

70 YEARS AGO



The Ledger was carrying political announcements for S. D. Cottingham, a Republican reformer, as a candidate for treasurer of Hamilton County, "subject to the decision of the October election of 1872. During such times he will address the citizens of the county on the political issues of the day at each precinct and in as many other places as time will permit."

Also, "Please announce the name of S. C. Montgomery as a candidate for treasurer of Hamilton County, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention; also the name of H. D. Stanley, for treasurer, subject to the Republican nominating convention; and the name of J. F. Cook for Sheriff, subject to the Republican nominating convention.

The Republicans of Jackson township met at Winders' School house with F. M. Warford, chairman of the township central committee, calling it to order. J. F. Sims was called to the chair and F. M. Warford was secretary. A committee was appointed to select delegates to the different conventions, the committee being: T. B. Smith, A. P. Sanders, F. M. Warford, **Jesse Foulke** and Matthew Wright. The committee reported the delegates to the Congressional convention: E. Reeves, T. B. Smith, A. Pettijohn and H. B. Sanders; alternates: J. R. Carson, **Jesse Foulke**, A. P. Sanders and J. F. Sims. Delegates to the Judicial and representative conventions: J. Stanton, F. M. Warford, A. Pettijohn, A. Walton **Jesse Foulke**, H. B. Sanders, J. F. Sims, Michael Winders, J. R. Carson, H. W. Thomas, E. Reeves, W. Gentry, T. B. Smith, Matthew Wright, A. P. Sanders, A. S. Hetherington, H. A. Cummings and J. B. Stanton. It was decided to hold the mass convention at Cierro in August, 1872, to appoint delegates to the county convention and that township officers be nominated then.
