid being fastened with a catch which they could not force. The Free Press says they remained in the box several hours, and were nearly suffocated before released.

The discovery of a pocket book left in a bank upon a desk provided for the use of depositors, does not entitle the finder to a reward offered by the owner. At last the Supreme Court of Massachusetts so decided, holding that the person that picked up an article where the owner becomes voluntarily placed it, neither becomes the finder, nor acquires any special property in it by taking it into his possession.

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