

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, May 9, 1892.

The anti-Harrison republicans are jubilant over what they say is the certainty that Mr. Harrison cannot be nominated at Minneapolis. They point exultingly to the nearly six hundred uncommitted delegates, and sneer at the fact that only four States that the republicans have any reasonable hope of carrying—Illinois, Indiana, Nebraska, and South Dakota—have instructed for Harrison, and some of them do not hesitate to say that the majority of the rest of the instructed delegates, all from the south, could easily be taken away from Mr. Harrison by cash purchase, if it were necessary to do so to defeat him.

Quay, Platt, Reed and a large number of the most influential republican bosses met here to congratulate themselves on the result detailed in the election of delegates to the Minneapolis convention, and, what is more important to them, to agree upon the ticket to be nominated. The meeting was, of course, a secret one, but it is whispered that it was particularly agreed to hold out hopes to Sherman, McKinley, Alger, Depew and other dark horses until the last minute, in order to keep them and their personal followers from going into the Harrison camp, and that when the convention meets, Blaine and Rusk are to be sprung upon it with a rush and enthusiastically pushed through before the friends of other candidates have an opportunity to pull their wits together.

Mr. Harrison is reported to be contemplating a withdrawal in favor of Senator Cullom. In fact it is said that he told Senator Cullom before the Illinois convention was held that he would do so, as soon as it became apparent that he could not be nominated on the first ballot, and that it was that promise that caused Cullom to get the convention to instruct for Harrison.

Having compelled the Department of Justice to begin legal proceedings against the sugar trust, the House will now do the same for the National Cordage company, the trust which controls binding twine, by adopting a resolution offered by Representative Scott, of Illinois, the same gentleman who introduced the sugar trust resolution, which the House passed last week. It may be that the Sherman anti-trust law, which was enacted by the billion dollar Congress, is entirely worthless, as was charged by democrats when it was passed—there are reasons for believing that it was intended to be—but that makes the House all the more anxious to see it put to a practical test. If it fails, the House will pass a bill that will not fail, and leave the responsibility for its becoming a law with the trust-loving republican majority in the Senate and the republican President.

Representative Bailey, who is member of the House sub-committee engaged in investigating the affairs of the Yellowstone Park Association, thinks Mr. Russell Harrison may find himself in an unpleasant position before the investigation is over, owing to his readiness to loan his "influence".

The House committee on Post Offices has agreed to report favorably a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the extension of free mail delivery in agricultural districts, and providing for the issue of fractional postal notes.

Again the old cry that Secretary Noble has informed Mr. Harrison that Raum must go, or he would leave the Cabinet. This may or may not be true, but if the charge be true that Raum wrote, without Noble's knowledge, the letter declining to furnish committee with the papers relating to the discharge of certain special pension

examiners, and Noble says he did, it would certainly be about what any self-respecting man would do under similar circumstances. The committee through the chairman, Representative Wheeler, ask for these papers and Mr. Raum wrote a letter stating that he had been directed by Secretary Noble to decline furnishing them. Now, Secretary Noble says he knew nothing about such a request being made, and that the committee can have the papers or any others on file that they may wish to see. It was well for Secretary Noble that he took so sensible a view of the measures by reporting a resolution concerning the refusal to the House, which might have resulted in impeachment proceedings against the Secretary of the Interior.

The thousands of pamphlet copies of Henry George's "Free Trade or Protection", which was recently published in the Congressional Record, that are being distributed through out the country, are being sent out by individual Representatives, and not by the Democratic Congressional campaign committee.

The silver democrats in the House expect to be able to secure the signatures of a majority of the democrats to a petition asking that a new date be set to vote upon the free coinage bill and that a rule against filibustering be reported, indeed they claim to already have a sufficient number of signers.

It is now stated that the new daily in Scranton, about which there has been so much talk of late, will materialize soon, and that it is to be a lively penny afternoon journal, with Colonel J. A. Price, Terence V. Powderly and other well-known men back of it.

BLAINE'S CONDITION.

RUSSELL HARRISON DECLARES HIM BROKEN PHYSICALLY AND MENTALLY.

"Mr. Blaine's condition," he (Russell Harrison) said, "is such that all talk of his nomination, even if he should become a candidate, is out of the question. He is completely broken down, both mentally and physically."

"He cannot remember the simplest things, and all of the work of the State Department has been on my father's shoulders for over two years. It is simply absurd to talk of nominating Mr. Blaine."

"He can scarcely more than sign his name to documents requiring his signature, and rarely, if ever, reads any of them. He is almost as helpless as a child."—World.

If your blood is vitiated, cleanse it without delay by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The State Democratic Convention of Connecticut was held Tuesday May 10th. The delegates-at-large to the National Convention were uninstructed, but the name of Cleveland was cheered to the echo. The delegates from Connecticut can go to Chicago, ready to cast their vote for the most available candidate, and return home with the assurance that the six electoral votes will be in the democratic column when the votes are counted in November.

Strength and Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at C. A. Klein's Drug Store.

J. Salzer the popular Sewing machine agent has placed a new wagon on the road.

When you buy your spring medicine you should get the best, and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It thoroughly purifies the blood.

The number of shares of stock allotted to the first series of Industrial Building and Loan Association of Bloomsburg, Pa., have been taken and the association will issue stock in the second series upon the 7th day of June next, that being the time of their next regular monthly meeting. The number of shares will be limited to five hundred in each series. First payment will be \$2.00 per share and \$1.00 per share a month thereafter. Par value of each share \$200.00. Further information may be had by calling at the office of the secretary, Wirt's Block, Bloomsburg, Pa.

A. N. Yost, Secretary.

We acknowledge receipt of a handsome program from Prof. John F. L. Morris, the commencement exercises of Catawissa High School to be held in Catawissa Opera House Monday May 16th.

An exchange says that the Supreme Court has decided that bicycle riders are not entitled to the sidewalks in cities and towns. A pedestrian was run into by a wheelman, both being on the sidewalk. The former sued for damages and won his suit, the court holding that the rider had no business on the sidewalk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday night, May 5th, all the members present.

A petition was read from Wm. Cummings asking for a sewer from Whitman's alley eastwardly about 60 feet on Third. After considerable discussion the President was authorized to consult with the Town Engineer in regard to the advisability of purchasing the private sewer of Mrs. Finney instead of laying a new one, and to report at the next meeting.

The following building permits were granted:

To Wm. Cummings for a dwelling house on Third street. To J. W. Johh for a dwelling house on Fourth street. To J. L. Dillon for a Greenhouse on Fifth street.

To W. C. Bryfogle & Bro. for a building on the east side of Market street near the square.

It appearing that a large number of ordinances have been passed since the publication of the last pamphlet, the Secretary and President were upon motion authorized to have all the ordinances printed in book form.

C. W. Miller, Esq., appeared before the Council and presented petitions for exonerations from the payment of town taxes for ten years on the following industries:

Suber's patent rolling bearer Company, Axle Works and Steel Plant. Ice Manufacturing Co. and Mears & Co. Wash Machine Works. Upon motion the first mentioned plant was exempted with the understanding that they erect or cause to be erected two fire hydrants located at a convenient place with respect to other buildings and that they keep the same constant supplied with water at their own expense and in case of fire the town to have the right to use them free of charge.

On the application of Mears & Co. for exemption a yea and nay vote was called and resulted as follows: Peacock, Gorrey and Holmes, yea, Kramer, Gilmore and Drinker, nay; Rhoads not voting. Application refused.

The agreement of E. B. Brower donating the land for the opening of Penn street providing the grading was done by Sept. 1st, 1892, read and accepted, and the solicitor read an ordinance that he had prepared declaring the same a public highway. On motion it was accepted and the ordinance ordered published.

Grant Herring desired the Council to do some cobbling on the Lightstreet road in the rear of his lot; George Robbins desired a crossing near his residence; Mrs. Hagenbuch reported the street near her home and leading to Dillon's Greenhouse as being in a bad condition; and William Chrisman wanted the Council to open and declare a public highway an alley near his residence, he to donate the land and pave the same. All these matters were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Friendship Fire Co. requested permission to use Oak Grove on the evening of May 30th for holding a dance. Granted.

By a unanimous vote the tax rate for the ensuing year was fixed at nine mills. The following bills were presented: Wm. Thomas Police to May 1 \$17.50 Wesley Knorr, Police " 4.00 F. R. Drake " 1.00 John Keefer " 1.00 Nathan Chromis " 1.00 John Masteller, Stationery " .75 Daniel Laycock, Police " 1.00 Dem. Sentinel, printing St'mt. 25.00 M. C. Woodward, Police " 9.22 J. C. Brown, printing st'nt &c. 42.50 J. C. Brown, Town Engineer " 26.00 C. M. Drinker, Locks, &c. " 3.00 Water Co. Hyd'n'ts Apr 1 to May 1 83.33

HIGHWAYS. C. R. Housel, Com. of Highways. 25.37 Martin Randall, Labor " 9.37 Levi Shoemaker " 8.00 David Hunt " 8.00 Gideon Heist " 1.87 Wm. Edgar " 6.75 Wm. C. Wirt " 6.75 Jacob Brobst " 7.37 Chas. Fornwald, Hauling " 1.20 Samuel Shaffer, " 8.00 Daniel Miller " 11.80 Fred Schwinn, " 2.00 Wm. Coffman, " 1.80 Total " \$317.91

The above amounts were ordered paid. The Committee on Highways ordered to inquire into the probable expenses of getting a road machine here on trial. Adjourned until Thursday, May 12th, at 7:30 p. m.

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Browning, King & Co. Leading American Clothiers, WARREN A. REED, 910 and 912 Chestnut St.

The New Ballot Law.

The Secretary of State has addressed a letter to the County Commissioners of the State requesting that they call the particular attention of the Chairmen of County Committees, and of others who may be in a position to give information upon the subject, to the importance of exercising great care in the matter of certifying nominations to County Commissioners and township auditors. The letter states that the certifications of some nominations of Legislative candidates already made, discloses the fact that sufficient care has not been taken by those whose duty it has been to certify such nominations. If errors in certificates are not avoided, confusion and trouble will ensue. Instructions sent by the County Commissioners to the chairmen of county committees, and others connected with political organizations, will be of great benefit in preventing errors in certifications.

It is announced that the passenger train employees on the Lehigh Valley Railroad have received orders to procure summer uniforms and new caps of the Philadelphia and Reading pattern, and den the same May 15th. The caps are slightly different in shape from those now worn on the Lehigh Valley and the coat is longer. The P. & R. buttons will take the place of the Lehigh Valley.

Premature gray whiskers should be colored to prevent the appearance of age, and Buckingham's Dye is by far the best preparation to do it.

From the list of States that have thus far held republican conventions, less than one-half of them have instructed their delegates to support for a second term the present incumbent. It looks as if the republicans had no more love for Benjamin Harrison than they had for R. B. Hayes.

We wish again to repeat that every indication points to the nomination and election of Grover Cleveland.

The subscribers to the stock of the new steel works held a meeting on Tuesday evening at the office of White & Yost and effected a temporary organization for the collection of stock subscriptions, &c. A charter will soon be obtained.

Be Sure

If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar medicine, possessing, by virtue of its peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation, curative power superior to any other article. A Boston lady who knew what she wanted, and whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

To Get

"In one store where I went to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla the clerk tried to induce me to buy their own instead of Hood's; he told me their's would last longer; that I might take it on ten days' trial; that if I did not like it I need not pay anything, etc. But he could not prevail on me to change. I told him I knew what Hood's Sarsaparilla was. I had taken it, was satisfied with it, and did not want any other."

Hood's

When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable, suffering a great deal with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly stand. I looked, and had for some time, like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it. MRS. ELLA A. GOFF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

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CANDIDATES CARDS.

List of Candidates to be voted for at the delegate election held Saturday August 6th 1892, between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. Nominating convention Tuesday August 9th.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, G. W. STERNER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, CHARLES M. BLAKER, of Greenwood.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

List of Dealers in Columbia County.

I hereby certify the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me in accordance with several acts of Assembly in and of the year 1892 is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Table with columns: Name & Business, Class License, and Dealer Name. Lists various businesses and their locations across different counties like Berks, Lehigh, and Luzerne.

Table listing various goods and prices, including coal, flour, and other commodities.

Table listing various goods and prices, including furniture, clothing, and household items.

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Appeals will be held at the commissioners' office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, the 4th day of June, A. D. 1892, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. where you can attend if you think proper. J. B. DELONG, Mercantile Appraiser.

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