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CO. CONVENTION

DEMOCRATS INSTRUCT FOR PAT- TISON FOR PRESIDENT.

Delegates Selected by Saturday's Con- vention to the State Convention.—Reso- lutions Adopted.

The Democratic County Convention of 1895, was re-convened, and met in the court house on Saturday, 11 a. m., of last week for the purpose of electing five delegates to the state convention. County chairman, Newton Spangler, called the convention to order. On motion of Dr. White, Hugh Taylor, Esq. was unanimously chosen chair- man of the convention.

The chairman, in a brief but appropriate speech thanked the convention for the honor bestowed upon him, and congratulated the assembled Democracy upon the harmony that prevailed, and the victory that was sure to fol- low in this county, as a result of the good feeling prevailing. Our prin- ciples are fast and true, have lived and gone on, while other parties and their tenets have died. Mr. Taylor paid a deserved tribute to the efficiency of County Chairman Spangler. Mr. Tay- lor is one of the rising young Democ- rats of this county.

W. C. Heinle, R. D. Foreman and W. K. Alexander, were chosen a com- mittee on resolutions.

On motion of H. B. Herring, the following gentlemen were unanim- ously chosen as delegates to the Allen- town convention, viz: I. H. Eskrige, W. H. Denlinger, Balser Weber, W. B. Mingle and Geo. W. Jackson.

On motion of James Cornely, Col. J. L. Spangler was called upon to ad- dress the convention, and congratulated the Democracy upon its harmony, and hoped the same would prevail in the approaching convention to place in nomination a county ticket, on June 9. Victory seemed to be certain; our party has lived from the days of Jefferson and its principles will live forever. Col. Spangler spoke highly of Gov. Pattison and was frequently applauded.

D. F. Fortney, esq., was next loudly called for and delivered a brief speech, full of his old time vigor, and eloquent- ly referred to the doings of the Demo- cratic party as right and patriotic, and eulogized the administration of Pres- ident Cleveland as eminently wise. The audience gave Mr. Fortney's ad- dress rounds of applause.

The following resolutions were read by Mr. Heinle:

The Democracy of Centre county in convention assembled resolves:

1. That we endorse the wise and pa- triotic administration of Grover Cleve- land. We commend his efforts to sus- tain the honor and credit of the na- tion in his purpose to maintain the gold standard as the only safe basis upon which the financial policy of this government can rest so as to maintain our high standing among the nations of the earth, restore permanent confi- dence to the business of the country and prosperity and happiness to the people. We rejoice in his broad and heroic enunciation of the Monroe doc- trine and his determination to teach the Monarchical governments of the earth that as a people, we cannot and will not tolerate the extensions of their institutions, or the acquisition by them of any additional territory on this con- tinent. We commend his administra- tion in enforcing a strong foreign policy and at the same time preserving the peaceful relations that have so long existed between our government and every other government in the world.

2. That believing in the availability and pre-eminence of fitness, mindful of the great victories the Democracy of Pennsylvania has won under his lead- ership, proud of the executive ability manifested while chief magistrate of this commonwealth, having faith in his honesty, integrity, and courage as a man, pure in private life, clean in his public career, knowing that his views on the financial and tariff ques- tions are sound and in accord with those of the present Democratic ad- ministration, always with the people as against rings, monopolies and ir- responsible bosses, believing that his nomination would secure for the Dem- ocratic party the electoral vote of Pen- nsylvania, we declare the Honorable Robert E. Pattison as our choice for President of the United States, and in- struct the delegates this day elected to the State Convention to do whatever they can to secure for him the support of the Pennsylvania delegation at the coming Democratic National Conven- tion.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted amid applause.

A. S. Graman, was recommended unanimously as a delegate to the National Convention, an honor well de- served, as Mr. Garman is one of the truest Democrats in the county. The convention then adjourned.

—The Philadelphia Branch, Belle- fonte, has the most complete and mod- ern stock of clothing and gents fur- nishing goods of any establishment in Pennsylvania. No shelf-worn stock, everything new and latest style. Prices way down, and every sale made satisfactory. Go see the new room.

—Subscribe for the REPORTER.

OPENING OF P. R. R. CO'S

New Delaware River Bridge. Inaugura- tion of All-Rail Train Service to the Seashore.

The new Delaware River Bridge of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will be opened to travel by the inaugu- ration of through passenger train service from Broad Street Station to Atlantic City, commencing Sunday, April 19, 1896.

A morning express train will leave Broad Street Station daily at 9.05 a. m., after arrival of the night express trains from all portions of the Penn- sylvania Railroad system, and arrive at Atlantic City at 10.55 a. m.

An afternoon express train will leave Broad Street Station daily at 7.00 p. m., and arrive at Atlantic City at 8.50 p. m. This train will connect with the Day Express and Main Line Ex- press from all points in Pennsylvania and the West and North, and the train leaving Washington at 3.15 p. m., and Baltimore at 4.20 p. m.

Returning, a morning train will leave Atlantic City daily at 10.10 a. m., arriving at Broad Street Station at 11.57 a. m., and connecting with the Penn- sylvania Limited and the Fast Line to the West and North, and the 12.09 noon train for Baltimore and Wash- ington. Another train will leave At- lantic City daily at 4.45 p. m., arriv- ing at Broad Street Station at 6.40 p. m., and connecting with the 6.55 p. m. train for Baltimore and Washington and the evening trains for all points on the Pennsylvania System.

All of these trains will carry parlor cars.

An extra fare of twenty-five cents will be charged in each direction on trains via the Delaware River Bridge, in connection with tickets good via Market Street Ferry, Philadelphia.

By the opening of this new all-rail route to the seashore the transfer of passengers and baggage through Phil- adelphia will be avoided, and, as will be seen by the connections given above, the territory from which pass- engers can reach Atlantic City in a daylight journey has been extended in every direction—to Pittsburg, Buff- alo, Danville, and Norfolk, Va.

Millin County Deaths.

In Wayne township, March 25, Cynthia Eugene, daughter of David and Barbara Foust, aged 1 year.

In Wayne township, March 24, Jno. Gilliland, aged 79 years.

In Armagh twp., April 11, Jona- than Henry, aged 85 years.

In Decatur twp., April 9, James Emery, only son of Samuel and Maria Muthersbaugh, aged 5 years.

In Wayne twp., April 5, Peter Rheam, aged 65 years.

In Lewistown, April 12, Samuel Stealy, aged 73 years.

At Yeagertown, April 13, Joseph, son of James Tulley, aged 7 years.

An Exciting Race.

On Monday evening J. Will Conley and family were driving from Howard to Bellefonte in a carriage with two horses. Along the road several miles from Bellefonte, a team of horses and wagon broke loose and started on a mad run after the occupants of the carriage. The team was heard and there was no way of escaping the on- coming team except by keeping ahead. Will was driving and he put his team down to a dead run, keeping ahead. The race kept up for several miles until the runaway team turned off at a cross-road. But for Will's presence of mind in whipping up his horses a fatal accident may have resulted.

An Anecdote.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflam- matory rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheer- fully recommend it. Charles H. Wetzel, Sunbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894.—Walter Shipman, J. P. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Wm. Pealer, Spring Mills; S. M. Swartz, Tusseyville; R. E. Bartholomew, Centre Hall.

Died in Ohio.

Mrs. Krider, wife of Dr. J. B. Kri- der, of Bucyrus, Ohio, died on Mon- day of last week, after a lingering illness of several months. She suffered greatly of paralysis, and her entire body was affected except her heart and brain. She was a sister of Mrs. Stover, of Bellefonte, and was a native of Penns valley.

Died in Colorado.

Last week Mrs. Benjamin Schrock, who for many years had been a resi- dent of Bellefonte died at the home of her daughter Mrs. D. S. Elliot, of Monte Vista, Col., where she had been visiting. Mrs. Schrock was born at Potters Mills, this county.

—A Ball and Bat given away with every Boys' \$3.00 Suit at Faibles.

How to Take Toll.

Judge White, in his list of opinions handed down in common pleas No. 2, Pittsburg, informed turnpike compa- nies that they must collect toll on the spot, and that if they once allow a man to pass through or past a toll gate with- out paying that toll is lost. There were two cases before the court on ap- peal from the decision of a justice of the peace. The Sharpsburg and Kit- tanning turnpike company brought suits against Robert Kerr and M. E. Kerr for six cents each. They had been allowed to pass a toll-gate with- out paying, but they were known to be good for the money. The justice rendered judgments for six cents and the costs and the defendants appealed. Judge White reversed the justices' de- cisions. The judge said that if a toll collector allowed a person to pass through a gate without paying, he could not afterward be sued for the toll.

Another Telephone Line.

The telephone company strung an extra wire from Bellefonte to Centre Hall last week, and put the 'phones on this side of the mountain on two lines. There were sixteen phones on the line and the service was too heavy to accommodate the subscribers, and another line was necessary. Spring Mills was given a line of its own and now all do not want the wire at once. In matter of phones Centre Hall has eleven subscribers and this is a large number considering the population. These are connected by three distinct wires from the Bellefonte exchange.

State Notes.

Hon. James Kerr, it is said, declines to be a candidate for Congress in this 25th district. He may be a candidate for Congressman-at-large.

The Pittsburg Post wonders why Governor Hastings, of Bellefonte, has deserted McKinley when his county recently gave such a big majority for the Ohio man.

Those who count the Pennsylvania delegates should not forget that two national delegates in Philadelphia were positively instructed for Speaker Reed for President.

Are Still Active.

Father Tressler, of Linden Hall, in- formed us he is 95 years of age, and he seems hearty enough to reach the 100.

Daniel Garman, of Bellefonte, is now scoring the 75th year, and looks to be only 70.

Mr. George Shaffer, of Madisonburg, is now 85 years of age, and looks ten years younger than he is.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been granted the past week:

G. W. Long, Farmers Mills, and Ada A. Long, Penn Cave.

Stewart Weston and Verna Thomas, of Port Matilda.

Milliken Walker, of Boggs town- ship, and Nannie Yearick, of Howard.

J. E. Gutelius, of Millheim, and Bes- sie A. Stover, of Madisonburg.

No Big Catches.

The legal trout season opened last Wednesday, and some of our sports took a turn at the finny tribe. The catches were small, and scientific Simon Harper only brought home about a half dozen. If he don't get them, you can bet they won't be coaxed out of the water.

Died at Lock Haven.

Joe Parsons, a former citizen of Bellefonte, was found dead in his bed at Lock Haven last Thursday, from the effects of alcoholism. He was a club-footed shoemaker, and been in- dulging quite freely for some time. He was aged about 41 years, and leaves a wife and several children.

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Will Erect a Glass Manufactory.

A large glass manufactory will be erected on Montgomery creek, Clear- field county, by Pittsburg capitalists, who have leased 520 acres of land for that purpose. An inexhaustible supply of the finest sand for glass has been found along the creek.

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THE WEATHER.

Temperature and Rain and Snow Fall, Registered at the Reporter office.

Temperature	Highest.	Lowest.	
April 15	62	52	clear.
" 16	85	73	clear.
" 17	80	56	clear.
" 18	90	62	clear.
" 19	87	58	clear.
" 20	83	57	fair.
" 21	73	64	fair.
" 22	66	40	fair.

Monday evening, 20th, thunder gust .60 in. rain.

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CAPITOL NEWS

REED SUSPICIOUS OF HIS HENCH- MEN.

Boomers Knifing the Czar, and His Chan- ces Slim for the Nomination.—No Reciprocity Bills.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Speaker Reed is getting suspicious of some of those who have undertaken the task of making him the Republican candi- date for President. One of the men under suspicion is Quay. Reed is said to believe that in addition to dicker- ing with other candidates for the nomi- nation, Quay has got the idea in his head that if McKinley and Reed can both be thrown down he can himself get the nomination (Gee Whiz! wouldn't Quay's nomination be a veritable windfall for the Democratic party?) Others have known that Quay's head had become swelled with the Presi- dential idea sometime, and have believed that if he could at any time during the St. Louis convention get the nomi- nation for himself he would have no hesitation in gobbling it up regardless of his obligations to Mr. Reed or to anybody else. And there isn't the slightest doubt that the practical poli- ticians of the Platt-Clarkson stripe would sooner see Quay nominated than anyone yet named. He belongs to their class and they would know just how to deal with him. Surely no man has a better right to be suspicious of these men than Mr. Reed, whom they are pretending to be supporting in his fight for that nomination. They may vote for Mr. Reed and they may get him nominated, but if they do, it will be because they find that they cannot do better for themselves by supporting somebody else.

The Democratic "steering" com- mittee has served notice upon Republican Senators that while desiring not to raise any obstacles to early adjourn- ment, if the Republicans are willing to return to the people with a record of having done nothing except to pass the Appropriation bills, they insist upon being consulted upon all the measures to be taken up during the remainder of the session and will not grant unanimous consent to take up anything that has not been previous- ly agreed upon.

The movement started by Senator Hawley, of Conn., to take the print- ing of the postage stamps away from the Bureau of Printing and Engraving at Washington, and give it to the lowest private bidder is making rapid progress and if the friends of real econ- omy in public expenditures do not watch their P's and Q's the schemers will get it through. It is difficult to understand how any man can have the cheek to stand up and advocate this step backward in the face of the advantages the government has gain- ed by taking charge of this work. The stamps are better printed, there are more safeguards around their distribu- tion, and considerably more than \$50,000 a year is saved.

The Republican majority of the House Committee on Ways and Means has decided not to report any reciproc- ity bill during this Congress, giving as the reason the uncertainty of what ac- tion the Senate would take upon such a bill and the presence of the Demo- cratic President. The real reason is that the Republicans do not care to define the exact party policy on this subject as a bill would have to do, be- lieving that it will make more votes by leaving the question open so that any sort of promise that may be de- manded may be made.

There was a time when a Senator who was accused of having lied by another Senator, as Gear, of Iowa, was by Allen, of Nebraska; would not have stood up and quietly said that he took no exception to the language, as Mr. Gear did, but it seems to have gone by. Still there are Senators who believe that calling a man a liar is equivalent to striking him and who are prepared to live up to that belief at all times. The occasion of the Allen-Gear episode was the Pacific Railroads Bill, which Mr. Gear, as Chairman of the Pacific Railroads Committee re- ported to the Senate, and it was direct- ly caused by Mr. Gear having stated that Weaver, the Populist candidate for President in 1892, stood for the con- fiscation of railroad property, the tele- graph and the telephone, and the is- suance of paper to pay for them. This railroad bill may be the cause of a very bitter fight in the Senate—Czar Reed can put it through the House without any trouble—because of the belief of some Senators that it is entirely too favorable to Huntington.

The Dupont case is still nominally before the Senate, but nobody would be greatly surprised if it is never voted upon. The Republicans are now cer- tain that they cannot seat him unless some Senators who have announced their determination to vote against him can be changed by pressure, cir-

cumstances or time, and for that reason it is being allowed to drag along.

Great pressure is being brought to bear upon Senator Gorman to get him to change his mind about not going to the Chicago convention, but so far he sticks to what he said first—that he will not go.

COBURN.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ganes Died on Saturday af- ter a Lingering Illness.

Jacob Kerstetter, H. M. Swartz and A. P. Zerby attended the Democratic County Convention at Bellefonte on Saturday, as delegates from Penn township.

R. F. Vonada and J. F. Garthoff, Esq., had legal business in Bellefonte on last Saturday and attended the County Convention.

Mr. Croll has had a new board walk built along his lots, which is quite an improvement, as the former one was dangerous for pedestrians to walk upon.

Merchant T. F. Meyer is in Phila- delphia this week buying his stock for spring and summer trade.

An itinerant umbrella mender made Rome howl on Monday evening by his soul-subduing songs.

Luther Guisewitz has purchased the boiler used by the Little Sugar Valley Lumber Company, in Little Sugar Valley, and had it brought to this place on Monday.

Frank Bartges, who in the spring moved on the Evert farm, lost a valuable cow on Sunday. The bovine broke into the chop box a few days previous and overate herself—greedy villain—and as a consequence passed in her checks on the above mentioned day.

Word was received here by telegraph one day last week that Andrew Weaver, who was serving a two year and nine month's sentence in the Western Penitentiary, for robbing a shanty be- longing to Stover and Witmyer, of this place, had died in that institu- tion of Bright's disease. By order of the Overseers of the Poor, his remains were buried by the authorities of the Penitentiary.

The members of the United Evan- gelical church at this place, organized a Society of Christian Endeavor on Sunday. We now have two such or- ganizations at this place.

Miss Plance Bowersox, who had been staying at George Bower's in Haines township the last few weeks, was brought home last Friday, suffer- ing from nervous prostration; she is slowly recovering at this writing.

Mr. Russell, of Milroy, has rented the store room on the corner, of M. D. Rocky and will try and dispose of a lot of surplus goods left on hand in selling his store at Milroy to Mr. Kulp formerly of this place; he also deals in country produce.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ganes, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Platt for the last year or two, died on last Saturday forenoon, at the age of 70 years, 3 months and 8 days. She had been complaining of a complication of diseases for a long time. Deceased joined the Evangelical church when she was seventeen years of age, and ever since has been a consistent member of the same. Her husband preceded her to the grave about fourteen years ago. Two sons and one daughter also died before the subject of this sketch. Five daughters survive her; Mary, inter- married with Henry Zerby; Sarah, inter- married with James A. Kooey, Levina, wife of J. J. D. Platt, Hulda, wife of Samuel Ripka, and Minerva R., widow of George Fortney, late of Altoona, Pa. Her remains were in- terred in the Mountain cemetery on Tuesday, Rev. Lohr officiating.

From a letter written by J. Gunder- man, of Dimondale, Mich., we are per- mitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at J. D. Murray's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

Run by the Family.

The spectacle of a woman working in a saw mill in the capacity of fire- man, may be seen within two miles of Du Bois. A man named Miller has a small portable mill on the outlying district, and has been operating it with a crew composed of himself, his wife and a twelve year old son.

—See our great assortment of Straw Hats—Faibles.

LINDEN HALL.

Visitors Who Have Been Circulating Among Us the Past Week.

Miss Mary Miller, of Lemont, was a pleasant and welcome guest of Misses Lizzie and Katie Zeigler a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swabb, of Centre Hall, were guests at the home of George Swabb, at this place on Sun- day.

Miss Magdalena Calloway, of Belle- fonte, was the guest of her friend, Miss Fredda Hess over Sunday.

The sad news was received here on Sunday of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Garis, of Coburn. She was the moth- er of Mrs. Samuel Ripka, of this place, and was well known through here.

Jacob Herman, of Lemont, Republi- can candidate for Sheriff, was in town on Thursday last, shaking hands with his many friends.

The season for gardening and house- cleaning is here and our busy and thrifty house-wives are busy in the house and out.

Mrs. C. C. Gettig, of Tusseyville, spent Sunday with friends at this place.

Quite a number of people were com- plaining of the warm weather last week, it having set very hard on the people all at once.

Rev. C. H. Goodling preached a very interesting and able sermon on Sun- day afternoon to a large and apprecia- tive audience; Sunday school was well attended in the afternoon, also the prayer meeting in the evening.

Mrs. Wm. Stover has been very ill for the past week with pleurisy; we hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McClellan, of this place, were visiting friends at Tussey- ville on Sunday.

S. J. Wagner, of Tusseyville, was seen in town a few hours on Tuesday last.

Mrs. William Bible, of this place, spent Tuesday in Bellefonte.

Mrs. David Snyder presented her husband with a little baby girl; Dave would have been more pleased had it been a girl.

OAK HALL.

Items of Interest of the Past Week from that Thriving Town.

Jacob Markle is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Ira C. Korman is also on the sick list.

One of Henry Homan's children is sick at present.

W. H. Close, while trimming trees last week, cut his hand badly. It is healing fast however.

There is a great deal of sickness among horses about this place.

Barney lost one of his mules on Sat- urday.

T. F. Gramley traded horses with Naly Dale Monday.

Our hack driver and mail carrier is quite lively since he drives two ponies.

W. O. Rearrick, of Centre Hall, was in our town making sales of his corn planters last week.

E. B. Peters and W. H. Close are busy painting their houses.

Our enterprising miller made a nice shipment of corn and oats this week. For good flour call on him.

If you want a bargain in a bicycle or hay rake, hay tedder, and spring har- row, call on Ira C. Korman.

Our stream has been flooded with fishermen of late.

During the winter of 1893, F. M. Martin, of Long Beach, West Va., con- tracted a severe cold which left him with a cough. In speaking of how he cured it he says: "I used several kinds of cough syrup but found no relief un- til I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which relieved me al- most instantly, and in a short time brought about a complete cure."

When troubled with a cough or cold use this remedy and you will not find it necessary to try several kinds before you get relief. It has been in the mar- ket for over twenty years and constant- ly grown in favor and popularity. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Wm. Pealer, Spring Mills; S. M. Swartz, Tusseyville; R. E. Bartholomew, Centre Hall.

GOOD FARM LAND FOR SALE.

A tract of 35 acres in excellent state of cultivation with fruit trees thereon, 1/2 mile east of Centre Hall station, is offered for sale in any quantities to suit purchasers. A dwelling house, stable, 2 acres of ground with orchard, adjoining the above, known as the Michael Condo property, is also offered for sale. Apply to Fred Kurtz, Centre Hall.

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