The Democratic Watchman.

The Irish Patriots.

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Democratic County Convention.

The Lelegates to the County Convention. which met in the Court, house, in Bollefonde. on the 5th of August last are needly notified to reassemble at Meets - It of, in Reflectorie,

WEDNE DAY DOS 120, 1870. at two of the K, that the purpose of the sing a representative delegate to the next State Convention in March, and al others Senstoria conferences to most the other conferences of the district, which the context of sension dick guests the same Convention. Other injortane business will be transact.

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Marshield Country Country "Too Much Legislation."

Under the above head, the Pro-Observer indulges in some remarks in reference to special Legislation. It thinks the logisticity encouster offerand advocates be mult sessions, in Read of vertix meetings - It's reasons for mes are, in plane word of hit the majority of our Senators and Reprerentatives are distances mere and ro to" Han shing to make money rather than to legislate for the good of the State It says

No one looks forward to the commencement No one looks forwind to the commensument of the second scheduler problem states of the result is a maximg of their own. To present the exact mean result of the same for here, which the value of the same for here which expect to comming of a band of robbers. The verse of the only get to be imposed a problem states of the result intersection of the test of the large states of the same second sector to the large states of the second sector is used and the second second sector sould be also be a state where the result in many destine states the numbers of the length of the destine second second sector is a second destine second second sector is a second destine second second second second second second destine second second second second second second second destine second second second second second second second destine second se

This is a melancholy picture to look at, last for the sake of humanity, we trustat is a little overdrawn. We know things are bad enough, but just to O'Donovan Rossa, and his fellow now we begin to see some change for the better - The long rule of Radical is a has dehauched the whole country and it would have been stratere in leed Lad Pennsylvine's farel any bet er than hersister States Bribery, c.r. 🙈 raption and extrasogence have pre

A plot everywhere and our State has not e-caped the 'errous faint of Radi cull lemoralization . Our Legislation has recked with corruption, and our Levelators have been mere Judases, berg against trusts for the thirty pieces of silver But now w thigh we see a light illuminating the moral durkness that has so long prevailed The people are awakening from their Muglichengy, and better men are beput seet to represent them at our State Cycled. The result has been that we now have a Democratic Senate, with a speaker in the chair who this refused to recommendational free station of a su has been heretofore recommendation and who will yet, with the act of the good. parts will are there to bie' him, redeem the character of the Senate from the tonlness that has been cast upon it hy Radical mismanigement, corruption, and extravagance. The House. too will by and by be in the hands of people actually believe him to be in the Democracy As it stands at pres entweare only in ten of a minority,

reduce that to nothing after which the wipe off the REALIN that defile that chamber also . We be he en better and a brighter day is course and that it will soon be here We have only to wait a little longer When it does come we will only enjoy at the more, from having expected and waited for it so many years But in continuation of the subject the Observer further remarks.

The Elections in France.

At this time, when multary defeat The Irish exiles consisting of O'Donanarchy and chaotic confusion hold ovan Ro-sa and his party, who were sway throughout the French Empire, sentenced by the British Government, it is impossible to predict what politi some to death and others to penal serv cal shape the recent elections will give inde for life or a term of years, had a grand reception in New York on the 1 to the future destiny of France. No nation in the history of the world has ducted in the interest of the religions 10th instant The entire portion of ever, in so short a space of time, suf- seet called "Dankards," and appears the city through which lay the route of the procession, was decounted with fered such internal convidsions, or to be well sustained. groon emblems, and Irish and Ameri- drank so deep of the bitter cup of ad-

can these were mingled affectionately ⁱversity. And now another smoking together everywhere. The number of jembers of run and disister, and the people in line was estimated at from black desolation of grim visaged war 35,0 0 to 50,000, and the utmost en]---when forrow broods at every fireside thusiasm prevailed. Speeches were and the voice of mourning is heard R. H. THONAS, A. H. BRINK and E. C. male by Richard O. Garman, John Throughout the land of seems to us Granxia, who have chauged the name Mitchell, O'Donovan Rossn, and other that elections held at such a time are to Lalley Independent, and hereafter. but a meaningle-s farce [17, however, propose to run it outside of party lines.

These exh , it will be remembered, there is any meaning in them, the re The Democrat was a good paper, but were all Femans, and were ccaptured sult gives no flattering, hope of a such the editor was compelled to self out on and thed by the British Government cessful Republic, but on the contrary account of his health. for their interrupts to free dicland-from (indicates an overwhelman - in courty in British domination A number of tayor of the Bonapartists and Orleanthem were indenced to death, and oth "ists, and it seems quite probable that ers to long terms of imprisonment. Record long a ruler from one of these houses , centry in more maginanimous spirit (will again preside over the docantes of to steval of mothe Eaglish conneils, Trance,

and these men were all pardoned on ... Whatever the result way be taken could on of their leaving the country fident that it is not safe in the couple. Λ week ω (each optimized in of France to confide the constances to the the paper The Boght Side, publish New York, and met with the cordial men-like Gambetta, Roch fortand oth , reception that we have just chronicled outs of that ill, onen of violent temper-Paring aside all the numero any claps amonts and word of solid judgment and i trup of the occasion and the desire for j moral equipoise ; and that of the two animate on New York fellow citizen , and fall back into the old ruts of imthe great out pouring in honor of these penalism for another century. Even preprious, and muy worst the souly a dollar In-h "rations shows how warmly it public sentiment were a unit and the [a year. If you want it, address the cause of Irish Thierty 🍟 cherished - people thoroughly united in favor of a the cause of frish interval \mathbf{w} on prove programs are would even then be the street, Chicago, Illinois, in the last soft the American people republic, there would even then be the street, Chicago, Illinois, Lugh d hoasts of her liberty and great difficulties to be encountered :

the freedom of her people, yet she has j but the rupture between the Bordeaux kept her heel upon the neek of Ireland "Government" and the authorities M for nearly a hundred years. The gal Paris, for which there seems to be not last Irlsh are panting to be free, but balm, presents renweed obstancies every and well-gotten up sheet, edited by J. the survey arm of the Government (day, and only serves to strengthen the) throttles every agempt at rebellion "ranks of the imperalists. Indeed it ap-F) or struggles for freedom have awak- pears to us that the most aident of Reened a great feeling of sympathy in publicans in France either during the this country, and hence the mighty and present revolution or in former parox. in ignificent demonstrations of welcome [vsms of liberty have never studied the true principles of self government, Lib. patriots on Friday last. The future city insprincipled, unbidled, unre good size, and appears to be well looks not bright for Erin, but perhaps strained, is no liberty at all.

There is a total absence of that rewe magnie. The fires of liberty are spect for personal freedom which is the everywhere burying brightly and may corner-stone of all Republican institu ere long burst into a conflagration tions. They believe in the complete has assumed the mantle of his illustrithat will not be put out until it has domination of society over free princiburned up every vestige of despotism | ple, thereby enlarging instead of restricking its authority. The great

charter, of human freedom -habeas thirty six years of age, of splepdid - Dr. Hrisking, the great drug, corpus has never been recognized or and highly cultivated talents and sin-21-t was arrested in New York on respected, and the rights of citizens, gularly like his father in person and in Monday for driving his team through the freedom of speech, the freedom of the streets faster than a walk. He the pless, have been as ruthlessly as was released, however, on pleading ig "sailed and trampled under foot by lib norance of the law Had the Doctor eralists, as by the most arbitrary been a peor man, he might have been , monarch that ever swayed the sceptre rold that it was his business to know over France the law, and would in all probability.

If the late elections are a true index have had a fine to pay. But it was of the will of the people, the republi-Dr. Hai who h, and, of course he was creshight as well yield without further resistance, for in the present spas If is morp, by the way, is a great mode state of the country, a govern prosper, a blessing to the land, and an not in his printike like. His latest ment which is not in harmony with advertising dodge is a card announce the will and wishes of the people, is ing himself as a candidate for the Pres like a ship tossed about upon the an idency, which he has distributed all gry billows, momentarily in danger of over the country The Doctor doubt being engulped beneath the waves of less tools this a first rate way to make | the deer

A Fair Proposition.

If the constitution of Pennsylvania Viother election will be sufficient to Tresitation in saying that he would needs, revising -if the instrument unmake a better one than the present in- der which our fathers and grandfathers Newspaporial.

-The Mechanicsburg Valley Demo-

crat is now numbered among the things.

appertained to it, having been pur-

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We are happy to be in receipt of a

Radical favor in the shape of the Hun

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R DURLORROW. The Journal is the

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nal and American with CREAMER's

Pa., by H. M. WORTH & Co. It is of

Gen. G. W. Custis Lee.

The person bearing the above name

ous father, having been lately installed

President of the Washington and Lee

University of Virginia He is only

In 1865 he was elected to succeed

STONEWALL JACKSON in the Virginia

Military Institute where he wou golden

opinions through the faithful and con-

scientious discharge of his profession

With such a successor as CUSTIS

LEF, we may rest assured that this

historical institution will continue to

honor to the great chieftain who now

An Editor's Farewell.

J. R. EGGLESTON, Esq., in retiring

from the editorial chair of the Mobile

Tribune, gives his opinion of the busi-

ness in the following racy and point

"It was more through accident than

sleeps beneath its classic halls.

mental and moral characteristics.

The Weekly Leader is the name of

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Licks in size

The Erie Observer makes brief men--We are in receipt of the Christian tion of the various candidates named Family Companion, published in Tyfor Auditor and Surveyor General, as rone, Blair county, by H. R. Holsing follows: ER. As its name implies, it is a relig-

Democratic Candidates.

The candidates thus far proposed for ious journal, not devoted to things that Auditor General, on the Democratic side, are Captain George W. Skinner, are of the earth, earthy. It is conof Franklin county ; Dr. A. D. Mark ley, of Bucks county ; D. H. Neiman, Esq., of Northampton county, and Hon. S. T. Shugert, of Centre county, Captain Skinner is a member of Legislature, in his second term. He served with credit in the army, and is that were, that office, with all that popular at home. Dr Markley was in the Legislature three years ago (fom Montgomery county. Since then in a few votes of being nominated. Mr-Neuman 19 editor of the Easton Sentinct, and has been a member of the Legislature. He has long been prominent in the councils of the party, and is a man of considerable force of jority in that body.

AWANDA T. JONES, makes its appear | Hon. George Sanderson, of Lancaster . are with a new head and looking as and W. T. H. Panley, Esq., of Greene. Captain Cooper is a new man in poliolder persons, and fully worth the sub γ the war Mi. Hodeson is editor of scription price, which is only a dollar the *Jeffersonian* at West Chester, one of the best weeklies in the State, with which he has been connected many years. He is an old fashioned Demo erat, believing in standing steadfastly by principle whether it is popular or unpopular Dr Morrison is a well best years of his life to the party, with out reward Mr. Sanderson is the former editor of the Lancaster Intelli the gencer, and was elected years in suc-cession Mayor of that city. He is ad-vanced in years, and bears a blameless reputation. Mr Pauley has long been editor of the Waynesburg Messenger which he conducts with vigor and a paper just started in Kennett Square, ability.

Others have been named, but declinprobable that the nominees will be chosen from the list here given.

Behind the Scenes.

A writer in the Cincinnati Gazette tells of a recent visit behind the scenes. relates the following incident .

An affecting incident occurred at the shook with laughter at his broad cari cature and thundered out a vehement encore, of the agony he was enduring. Could they have stood at the "wings" and seen the ghastly look of suffering that swept over his face as he left the stage they would have realized what brated "Jay Treaty." So there and so through the pantomime's weary

The Gardner Fraud,

The New York Herald, in commenting upon the Chorpening fraud, in which John Cessna figured so com spichously, gives the following sketch of Gardner and the celebrated fraud which he perpetrated:

Gardner-a young man of fine pres ence, talents and education - had fired many years in Mexico, and had travel ed much over that country as a sur geon dentist. He had thus become thoroughly conversant with the lan guage, customs, and manners of the solver mining system, in all its details, A year or two after our Mexican, way he left Mexico, and turned up in Wash the here beginning once there here a state, and once here in wash from Montgomery county. Since then he has removed to Bucks county, where he has a pleasant place on the Delaware. He was a candidate for a well we find them each presenting a the same office in 1868, and came with claim before the Board of Commission ers, in Washington, appointed to settle all claims of American citizens in Mey leo suffering from the war, in pursa ance of the treaty of peace ; and next we find that Gardner's claim of four hundred and sixty odd thousand dol character. Mr. Shugert at one time hars for his losses in the suspension of provide in the country. Its editorials held a prominent position at Washing the solver mine in Sin Louis Potes, and the chain of the solver mine in Sin Louis Potes, and the chain of Mirres for one has a pentieman of consider the solver mine in Sin Louis Potes, and the chain of Mirres for one has a ble ability. He was a solver inter the deed and fifty-three thousand dollars. his silver mine in San Louis Potosi, State Senate in 1867, out was cheated which he thought would be enorgh birge, but makes up in quality what it State Senare in 150 the Republican ma for the suspension of his quick-the The candidates named for Surveyor and paid in gold. Gardner then word That handsome and interesting The candidates named in Surveys (and pain in good, Stations, and General are Captain J. H. Cooper, of on a pleasure tour to Europe, and Lawrence county, John Hodgson, Micros went back to Mexico to be out the Marson of Chester, Jof harm's way. Next a broad har Lawrence control, solid thester, of harm's way. Next a broad har F-q, and Dr. Morrison, of Chester, of harm's way. Next a broad har Hon, George Sander-op, of Lancaster, was thrown out, through the Washing ton correspondent of the New York trap of the oscission and the desite for moral composer; and that of the two advantive as possible. It is a very tress and is send to be very popular at fraud. It reached Gardner in Paris, professional evens to evils a will be best to choose the least mee paper for children and even for home. He served with distinction in He was indignant. He would come back and demand a trial. He wrote to the Herald on the subject. So many of our great men, as his agents, had shared the spoils with him that he tel sure, no doubt, they would make it all right. If e did come back. He was brought to trial, and, while held in custody, a commission was sent to known politician, who has given the Mexico, with him to examine his silver mine ; but hismine could not be found in Mexico. It was in the moon as was that of Micres. The commission returned with this evidence and with Gardner to Washington He was tried for the fraud, convicted and condemn ed to ten years' imprisonment. On his way out from the Court room he ship pled the contents of a small paper into 14 mouth, and in a few minutes he lay dead in a side room in the Court ed the use of their names, and it seems probable that the nominees will be shared his spoils had failed him, and he had taken his case into his own

The Alabama Claims to be Adjusted at Once.

The reports which have prevailed in in one of the theatres in that city, and regard to the willingness of England to adjust the Alabama claims prove to be correct. Within the space of eight An affecting incident occurred at the correct, within the space of eight National a few days ago. One of the public favorites, just as the curtain arranged for the meeting at Washing rose, received a telegraph that his mother lay dying in Philadelphin. The poor fellow broke down, sobbed but the fishery quarrel and all out like a child, and around him hung his standing causes of dispute between our associates in silent, tearful sympathy, government and that of Great Britain, But the public had paid their admis. The Commissioners have been named, sion - the performance must go on; and men competent to discharge the ed, he rose, wiped the tears from his been selected by each nation. The ed, he rose, wiped the tears from his been selected by each mation. The face, and appeared before the footlights. President has appointed, on the part Luttle did the audience think, as they of the United States, Secretary Fish, shook with laughter at his broad cari cantre and thundered out a vehement R. Hoar, and Senator Williams. Under the administration of Washing ton, John Jay, then Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, was sent as Minis ter to France and negotiated the cele will not be likely to get to work before

hands.

their amusement cost that night. But precedent for the selection of a Judge again and again was he recalled: and, of the Supreme Court to act in the as he left the scene for the last time, capacity of a diplomatist. Senator another telegram announced to hum that all was over. Still the inexorable of March to make way for his Demo public must receive their quid pro quo, cratic successor, and the commission and so through the pantomime's weary will not be likely to get to work before length he had to drag himself, appar he is at leisure to attend to his new ently the gayest of the gay, while the duties. The commission on the part keenest and bitterest of earthly corrowed the United States is a strong one, was piercing his heart, and many a and it is to be hoped the members will mute pressure of the hand bore evi come to the discharge of their duties dence of the kindly sympathy of those in an untrejudiced and conciliatory mood. The Commissioners appointed by the actors and actresses are immoral, and gentlemen. The following is the list: Earl De Grav, Prof. Montague Boy I have only a word for the reader. nard, Sir Edward Thornton, Sir John Frown as unsparingly as you will on McDonald ant Sir John Rose. The Secretary of the commission will be Lord Tenterden. These gentlemen will be endowed with plenary power on the 1.1 1 charity be large every the cover the part of their government, and will stage as a whole, and believe that come prepared to adjust all outstandthere, as ever where else in life, are ing clauns and all existing causes of found earne .. devoted, ambitious men diseatisfaction. It is sincerely to be hoped that all may go smoothly, and that the speeds arrangement of the that the speedy arrangement of the patheminaries may be the preclude to a prompt adjustment of all difficulties. It is our interest, and it should be our pleasure, to be on the best terms with England. -Ex. THE INCOME TAX .--- The Income tax will not be repealed by the present Congress. A motion to go into Committee of the Whole, in order to take up the bill, was negatived by a vote of 107 nays to 103 ayes. This is looked upon as a test vote in the House as expressing the sense of that body. The true reason for the retention of this unconstitutional, anjust and inquisitorial tax is, that the Radical members of Congress desire to continue in office the swarm of officials engaged in collecting it. It is admit-ted that the money received from this source in just about sufficient to pay salaries and other expenses; bat, so long an a few millions 'can be wrung from the tax-payers and distributed among a set of political favorites, the present Congrees will fin ! excuses for continuing the system; The next Con-great will make short work of the income tax, an I, h is to' by hypel, of many other alus, which have been lossered and pro e ted - Law aster In talligencer; ×, •,

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the Observer further remarks So fightful has the evil become that in prior Sites the Constitution have been al-tradisons to reduce the number of the as-sons of the Assembly. Buentist sessions are now hold in thirteen States and the new ton-stitution of Verment adopts this feature We would be very glad in Pennylingure if we could have an opportunity to institute the same reform. The Commonwealth gets along much better when the Legislature is not in the law an they are, bud though they may be but while the Legislature is in session we know not what roloner those which are bud much be made a thousand times worse.

The whole remedy for this lies in the hands of the people. If they will select good men-men whom they know to be houest and capable - and send them to the Legislature, all complaints like the above would be done away with. But so long as more politicians -- demagogues -- blowhards -are allowed to lead, it is not to be expected that good will follow. Let us have good Representatvives and we shall have good laws. Be-ennial sessions of the Legislature would not in aure houest or competent Representatives. On the contrary, the long fast would only make the political wolves more ravenous, and they would pounce upon the Tressury like & vulture upon ff they will,

numbert. Had we to choose between HEIMBOLD by all odda

her emancipation is not so distant, as

too wealthy to talk to in that way

his medicines sell, but a good many

earnest We don't believe HEIMBOLD

wants to be President, but have no

and tyrauny on earth-

Miss Arigs CARY, the sweet poetess,

and a christian, and her death is not would. Her poems will live forever, and be read and quoted when all of us nie dead. Miss CARY was a lady of by from out the pure depths of her who, have read them and admired their

simple beauty, will drop a tear to the memory of this noble and gifted woman. May she rest in peace.

-----From present appearances, the District of Columbia sceins likely to be soon blessed with a territorial form of Government. We say Messed, for any form of Government would be so compared with that which the Radical Congress has been imposing on the District of late years. The conference committee have agreed upon a bill giving her a territorial Government, and it will likely be soon reported in both houses. This will give the people of the District some little say in their own his proy, We repeat that the remedy allairs, and may, perhaps, have "the for the evils complained of, thes alone good effect, after awhile, of squelching with the puople, and they can service at both Radicals and algers within her extect that some good will result from boundaries. I its fallors, . •.

lived, is not good enough for us to live GRANT and HILMBOLD we should say under, then everybody will concede that the revision ought to be made without political partizanship, and by

both parties equally represented in a whose leautiful songs have touched convention for that purpose. A numthe hearts of the people for many years, her of bills providing for a convention died in New York on Sunday last, the to revise the constitution have been in-12th instant, at the age of fifty All troduced by Radical Senators, but all

her life long she was a good woman of them have been more or less in the interest of that party alone. We are only a loss to this country but to the gratified, therefore, to be able to say that the fairest of all the propositions yet made, is the following by Senator BILLINGEELT, of Lancaster, a gentlefine literary attainments, and all her man who seems to have some manwritings seemed to gueh spontaneous | hood about hum, and who appears to be anxious that the important matter warm and loving heart. Thousands under consideration shall be rightly accomplished, if accomplished at all.

Comprished, in accompliance at all. Resolved. That the committee on constitu-tional reform be, and they are hereby instruc-ed, to embody in their bill, to be framed for the calling of a convention to amend the con-situation of Pennayirania, a provision for equal representation, consisting of an equal number of delegates from each Senatorial or Congres-sional District, all to be elected at large, with the privilege for use balcotor to vote for only one-half the number of delegates to be elected to said convention, so that said convention. to said convention, so that said convention may be relieved from all peril of partisan con-trol.

That is a fair and honorable proposition, and we sincerely trust that it. or something like it, may be incorporated into whatever bill may be finally reported. Senator BILLINGFEIT has set his Radical colleagues a good example of honesty and good faith, which we hope they will not be slow to follow. Let us have a convention in which both political parties shall be equally represented, and then we may

design that I first became engaged in the newspaper business, and a very little exserved to convince me that there could be neither great profit or pleasure in following it as a perma-nent profession With a contempt for the notoriety it confers, and a horror of the drudgery inseparable from it, 1 have awaited impatiently the opportunity which has at length arrived of throwing off the shackles of the sanctum, and hav-ing done so, I feel as Ariel did when re-

leased from the exacting rule of Pros-I am aware that I have often treated the newspaper of which I had control very much as a boy would a blow-gun I have not been able to resist the temtation of firing it into any target that pre-sented itself, and calling out to the crowd to see how the struck victim was rubbing the sore place While amu-ing myself in that manner, I know that I have indulged in a license and harsh ness that seemed incompatible with dig-nity and justice Not for my own sake, but that of others, 1 regret having done

so olten given too free a rein to my pen for while I am wholly indifferent the effect it may have bad on people's opinions of myselt, I would, were it in my power, hasten to heal every wound asy have inflicted on the character, the opinions, or even the ridiculous vanity of others. It is too much trouble to bear ill-will against one's fellow crea It is too much trouble to

-The Glinton county Agricultural Society has elected the following officers for the present year. Cere for the present year. President-6. H. Brown. Vice President-Wen, Dunn. Necourding Bec.-J. C. C. Whaley. Corresponding Bec.-W. C. Kress. Tressurer-R. H. Boggis. Chairman Ex. Com. Nehemiah Shaw. The time fixed upon for holding the nex Fair is Tuesday, October 5d.

-The bill restoring the spring

elections has finally passed the Senate. We trust it will also pass the House.

Muddy -the streets!

about him.

The writer labors to correct the popin conclusion says

vice and immorality when we or wherever found, but, I pray you, by comand women, among whom the average morality is certainly as high as elsewhere in the world, and who will aparease our action all the more because of the unjust cloud of censure under which they have hereunto labored.

- A Springfield lady left her little boy at home to amuse himself with matches, and when she returned she met him in the attest sine returned and he only made just a little fire in the bureau drawer, and a lot of red shirted men came with a great big tea kettle and squirted water all over the house. They saved the cellar door.

-- Weston, the pedestrain, will favor the citizens of Johnstown with a epecimen of tail walking! on the 25th. He proposes to walk twenty-five miles in five hours, one mile of which is to be a flich of ten minutes, and one-halt one-backwards.

residence in Franklin, Pa., on the 4th inst., in the 69th year of bis age. Col. Hoover was collector of tolls at that place from 1851 to 1856 and was well known to many of our slifsens who will learn of his death with deep regret.

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