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CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. Sept. 5.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Prothonotary, WM. F. SMITH. For District Attorney, WM. J. SINGER.

Gov. Hastings has gone swimming, and Quay went fishing.

Quay is now the St. Paul of the Republican party—from a great sinner he has turned to be a great Reformer.

WHEN the next bill for a new county to be called Quay is passed, it won't be vetoed.

THE sheaves of the Combine are now bowing in most reverential obeisance to the sheaves of Quay.—What a come-down of the Combine!

THE Philadelphia "Press" has set aside its stereotype declaration of the last six weeks that the Combine was 60 to 75 ahead and sure to win.

QUAY made big promises for reform in his fight against the Combine. Now let him prove as big in the performance and the people will say, Amen.

CALL him Quay, that rooster in Mrs. Leah Kleckner's barn yard, over in Sugar valley; he has five toes on one foot, and is the champion fighter in the neighborhood.

AL DALE can now be looked upon as the dispenser of Republican pickings for Centre county under the Quay dispensation—the Beaver man having triumphed, to Al belongs the command of the Centre brigade.

Two shocks of earthquake awoke the citizens of Philadelphia early last Sunday morning, one at 3 and another at 6 o'clock. Dishes and windows rattled. The quake was felt in adjoining counties. The Quay quake, a few days previous, shook up Martin, Warwick, Porter, and the rest of the combine, so badly that they may never get over the scare.

WE have just perused an ably written article in the September number of the "Cosmopolitan," from the pen of John T. Hyatt, vice consul at Santiago de Cuba, on "The Ancient Capital of Cuba." The writer's style is entertaining in recounting the facts of his magazine article, and gives evidence of ability that can not fail to put him in line with American authors.

Was it an intended slight? When the platform came into the convention it praised Senator Quay, lauded Congressman Stone, but did not contain any reference to Governor Hastings. The planks indorsing his administration and Banking Commissioner Gilkeson's course, as State chairman, were added in the convention as amendments, after the document had been adopted.

If the Combine had been in the majority at last week's convention they would not have offered Quay any "compromise" or "harmony"—they would have crushed him out. The Combine now let themselves down by saying it was a compromise; but there was no compromise; Quay had everything; the Combine was in a hole and Quay had his foot over the hole. What they got was by Quay's mercy and not by compromise.

WOULD you think that the Mormons have missionaries in Pennsylvania? hardly, but they have. A conference of Mormon elders, who have been operating for some months in the southern end of Bedford and Fulton counties, and the eastern end of Allegheny county Maryland, will be held in the bowery, near Flintstone, Md., September 1 and 2, this week. Sixteen elders will attend the conference, which will be public. They have been conducting their meetings at farm houses and have made a number of proselytes.

SENATOR Gorman has great hopes for the future of the Democracy and thinks nothing is to be feared from cycles of adverse fortune. He remarked the other day: "I have observed that political condition affecting the state of Maryland, and particularly affecting the Democratic party, come in cycles. So far as the party is concerned," he continued, "there was a seemingly adverse wave in 1875. Ten years later, in 1885, there was a little disturbance. In this year of grace, 1895, according to the political almanac, another phenomenon is to be anticipated; but in my mind there is no more apprehension as to the results to the Democratic party than in the former periods mentioned."

THE Blair county courts have sustained the action of the county auditors in surcharging the directors of the poor for several illegal expenditures of the public money. The directors are required to refund \$1,900 to the county. That's right, and let all kinds of officers bear in mind they are answerable to the law for expenditures not legally made, and they can be prosecuted years thereafter.

NOTICE to Wilbur Reeder, Jack Dale, C. P. Hewes, W. E. Gray, late bosses of the county Republican party, that in future you look up to and take your orders from Hon. Al Dale, who is the county Quay leader and future Republican dispenser of patronage. Al Dale didn't put his foot in it, and what he commands will be endorsed by the great and triumphant head of the party, M. S. Q. Remember, boys, that Al nus'n't be sneezed at now.

THE Luth. Re-union at Hecla. The first annual reunion of the Lutherans of Centre, Clinton, Lycoming and Union counties was held at Hecla park last Thursday. Indications for rain kept many at home, yet the number present was about 1200. The object of the meeting was to effect a permanent organization of Lutherans. A meeting was called at 1.30 p. m. by Rev. C. B. Gruver, and a committee was appointed to adopt plans for the organization.

Music was furnished by the Bellefonte orchestra and an anthem by the Pleasant Gap choir. Rev. J. F. Hartman, of Altoona, delivered an address, followed by Rev. W. E. Fischer, of Shamokin, after which there was an anthem by the Lock Haven Lutheran choir. Short addresses were delivered by Rev. W. Spangler, of Salona, R. G. Bannen, of Burlingame, Rev. L. Rosenberg, of Cogan Station and Rev. J. A. Bright, of Kansas.

The following officers were elected for the permanent organization: President, Rev. Hoshour, Bellefonte; vice president, J. H. Miller, Lock Haven; secretary W. P. Kuhn, Pleasant Gap; treasurer, John E. Heckman, Clintondale. Benediction by Rev. J. M. Reaick, of Centre Hall. Fourteen ministers were present.

AN exchange says the fish of the sucker species have been seen for some days past floating in the Juniata river. An examination as to the cause has developed the fact that a small bug or leech had fastened itself on the back of the fish and made a raw streak, beginning at the head and continuing to the tail. Some that were taken from the water and relieved of the leech when placed in the water again became quite lively. While troubled with them the fish swim near the surface and are easily caught by hand.

It is the "Reporter's" opinion that this bug is a hum-bug, or lazy bug, and besides wanting to steal a ride on the fish's back is mean enough to make its meals off of the fish besides.

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm waves to cross the continent from the 27th to the 31st and from Sept. 2d to 6th. The next will reach the Pacific coast about Sept. 7th, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 8th, great central valleys 9th to 11, and the eastern states 12th. more than average rains will accompany this disturbance and following will be a short period of warm, dry winds. Warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about Sept. 7th, great central valleys 9th, eastern states 11th. Cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about Sept. 10th, great central valleys 12th, eastern states 14th.

Burglars are overrunning the land. From all parts of the state our exchanges have accounts of houses being entered by burglars. Be prepared for their coming; have weapons handy to give them jessie; make your houses secure. Monday night one was shot near Shamokin; but for the want of a ready revolver, and there would have been a dead burglar at Centre Hall last Friday morning.

William Forge, a Nittany Valley farmer, was badly hurt Wednesday while blasting stumps with dynamite. His injuries are not serious but are very painful.

A black cheviot overcoat, light weight, on the turnpike between Bellefonte and the Old Fort. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office.

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BOARDS DIFFER.

A Big Law Suit in the Distance Between School Authorities.

The school directors of Centre Hall and Potter township have a little difference and it is not unlikely that the court will be called upon to settle the dispute.

The case at point is about this. When the boro was incorporated, the school directors took the present building from the township at \$800. This \$800 was to be paid by the boro directors by a decree from court, in tuition from scholars residing in the township, but close to the boro. An agreement was made between the boro and township in 1890 in reference to tuition which was never renewed or cancelled and the township scholars were received in the borough schools as before. Each year a bill for tuition was rendered the township, and the amount was supposed to be credited on the debt of the school building.

The boro directors at the last settlement according to the statement found that the debt had been paid in full and with a balance in their favor of \$16.00. The township was asked to pay this amount, and refused, claiming that no contract had been made since 1890, and that the boro could not hold them responsible for tuition. Instead of the township owing the boro, they claim that the boro owes the township over five hundred dollars on the school building, and refuse to acknowledge the last four years tuition.

When the schools opened on Monday morning the directors refused to receive the township scholars and they were excluded from the privileges of the schools, at least until a satisfactory arrangement is made. In consequence many scholars outside the limits are deprived of schooling, and many parents are highly indignant.

The boro directors will institute proceedings to collect the \$16 due, and a lively expensive law suit is in sight.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the past week: J. Dooley and M. Bower, of Bellefonte.

John Saunders, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Kate Dale, of Centre Hall.

Wm. Wiser, of Worth twp., and Hannah Fisher, of Half Moon.

Oscar Lacont and Pauline Lacue, of Hawk Run, Clearfield county.

Harry Rote and Minnie Miller, of Coleville.

James Heverly, of Howard, and Resie Beck, of Walker.

Oliver Corman, of Spring Mills, and Tillie Keller, of Madisonburg.

David Meiss, of Patton twp., and Sadie Harbridge, of Huston twp.

Edgar G. Shaw and Mamie A. Stull, of Blanchard.

Edwin Lundy and Anna L. Cain, of Spring twp.

Wm. Woods and Mary A. Harris, of Phillipsburg.

Chas. G. Devinney and Rella Flegal, of Phillipsburg.

Death of Samuel Davis.

Last Monday Samuel Davis died at his home at Linden Hall, after a long illness. Several years ago he was seriously injured by jumping from a rapidly moving passenger train near Linden Hall, and sustained injuries to the brain which unsettled his mind. For some time past he was closely confined to a room, and never recovered. The funeral took place this, Thursday forenoon, interment being made in the Centre Hill cemetery.

Abolish the Superior Court.

When the Democratic State Convention assembles it should declare in unmistakable language for the abolition of the Superior Court, and make that an issue both this year and next, when a new Legislature is to be chosen. In order that there may be no misapprehension of the position of the party the candidates put in nomination for Judges of the Superior Court should be pledged in advance not to accept a penny of salary after the Court shall have been abolished.

Spare the Tree.

We notice many fine walnut logs being hauled thru town for shipment by rail, and piles of them are seen at every station. At this rate there may soon be no more walnuts to crack for our little girls and boys, and what a calamity that will be as they might fall into some mischief instead for passtime. Woodman, spare the walnut tree.

Its Largest Tonnage.

Last Saturday the tonnage over the Beech Creek was the largest in the history of the road. Seven hundred and sixty one cars of coal were delivered at Jersey Shore Junction.

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