

**DENTON JOURNAL.**  
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**Democratic Electors.**  
ELECTORS AT LARGE.  
JAMES HODGES,  
HENRY PAGE.  
DISTRICT ELECTORS.  
W. SCOTT ROBERTS,  
JAMES G. BERRETT,  
WILLOUGHBY N. SMITH,  
I. CORHAM MOALE,  
R. C. COMBS,  
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FOR CONGRESS:  
CHARLES H. GIBSON.

**Mr. Gibson's Campaign will be a spirited one.** Never in our recollection has a nomination been received with more enthusiasm, which foretells a lively canvass and an increased majority. In Baltimore Mr. Gibson's Congressional work is generally strongly approved. The Sun says: In the first or Eastern Shore district, after a hundred and seventy-nine ballots, Mr. Gibson, the present representative, who has earned special recognition at the hands of his constituents by his faithful and active service on the river and harbor committee was chosen as the party candidate for the third time—an unusual honor, the precedent in that district for many years having been for a Representative not to be returned for more than a second term. As a member of the river and harbor committee he has rendered important service in securing appropriations for various rivers and for the harbor of Baltimore.

**The Vice-Presidency.**  
The assumption that the nomination of Ex-Senator Thurman has been dictated by the President, is simply an absurdity. He has been suggested and pressed rather by those least in sympathy with Cleveland than by the special friends of the administration, and his exceptional position in the party and before the country gives him high qualities of availability. His is the only nomination that would make Ohio a debatable State, while it would rally the Democratic Old Guard throughout the whole country.

**The threatened complication in Indiana with Governor Gray as the candidate for Vice President**—the like complications made by the opposing aims of Black and Morrison, in Illinois; the complications which must confront either Cabinet Officer Vilas, Pension Commissioner Black or Assistant Postmaster-General Stevenson, as office-holders under President Cleveland, naturally directed Democratic sentiment toward some one who towers above the storm of personal conflict and can command homage from all. That man is the veteran statesman and patriot of Ohio, whose integrity and usefulness in public life are among the most lustrous of the legacies of our modern statesmanship.—Pitts., Times.

**Blaine Declines.**  
James G. Blaine has again declined to have his name presented to the Chicago convention. In a letter to the New York Tribune published on Wednesday he says:  
"Since my return to Paris from Southern Italy, on the 5th instant, I have learned (what I did not before believe) that my name may be presented to the National Convention as a candidate for the presidential nomination of the Republican party. A single phrase of my letter of January 25 from Florence (which was decisive of everything I had the personal power to decide) has been treated by many of my most valued friends as not absolutely conclusive in ultimate and possible contingencies. On the other hand, friends equally devoted and disinterested have construed my letter (as it should be construed) to be an unconditional withholding of my name from the National Convention. They have in consequence given their support to eminent gentlemen who are candidates for the Chicago nomination, some of whom would not, I am sure, have consented to assume that position if I had desired to represent the party in the Presidential contest of 1888."

"I should now, by speech or by silence by commission or omission, permit my name in any event to come before the convention. I should incur the reproach of being unswerving with those who have always been candid with me. I speak, therefore, because I am not willing to remain in a doubtful attitude. I am not willing to be the cause of misleading a single man among the millions who have given me their suffrages and their confidence. I am not willing that even one of my faithful supporters in the past should think me me capable of paltering in a double sense with my words. Assuming that the Presidential nomination could by any possible chance be deferred to me I do not accept it without leaving on the minds of thousands of these men the impression that I had not been free from indiscretion and, therefore, I could not accept it at all. The misrepresentations of malice have no weight, but the just displeasure of friends I could not patiently endure.

**Congressmen Nominated.**  
The Democratic candidates for Congress nominated in the several districts last week were as follows: 1st District—Charles H. Gibson, of Talbot. 2nd District—Herman Stump, of Harford county. 3rd District—Harry Wells Rusk of Baltimore city. 4th District—Isidor Rayner, of Baltimore city. 5th District—Barnes Compton, of Prince George's county. 6th District—H. Kyd Douglas, of Washington county. All have served in Congress except Messrs. Stump and Douglas.

**Is Mr. Ingersoll an Atheist?**  
It has been often stated that Mr. Robert G. Ingersoll, the orator, is not so much an atheist as he is a professional atheist, and the concluding paragraph of his recent eulogy of the departed Roscoe Conkling would seem decidedly to bear out this statement. The paragraph referred to is appended:  
And as he (Mr. Conkling) lived, he died. Promptly he entered the darkness—or the dawn—that we call death. Unshrinkingly he passed beyond our horizon, beyond the twilight's purple hills, beyond the utmost reach of human harm or help—to that vast realm of silence or of joy where the innumerable dwell—and he has left with us his wealth of thought and deed—the memory of a brave, imperious, honest man, who bowed alone to death.

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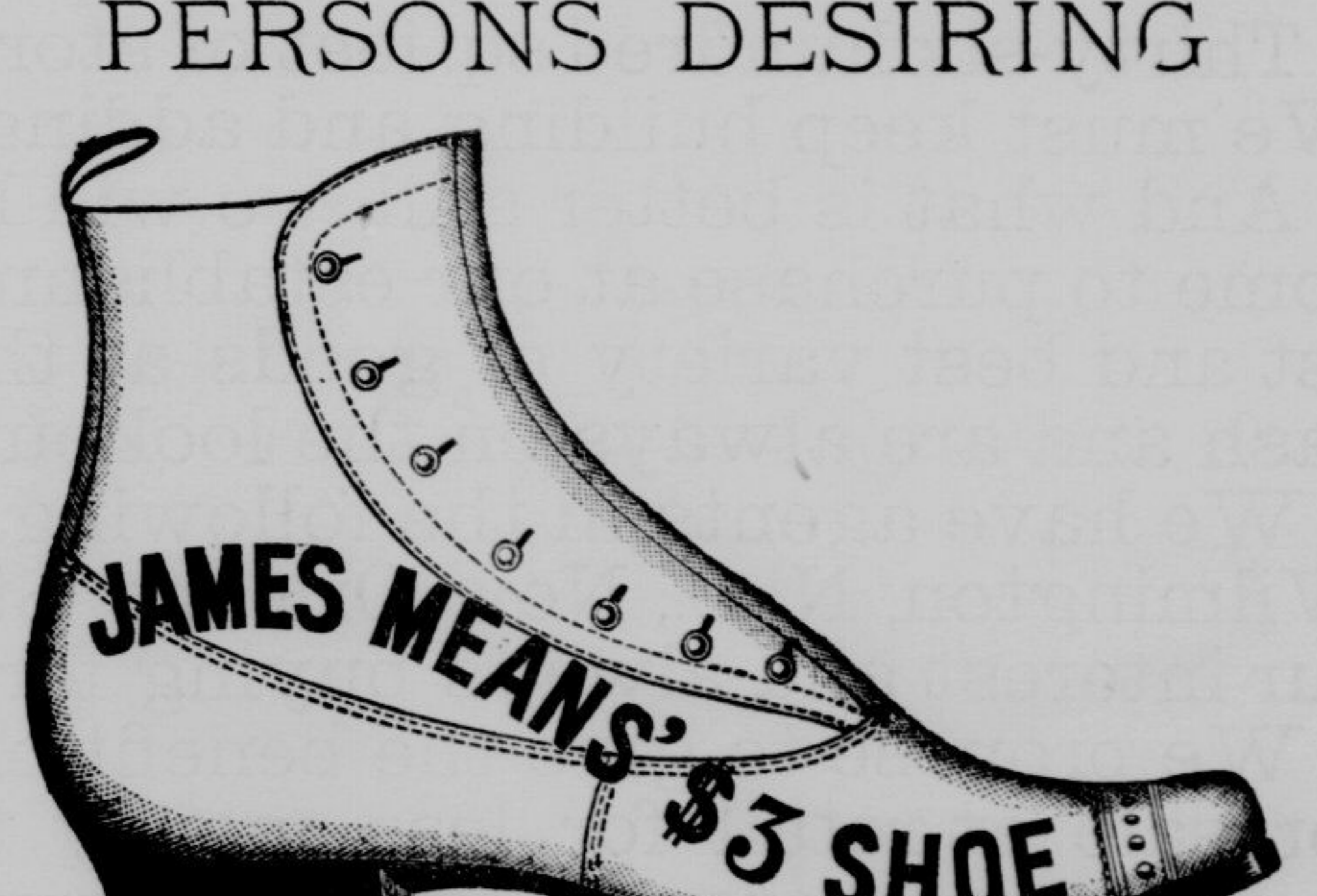
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