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Help for Bancroft's History.

London Correspondence N. Y. Times.
Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice is brother
to the present Marquis of Lansdowne,
and the ancestor whose life he has
begun writing was that famous Lord
Shelburne, Minister to George III. of
obstinate memory, and the man who
settled the preliminaries of peace with
certain revolted colonies, the independ-
ence of which was afterward acknowl-
edged under the now rather well known
name of the United States of America.
To the family papers Lord Edmund
Fitzmaurice had access, and in the course
of his researches came upon a considerable
number of autograph letters from the
King to Lord Shelburne relating to the
war of independence and the negotia-
tions then going on. When he heard that
Mr. Bancroft was in town he called upon
him, told him of what he had discovered,
and offered to place the whole of the
manuscripts in Mr. Bancroft's hands,
to make what use of he liked. Con-
sidering that the matter in question
related to a war between England and
America; that there is some dispute
as to facts; that Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice
is an Englishman, and Mr. Bancroft an
American, each dealing with the same
topic from his own point of view, it
seems to me that the act of Lord Ed-
mund Fitzmaurice was a singularly grace-
ful and generous one. There are not
many handsomer things in literary
history. Mr. Bancroft accepted joyfully
and gratefully, the original documents
were sent him, the chief of the archives
office—I am sorry I don't know his name
and proper title—lent him two copyists,
and before Mr. Bancroft left town, he
had accurate transcripts of every-
thing of interest in the papers. They
do not contradict or modify, he says,
his previously formed views of the
character of the King or of Lord Shel-
burne, or of events, but they fill gaps
and supply material for positive state-
ments in place of former conjectures
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SATURDAY, AUG. 29, 1874.

Republican Convention 6th District.

At the request of leading Republicans in this District, as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the old 4th Congressional District, I hereby call a Republican Convention of the 6th Congressional District, to meet at San Antonio, Bexar Co., on Wednesday the 9th day of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress, or of taking such action with reference thereto as may be necessary. The basis of representation will be fixed by the Convention. All the counties in the District are requested to send as many delegates to the Convention as they deem proper.

T. C. BARDEN,
Chairman Rep. Ex. Com. old 4th District.

Call for a Mass-Meeting of Republicans.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 17, '74.
The Republicans of Bexar county are hereby requested to meet on Saturday the 5th day of September, 1874, at 8 o'clock p. m., in Karber's Garden for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Congressional convention, to be held at San Antonio on the 9th day of September, 1874, as per call of the Chairman of the 6th Congressional District.

A SIEMERING,
Chairman Rep. Ex. Com. Bexar Co.

Notice to Republicans.

BRENNHAM, TEXAS,
August 20, 1874.

Upon consultation with leading Republicans from all parts of the State, it is deemed advisable to recommend that conventions be held in each Congressional District as early as the 15th of September. Chairmen of Congressional Executive Committees are requested to issue calls at once for such conventions, to meet at some central point in each District at the time indicated, or at such other time as may be most suitable.

The conventions thus assembled may nominate candidates for Congress, or take such other action as may be deemed best for the welfare and benefit of the Republican party, at their discretion.

BOULDS BAKER,
Chairman Republican State Ex. Committee.

Fast Shame and Future Hope of Republicanism in Texas.

The course of the EXPRESS in expressing favorable sentiments toward such men as Gov. Throckmorton and Judge Hancock and others, has excited some comment. We have only to say in reply that the EXPRESS is laboring now to assist in laying that broad, liberal, comprehensive, and strong platform for the Republican party which ought to have been laid six years ago. Such a platform was not established at that time, and the result has been, that the best and strongest men of this State, who naturally belonged to the Republican party, who should have been its pillars, prophets, and heroes, have been engaged in bitter and incessant war with each other. They have thus destroyed themselves and the Republican party in the State; they have shaken the confidence of the National Republican party in us; they have made all our representatives at Washington appear in the attitude of the chiefs of warring factions of tricksters, instead of accredited leaders of the united Republican party of Texas.

The beginning of these miserable strifes began before and during the Reconstruction Constitutional Convention, headed, on one side, by Gov. A. J. Hamilton, and, on the other, by Gov. E. J. Davis. At that time, and but for these strifes, much the largest majority of the strong men of the State would have coalesced with the Republican party. Such men as A. J. Hamilton, E. M. Pease, E. J. Davis, Jas. H. Bell, John L. Haynes, Geo. W. Jones, J. W. Throckmorton, John Hancock, J. D. McAdoo, Wesley Ogden, E. Deguer — together with all the

old Union men and old Line Whigs, whether in the Confederate army or not, and all the ex-Confederate soldiers who sought the reconstruction of the State, and wished to take a truly national and patriotic position in politics,—all such men, at that time, naturally gravitated toward the Republican party.

But the strife in the Reconstruction Convention; the unnecessary and fanatically foolish race for Governor between Davis and Hamilton, with its shameful bitterness; and then the horrid strife kept up between these two factions during the whole of the Davis administration; together with the warfare between our Senators in Congress, broke down the morale of the party; drove peace-loving men from our ranks; deterred thousands of others who were ready to join us; caused many of the strongest men who naturally belonged to us to seek a more congenial position in the Democratic party; threw the administration of the affairs of the party into the hands of men who had neither the confidence of the people of Texas, nor of the Administration at Washington.

Texas, with her vast prospects and her immense possibilities, was within the control of the Republican party, and might have been secured permanently. Never was such a golden opportunity so foolishly, fatally, and criminally thrown away.

The EXPRESS will continue to labor for the establishment of the platform that ought to have been established originally. It belongs to no faction or ring, but will fight every such thing. It will labor to bring to the rightful fold the classes that have been driven away. It will labor to break the control of the close corporation of carpetbag adventurers who now fill most of the Federal offices in the State, and who make the name of Republicanism odious. It will labor to do justice to the neglected and over-ridden classes from whom alone our increased strength must come — the original Union citizens of the State, who were either in or out of the Confederate army; the Old Line Whigs of the State, most of whom were in the Confederate army; and the large and increasing German population of the State. All these classes, together with the anti-secession and reconstruction Democrats, naturally belonging to the Republican party, and will yet make it powerful, if they have the opportunity and the proper encouragement. If this can not be, all these classes will be driven from the Republican party for good. They have suffered all the odium of the strife, and have never yet been recognized. The ex-Confederate Republicans have never had any showing in the State. The time has come for a change, and it is now or never. "A word to the wise is sufficient!"

STOCK WAR!

Mason County Under Arms—A Premiered Revenge and Partial Execution.

[Correspondence Fredericksburg Sentinel] MASON, TEXAS, Aug. 18, 1874.

On the ninth of August, 1874, John Clark, Sheriff of Mason county, with a posse of 18 men, went after a set of cow hands of Al. Roberts, who had made a raid into Mason county and driven off 200 head of cattle.

Mr. Clark overtook the cow-raid, eleven men, at Castell, Llano county, they having the 200 head in possession. When Mr. Clark informed them that he had come to arrest them they showed fight, but seeing the sheriff's posse was too large for them, they gave up, and were brought back to Mason and lodged in jail.

The cattle taken in charge by a part of the posse were penned at Mr. Bower's. During the night a party of the said Roberts commenced to shoot into the pen, and stampeded the cattle, thereby, as they thought, destroying the proof their guilt.

Thursday, August 13, 1874, two of the defendants were tried upon the charge of driving out of Mason county 200 head of cattle without having them inspected. The evidence not sustaining the charges, they were discharged, and the time for trying the other nine was set for 9 o'clock Friday morning. Just as the court adjourned, there appeared a party of forty armed hands of the said Roberts from Llano and Burnet counties. John Baird, the leader, informed Wilson Hey, presiding Justice of Mason county, trying the case, that they wanted to bail out the men in jail, and if they could not bail them out they intended to take them out. Judge Hey informed them that he would fix the bail \$5000 for the nine persons, and would be at the courthouse in half an hour and

approve the bond if the sureties were worth the amount required. In the mean time Mr. Clark, the sheriff, rushed around summoning a posse, and by the time the court was opened, the sheriff had fifty well-armed men to see that the prisoners were not turned loose.

Judge Hey proceeded to examine as to the sufficiency of the bond offered, which, not appearing to his satisfaction, it was not approved, and the court adjourned until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday morning [the news having spread like fire that A. Roberts had a mob from Llano county to take prisoners out of jail] there were 100 men armed with Winchester rifles, and were ready to make it hot for the cow-raid should they attempt to do anything; but seeing that the company meant business, they mounted their horses and left, and like brave men, killed cows and shot into the schoolhouse, on their way home.

At 9 o'clock the defendants were brought into court for trial, Mr. Todd representing the State, and Mr. J. C. Mathews the defendant. Mr. Todd moved to dismiss as to three of the defendants for the purpose of making witnesses of them. The other parties announced themselves ready for the trial, and plead not guilty, and after a trial of six hours, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty of driving 100 head of cattle out of Mason county, and assessed a fine of \$25 for each head, against all of the defendants, making the sum of \$2500, whereupon Mr. Mathews moved for a new trial, which being over-ruled by the court took an appeal to the District Court. On Saturday the prisoners gave the required bond and were turned loose.

Since then J. W. Gamel and Henry W. Morris have received threatening letters from Al. Roberts, saying if he did not get even with Mason county he would not charge them anything, and he is carrying his threat into execution, as a party of 20 men are in the county driving cattle again. Major Jones, of the frontier force, (who is now on his way to Fredericksburg) with forty men and a posse of citizens of Mason county, started this morning after them.

MANY who are suffering from the effects of the warm weather and are debilitated, are advised by physicians to take moderate amounts of whisky two or three times during the day. In a little while those who adopt this advice frequently increase the number of "drinks," and in time become confirmed inebriates. A beverage which will not create thirst for intoxicating liquors, and which is intended especially for the benefit of debilitated persons, whether at home or abroad, is Dr. Sebeck's Sea Weed Tonic. Containing the juices of many medicinal herbs, this preparation does not create an appetite for the intoxicating cup. The nourishing and life-supporting properties of many valuable natural productions contained in it and well known to medical men have a most strengthening influence. A single bottle of the Tonic will demonstrate its valuable qualities. For debility arising from sickness, over exertion or from any cause whatever, a wineglassful of Sea Weed Tonic taken after meals will strengthen the stomach and create an appetite for wholesome food. To all who are about leaving their homes, we desire to say that the excellent effects of Dr. Sebeck's seasonable remedies, Sea Weed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills, are particularly evident when taken by those who are injuriously affected by a change of water and diet. No person should leave home without taking a supply of these safeguards along. For sale by all Druggists.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

I respectfully announce to the Public that I have purchased all the property heretofore belonging to MR. MAAS on the 17th of August, and have been watering the streets since that date, and therefore all collections can be made only by myself or those authorized by me.

28-8-4dw JOHN REINHOLD.

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Texas Grand Prize Concert, Postponed to October 22, 1874.

The Hon. Jas. T. D. Wilson, Mayor of Houston, and the City Council endorse the enterprise as follows:

HOUSTON, TEXAS, April 29, 1874.
We the undersigned, regard the Real Estate Distribution, which J. E. Foster proposes to make on the 2nd of October next, in this city, as calculated to promote improvements, and placing within the reach of many, who otherwise would be unable, a chance to secure a home for their families, and having from our long acquaintance with him, every confidence in his integrity, we feel justified in saying, that he will carry out his Distribution honestly and fairly, according to his advertised plan.

Signed by the Mayor, the Hon. Jas. T. D. Wilson, and City Council.

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THE FIFTH GRAND FAIR of the Agricultural, Stockraising, and Industrial Association of Western Texas is to commence on the 26th of October, and to continue for three days. Large posters have just been printed announcing the fact. The Fair is to be held on the Fair Park at the San Pedro Springs, in the suburbs of the city.

This is the most beautiful park in the State, if not in the South. It is beautifully shaded by tall and wide-spreading trees, the most noticeable of which are pecans. The clear and beautiful springs which make the stream of the San Pedro burst out in every direction, most pleasing to the eye, and affording fresh drinking water at any moment to the thirsty thousands who will attend the Fair. The stream itself, here enlarged to the dimensions of a small lake, affords delightful boating, for the amusement of ladies and children. Beautiful shade and ornamental trees charm the eye in every direction. Sufficient buildings are already on the ground for all purposes. Adjacent to the Park is a capital half-mile race track for trial of the speed of race horses or trotters. It ought to be a mile-track by all means, and we hope it soon will be.

We understand that great preparations are being made, in the city, in the country, and abroad, by those who expect to exhibit at the Fair. All those who need information should address E. Eger, Secretary, San Antonio, Texas.

We take the liberty of asking if sufficient attention and labor are being bestowed on the Fair by the proper officers to insure its success? Is enough being done in the way of advertising and correspondence? The whole programme of the Fair should at this moment be advertised in the San Antonio papers, in one or two of the leading dailies of the State, and also in one or two leading dailies in New Orleans and St. Louis. Then somebody should be constantly engaged in correspondence on the subject. This sort of work should have been going on for months past. It is only in this way that the Fair can be made successful. It is in this way that Houston has made her annual Fairs so successful.

Since the above was written, we learn that the whole programme will be out in a few days. We are glad to hear it, as we are continually asked for information which we cannot give. Now let all our merchants and business men offer special premiums in connection with their business; both for their own benefit, and that of the Fair.

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OAK ISLAND CAMP-MEETING.—The Methodist Camp-meeting at Oak Island, we are requested to state, will commence on Friday, Sept. 11, and will be continued over the following Sabbath, and also the Sabbath after. It will thus embrace the best part of two weeks.

Oak Island Church and Camp-ground are about twelve or fourteen miles South of this city, in what is called the Applewhite neighborhood. The road between the city and the camp-ground is an excellent one in good weather, and the weather is nearly always good at this season of the year. The recent rains have cooled the atmosphere, enlivened the grass, relieved the country of dust, and made the season suitable for such a camp-meeting. We shall also, probably, have another rain between now and then.

The country abounds in fat and cheap beefs and hogs, and the people in the vicinity of Oak Island inform us that they have made ample preparations for "an old-fashioned Methodist camp-meeting." It will be moonlight, and an early start will enable people from this city to reach the camp-ground by 8 o'clock service in the morning, and return after 8 o'clock service at night. It is hoped many from this city and from a distance in every direction will attend. Every arrangement will be made for the preservation of good order.

Although the citizens of the vicinity have pitched their tents on the ground, and made every arrangement necessary for the accommodation of those from a distance, yet it would be well for all who can, to prepare abundant lunches of good food, and take them along, both for their own comfort, and to help accommodate the multitudes of friends and acquaintances from a distance who may not be so well provided for. The ladies of the campers on the ground are often overwhelmed with care and labor to provide for those who might, by a little diligence, have provided for themselves.

We hear that there is a large class of country people out in this Western country who are too lazy to make the provisions we have just now spoken of, who

neither tent on the ground, nor provide themselves with the necessary food, but sit around until they are provided for by the over-worked ladies on the camp-ground. We learn that such an abuse of hospitality occurred at the late Methodist District meeting at "Newton's Chapel." People whose piety runs into laziness, and disregard of what is due to ladies, should be encouraged to mix the article a little.

An eating-house, or sort of restaurant, on the camp-ground, for the accommodation of those who prefer to be independent would be well. All food out there is very cheap. Fat beefs will be killed on the ground every day, and beef can be had at low prices.

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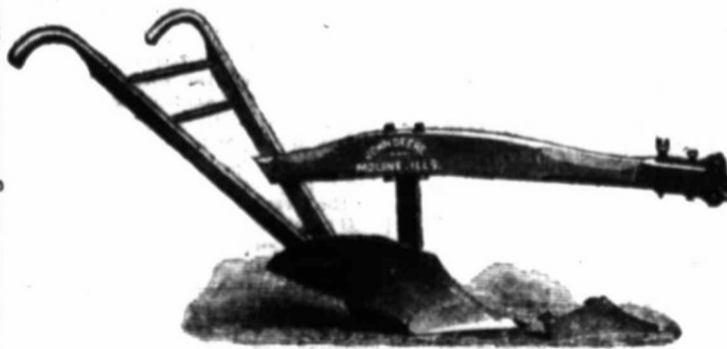
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