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DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

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

It is said the Philadelphia leaders of the late Hog Combine, will have organized opposition in every ward. Quay is after them in dead earnest.

MUCH of the "lager beer" sold, now is dirty, stinking, impure stuff. There is a vast difference between "lager beer" and lager beer.

THERE is not much commotion just now in Centre county politics. There is no calamity to howl over, and the late howlers know the Democratic ticket will be elected.

It's not true, says Dave Martin, the report that he intends to resign as a member of the Republican state committee, because Quay is the chairman of it.

QUAY offered to submit his candidacy for the Republican chairmanship to a direct vote of his party. Now let that be the proposition of Don Cameron for a re-election to the U. S. senate; it would be fair.

QUAY in this state and Foraker in Ohio are playing together in favor of Tom Reed for the Presidency. Foraker to have Ohio endorse McKinley for President, but the delegates to be the friends of Reed.

THE New York Sun's Philadelphia correspondent says that Quay will drop Cameron and not assist him to a re-election to the U. S. senate, for the reason that Cameron left Quay to himself during his recent fight and went to some other part of the country.

THE wife of Secretary Carlisle has intimated that her husband would be a candidate for President. It is also said he is Mr. Cleveland's choice. Secretary Carlisle would make a good President; he is one of the country's purest and most eminent statesmen.

GEN. Beaver's nail mills at Bellefonte, which closed down under the benign operation of high protective tariffs about five years ago, are to resume operations, giving work to about 150 operatives, who won't have so much "protection," but more bread and butter.

THE Democrats of Huntingdon have nominated John M. Bailey for president judge of the Huntingdon-Mifflin district. A good nominee and a first class lawyer, a gentleman of purity of character, these are qualities possessed by Mr. Bailey, and the people should elect him if they desire to have an upright judge.

THE friends of Quay, with his permission no doubt, are talking of running him for governor after Hastings' term is out. Then, we suppose, the Cameron game of Don succeeding Simon in the senate, would be repeated, and Dick Quay succeed his father in the U. S. senate, perpetuating the Quay dynasty, which is just now busy at hog killing, looking ahead.

THE Governor is to have it cozy. The executive mansion is torn up from cellar to garret and will not be in condition for Governor and Mrs. Hastings to entertain company before late in the fall. New York decorators began work this week on the decoration of the reception rooms, study and bed chambers. After they are thro with these apartments they will go to work on the parlor, which will require several weeks. The furniture will not be placed in position before this work is completed. The governor and his wife, are guests at the mansion of ex-Mayor Fidler, of Philadelphia, at Elberon.

If those plain old governors, George Wolf, Simon Snyder and Frank Shunk could come back and see the splendor of the executive mansion, how they would open their honest eyes!

A SERIOUS OMISSION.

The organs of both Republican factions in Pennsylvania continue to discuss the platform of the recent State Convention, especially the pledges in behalf of political reform inspired by Senator Quay. There is, in fact, little else in the platform that is worth discussion. But in the profuse distribution of platform commendations not the slightest mention was made of the recent Republican Legislature and its achievements. While applauding "the splendid administration of Governor Hastings" (which was well-

nigh forgotten,) why should the Legislature, which was so intimately associated with almost every act of that Administration, have been thus neglected? When the legislature adjourned the Republican journals throughout the state broke out in a chorus of condemnation of its profligacy, stupidity and fanaticism. But, with curious inconsequence, many of them supported and defended the State Administration at the same time.

Yet it is but just to say that the legislature which the Republican State Convention could not venture to commend, while bestowing praise upon the Executive who approved its worst acts, was more facile and complaisant than corrupt. The panic of last year, which overturned some of the strongest Democratic counties in the state, flung into the legislature a large number of inexperienced men who readily yielded, through ignorance rather than by dishonest design, to the cunning manipulation of the lobby. This is what largely serves to account for "the corporate control" of the legislature, the profuse "grant of exclusive franchises," the creation of "unnecessary positions and salaries," the extravagant expenditures and other flagrant abuses which Senator Quay so emphatically condemned in his programme of political reform. The Senator, in whose thorough sincerity of purpose to devote himself to the work of purging the Commonwealth of these abuses we shall continue to confide, could not without gross inconsistency commend the legislature which was so largely responsible for them. Hence the silence of the platform concerning the recent legislature. It was necessary to repudiate the legislature along with its bad acts.

Nor could Senator Quay, except in irony, applaud "the splendid administration of Governor Hastings," without whose suggestion, connivance and subsequent approval the worst acts of the legislature could not have been vitiated. How, indeed, was it possible to condemn the unnecessary increase of positions and salaries for the benefit of officials of the Administration and other legislative abuses without including in the same indictment the Executive who approved them? But the Administration was not in Senator Quay's platform, any more than was the legislature with which it is associated in the public mind. The resolution applauding the administration was injected into the platform in a gush of harmony, and the "splendid" adjective was permitted to go for what it was worth. Such a resolution in behalf of the recent legislature would have had the same value.

The people of Pennsylvania will not have an opportunity to reckon fully with the legislature of 1895 until the elections next year. Senator Quay and the Republicans who sustain him will then be enabled to inaugurate his comprehensive programme of reform by securing the election of members of the State Senate and House of Representatives pledged to carry it into effect. In this work they can count upon the hearty co-operation of the Democrats of Pennsylvania. For this year, the people of the state have to deal with the worst act of the legislature in the erection of an unnecessary Superior Court, with its seven highly salaried Cads. The only effective way to condemn this iniquity would be to reject its beneficiaries at the ballot box as a preliminary step to the abolishment of the court itself.

COUNTY NEWS.

Clipped, Gathered and Botted Down. The different Sunday Schools of Rebersburg will hold a picnic in Daniel Brungard's woods, next Saturday, 14.

H. E. Corman, of Rebersburg, has gone to New York to take a course in Phrenology.

W. F. Reber, of Bellefonte, has obtained the position of treasurer of the Broad Top and Cambria Coal Co. in Philadelphia.

J. H. Holmes, at State College, sold his store goods and fixtures to Charles Long of Spring Mills, who will remove them to his other store at State College.

St. Paul's Sunday school in Haines township, will hold a picnic in Winkelblech's woods, next Saturday, 14.

'Squire Henry R. Smith is slowly improving at the home of his son at Potter's bank.

A little soldier came to the home of Emanuel Smith, at Potter's Mills.

Lock Haven Curb Market.

Butter 18 and 20 cents; eggs 15 cts.; chickens 50 cents per pair, dressed 30 cents each; apples 40 cents per bushel; potatoes 40 cents per bushel; peaches 40 to 60 cents per peck; tomatoes 10 cents a peck; pears 25 to 40 cents per peck; corn 8 cents per pozen; cucumbers 30 to 40 cents per 100, home grown cantaloupes 5 to 12 cents each.

The merchant tailoring establishment at Lewins, Bellefonte, is turning out more and finer work than any in this part of the state. The prices are just right, and once a customer always customers there.

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WOODWARD.

A Small Child of H. M. Goodman Died on Saturday.

Daniel Engle and H. C. Brungard had business at Bellefonte on Tuesday. Contractor Thomas E. Smith has the new school house at Weaver's Intersection ready for the seats.

Our public schools will open on next Monday, Sept. 16.

I. L. Kreamer and W. R. Motz availed themselves of the cheap excursion rates, and therefore will represent this place at the G. A. R. Reunion at Louisville, Kentucky, this week.

Mr. Van Horn, of Juniata county, Sundayed with Dr. W. P. Ard and family.

Benjamin Reighard, of Mifflinburg, spent several days as the guest of Mrs. J. C. Motz.

John G. Hess, of Pine Grove Mills, spent several days visiting friends in this section.

A large deer was a great object in Newton Hess' potato field on Saturday. Some of the old hunters who helped to raise the potatoes say they had an awful dose of Buck fever, because the season for deer was not here yet.

A liquor inspector from Washington, D. C., was here last week looking after the soft drink dealers. Every one at this place is on the safe side, while at other places they had to pay \$30.00 with half the amount of sales of ambrosia, which they sold for temperance drink, but which is really intoxicating, being a product of stale lager beer.

Printer J. F. Rearick, of Spring Mills, was in our midst looking up trade.

A small child of H. M. Goodman, whose sickness we mentioned in our last letter, died on Saturday and was buried on Monday; age two years.

John J. Orndorf has remodeled his house and had it painted and now it is one of the beauties of this section.

Jacob Musser has taken the contract to gather milk and cream for Guist-wite's creamery at Coburn.

Some one missing at this place. Who knows where he is? Strange, but men will hide from the law.

Several of our farmers raised over 1000 bushels of potatoes this summer. Prices at present are 21 cents per bushel.

Short and Spicy.

Weather has been warm, afternoons. Potatoes keep standing at 20 cents, and never were finer.

Tents are going up on the picnic ground, over 200 of 'em.

Butter has riz to 18-slippery. Boob still gets wheel orders from foreign lands.

Col. And. Gregg superintends the erection of tents on the picnic ground.

Some people in town are extravagantly wasteful in the use of water causing much of the scarcity.

Activity now reigns on the picnic ground—the pride and glory of our town and of Bro. Rhone.

The disgraceful stink puddle has at last been filled, what duty demanded months ago.

The first delegation to arrive at Williamsport was from Bellefonte to boom C. M. Bower for superior judge.

Advise your friends outside the county to subscribe for the Reporter, to get all home news, save letter writing and postage.

Don't be mean and of jealous spirit, it's bound to go back on you some time.

Huntingdon for the Veterans in '96.

At its encampment at Lewistown last Thursday the Juniata Valley veteran association selected Huntingdon as the place for the next encampment, to be held during the celebration of that borough in 1896. W. M. Allison, of Mifflintown, and Dr. A. M. Smith, of Selingsgrove, were elected vice presidents; A. Letterman, of Huntingdon, secretary, and H. F. Coplean, of Tyrone, treasurer. The encampment at Lewistown was a great success, thousands of veterans from the counties between the Allegheny mountains and the Susquehanna river being present and quartered in Camp Hullings in tents obtained from the adjutant general's department.

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