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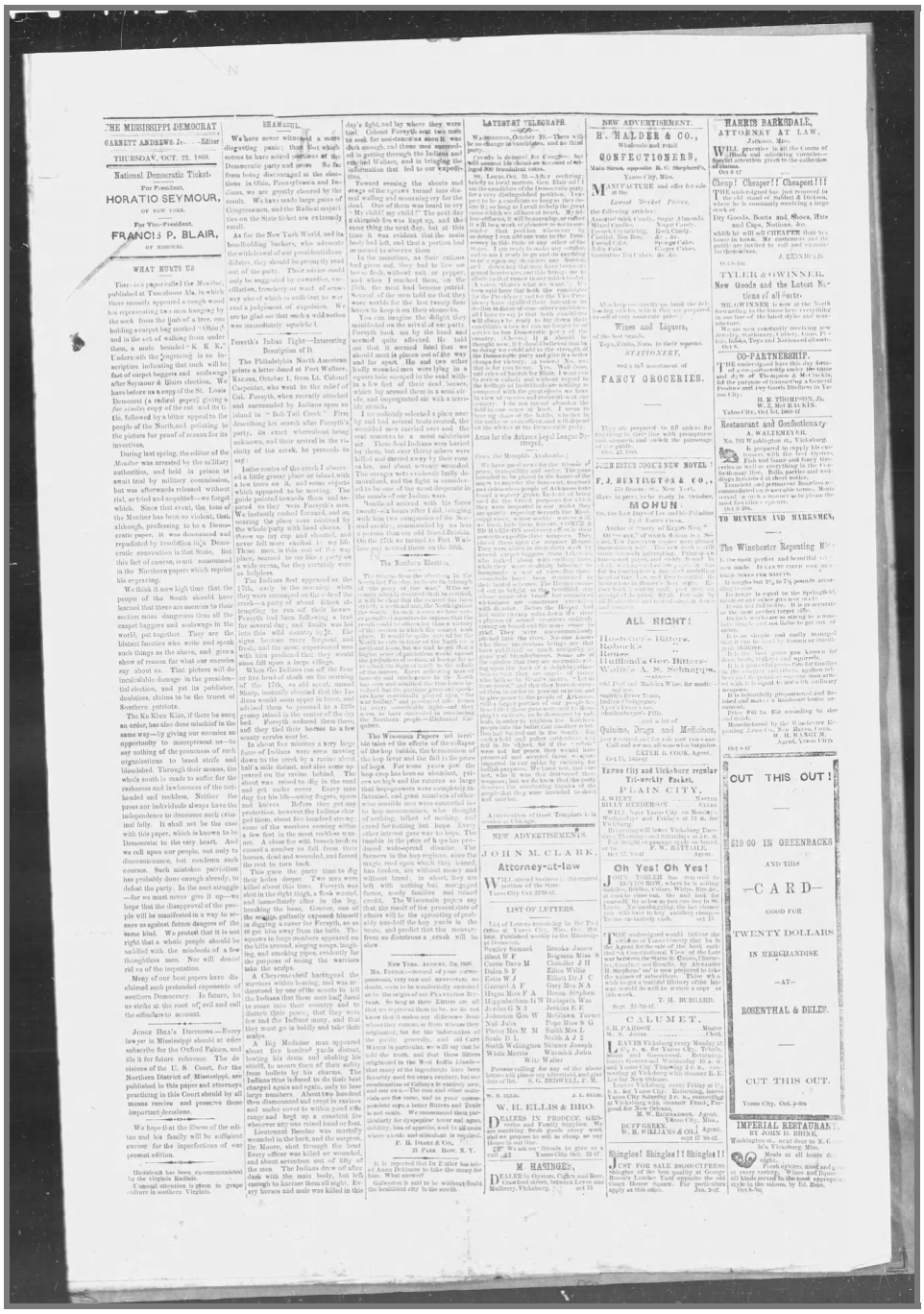

THE MISSISSIPPI DEMOCRAT
GARNETT ANDREWS Jr. — Editor
THURSDAY, OCT. 22, 1868.

National Democratic Ticket.
For President,
HORATIO SEYMOUR,
OF NEW YORK.
For Vice-President,
FRANCIS P. BLAIR,
OF MISSOURI.

WHAT HURTS US

There is a paper called the *Monitor*, published at Tuscaloosa Ala, in which there recently appeared a rough wood cut representing two men hanging by the neck from the limb of a tree, one holding a carpet bag marked «Ohio» and in the act of walking from under them, a mule, bridled «K. K. K.» Underneath the engraving is an inscription indicating that such will be fate of carpet baggers and scalawags after Seymour & Blair are elected. We have before us a copy of the St. Louis Democrat (a radical paper) giving a *fac simile* copy of the cut and its title, followed by a bitter appeal to the people of the Northand pointing to the picture for proof of reason for its invertives.

During last spring, the editor of the *Monitor* was arrested by the military authorities, and held in prison to await trial by military commission, but was afterwards released without trial, or trial and acquitted—we forget which. Since that event, the tone of the Monitor has been so violent, that, although, professing to be a Democratic paper, it was denounced and repudiated by resolution in a Democratic convention in that State, but this fact of course, is not announced in the Northern papers which reprint his engravings.

We think it now high time that the people of the South should have learned that there are enemies to their section more dangerous than all the carpet baggers and scalawags in the world, put together. They are the blatant fanatics who write and speak such things as the above, and give a show of reason for what our enemies say about us. That picture will do incalculable damage in the presidential election, and yet its publisher, doubtless, claims to be the truest of Southern patriots.

The Ku Klux Klan, if there be such an order, has also done mischief in the same way—by giving our enemies an opportunity to misrepresent us—to say nothing of the pronceses of such organizations to breed strife and bloodshed. Through their means, the whole south is made to suffer for the rashness and lawlessness of the hotheaded and reckless. Neither the press nor individuals always have the independence to denounce such crimes fully. It shall not be the case with this paper, which is known to be Democratic to the very heart. And we call upon our people, not only to discountenance, but condemn such courses. Such mistaken patriotism has probably done enough already, to defeat the party. In the next struggle—for we must never give it up—we hope that the disapproval of the people will be manifested in a way to secure us against future dangers of the same kind. We count that it is not right that a whole people should be saddled with the misdeeds of a few thoughtless men. Nor will desire rid us of the imputation.

Many of our best papers have disclaimed such pretended exponents of southern Democracy. In future, let us strike at the root of, evil and call the offenders to account.

JUDGE HILL'S DECISION.—Every lawyer in Mississippi should at once subscribe for the Oxford Falcon, and file it for future reference. The decisions of the U. S. Court, for the Northern District of Mississippi, are published in this paper and attorneys practicing in this Court should by all means receive and preserve them as important decisions.

We hope that the illness of the editor and his family will be sufficient excuse for the imperfections of our present edition.

Hesitation has been ex-communicated by the virginia faculties.

Unusual attention is given to grape culture in southern Virginia.

BRAMBUL.

We have never witnessed a more disgusting panic; than that which seems to have seized portions of the Democratic party and press. So far from being discouraged at the elections in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Indiana, we are greatly cheered by the result. We have made large gains of Congressmen, and the Radical majorities on the State ticket are extremely small.

As for the New York World, and its bosthubling backers, who advocate the withdrawal of our presidential candidates, they should be promptly read out of the party. Their advice could only be suggested by cowardice, vacillation, treachery or want of sense—any one of which is sufficient to warrant a judgement of expulsion. We are to glad on that score a wild notion was immediately squelched.

Forsyth's Jullien Fight—Interesting Description of It.

The Philadelphia North American prints a letter dated at Fort Wallace, Kansas, October 1, from Lt. Colonel Carpenter, who went to the relief of Col. Forsyth, when recently attacked and surrounded by Indians upon an island in "Bob Tail Creek" First describing his search after Forsyth's party, its exact whereabout being unknown, and their arrival in the vicinity of the creek, he proceeds to say:

Inthe centre of the creek I observed a little grassy place or island, only a few trees on it, and some objects which appeared to be moving. The guide pointed towards them and assured us they were Forsyth's men. We hastantly rushed forward, and on nearing the place were received by the whole party with loud cheers. I threw up my cap and shouted, and never felt more excited in my life. There men, in this out of the way place, supposed to be like a party on a wide ocean, for they certainly were as helpless.

The Indians first appeared on the 17th, early in the morning, when they were encamped on the head of the creek—a party of about fifteen attempting to run off their horses. Forsyth had been following a trail for several day; and finally was but into their village.

The signs became more frequent and fresh, and the most experienced men with him predicted that they would soon fall upon a large village.

When the Indians ran off the four or five head of stock on the morning of the 17th, no old scout, named Sharp, instantly shouted that Indians would soon appear in force, and advised them to proceed to a little grassy island in the centre of the dry bed. Forsyth ordered them there, and they fled their horses to a few scanty scrubs near by.

In about five minutes a very large force of Indians were seen moving down to the creek by a ravine about half a mile distant, and also some appeared on the ravine behind. The shout was raised to dig in the sand and get under cover. Every man dug for his life—using fingers, eyes and knives. Before they got any protection, however the Indians charged them, about five hundred strong; some of the warriors coming within a few feet in the most reckless manner. A close fire with breech loaders caused a number to fall from their horses, dead and wounded, and forced the rest to turn back.

This gave the party time to dig their holes deeper. Two men were killed about this time. Forsyth was shot in the right thigh, a flesh wound, and immediately after in the leg, breaking the bone. Grover, one of the scouts, gallantly exposed himself in digging a cover for Forsyth, so as to get him away from the battle. The squaws in large numbers appeared on the hills around, singing songs, laughing, and smoking pipes, evidently for the purpose of aiding the warriors take the scalps.

A Cheyennesheef harbigned the warriors within hearing, and was understood by one of the scouts to tell the Indians that three men had fared to come into their country and to disturb their peace; that they were for and the Indians' army, and that they must go in boldly and take their scalps.

A Big Medicine man appeared about two hundred yards distant, beating his drum and shaking his shield, to encourage their safety from bullets by his charms. The Indians then refused to do their best charged again and again, only to lose large numbers. About two hundred then dismounted and crept in ravines and under cover to within good rifle range and kept up a constant fire wherever any one raised head or foot.

Lieutenant Beecher was mortally wounded in the back, and the surgeon, Dr. Moore, shot through the head. Every officer was killed or wounded, and about seventeen out of fifty of the men. The Indians drew off after dark with the main body, but left enough to harrass them all night. Every horses and mule was killed in this day's fight, and lay where they were tied. Colonel Forsyth sent two men to seek for assistance as soon it was dark enough, and these men succeeded in getting through the Indians and reached Wallace, and in bringing the information that led to our expedition.

Toward evening the shouts and songs of the squaws turned into dismal wailing and mourning cry for the dead. One of them was heard to cry "My child! my child!" The next day a skirmish fire was kept up, and the cause thing the next day, but at this time it was evident that the main body had left, and that a portion had re-mained to wiverve them.

In the meantime, as their rations had given out, they had to live on horse flesh, without salt or pepper, and when I reached them, on the 25th, the meat had become putrid. Several of the men told me that they were nearly for the last twenty four hours to keep it on their stomachs.

You can imagine the delight they manifested on the arrival of our party. Forsyth took me by the hand and seemed quite affected. He told me that it seemed fated that we should meet in places out of the way and for sport. He and two other badly wounded men were lying in a square hole scooped in the sand within a few feet of their dead horses, which lay around them in a semi circle, and impregnated air with a terrible stench.

I immediately selected a place near by and had several boats erected, the wounded men carried over and the party in a most salubrious air. Three dead Indians were buried by them, but over thirty others were killed and carried away by their comrades, and about seventy wounded. The savages were evidently badly demoralized, and the fight is considered to be one of the most desperate in the annals of our Indian wars.

Sandusky arrived with his force twenty-six hours after I did, bringing with him two companions of the Seventh cavalry, commanded by no less a person than our old friend Bruning. On the 27th we turned to Fort Wallace and arrived there on the 29th.

The Northern Election.

The returns from the election in Ohio and in Pennsylvania are coming in of the party of the war." If the returns already received shall be verified it will be clear that the contest has been a fair one, and that we have lost the battle. In such a case we have never for a moment supposed that the result could be otherwise than a victory of the section in which the contest took place. It would be quite out of the question for the North to vote in favor of the North on a question which has been and that the higher sense of patriotism would spread from the North to the South, and that we should be defeated simply by the action of the masses. Every reflecting man of intelligence in the North has his own and admitted the true issue involved but the partisan press and speakers have systematically played upon the passions and prejudices of the people in every conceivable form—and they have succeeded in arraying the North against the Southern people—Richmond Enquirer.

The Wisconsin Papers tell terrible tales of the effects of the collapse of the hop bubble, the termination of the hop fever and the fall in the price of hops. For some years past the hop crop has been so abundant, prices are high and the returns so large that hop-growers were completely infatuated, and great numbers of others who sensible men were converted into hop-mountaineers, who thought of nothing, talked of nothing, and cared for nothing but hops. Every other interest gave way to hops. The tumble in the price of hops has produced widespread disaster. The farmers in the hop regions, since the single seed upon which they leaned, has broken, are without money and without bread, in short, they are left with nothing but mortgaged farms, newly families and ruined credit. The Wisconsin papers say that the result of the present state of affairs will be the uprooting of probably two-half the hop yards in the State, and great numbers of others from no disastrous a crash will be slow.

NEW YORK, AUGUST, 7th, 1868.

MR. EDITOR:—Several of your correspondents, very able and resourceful, no doubt, seem to be analytically attached as to the origin of our PLANTATION BITTERS. So long as these LITTLE ones all that we experience them to be, we do not know that it makes any difference from whom they come, or from whence they originated; but for the information of the public generally, and all those WHOM in particular, we will say that he told the truth, and that these BITTERS originated in the WEST INDIA Islands—that many of the ingredients have been discovered by recent explorers, but our resuscitation of Calisaya is entirely new, and our own—The sun and other materials are the same, and in your correspondent says, a better BITTERS and Tonic is not made. We recommend them particularly for dyspeptics' fever and ague, debility, loss of appetite, and in all cases where a mild and stimulant is required.

P. H. DRAKE & CO.,
D. PARK HOW, N. Y.

It is reported that by Butler has seized Anna Dickinson to take the stump for him. What answer?

Galveston is said to be without fruits the healthiest city in the south.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, October 21.—There will be no change in candidates, and no third party.

Cavada is delayed for Congress, but will connect his claims on account of illegal 300 fraudulent votes.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

H. HALDER & CO.,
Wholesale and retail
CONFECTIONERS,
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MANUFACTURE and offer for sale at the
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the following articles:
Assorted Stick Candy, Sugar Almonds,
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All keep on constantly on hand the following articles which they are prepared to sell at very low figures:

Wines and Liquors,
of the best brands.
Teas, Fruits, Nuts, in their seasons.
STATIONERY,
and a full assortment of
FANCY GROCERIES.

They are prepared to fill orders for anything they may want with promptness and punctuality and solicit the patronage of the public.
Oct. 22, 1868.

JOHN ESTEN COOKE'S NEW NOVEL
F. J. HESTINGTON & CO.,
13 Bond St., New York.
Have in press, to be ready in October,
MOHUN,
Or, the Last Days of Lee and his Paladins
By J. Esten Cooke,
Author of "Henry of Navarre," &c.
Of the work, of which Mohun is a Sequel, there were over eighty thousand copies sold. The new work is still more highly interesting. Printed on fine toned paper, and widely bound in cloth, with portrait of Lee, and fine steel plate illustration of Hunter's last scene. Price, in cloth, $2.00. Sent by mail, post free, on receipt of price. Agents wanted for all localities, and liberal discount to them.
Oct 15, 1868.

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Hostetter's Bitters.
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Old Port and Madeira Wine, for medicinal use.
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Indian Vegetable.
Kyle's Fever Cure.
Chamberlayne's Pills.
Just a lot of
Quinine, Drugs and Medicines,
just received and for sale low for cash. Call and see us, all sizes & no surprise.
EXTER B. COOK, Agent.
Oct 15, 1868.

Yazoo City and Vicksburg regular Tri-weekly Packet,
PLAIN CITY,
J. WILEY, Master
BILLY HENDERSON, Clerk
WILL leave Yazoo City on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11 m. for Vicksburg.
Returning will leave Vicksburg Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 2 p. m. For freight or passage apply on board.
T. W. RATCLIFF & CO.,
Oct 15, 1868 Agents.

Oh Yes! Oh Yes!
JOHN TOBLER has removed to BRUIN ROW, where he is selling saddles, bridles, collars, whips, fine dress at exceedingly low and look for customers. No underpricing the fair customers will have to buy auxiliary charges—Terms cash only.
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THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Yazoo County that he is the Agent for the sale of the book entitled "A Constitutional View of the Late War between the States by Alexander H. Stephens" and is now prepared to take the names of subscribers. Those who desire such work as well as a more copy of this work.
T. H. BUBARD.
Sept. 31-'68-tf.

CALUMET,
G. R. PARKER, Master
W. S. JONES, Clerk,
LEAVES Vicksburg every Monday at 4 p. m. for Yazoo City, touching at Mayersville and Greenwood. Returning leaves Greenwood Wednesday 10 a. m. and Yazoo City Thursday 2 p. m., connecting at Vicksburg with steamer E. E. Lee for New Orleans.
Leaves Vicksburg every Friday at 6 p. m. for Yazoo City. Returning, leaves Yazoo City Saturday 2 p. m., connecting at Vicksburg with steamer Pearl, For freight or passage apply on board.
M. W. RICHARDSON, Agent.
Yazoo City, Miss.
DUFF GREEN,
W. R. WILLIAMS & CO., Agents.
sept 17 '68-tf.

Shingles! Shingles! Shingles!!
JUST FOR SALE 200,000 CYPRESS Shingles of the best quality at George Brown's Lumber Yard opposite the old Court House Square. For particulars apply at this office.
Jan. 3-tf.

HARRIS BARKSDALE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Jackson, Miss.
WILL practice in all the Courts of Hinds and adjoining counties—Special attention given to the collection of claims.
Oct 8 tf

Cheap! Cheaper!! Cheapest!!!
THE undersigned has just removed to the old stand of Sublett & Dickson, where he is constantly receiving a large stock of
Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Notions, &c.
which he will sell CHEAPER than any house in town. My customers and the public are invited to call and examine for themselves.
J. REINHARD.
Oct 8-'68

TYLER & GWINNER,
New Goods and the Latest Notions of all Sorts.
MR. GWINNER is now at the North purchasing for the house a large and full stock of the latest styles and most desirable goods.
We are now constantly receiving new Jewelry, Stationary, Cutlery, Combs, Perfumery, Hair, Fancy and Notions of all sorts.
Oct 8.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.
THE undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under the name and style of Thompson & McCracklin for the purpose of transacting a General Produce and Dry Goods Business in Yazoo City.
H. M. THOMPSON, Jr.
W. Z. MCCRACKLIN.
Yazoo City, Oct 1st, 1868-tf

Restaurant and Confectionary.
A. WALTEMYER,
No. 323 Washington st., Vicksburg
Is prepared to supply his customers with the best Oysters, Fish and Game and fancy Confectionaries as well as everything in the Groceries line. Fruits, Nuts and wines and liquors furnished at reasonable rates. Private entrance for ladies. Meals served at such a manner as to please the most fastidious customer.
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TO MINERS AND MARKSMEN,
The Winchester Repeating Rifle
is the most perfect and beautiful thing ever made. It can be fired rapid as a double barrel gun.
It weighs but 9¼ to 9¾ pounds according to size.
Its range is equal to the Springfield, while for any other gun it is unrivaled.
It is accurate as the finest rifle.
Its lock works as strong as a musket, and is not liable to get out of order.
It is so simple and easily managed that it can be used by women or juvenile children.
It is the most powerful gun known for deer, turkeys and squirrels.
It is a powerful protection for families in the country and others against robbers.
It is the cheapest gun ever advertised, and is equal to any with ordinary weapons.
It is beautifully proportioned and finished and sells at a moderate price.
From $25 to $50 according to size and finish.
Manufactured by the Winchester Repeating Arms Co., New Haven, Conn.
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