

In a few weeks the democratic national convention will meet at St. Louis, when we will hail the most-hated of the Reporter's nominees for president and vice-president.

The Centre Reporter.

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THE GREAT UNKNOWN will be of little consequence, the New York Tribune thinks, in the coming contest for Presidential nominations. It is a year since that all others parties must make nominations that mean something. The candidates must be known, must have a character and a record with which the public is familiar. Neither "favorite sons" nor "Great Unknowns" can be put upon the course with any hope of success.

A bill has been introduced in the House of Representatives at Washington providing for the coinage and issuance of \$25,000,000 in silver. All right.

For the future house thieves will not find Texas a State of bliss. A legislative statute is pending, and likely to be passed, that provides to punish for the offense by the whipping-post, for the second offense by hanging and branding; for the third by hanging.

In last week's Reporter we printed an item of the burning of the Crotcher and the burning of the Crotcher and the burning of the Crotcher.

The house of Daniel Cutman, who resides in Oliver township, some miles northwest of McVeytown, caught fire about one o'clock on the night of the 23rd inst. The father had been in the room upstairs, there being no partition in that part of the house. The fire dropping down on the beds awakened the boys, who, in the confusion, got out of the house, and were seen by the neighbors. The two girls, one aged about 14, the other 6, were thus pinned down on the bed, and excepting the bones totally consumed. What was left of them was subsequently taken from the debris and buried on Friday. Scarcely anything was saved, provisions, clothing and furniture all being reduced to ashes. The mother, who was in bed with a sick neighbor, and the mother was up late. Four children, two boys and two girls, all slept in the room upstairs, there being no partition in that part of the house. The fire dropping down on the beds awakened the boys, who, in the confusion, got out of the house, and were seen by the neighbors.

Chicago should be happy now it has two fellows acting as Mayors of the city—Hayne and Calvin. And on the 10th, the brick makers immigrated a strike. About three hundred of them, armed with clubs, knives and revolvers, marched in a body to the yards and demanded higher wages. The police were promptly on hand and suppressed the mob for the time being.

Says the Philad. Times of 13: We have a number of communications from citizens and strangers complaining of extortionate charges at the Exhibition. One person writes that he had to pay five dollars for a plain breakfast dinner; another was charged fifteen cents for a "thimbleful of soda-water" another makes a general complaint against the tariff at the French restaurant, and yet another complains that he was charged fifteen cents for a pretzel—an allegation which, unaccompanied by an affidavit, we receive with some incredulity. It is reasonable to suppose that there is some ground for these numerous and various complaints, and we earnestly advise the Centennial authorities to look into the subject at once. Nothing is more important to the success of the Exhibition than that there shall be plenty to eat and to drink at moderate prices, and if it be not possible to regulate the tariff, the people having these concessions should at least be compelled to pay for their charges commensurately. But we hope, when the Exhibition gets to working smoothly, to hear no more of such complaints.

Bill Brown held quite a reception for his old subscribers on Monday and Tuesday last. The rooms set apart for the occasion were those of the store Eap. Fry, in Garman's block, Bellefonte. Several hundred invitations were sent out into all parts of the county by Villyam, and the honored ones embraced the elite of Centre Hall, Bald Eagle, Kittany and Pennamint. No less a dignitary than constable Lewis was entrusted with serving the kind invitations. How an old editor can afford to get up a thing of this kind on so large a scale passes our comprehension. It was a perfect "surprise party" to Brown's old friends. We were not invited—and felt rather slighted—hence we care not whether the refreshments were served by courses or curses. What it means we do not know—perhaps the Col. has some intention of running for Lettoman governor and thus fastened down his old stand-bys; maybe he did it of pure selfishness, driven on by veneration for his old patrons, or urged on by the pains of an empty exchequer. Long live Brown.

Those who only intend to make one trip to the centennial are regretting their attendance at the opening. A month hence the show will be worth double the money it is now in its condition of incompleteness.

The receipts for tickets on the first day of the opening of the centennial exhibition were \$40,000. A great many persons obtained admission without paying.

Let's the Boston Post slightly mistaken when it says the Democrats of Ohio think their Senator is Thierman, the President? The St. Louis Convention will show you "who's who,"—well.

Ex-Senator Doak will be one of the Wisconsin delegates to the Democratic National Convention. He was a Republican in Lincoln's time.

This country may be said to be suffering just now from a triple combination of disorders—Belknapism, Grantism, and Belknapism—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Clapp, the congressional printer being under investigation, has resigned. Going to meet Belknap.

On 9 inst., the grand jury of the criminal court of the District of Columbia found a true bill of indictment against Belknap.

For passing the Exhibition gates. It will not go for no money to admit a fifty-cent note or coin. Two quarters, or any combination of fractional currency making fifty cents, will admit one person. A dollar will admit two persons, and so on. The only restriction upon the public here, in this regard, will be that the exact change must be presented to the gate-keepers.

THE HOLLY MAGNIE MURDER TRIAL.

Pottsville, Pa., May 8.—Detective McFarlan continued his testimony. He was admitted to the room in Shenandoah. A man named Lawler was beset by a man named Holly. The intention consisted in being ordered on his knees with his head, then a document was read, and the man named Holly was killed. The witness testified that he saw the man named Holly being killed. The witness testified that he saw the man named Holly being killed.

BEKAP IMPROVEMENT.

Washington, D.C., May 18.—Through the question of jurisdiction in the Belknap impeachment, it is understood that the Senate has not deliberated. While it may properly be said that an officer is impeachable all the time, it is not true that he is impeachable all the time. The question of jurisdiction in the Belknap impeachment, it is understood that the Senate has not deliberated.

HORRIBLE FANATICISM.

Child Murder by a Missouri Minister. The St. Louis Republic describes a horrible case of fanaticism that was recently discovered in southwestern Missouri. It appears that the minister in question was attracted to the house of Mr. Lyman, a man of good standing in the community, and was attracted to the house of Mr. Lyman, a man of good standing in the community.

THE SITUATION OF CONSTANTINOPLE ALARMING.

London, May 18.—The correspondent of the Times telegraphs as follows from Constantinople: "A general panic prevails here. The classes of Mahometans are purchasing arms and preparing for the worst. The Christians are also in a state of alarm. The Mahometans are in a state of alarm. The Christians are also in a state of alarm."

A SOLDIER'S VENGEANCE.

He Kills Thirty-Seven Comrades. Havana, May 8.—It is officially reported that forces of the Reina and Pizarro regiments are attacking the barracks of an insurgent body in the Remedios district, on the 26th of last month, on a Saturday. The insurgents were killed. The soldiers were victorious.

THE PHILADELPHIA TIMES.

"The Times" is a First-Class, Independent Morning Newspaper. It has closed its first year with an excellent record. It has been a success from the beginning. It has been a success from the beginning.

HORRIBLE WORK OF A DRUNKEN FATHER.

New York, March 11.—In Brooklyn, N.Y., a man named Drunken was arrested for a crime. The man named Drunken was arrested for a crime. The man named Drunken was arrested for a crime.

FISH FISH FISH!

New Crop. Mackerel and Lake Herring. In 1, 1 barrel, Guaranteed. And at lowest prices. Secbler & Co., Bush House Block, Bellefonte.

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New Crop For 1876. Bruges & Brother, Rochester, N.Y. D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich. Large assortment Flower and vegetable seeds at Secbler & Co.

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CONSUMPTION! This distressing and dangerous complaint and its preliminary symptoms, neglected cough, night sweats, hoarseness, wasting fever—permanently cured by Dr. Swaney's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry.

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A NUMBER OF POPULAR INTERESTS.

We commend from the Ladies' Reporter the substance of a conversation about the Philadelphia Convention. It is a very interesting and valuable article.

WATER WHEEL!

STEAM ENGINES, SAW MILL, ROLLING MILL, Machinery, Pulleys & Shafting MANUFACTURED BY W. P. DUNN & Co., BELLEFONTE, PA.

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