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EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

CLEARFIELD, PA.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 2, 1871.

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
GEN. WM. McCANDLESS,
OF PHILADELPHIA.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
CAPT. JAMES H. COOPER,
OF LAWRENCE COUNTY.

☞ A full poll of the Democratic vote will secure the election of our State ticket by a large majority.

☞ Let every Democrat remember that, and impress the truth of it upon the minds of his neighbors.

Democratic District Ticket.

SENATOR:
WILLIAM A. WALLACE, of Clearfield.
[Subject to the action of District Convention.]

Democratic County Ticket.

ASSEMBLY:
JOHN LAWSHE, of Osceola.
ASSOCIATE JUDGES:
WILLIAM C. FOLEY, of Clearfield.
JOHN J. READ, of Lawrence.
PROTHONOTARY:
AARON C. TATE, of Clearfield.
REGISTER & RECORDER:
ASBURY W. LEE, of Clearfield.
TREASURER:
SAMUEL P. WILSON, of Bradford.
COMMISSIONER:
F. F. COUTRIET, of Karthaus.
AUDITOR:
REUBEN McPHERSON, of Clearfield.
COUNTY SURVEYOR:
S. P. McCLOSKEY, of Curwensville.

Democratic Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee authorized by the Democratic State Convention of Pennsylvania has been constituted and organized as follows:

Wm. A. Wallace, Clearfield, *Chairman.*
Wm. Mutchler, Esq., Easton, Northampton.
Hon. Samuel J. Randall, Philadelphia.
C. B. Brockway, Esq., Bloomsburg, Columbia.
Robert L. Johnson, Esq., Ebensburg, Cambria.
Hon. Charles J. Biddle, Philadelphia.
Lewis C. Cassiday, Esq., Philadelphia.
Gen. George W. Cass, Pittsburgh, Allegheny.
L. A. Mackey, Esq., Lock Haven, Clinton.
W. S. Stenger, Esq., Chambersburg, Franklin.
Hon. W. McClelland, Lawrence, *Secretary.*

No eleven better men are to be found in the State, and a lively canvass may be expected.

REMARKABLE.—Nearly all Grant's Cabinet Ministers were in Washington on Friday last.

AN INVOICE.—A ship load of ten Elephants, from Ceylon, landed at New York, on last Saturday.

We notice that the Bellefonte Law Library is creating a little unpleasantness between some of the Democratic candidates for the Legislature.

HANDY.—The Radical State Central Committee, or, the major portion, assembled at Erie last week, under pay as jurors in the United States Circuit and District Courts.

READY FOR A BLAZE.—The Williamsport *Standard* says: "Tyrone has a cavalry company called the 'Sheridan Troop.' Whether it proposes to go into a general mill and barn burning business is not stated."

Hon. James G. Blaine is prominently mentioned for the nomination of the Vice Presidency.—*Radical Exchange.*

Better see Ben Butler about that arrangement before you go too far, or ye might both land in the Dutch Gap Canal.

THE NOMINEES.—The Democrats of Maryland met in State Convention in Baltimore, on the 19th ult., and nominated Hon. Wm. Pinkey Whyte, of that city, for Governor, Hon. A. K. Seyster, of Washington county, for Attorney General, and Hon. Levin Woolford, (present incumbent,) for Comptroller.

Cambria county, says an exchange, has gone for Gen. Hancock for President and R. L. Johnson, Esq., for Senator. That's more than she done for Speer, for Congress, last fall. Probably if they cannot regulate their domestic concerns they will now try national affairs awhile, until home affairs become settled and quiet.

A LIVELY BUSINESS.—From three to four hundred dollars' worth of counterfeit legal tenders and fractional currency is received daily at the redemption division of the Treasury. It is returned to the senders. And this, too, while a regiment of Treasury detectives (if they don't lie,) gobble up a batch of counterfeiters every week.

GOSPEL TRUTH.—The article in another column, taken from the New York *Sun*, one of the shining lights of Radicalism, on "An Abuse of Official Power," sounds like thunder from a clear sky. It is so seldom that Radical newspapers tell the truth upon such matters that we are compelled to give the article in full, and we hope our Democratic readers will call the attention of their "loyal" neighbors to this political curiosity.

OBITUARY.—Robert Elder, of Half Moon, Centre county, known to many of our readers, died at the old homestead in that township one day last week, in the 87th year of his age.

Austin Curtin, a half brother of Ex Gov. Curtin, died near Milesburg, on the 21st, aged 70 years.

Rev. Dr. Joseph F. Berg, an eminent divine in the Dutch Reformed Church, died at New Brunswick, New Jersey, on the 20th inst., in the 60th year of his age. At the time of his death he was professor of Didactic Theology in the Reformed Dutch Theological Seminary at New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Occupations and Salaries.

The fact that the Legislature has repealed the one and two per cent. tax on all occupations valued at over $200, seems to disturb many of our editorial brethren, from the fact that nearly all publish the repealing act. Yet, it does not effect one man in a thousand, and no editors, because their occupation never exceeds two hundred dollars. The tone of the following article, which we clip from the *Journal* of last week, would lead one to suppose that all occupations were exempt from taxation, and that if an individual was too poor to own any property he would have to pay no tax at all. The *Journal* says:

OCCUPATIONS AND SALARIES.—We clip the following from an exchange. The act was approved June 2d, 1871:

"The law imposing a tax on occupations and salaries, in this State, was repealed by our Legislature, a fact which seems to have escaped the notice of some of the officials in this county. Bills have been sent to our several citizens with the occupation tax charged upon them, which shows that the existence of this new law is not generally known. We give below the act as it was passed, and now stands upon our statute books:"

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That so much of the act approved April twenty-ninth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, as imposing a tax of two per centum on every dollar of salary and emoluments over two hundred dollars, of persons holding public office or offices, held under corporations; also, so much of the act as imposes a tax of one per centum on incomes of tradesmen, occupations and professions, over two hundred dollars, is hereby repealed.

Just so. But taxes assessed and due in April are not necessarily wiped out by an act of Assembly approved in June. And more: half the truth in this instance seems to suit better than the whole truth. The repealed act only relates to the wealthy, and does not effect ten men in this county; besides, it only applies to *State tax.* No two per cent. State tax was ever paid by any citizen in this county, hence the repeal relieved no one here. The act only related to bankers and office holders with large salaries. The aggregate amount of State tax paid by citizens of this county on occupations at one per cent. the past year amounts to just *fifteen dollars*, and was paid by seven persons—the wealthiest in the county. The amount is not much, but it must be raised and paid into the State Treasury in the future, and will of course be imposed on the horses and cows of farmers and mechanics.

This repealing act is one of the very dirty tricks done by the Legislature last winter. Those who advocated and brought about the repeal should be ashamed of their work. This is another triumph of capital over the labor of the country, and if it augurs anything good for either party we fail to see it. The repeal of the act in question is an outrage upon everybody, and dare not be defended by any one, because it is wholly in the interest of the wealthy and office-holders.

Constitutional Convention.

At the coming October election the citizens of Pennsylvania will vote upon the question of calling a convention to amend the State Constitution, under the following act passed by the last Legislature:

An Act to authorize a popular vote upon the question of calling a Convention to amend the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the question of calling a convention to amend the Constitution of this commonwealth be submitted to a vote of the people of the general election, to be held on the second Tuesday of October next, the said question to be voted upon in manner following, to wit: In counties and cities in which slip ticket voting is authorized by law, votes for and against a convention may be expressed and given upon the ticket, headed or endorsed with the word "State" and not otherwise; and the words used shall be "Constitutional Convention" or "against a Convention," and in counties or districts in which slip ticket voting shall not be authorized by law, each elector voting upon said question shall cast a separate ballot, endorsed on the outside "Constitutional Convention," and containing on the inside the words "for a Convention" or "against a Convention;" and all votes cast as aforesaid shall be received, counted and returned by the proper election officers and return judges as votes for Governor are received, counted and returned under existing laws.

SEC. 2. That the election aforesaid shall be held and be subject to all the provisions of law which apply to general elections; Sheriffs of the several counties shall give notice of this act in their election proclamation the present year, and the Governor shall cause all the returns of the said elections, as received by the secretary of the commonwealth, to be laid before the legislature at its next annual election.

JAMES H. WEBB,
Speaker of the House.
WILLIAM A. WALLACE,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The second day of June, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.
JOHN W. GEARY.

A PROTEST.—Nearly all the Presbyterian, Lutheran and Baptist clergymen, elders and deacons of the West Branch Valley, from Lock Haven to Northumberland, through Rev. Joseph Stephens, have signed and published a protest against holding the approaching West Branch Camp Meeting, near Lock Haven, which commences on the 15th of August. The Camp Meeting Committee, after reading and discussing the protest, unanimously adopted the following:

Resolved, That the letter of Rev. Joseph Stevens and others be returned to Mr. Stevens with information that the West Branch Camp Meeting Association has capacity to know and understand its social and moral relations and obligations without denominational dictation.

The leading objection in the protest seems to be "the fearful desecration of the Christian Sabbath, under cover of the name and authority of the Christian Church." So we go. What is one brother's poison is another's meat.

A LIVELY FELLOW.—Jos. S. Turner, the Titusville lawyer, was last week convicted in the United States Court at Erie, for forging pension papers, and was sentenced by Judge McCandless to pay a fine of $2,000 and undergo imprisonment in the penitentiary for fourteen years. Two Marshals and District Attorney Swoope, left Erie on Friday morning with their bird for the penitentiary at Allegheny city, but soon after passing Greenville, Mercer county, they found that the bird had flown away. Turner got leave to go into the water closet and while in there escaped out of the window, and at last accounts was still at large.

BURIED.—Hon. Richard Ogelsby, formerly governor of Illinois, is out in a letter positively declining the nomination for Congressman at large to succeed Gen. Logan. Mr. Oglesby was Gen. Logan's strong competitor for the Senate. He expresses himself tired of public life and declares his intention to remain at home with his family the remainder of his life.

An Abuse of Official Power.

Major Amos T. Akerman, formerly of the staff of Major-General Robert Toombs, C. S. A., but at present Grant's Attorney-General, is stumping North Carolina in the interest of his patron. In carrying out the behests of his Presidential master Akerman is sinking the high office which he holds to a depth it has never before fallen to.

The public have long had a correct appreciation of Major Akerman's fitness for the office of Attorney-General. It needed not the representations made to the President last winter, by the Justices of the Supreme Court, of his incapacity and habitual neglect of duty to add confirmation to belief. His opinions, when he succeeds in forming any, on legal questions of grave import are laughed at by members of the bar, and passed over with quiet contempt by the judges to whom they are submitted.

These, however, may be faults of a negative character, and are of the head rather than the heart. But Major Akerman's course as a stump orator in North Carolina is disgraceful, and is well calculated to bring the General Government into contempt. An exciting contest is going on in that State over the question of remodeling the Constitution. The present instrument is the result of carpet-bag rule, and it very naturally fails to meet the requirements of the people under the new regime. They have therefore resolved to change it, and with that view they demand that a convention be called and the question submitted to the people.

President Grant, with an eye to the possible effect such a change may have upon his coveted renomination, says that he doesn't want the Constitution of North Carolina amended in any way, and he has sent the pliant Akerman into that State to mount the stump and so inform the people.—The latter made a speech in Wilmington the other day in which he plainly intimated what would be the result of a neglect to respect Grant's wishes in the matter. He said in substance that if there be a convention and a new Constitution, and the partisans of the old one, though a faction and in the minority, choose still to maintain its existence, it will be for the President to recognize whichever he pleases, and if necessary to uphold his choice by force of arms.

Passing over the flagrant usurpation of authority that would be involved in such a course, let us see in what position the utterance of such a sentiment places Akerman. The question as it would be presented in the case supposed, is purely one of law, and as such would necessarily be referred to the Attorney-General. Therefore we have the spectacle of Akerman on the stump, plainly announcing beforehand what shall be the decision of Akerman the Attorney-General. Could partisanship go any further than that? A Judge—for in such a matter the Attorney-General acts as a Judge, and his decision is just as final—openly avowing his judgment in advance!

If President Grant has not decency enough to remove this unworthy servant from office, he should at least recall him from his present sphere and make him attend to his duties. He has no more right to interfere with the question of remodeling the Constitution of North Carolina than he has to dictate who shall be Premier of England. If the people of North Carolina want to change the organic law of their State, it is none of his business. For him to send an imbecile partisan of the Administration into North Carolina to make threats in his name, is but another disgraceful act added to the many disgraceful acts of his most disgraceful administration.—*New York Sun.*

NO SHIPS.—*But plenty of Ku-Klux bills and Reconstructions.*—On Saturday last, six steamships left the port of New York for Europe, carrying two thousand passengers, and heavy cargoes of American produce. *Not one of the six steamers was an American vessel.* Year after year, under the present Radical system, American commerce has steadily declined, and yet Congress, at each successive session for years past, has been so much occupied with passing Ku Klux and other oppressive laws, that it has not had time to give the subject of American commerce any consideration. Nor will proper relief ever come from the party now in power. They are for class legislation, by which the few are made rich at the expense of the many, and hence their actions are always productive of bad results upon the general business of the nation.

CAMBRIA COUNTY.—The Democracy of Cambria county met at the Court House at Ebensburg on Monday and nominated the following ticket:

Assembly, W. Horace Rose; Prothonotary, J. K. Hite; Associate Judges, John Flanagan, R. W. Lloyd; District Attorney, H. H. Sechler; Treasurer, John Cox; Commissioner, W. D. McClelland; Poor House Director, James Farren; Auditor, W. A. A. Little.

R. L. Johnson, Esq., was declared the choice of the Convention for Senator, and empowered to select his conferees.

F. A. Shoemaker was elected Chairman of the County Committee.

THE GREAT DRAD HEAD.—Forney's *Press* says: "President Grant may be expected in Washington on the 8th of August, just prior to his departure for his overland trip to California." Those, therefore, who desire to see "the government" at its old seat again, will please repair thither on that day. It is expected that Grant will bring a lot of his Digger Indian relations back with him. His other relations being all cared for.

MISTAKEN.—The Radical newspapers of our State are trying to comfort themselves by telling that there is disaffection in the Democratic ranks towards the nominees of the Democratic State Convention. *This is a base falsehood.* There is not a Democratic paper in the State, so far as we know, that is not giving the nominees a most earnest and zealous support, whether they endorse the 9th resolution or not.

FRUIT CROP.—Cincinnati, July 28.—The fruit crop of this vicinity is coming out beyond expectation. Peaches are more a bundant than last year and above the average quality. Apples have not been of so good a quality for ten years. The yield is fair. There has not been such a crop of plums within a decade. The entire season is three weeks earlier than common.

Dick's extensive iron works at Meadville, were burned on the 29th ult. Loss $20,000; insured for $10,000.

Et Tu, Brute.

One by one the friends of the President desert him. When he first entered the White House the Radicals were enthusiastic in their praise of the silent soldier who was to reconstruct the Union, and bring disorder out of the chaos of civil war by the mere rattle of his saber in its sheath. Now his professed admirers are limited to the circle of his own relations of the Federal office holders, the two being in most cases identical. Among the most persistent of his trumpeters have been the Messrs. Harpers, who in their several periodicals have lavished much praise upon him. They too, however, have at last been forced to change their tone, and in the last number of their magazine publish the following bitter assault upon him in the form of an extract from a letter of Thomas Jefferson, in which the writer said:

"The public will never be made to believe that an appointment of a relative is made on the ground of merit alone, uninfluenced by family views; nor can they ever see with approbation offices, the disposal of which they entrust to their Presidents for public purposes, divided out as family property. Mr. Adams degraded himself infinitely by his conduct on this subject, as General Washington had done himself the greatest honor. With two such examples to proceed by I should be doubly excusable to err. It is true that this places the relations of the President in a worse situation than if he were a stranger; but the public good, which cannot be effected if its confidence be lost, requires this sacrifice".

An attack so bitter and unexpected as this must greatly annoy the President. While criticism of his official acts is always in order, it is not pleasant to see him thus suddenly stabbed by those who have been his foremost friends. The Messrs. Harper, of course, share in the shame which all good citizens feel at the gross nepotism of the President, but their assault upon the man whom they have heretofore so unformly defended is cruel in its suddenness and sarcastic bitterness.—*New York World*

Illinois Speaks.

The New York *Sun* says: The Republican State Central Committee of Illinois held a special meeting yesterday. The object was to prepare for the State campaign this fall, but the Committee are farseeing men. They evidently have the good of the great national Republican party at heart, for they expressed the opinion that Ulysses S. Grant is not the proper person to make a successful run on the Presidential ticket. They demanded as the next candidate a civilian experienced in Government affairs.

This action is timely. The Republicans of New York will re-echo it.—The shameless character of the Military Ring who completely control the President is understood by the honest Republicans of the great State of Illinois. They condemn Grant's nepotism and his arbitrary and unconstitutional action in endeavoring to force his San Domingo fraud upon the people. They utter their protest against Grant's dastardly Cuban policy, and against his retention of a convicted bribe taker in the State Department. They rise above the uproar created by Grant's thieving office-holders and speak the heartfelt sentiments of the honest masses of the great Republican party. The men of Illinois have sounded the slogan. If their warning is heeded, the party of National Progress may march to victory in the autumn of 1872. If otherwise, dire disaster and defeat are certain.

FAVORITISM.—The mal-administration of our Government is becoming more visible every day. The following fully demonstrates how things are being done, and what has become of army discipline is fully established in this last *fiasco*. The Philadelphia *Age* says: One Captain Offley, not of the Horse Marines, but of the first United States Infantry, was lately brought Michigan, on a number of charges, before a court-martial at Detroit, Among them were, using profane language; neglecting to perform his duty; being drunk, profane and obscene, on several occasions—on some of which ladies were present; giving permission to officers to visit Canada; omitting parades; and ordering a salute to be fired in his own honor, when in a state of highly inflamed intoxication. The Captain was found guilty on these charges, and sentenced to be reprimanded by the Department Commander. This officer thought the sentence too severe, and restored the Captain to duty. Not such duty as that he had been performing we hope. If an officer does not deserve reprimanding for drunkenness, profanity, obscenity and open disregard of orders, for what crimes in the calendar, either civil or military, should be punished? General Grant has demoralized the whole civil service of the country by his loose mode of conducting his administration, and favoritism is now running the army. A change is needed in the chief magistracy of the nation, or all departments of the government will be rotten to the core.

SIX MEN BLOWN TO PIECES.—On Thursday morning last the locomotive "Vulcan," belonging to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, exploded at Coal Port, just above Manch Chunk, whilst going up the road. The engine was blown to atoms and six men who were on her at the time were literally torn to pieces and their mangled bodies strewn about in all directions, one of them in fact, having been thrown across the Lehigh river and was found nearly a quarter of a mile from where the explosion occurred. The men killed all live at Weatherly, Carbon county, and all except one leave wives and children. The following is the names of the unfortunate men: Jacob Lauchner, Engineer; Edward Kuchner, Fireman; George L. Jones, Heston Taney, Henry Nuss and Martin Gerhart, train hands.

The cause of the accident, we presume, will ever remain a mystery, as no one on the engine at the time of the explosion, is left to make any explanation. The engine is said to have been in good running order and experienced engineers, who have examined the wreck, say that the boiler must have had plenty of water in it at that time.—*Easton Sentinel.*

Four burglars made an attempt to rob the Shirley House, Freeport, Armstrong county, on the morning of the 23d, when Mr. Shirley, who had heard of their intention and was well prepared for them, shot at one of their number named Jones, as he was trying to hoist a window, killing him instantly. The other three fled, but were subsequently arrested and lodged in jail at Kittanning.

Miscellaneous Items.

General Sherman has been visiting General McClellan, at Orange, N. J.

The Civil Service Commission, at Washington, has adjourned until October 17th.

Ninety thousand baskets of peaches were sold in New York on Friday last, from Delaware alone.

John Fogle, postmaster at Cadiz, Ohio, was arrested on Thursday for embezzling the funds of the Government.

A lady in Wyoming complains, that notwithstanding the female suffrage law, hundreds of her sex in that territory refuse to vote unless coaxed by good-looking men.

General Harlan, the Radical candidate for Governor of Kentucky, admits that the Ku-Klux law passed at the recent session of Congress is unconstitutional.

Counterfeit ten dollar notes on the Flour City National Bank of Rochester, are being freely circulated in different sections of the State. Our citizens should be on their guard.

The last sensation in Prince Edward county, Va., is the elopement of Henry Clay Owen (white) with a negress, and a daughter of Mr. Elijah Cason with a negro (one of his farm hands.)

A remarkable family lives in Dallas county, Ark. The father is 107 years old, the mother 106, and the two are the parents of twenty-nine children—fifteen boys and fourteen girls.

The Ebensburg *Alleghanian* establishment was sold at Sheriff's sale last week, Mr. Ed. James being the purchaser, and who, it is said, designs starting a Republican paper there at an early day.

The Chicago Common Council are going to Salt Lalt City, and an exchange says it is understood that their purpose is to strike a decisive blow at polygamy by distributing Chicago divorces among the Mormons.

Napoleon visits London every day, generally following along the sunny side of Bond street, or haunts the bow windows of a club house. He is very popular with the working classes, who cheer him, and he is getting very fat.

Kentucky is alive with stump speaking. Nearly all the candidates of the two tickets go about in pairs discussing public issues before the people.—The Kentucky election comes off August 7, and will be the next in order.

Joseph R. Turner, a member of the bar from Titusville, convicted of forging pension papers, was on the 25th ult., sentenced by Judge M'Candless to pay a fine of $2,000 and to fourteen years imprisonment in the western penitentiary.

"A poet," contemplating Gen Grant perplexing his brain over the "new departure," thus went off over his appearance:

"He smile a ghastly smile,
And many a wink he wunk;
And surely it was no pleasant thing
To think the thought he thunk."

WELL MERITED.—The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon Hon. J. S. Black by the Board of Directors of Pennsylvania College at Gettysburg, on last Thursday. If ever a degree was worthily conferred, it is in this instance.

At Mobile, on Saturday, Braxton Bragg, Jr., a nephew of General Bragg, was assaulted on the street by Madison Wilson, son of L. M. Wilson, Vice President of the Mobile and Montgomery Railroad. Both fired pistol shots, and Wilson was instantly killed.

Seventeen Saratoga trunks, two large boxes, three hampers, three small carpet bags, two bird cages, a brace of dogs, a French maid, two easy chairs and a mirror, comprised the baggage of a fashionable Philadelphia family who recently arrived at the Stockton House, Cape May.

Russell Errett, the fugleman of the Cameron-Quay ring, belongs to the editorial fraternity. Publishers of starving Radical newspapers need not hesitate to approach him for pecuniary aid. He knows how it is himself.—He last week paid $700, for the Scranton *Banner* and has more soap left.

The Postmaster-General received from London the formal articles of a treaty for the exchange of postal money orders with Great Britain. The system will go into operation on October 1st, single money orders being limited to $50 each, or £10 sterling.

In the case of Laura Fair, under sentence of death at San Francisco, an appeal has been made to the Supreme Court, and a hearing set for October next. Hence, according to an Associated Press despatch, "there is no likelihood of her being hanged before January next."

The Boston *Times* expresses the hope that now that General Butler's name is fairly before the public as a candidate for Governor of Massachusetts, all the details of the diabolical scheme that he hatched to starve his own mother will be fully exposed.

All the murders and outrages in the Southern States, out of a population of twelve millions, are charged by Republicans to Ku-Kluxism; in the North, where they are more numerous, they are denominated under the old names, and will not appear in pamphlet form as an electioneering document.

The Radicals of Florida follow the example of their friends of Alabama and New York in quarreling about the offices. Senator Osborn has come all the way to Long Branch to convince the President that the way to "settle the Republican differences," is to appoint only his friends to be postmasters and collectors.

Methodist preachers are proverbially facetious. A day or two since, in the course of the trial of Dr. Lanahan before the Book Committee of the Methodist church, the Rev. Dr. Moore made the statement that "a Methodist preacher had been hung, and more ought to be;" whereupon a good brother promptly asked, "Which Moore?"

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now light thirty-five passenger cars with gas, and additions to the number are being made as rapidly as possible. Each car takes with it enough gas for sixty hours steady burning. They have five burners and are so brilliantly lighted that reading is an easy matter in any part of the car.

The Democratic Senate saved the people of the State $250,000 by insisting that the question whether or not a Constitutional Convention shall be called, should be submitted to the people *at the next general election.*—The Republicans wanted to have a *special election* held immediately to determine the question, which would have entailed an expense of at least the above sum upon the tax-payers of the State. The Democratic proposition was finally adopted, and now the people can vote on the question at the same time that they vote for State and county officers.

THE TRUTH ONLY.—The Charleston (S. C.) *Courier*, commenting on the pending Ku Klux investigation, hopes the Committee will do the people of South Carolina the justice to summon before them those who are really the representative men of the State, and who, without bias or personal interest, will truly portray the real condition of the State, vindicate its people from the aspersions which have been recklessly and ruthlessly cast upon them, and thus ascertain the truth and promote the general welfare.—The people of this State, says the *Courier*, have nothing to fear from the truth. It is this which they desire. They shrink from no investigation which is impartial; any other is only calculated to mislead and deceive.

R. J. Bright, State Printer of Indiana, was arrested on Friday for fraud and perjury in the settlement of his accounts with the State.

New Advertisements.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Richard Waple, late of Boggs township, dec'd. To the Heirs and legal Representatives of Richard Waple, deceased: At an Orphans' Court held at Clearfield, in and for the county of Clearfield, June 7th, A. D. 1871, the petition of James H. Waple, assignee of Thomas L. Waple, was presented and read praying for a decree of Court for specific performance of contract with said decedent; whereupon the said Court ordered that publication be made to non-resident heirs, requiring them to appear in said Court, on the 1st day of September Term next, to answer said petition and show cause, if any they have, why a decree should not be made for the specific performance of contract in said petition, mentioned according to true intent and meaning thereof.
By the Court,
Attest: A. W. LEE. C. A. MAYER, P. J. aug2-4t.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT of Clearfield county, Pennsylvania.
In the matter of the partition of the real estate of Richard Waple, late of Boggs township, said county, deceased. To the heirs and legal representatives of the said deceased: Take notice, that an inquest will be held on the premises, in Boggs township, said county, on SATURDAY, the 9th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1871, at 9 o'clock, A. M., of that day, for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of the said deceased, to and among his legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling of the whole, otherwise to value and appraise the same according to law, at which time and place you are required to attend if you think proper.
JUSTIN J. PIE,
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Sheriff.
Clearfield, Pa., Aug. 2, 1871.

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LEONARD HOUSE,
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The undersigned has taken the above named hotel, and respectfully solicits a share of patronage. Its close proximity to the Depot, makes this house a desirable stopping place for the traveling public. (jy19'71) S. B. ROW.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT of Clearfield county, Pennsylvania.
In the matter of the petition of Hannah Nolder, devisee of David Horn, for specific performance of contract of Joseph Linns, deceased, with said David Horn. The undersigned Commissioner, appointed by said Court to take testimony in proof of contract, payment, &c., in this case, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of Hon. J. B. McEnally, in Clearfield, Pa., on Tuesday, the 12th day of September, A. D. 1871, at 2 o'clock P. M., when and where all parties interested may attend.
CYRUS GORDON,
July 26, 1871-3t* Commissioner.

BRASS, Copper and Porcelain lined Preserving Kettles, for sale by
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IN THE ORPHANS' COURT of Clearfield county, Pennsylvania.
In the matter of the partition of the real estate of Elijah Sneal, late of Boggs township, in said county, deceased. To the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased: Take notice, that an inquest will be held on the premises, in Bradford township, said county, on FRIDAY, the 8th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1871, at 9 o'clock, A. M., of that day, for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of the said deceased, to and among his legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling of the whole, otherwise to value and appraise the same according to law, at which time and place you are required to attend if you think proper.
JUSTIN J. PIE, Sheriff.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
Clearfield, Pa., July 26, 1871.

County National Bank,
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ROOM in Masonic Building, one door north of C. D. Watson's Drug Store.
Passage Tickets to and from Liverpool, Queenstown, Glasgow, London, Paris and Copenhagen. Also, Drafts for sale on the Royal Bank of Ireland and Imperial Bank of London.
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JUSTICES' & CONSTABLES' FEES.—We have printed a large number of the new FEE BILL, and will on the receipt of twenty-five cents, mail a copy to any address. my28

Miscellaneous.

THE NEW YORK RIOT!

Orange vs. Green!

Everybody is aware that our "Foreign Relations" have had a big time in New York lately, but Mayor Hall and Governor Hoffman and Chief Kelso and a lot of other fellows have got it fixed up, and the Paddys have stuck the handles in their picks and gone to work again.

But, notwithstanding all this, the KEYSTONE SHOE STORE has been re-filled with a stock of

Boots & Shoes of all descriptions,

from the coarsest to the finest, and from the biggest to the least.

A large stock of Ladies' Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers, of all styles, kinds and prices.

Gent's Shoes, Boots, Gaiters, Slippers—a fine assortment. Misses' and Children's Shoes and Gaiters of all descriptions. Boy's Boots & Shoes, a very large variety.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to call and examine my stock, and flatter myself that I can please the most fastidious, both as to style and price.
T. M. ALEXANDER.
jy26 Keystone Shoe Store, Clearfield, Pa.

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which will thresh from one hundred to two hundred bushels of grain in a day. Will do more work than most of the two-horse Threshing Machines in Market.

Buckeye Grain Drill, Stoner Fanning Mill, best in market, Feed Cutters of all kinds,

Hickock Cider Mill, Dog-powers for Churns, and all things in our line.
M. G. BROWN.
Clearfield, July 12, 1871.

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PROPOSED
AMENDMENT to the CONSTITUTION
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment of the Constitution of this Commonwealth be proposed to the people for their adoption or rejection, pursuant to the provisions of the tenth article thereof, to wit:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out the Sixth Section of the Sixth Article of the Constitution, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A State Treasurer shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State, at such times and for such term of service as shall be prescribed by law."

JAMES H. WEBB,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WM. A. WALLACE,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved the 15th day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.
JNO. W. GEARY.

Prepared and certified for publication pursuant to the Tenth Article of the Constitution.
F. JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
Office Secretary of the Commonwealth,
Harrisburg, July 5th, 1871. tilloi0

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May 3, 1871-1y. JOHN C. HARWICK.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS of Clearfield county, Pa.
C. KRATZER vs. G. D. GOODFELLOW. } No. 332, Sept. Term, 1870. Vend. Ex., No. 91, March Term, 1871.
And now, to wit, 4th June, 1871, on motion of John H. Fulford, Esq., John L. Cuttle is appointed the Auditor to ascertain the amount and priority of liens and report distribution of the proceeds arising from the sale of real estate of said Goodfellow. C. A. MAYER, P. J.
In pursuance of said appointment the subscriber will attend to the duties thereof at the Arbitration Room, in the Court House, on Wednesday, the 16th August, 1871, when and where all parties interested are required to make their claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
jy19'71-3t. JOHN L. CUTTLE, Auditor.

ADMINISTRAT