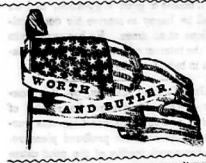


The Campaign Flag.



"The star-spangled banner—long may it wave,
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave!"

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1848.

Orders for the back numbers of the CAMPAIGN FLAG can still be supplied, by directing them to this office.

If some friend, in every precinct, would be so kind as to solicit subscriptions to this paper, he would greatly contribute towards the success of the democratic party, besides benefiting himself in getting a few copies free of charge.

We have examined the "Western School Journal," for April, published by Wm. H. Moore & Co., Cincinnati, and find it to be every way worthy of a liberal patronage and support.

Fowler's Phenological Journal for April, is upon our table, as able and interesting as any of its predecessors. We intend to bump its way into notice about as rapidly as any other magazine of the day.

Hon. F. P. Stanton, M. C., has our thanks for a fresh supply of Documents.

REVIVAL.—There has been quite a revival going on at the Baptist Church in this city, for some time past, and quite a number have been added to the congregation. We saw seven immured on Sunday last, at the upper grade, in presence of an immense concourse.

"The firm of Joseph Lake & Co., New York city, has failed. They were extensively engaged in the swindling Banks of Ohio, and these Banks will probably fail also. The Bank of Wooster, in which they were most interested, has already given up the ghost.

THE NEW MAYSVILLE AND CINCINNATI PACKET.—The new and splendid steamer, Daniel Boone, No. 2, built expressly for a Packet to ply between this city and Cincinnati, arrived at our wharf on Monday evening. She is a most magnificent vessel, with everything arranged in the very best manner, so as to contribute to the comfort and convenience of passengers. She has taken the place of the Clipper, and is under command of Capt. MOZES, with our worthy friend, Captain DONAVAN as Clerk. These gentlemen do so universally popular, that it is unnecessary for us to eulogize their characters for politeness and attention.—Their boat will "do the business," at all events, let what may come, and we wish them great prosperity in their laudable enterprise.

A LONG SWIM.—On Saturday last, we saw a horse plunging into the river at the upper landing on the Aberdeen shore, swim across and come out near the lower wharf in this city, making a distance of more than one mile, and what might call a long swim, even for a horse.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FRENCH.—Resolutions were before the United States Senate on the 30th ult., tending the congratulations of Congress to the people of France, upon the success of their recent efforts in the cause of Republican liberty. These resolutions will doubtless pass, unless the whig members discover that they can make a little capital, by voting against them.

Ratification Meetings!!
The Louisville Democrat, after announcing the name of LAZARUS W. POWELL, Esq., for Governor, holds the following language, in reference to a ratification meeting in that city:

"A democratic ratification meeting will be held on Saturday night at the courthouse. It is a democracy to be present. We believe the Central Committee have presented a first rate man as a standard bearer in the contest for Governor. Union and harmony, and we shall elect him."

"The British bark, Thalia, started from Cork, Ireland, on the 6th of November last, with 200 emigrants on board, and has not been heard from since. She has probably been lost, with all on board.

The Leicestershire State Committee have just found a man who creates the distinction of being better by Mr. Crittenden.—Egic.

You mean, friend, a man to beat Mr. Crittenden? If not, it is quite evident the whig party has found an editor "who covets the distinction" of making himself appear "very smart, before a sensible community.

Democratic Nomination by the State Central Committee at Louisville.

The Louisville Democrat, of the 6th inst., has just come to hand, containing the following correspondence, from which it will be seen that LAZARUS W. POWELL, Esq., of Henderson county, has been put in nomination for the office of Governor, by said Committee, to supply the place of the Hon. LYNN BOYD, who has declined accepting the nomination previously tendered to him. The Democrat says:

The following correspondence explains itself:
TO LAZARUS W. POWELL, Esq.:
The Democratic Convention of the 15th ult. delegated to the undersigned power to nominate candidates in place of those who should decline nominations made by the convention; and the Hon. Lynn Boyd having declined the nomination for Governor on grounds which we approve, the undersigned, in discharge of duty conferred on them, in place of you, as the democratic candidate for Governor of the State of Kentucky, do hereby nominate you, as the democratic nominee of the Democracy of the State. Very respectfully, yours, &c., JAMES O'NEILL, Chairman. Central Com. J. E. HARNEY, J. S. RONALD,

HENDERSON, April 23, 1848.
Governor: I received to day your letter of the 15th ult., and in reply to inform you that the power vested in you by the Democratic Convention, which met at Frankfort on the 15th ult., has selected me as the democratic candidate for Governor of Kentucky. I accept the nomination, and in reply to inform you in my own name, to promote the democratic cause. Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
L. W. POWELL.

TO JAMES O'NEILL, J. E. HARNEY, J. S. RONALD, Central Com.
L. W. POWELL, Esq.,
Committee.

Lazarus W. Powell, and Col. R. M. Johnson.

Since the articles in relation to the candidacy for Governor were in type, we have received the Louisville Democrat containing the nomination of LAZARUS W. POWELL, Esq., by the Central Committee; and, also, a copy of an Address to the people of Kentucky, put forth by our old friend Col. Richard M. Johnson, in which he is declared to be a candidate for the office of Governor. This places us in a dilemma extremely unpleasant, as it was altogether unexpected; and notwithstanding all which we have said about that fact, that it was a matter of course, and upon now remaining silent on this difficulty, shall be satisfactorily adjusted by the people.

Col. Johnson has always been, and is still, our first choice; for that office, as we believe he is of a great majority of the people; and our remarks, in to-day's paper, were penned with an eye single to his nomination by the Committee. Every one in this region expected such an announcement, and all are disappointed in the result.

We are disposed to abide any nomination which may be fairly made, and approved of by a majority of the party; and will never flinch from the performance of our duty, when satisfied that "the people are with us. But in this instance, we must pause and consider, until we have more light.

Put this and that together.
The two articles which follow, we clip from the same number of the Detroit Free Press, for the purpose of showing the condition in which whigery is now placed, and the views entertained by the "Faithful," as to the policy of running Clay or Taylor. Comment is unnecessary.

Taylor vs. Clay.
Two Whigs of Lexington, Ky., write as follows to the N. Y. Courier & Enquirer. The letter is copied into the National Whig:

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 15, '48.
Excuse us for this intrusion upon you—your position in regard to the Whig nomination to the Presidency has given us so much satisfaction that we venture to assure you, strangers as we are, that in our judgement it is the only course that we can see the Whig party from renewed defeat and final ruin.

We live in sight of Ashland, and yield to none in respect for its great proprietor. But he cannot be elected President. If experience can prove any thing, it seems to us that this has been demonstrated. And, now, are the Whigs ready to throw away their chance of success, merely because their impulses and feelings impel them to do so? We think not.

For our own part, and our opinion is shared by thousands in this State, we go for General Taylor as a sound Whig, an honest man, and a candidate with whom success is certain.

(Signed by two Whigs of Lexington.)
Now, hear the other! It is from a whig paper in Ohio, and as clearly shows that Taylor cannot get the vote of that State, as the first does that Clay cannot get the vote of the Union:

Taylor in Ohio.
The Meigs County Times, a whig paper of Ohio, writes in reference to the nomination of Taylor, as follows:

"We have no hesitation in saying that in no probable circumstances can Taylor receive the support of the Whigs of Ohio;

we mean, any thing like the strength of the party. There is a class of Whigs who will snare the bands of the party in vain, and at the decision of the majority of the party are so far sacrificed as to nominate Taylor. Let politicians be warned in time!"

WAS RECENTLY.—Proposals will be received by the Democratic Central Committee, Kentucky, for the situation as candidate for Governor, on the democratic ticket. No one need apply who cannot give assurances that they will not stand in the race, or be induced to abandon the track by any emergency which may occur in the public affairs of the nation.—Herald.

That's a fact, brother Chambers! "None need apply who cannot give assurances that they will not fall in the race." The Democracy support no other men. They want none of your half-souls Taylor, stock, but the man of real Simon Pure principles, who will halt at nothing short of victory; and such a candidate we will have, were we not what "alarm of emergency may occur." We will have him, even if one of those "alarming emergencies" may be the whipping of the Herald man into the Clay ranks.

The leucophaea are in trouble in relation to the said job for Governor.—Egic.
No one is half so much troubled about that matter as the coin editors. It seems to trouble them almost as much as the certainty of Mr. Clay's fourth defeat in November next. Lookoofoe troubles exist only in the brain pans of such editors as would like to appear smart, Richard, without knowing much.

How is it that the whig papers that fly Gen. Taylor's name at their mast-head, do not insert in their columns the words of the "Herald" who can support me who opposes the war." —Boston Times.
Aye, why is it and why is it, that a few months ago, these whig papers were so bent upon supporting Taylor, that they were Whig or Democrat, and are now refusing to support him, and are now refusing to support a Whig, and abide the decision of a Whig National Convention? O, hypocrisy, thou art a base deceiver!

Polk was pitted against Clay, and lost his office. Now, Powell is started, with the best of success, against Crittenden.—Egic.

Yes, Polk beat Clay better whiggery found out who he was; and, now that he is known, he would beat him still worse. That Powell will beat Crittenden, in like manner, appears quite likely, from the manner, appearing in the Herald, that the Eagle editor is already shaking in his shoes, at the thought of it.

The nomination.
The Louisville Democrat speaks in the following terms of the action of the Central Committee and the gentleman whom they have put in nomination for the office of Governor:

The Democratic Central Committee have nominated a candidate, who is, in their judgment, the best selection that could be made. It is a choice, the committee have had no motive but the best interests of the Democracy. We rejoice to see the committee in their opinion as to the best man available. But deemed most expedient, and now submit their selection to the electors.

But who is LAZARUS W. POWELL, Esq., will be the first question asked. And if we were a betting man we would venture our old hat that the editor of the Herald would have a long run.—Egic.

And "were we a betting man" we would "venture" as many coin skins as the Eagle man ever bought up, that will make him "HEAR OF LAZARUS W. POWELL, before dog days are over, to his heart's content. Our friends will remember the coin skins, at all events, in case the editor of the Eagle will take the bet.

THE PORTSMOUTH ENQUIRER.—The first number of a new Democratic paper, bearing this title, has come to hand from our neighboring city of Portsmouth, Ohio, where it is edited and published by Messrs. E. W. JOHNSON and J. M. ANSLER. We rejoice to see this, as the people of that region have long been in want of just such a paper. The Feathered Fool of the Federal sheet there, will now get his wings clipped often enough, without thrusting his broad bill into distant ponds; and in all probability, his Drake-skip will be utterly "used up" by these new editors, who are sterling fellows, and know how to use the quill.

WHAT BEAUTIES!—The editor of the Eagle, while at Cincinnati last week, was mistaken for our friend of the Herald, and announced as such; coming to the knowledge of the latter, put him in a terrible stew, and he talks pithily of the Cincinnati editor for having libelled his private life! Now, we have no wish to participate in the controversy, but we should really like to know if there is a disinterested person in christendom, who is so poor a judge of good looks as to fancy either of them beautiful! If the gentleman decides in their favor, we shall appeal to the LADIES.

ST. LOUIS MARKETS, April 7.
Sales of 1,400 lbs flour at \$4 50/6
Sales of choice white wheat at 90c.
Sales of 100 bbls mess pork at \$7 50.
Shoulders at \$1 and sides at \$14 25/30.
Sales of lard at \$20 25; market dull.

THE NOMINATION.—It is useless to deny the fact that every Democrat in this region is astonished and confounded at the course pursued by the Louisville committee, in nominating a man totally unknown to them, after, only, of receiving the nomination over, Mr. Boyd, in the State Convention. We have heard the one feeling expressed, in relation to the matter, and that is one of such deep dissatisfaction, that (although we had made up our mind to support whatever nomination might be made, and had so expressed our determination in this paper, before the result was known), we are free to admit that we have not the nerve to run counter to the wishes and the will of such an overwhelming majority.

We do not say that we shall not support the nominee, but we will say that before we can do so, with any hope of success, we must see some evidence that the great body of the party will rally under the name of the candidate.

A public meeting will, no doubt, be held in this city, at an early day, at which a large number of persons were in attendance—some on business, and others to look at the magnificent edifices. One man seemed to be highly gratified to witness the elegance and taste which have been displayed by the council, in arranging and finishing the inside of the building, and we heard no murmurs in regard to the change.

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Foreign News.
Arrival of the Washington.
New York, April 7, 11 p. m.
The steamer Washington arrived at this port to-day, having sailed on the 19th ult. Eight days later intelligence from Europe than the advices by the California.

By this arrival we have accounts of a monster mass meeting, was called on Dublin on Saturday. The English government was preparing to send troops and steamers with necessary armaments to put down all demonstrations of such a character, costing \$5,000 copies; for \$10,000 copies—always in advance.

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Important News from Algeria.
Algeria, Feb. 25, 1848.
As a part of the French Republic.
By the latest intelligence from Algiers, we are informed that on the receipt of the astounding news from Paris, there was a tremendous excitement among the military in the city and immediate neighborhood. The officers of the chasseres d'Afrique immediately, together with several other regiments, among which those of the Driviller Legere were the most prominent, declared their unanimous adherence to the existing state of things in France. The Marcellinians and the Parisians were among the great number who were in the city when the constitution of February, had an announcement from the Governor General, the Duke d'Aumale, of the news received from Paris.—There were two notices, the first of the date of a dispatch from Paris, dated on the afternoon of the 24th, informing him of the addition of the King in favor of the Count de Paris, and the Duke d'Aumale proposed as Regent, to which the

Governor General adds the following note:
"The Governor General adds nothing to this news. Nothing can change our duties, or affect our duties in France."
H. DORLEANS
Algiers, Feb. 27, 1848.

The second notes says:
"The Governor General has received from France any communication; but he is informed that the following dispatch has been addressed to all the persons of the marquis-sufficients. (Here the Governor General publishes a despatch, announcing the formation of the Provisional Government.) The Governor General can only repeat what he said yesterday. Nothing is changed in our duties towards France; the population and the army will wait with the greatest calm, for the orders of the mother country."
H. DORLEANS.
Algiers, Feb. 28, ten at night.

The allegiance of the Duc d'Aumale to the Republic, secures peace to Algeria, and removes those apprehensions of a colonial war, which the despotic policy might have produced. We observe that Prince de Joinville united with the Duc d'Aumale, in proclaiming the Republic at Algiers. The Duc d'Aumale was in the city of Algiers on the 9th of March.

The latest accounts from Vienna led the Cabinet in council. News of a general rising in Lombardy was looked for. The Emperor, Prince Metternich had not been appointed.

A New Enterprise.
Messrs. ROBINSON & JONES, of Cincinnati, have it in contemplation to commence the publication, on the 6th of May next, of a large literary newspaper, to be called "The Great West," on the plan of the largest Eastern Weeklies.—It will be published at the low price of \$2 a year, or three copies for \$5, payable in advance.

The known character of these gentlemen, for enterprise and perseverance, added to their knowledge of the wants of the western reading public, and a heavy capital expended, speaks loudly in favor of the success of this undertaking; and we look upon the permanent establishment of the paper, with a heavy list of subscribers, as one of the moral certainties of things to come.

PROSPECTUS OF THE CAMPAIGN STATESMAN.
THE CAMPAIGN STATESMAN will be issued on Saturday, the 8th of April next, weekly, until the 25th of November following, nearly eight months, for the sum of \$1, for single subscribers; for clubs costing \$5, a year; copies for \$10, fifty copies—always in advance.

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Scraps and Scales.

One of the hair-brained speakers at the Boston anti-Sabbath convention, last week, said that the man who had a present day have not love enough to do them through this wicked world, "I might" shouted Miss Abby Folson, amidst shouts of laughter.—Exchange.
No one doubts Abby's love; but her love of the ridiculous. Some whig editors are so marvellously afflicted with the same sort of love, and have enough of it "to carry them through this wicked world," and "one other of the same sort."

The late arrival from Mexico brought over forty thousand letters to New Orleans. Of these there were over three thousand for distribution, and five hundred and twenty-five for delivery at the Cincinnati office.—Cin. Chron.

About one thousand of them must have come to the Mayville office.

A man named Thomas Reynolds, committed suicide at Madison, Ia., one day last week, by blowing his brains out with a pistol. He was a man of impenetrable habit.—Egic.

If it was of impenetrable habit, it is most likely that his brains were blown out by whiskey, and that he used the pistol by way of an attempt to blow them again.

A Democratic State Convention, at Jefferson City, Mo., nominated Austin A. King, for Governor, and Thomas L. Price, for Lieutenant Governor, on the 1st of April.

Mr. De La Forest, the French Consul, for New York, has received instructions from the Provisional Government, commencing him in the post he has long and ably filled.

John Jacob Astor the millionaire of New York, died a short time since in that city. His estate is estimated at \$40,000,000, all the product of his own industry and management. He was 85 years old.

Five hundred poor people left Sligo, Ireland, per Shamrock steamer, with the intention of taking shipping for America.

The citizens of Burlington, Iowa, have subscribed \$6,000 for the extension of the magnetic telegraph to that point.

A broker in Wall street, New York, recently failed for the enormous sum of from \$100,000 to \$250,000. If Mr. Crittenden's favorite bankrupt law was still in being, the poor gentleman could very soon discharge his liabilities.

A young man shot himself in Henonpin, Ill., a few days since, because his lady-love was more partial to his brother than to himself. Such weak, silly brothers are to be pitted.

The papers abound with accounts of accidents from the explosion of steam boilers. Would it not be well to dispense with the use of such dangerous things, and engage Mr. Spencer, the great New York tumbagger, to have all boats and machinery propelled upon the principles of the steam engine.

The old house in which Louis Philippe lived, in Philadelphia, has just been torn down.

This year, the national expenditures of Great Britain are estimated at \$72,800,000.

In Boston they are taking the dangerous likenesses with the assistance of a steam engine.

A Hit.—An exchange paper says that any one who looks at Horace Greeley's boots and breeches, and his friend of a tailor.—Detroit Free Press.

James Brown, a member of the N. Y. Legislature, and one John Mason a lobby member, had a fight recently in the House. Mason was taken into custody, and a committee appointed to investigate the matter. Pretty fellows!

A New man named M. McNulty, the confidential clerk of Charles Vess & Sons, New York, stopped in the brig Ann Zouita, for Cuba, having embarked of his employers' means some \$25,000.

A number of the leading merchants of Philadelphia recently tendered to Mr. Van Buren a compliment of a public dinner. He respectfully declined it, and in his letter takes occasion to say that his public life is forever closed.

A boy was convicted of arson, at Hartford, Conn., for setting fire to a barn. When the verdict was rendered, he caught up a law book and threw it at the jurors, hitting one of them in the face. A promising youth.

One of Wm. W. WHELAN, of Wheeling, Va., killed his wife on Friday evening, by stabbing her with a knife. He was taken into custody. Jealousy was the cause of the act.

An EXHIBITION of TONY BASS—Capt. Howell, of Millington, has recently returned from Mexico, after passing unscathed through all the battles near the capital. When the democrats of Millington brought out the old cannon to welcome him, he was discovered that the whigs had taken the precaution to spike it! Little else of his character show the poisoned hatred which they feel towards the whigs. He has made the present war successful.—Ohio Pat.