

LAFAYETTE COURIER.

CLIPPINGS.

As twice eleven is twenty-two, how can twice ten be twenty too?

Time is short, and if your cross be heavy remember that you have not for to carry it.

A New York establishment advertises "Perfumed milk baths for the complexion."

The nervous editor, whenever he gets excited, goes into the composing-room—and becomes "composed."

A poor family in Green Bay had to mortgage their six dogs last week to get a barrel of flour. Too bad.

The great difference between Byron and Burns in early youth was that the one was a Harrow boy and the other a plowboy.

Waynesborough, Pa., boasts of a haunted distillery, which is just the place where one would naturally look for spirits.

A malicious person says that cotton sheets and newspaper sheets are alike in the respect that a great many people lie in them.

A dog with two tails was seen in Germantown the other day. One belonged to an ox, and was carried in the mouth of the canine.

A Sioux city hotel has a black and tan dog that killed a thousand rats in a month. This is a good puff for the dog, but hard on the hotel.

An exchange says: "Keep an eye out for the early resumption of payment." Both of our eyes are already out looking for it, and so are our elbows.

The foreigners have caught the infection, and the very peaks of the Alps are being daubed with the mammoth lettered advertisements of Parisian shopkeepers.

One can judge something of the patience of Hoosiers from the statement of an Indiana paper that twenty men handled over thirty-five cords of wood to get at a rabbit.

A San Franciscoan being annoyed by a mud-puddle in the street, reported that he had lost a \$20 piece therein, whereupon the pool was speedily emptied by eager seekers after the money.

Some one has been looking over the records of the Legislature of West Virginia and finds that at its last session it passed a law "to prevent the owners of hogs from running at large."

An editor, who speaks with the air of a man who has discovered a new fact by experience, says that the new way to prevent bleeding at the nose is to keep your nose out of other people's business.

A German enthusiast, while Carlyle's "Frederick the Great" was issuing from the press, bought a horse in London and embarked in the heroic enterprise of rendering it into German. He perished.

A schoolmaster asked one of his boys, on a sharp, wintry morning, what was Latin for cold. The boy hesitated a little. "What?" said the teacher, cannot you tell? "Yes, yes," replied the boy; "I have it at my finger ends."

"Why do you use paint?" asked a violinist of his daughter. "For the same reason that you use rosin, papa." "How is that?" "Why, to help me to draw my beau."

An Easton, Pa., editor growls because the water company of that place "give with every gallon of green water from a half dozen to a dozen fish." He wants a dozen fresh oysters with that quantity of water. Some persons can never get enough for their money.

Said Lord John Russell to Hume, at a social dinner, "What do you consider the object of legislation?" "The greatest good to the greatest number." "What do you consider the greatest number?" continued his lordship. "Number one, my lord," was the commoner's prompt reply.

A sailor dropped out of the rigging of a ship of war, some fifteen or twenty feet, and fell plump on the head of the first lieutenant. "Wretch!" said the officer, after he had gathered himself up. "Where the deuce did you come from?" "An', sure I came from the North of Ireland, yer honor."

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: Your Committee on Resolutions beg leave to submit the following Platform and Principles:

1. We declare our unflinching devotion to the Constitution of the United States and to the Union of the States thereby established, and we affirm that the people of the several States have the sole and exclusive right of governing themselves as free, sovereign and independent States, subject only to the limitation of the Constitution, and that all powers not therein expressly granted to the National Government are reserved to the States respectively, and we deny the right of the Federal Government, through the treaty power, to permanently domiciliate Mongolians within any State without the consent of the Legislature thereof.

2. We affirm that the greatest danger with which we are now threatened, is the corruption and extravagance which exists in high official places, and we do declare as the cardinal principle of our future action, that retrenchment, economy and reform are imperatively demanded in all the governments of the people, Federal as well as State and Municipal, and we here proclaim ourselves the uncompromising foes of the salaried grab law ring politicians and land monopolists, whoever they may be and where ever they may be found, whether they are in or out of office, and we appeal to honest men everywhere, without regard to party affiliations, to join us in branding as they deserve these corrupt leeches on the body politic and assist us to purge official stations of their unwholesome and baneful presence.

3. The present Federal Administration, by its utter inability to comprehend the dignity or responsibilities of the duties with which it is charged, by its devotion to personal and partisan interests, by its weak and inconsistent management of the National finances, by its unwarrantable interference with the local self-government of the people—by its support of the corrupt governments which has imposed its power upon several States of the Union, by its complicity with corrupt practices and scandals in various quarters, and by its appointment of notorious and incompetent men to high official positions, has incurred the just and self-condemnation of the American people.

4. That the persistent interference by Federal officials in local elections, and the use of large sums of money to defeat the voice of the people through the ballot-box, deserves and receives our severest condemnation.

5. That corporations are the creations of law, their franchises and privileges are granted to subserve the public interests, and when these are used, not to subserve the object of their creation, but for purposes of oppression and extortion, we declare it to be the right and duty of the Legislature to control such corporations.

6. That we favor speedily return to specie payments, just and equal taxation for the support of Federal and State governments, and that we are opposed to all discrimination in the assessments of Federal revenue for the purposes of protection.

7. That the free navigation and improvement of the Columbia River, the construction of a breakwater at Port Orford, the improvement of the Coquille and Willamette rivers, and the construction of the Portland Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad, are improvements demanded by the commercial interests of this State, and that the Federal Government ought by all proper means to assist these measures; that we are in favor of the bill now before Congress, generally known as the Portland Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad bill, and we also favor the early completion of the Oregon and California Railroad to the southern boundary of the State.

8. That we disapprove all measures in the interests of capitalists and monopolies against labor, believing that distinctions, if made, should be in favor of the laboring class who constitute the mass of our citizens, the producers of the wealth and prosperity of our country. We therefore approve of the declared principles, and sympathize with the avowed object of the Patrons of Husbandry, and with those of all other orders having for their object retrenchment and reform in public affairs, and the social advancement of the people; that we are opposed to a monopoly in the publication and sale of books used in the common schools of this State, and we are in favor of amending the existing laws in relation to such, so as to take away from the publishers of the Pacific Coast series of readers and spellers the special privileges in relation thereto which they now enjoy.

9. That the act relating to the fees of sheriffs and clerks ought to be so amended either by making such offices salaried, or by reducing the fees now attached to the same, as shall make the compensation received by such officers a fair remuneration and nothing more for the services required of them. That the Constitution be so amended that all printing for the State after the expiration of the term of the State Printer in office when such amendment is passed, shall be provided by letting the same to the lowest responsible bidder.

10. That the only legitimate object of government is the protection of its citizens in their lives, liberty and property, and the pursuit of happiness; that to accomplish this end direct means only should be resorted to; that the good resulting from a departure from this rule is temporary, the evil lasting. We are, therefore, opposed to the State engaging in the purchase, leasing or speculation in property of any kind, except only such as is necessary for conducting the ordinary functions of the Government.

11. That we favor the immediate construction of a good and serviceable wagon road along the south bank of the Columbia river from the mouth of Sandy river to the Dalles.

12. That the compensation of all officers should be only such as will be a just remuneration for their services.

13. That we are in favor of Congressional aid for the construction of the Portland Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad, and for continuing the Oregon Central Railroad from St. Joseph to Junction City.

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