

THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN

EBENSBURG, PA., FRIDAY, - - - SEPT. 6, 1878.

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR, ANDREW H. DILL, of Union County. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, JOHN FEETIG, of Crawford County. FOR STATE TREASURER, BENNY P. ROSS, of Montgomery County. SECRETARY INTERNAL AFFAIRS, J. SIMPSON AFRICA, of Huntingdon.

Democratic District Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS, GEN. A. H. COFFROTH, of Somerset.

Democratic County Ticket.

ASSEMBLY, L. D. WOODRUFF, of Conemaugh Borough; JOHN PATTERSON, of Johnstown; ROBERT S. JORDAN, of Johnstown; JOHN G. LAKE, of Ebensburg. TREASURER, DR. A. YEAGLEY, of Johnstown. COUNTY CLERK, JESSIE PATTERSON, of Johnstown; HENRY SCANTLAN, of Carrolltown; PHILIP D. SKELLY, of Portage Twp.; PATRICK DILLON, of Ebersburg.

HON. R. M. SPEER, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, announces that on and after September 11th, the headquarters of said Committee will be at No. 1101 Girard street, Philadelphia, where all communications should be addressed.

The Greenback conferees will meet at Altoona on Tuesday, the 17th inst., to nominate a candidate in this district for Congress. It is given out in Altoona by the chairman of the Greenback Committee in that city, that the candidate will be either a farmer or a mechanic, while we have been thinking all the time that the coming man would be our old tariff friend, Samuel Galin, Esq.

The political campaign has fairly commenced in Ohio and Indiana, and in a short time will be at fever heat. The election in both States will take place on the first Tuesday in October. In Ohio, which does not elect a Legislature this year, the exciting question is the Legislature, upon the complexion of which will depend the reelection of Daniel W. Voorhees to the U. S. Senate. In each State both parties have their ablest men on the stump, and immense mass meetings are being held and addressed by them. The Greenback vote in Ohio will not likely control the election of Congressmen to any great extent, but it undoubtedly has that effect in Indiana.

On his return trip from California last week, Judge Jeremiah S. Black, in an interview with a press reporter at Omaha, expressed the hope that he would yet see General Hancock elected President, and also signified his belief that Gov. Tilden would be the Democratic nominee in 1880. Much as we respect Judge Black's opinions upon almost every question, we think he fails to see the drift of Democratic sentiment when he predicts Mr. Tilden's nomination two years hence. It seems to us that Democratic tendencies are rapidly assuming another shape than that, and that instead of the staff of Democracy, like the star of empire, is surely taking its way. It is impossible to tell what a day much less two years, may bring forth, and Judge Black's prediction may possibly, though not probably, be verified.

GEN. CAMPBELL addressed a Republican meeting in the Somerset Court House last week, and had the rare modesty to say to his hearers that "the Democratic party was dead." This discovery is not original with Gen. C., for nearly every Whig and Republican candidate for Congress in this country for the last quarter of a century has said the same thing, and holds a patent for it. The Democratic party has a good many more lives in it than are commonly attributed to a cat, and possesses all the vim of old Jack Taylor, who said that if he was fairly killed at one stage in the battle of Buena Vista, as the Mexicans claimed he was, he didn't know it, but fought right straight ahead. This being Court week, Gen. Campbell spent Monday and Tuesday in our town, and from what he saw and heard we rather think he has modified his view of the case as presented by him in Somerset, and that he now is convinced that the Democratic party lives, moves, and has a being.

Extravagance in High Places.

ENORMOUS INCREASE OF STATE EXPENDITURES BY THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

During the time the Republican party has been in power in this State, the expenditures of the State government for the ordinary objects of government have been increased from \$279,094, the amount of 1857, to \$1,322,383. These figures are compiled from the appropriation bills of those dates and other official sources. We take the annual year of the last Democratic administration (Gov. Packer) and compare it with the last Republican year (Gov. Hartranft), which gives the following results:

Table with 3 columns: Item, 1857, 1878. Items include Salary of Governor, Secretary of Commonwealth, Deputy Secretary of Commonwealth, etc.

How the Southerners get down on their haunches and plead for help from the North when they get sick; when they are well they would not have to beg when they are well; when the devil got sick the devil a saint would be. When the devil got well the devil a saint was he. If they would be less lazy when they are well; they would not have to beg when they are well; from those whom they affect to despise when they are well.

Now who is Andrew H. Dill? Not having the good fortune to inherit dollars and property from a most worthy father, raised in poverty and having to look to his own efforts for his support, he is a man of independent means and education. He is a friend of those who like himself have to buffet the world for a livelihood and earn their daily bread by hard work.

THE Democratic State Committee of Massachusetts met at Boston last week and fixed the time for holding the State convention on the 17th of this month. There was an almost unanimous desire expressed by the members that the State, as well as the country, should understand that the Democracy of Massachusetts will not countenance any trucking to, or any trade made with Ben Butler. This is right, and is the only way by which they can preserve their honor and their organization in all its integrity, let the election result as it may.

ALTHOUGH we do not intend to nominate our readers with a surplus of Dennis Kearney's communistic speeches delivered at the different points he visits, we cannot refrain from publishing the following eloquent extract from his well-uttered address at Cincinnati two weeks ago to-night. From one it can take the full measure of this modern Jack Cade, as accurately as the ancients claimed to judge of the size of his footprints.

TERrible disaster in England.—The excursion steamer Princess Alice, returning from Gravesend to London Tuesday evening, was about eight hundred passengers on board, was run down off Barking about 8 o'clock by a screw steamer. The number of persons drowned is variously estimated from five to six hundred.

The People's League.

A NEW ORGANIZATION OF COLORED VOTERS WHO WON'T BITE AT THE RADICAL BAIT HELD OUT BY MACKAY'S MAN FRIDAY.

When the so-called State Equal Rights League was in session in this city, says the Pittsburg Post of Friday, it may be remembered that a number of delegates of Democratic and Nationalistic proclivities were ejected from the meeting because they declined to endorse a resolution pledging their support to the Republican party. The resolution emanated from Mackay's man W. D. Forten, a colored politician of Philadelphia, whose family is well provided for in the way of official position, and who for that reason asked the colored men of Pennsylvania to support his party. For two days past the ejected delegates have been in session and here is the result of yesterday's session:

In the absence of the chairman, J. Grandison, E. A. Hall was called to the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted, as was also the report of the committee on grievances, Messrs. A. Hawkins, P. A. Noler and J. C. Hawkins, of which the following is the full text:

Resolved, That we organize ourselves into a League, to be known as the People's League. Mr. Paul J. Carson, who has had interviewed a large number of the colored citizens of this city, reported that he had just returned from a tour of inspection in the State of Pennsylvania, where he had contemplated organizing a League, and was most believing that such an enterprise would be a great assistance in advancing the best interests of the colored people in Pennsylvania.

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THE SITUATION IN GERMANY.—Comments on the condition of ecclesiastical matters in Prussia, the Philadelphia Record, in its issue of Tuesday says editorially: Prince Bismarck has entirely reversed his mark in procuring the dissolution of the Reichstag. Instead of being in a majority of only 12 members; the Opposition now support 12 members; the Opposition now support 12 members; the Opposition now support 12 members.

On Thursday morning, five miles below St. Louis, on the Illinois shore of the Mississippi, a large cottonwood tree, about 700 feet long, and found a young boy about 7 years of age was found floating on the trunk of a cottonwood tree. Two farm hands, who were crossing the river in a log raft, were the first to see the boy. They pulled up to the tree, which was about 100 feet long, and found a young boy. The little fellow was lying in a kind of hollow formed by the trunk of the tree, and was unconscious and in a high state of exhaustion.

Within the shadow of the capitol at Washington a dungeon as terrible as the hole of Calcutta is reported to exist. Monday of last week thirty-six prisoners were confined in a cell "two days long enough for more than one person." A large party wretches actually fought for three days near the gratings for others to occupy the place. Several of the officials to let them appear in passage way. Washington actually needs a John Howard or an Elizabeth Fry.

Mary McManera, of Clinton, Mass., has recently saved the third child that fell into the Lancaster Mills ponds this year.

News and Other Notings.

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There are now in Reading two children the like of which, probably, cannot be found elsewhere. The babies are now ten and six years old, respectively. They were born in Steubenville, Ohio, and had been captured. The father had offered a reward of \$500 for their recovery.

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