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DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS. FOR GOVERNOR:

COL. WILLIAM BIGLER, FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER ;

GEN. SETH CLOVER, OF CLARION COUNTY.

FOR JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT JEREMIAH S. BLACK,

was to be m

on the 24th instant:

State Convention.

Trouble Brewing!

Tragedy at Lynchburg, Va.

caster.

(OF SOMERSET COUNTY.) JAMES CAMPBELL, (OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY.) ELLIS LEWIS. (OF LANCASTER COUNTY.) JOHN B. GIBSON, (OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.) WALTER H. LOWRIE,

(OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.)

A Proposition.

Any person forwarding the names of five good new subscribers to the Intelligencer, shall have a copy of the paper for one year, gratis; or, if he be already on our list, receive credit for one year's sub scription.

By the new postage law, it will be seen that from and after the 1st of July, papers circulate through the mails, free of postage, to subscribers within the county in which they are published.

Ratification County Meeting.



THE Democrats of Lancaster County, are requested to assemble at the Court House, in the city Lancaster, on SATURDAY THE 28TH OF JUNE,

SATURDAY THE 28TH OF JUNE, at 1 o'clock, P. M.; for the purpose of ratifying the nominations made by the Democratic Conventions at Reading and Harrisburg. 37 The meeting will be addressed by the 11on. JAMES BUCHANAN and other distinguished speakers. Col. WILLIAM BIGLER is also expected to be pres-ent. NEWTON LIGHTNER, Chairman County Committee. Lancaster, June 10, 1851. James M. Hopkins, Drumore.

State Central Committee.

The following gentlemen compose the Demo cratic State Central Committee for the ensuing po itical year, viz :

Hon. WILLIAM Dock of Dauphin, Chairman Gen. WILLIAM Ross, Luzerne. WILLIAM DEAL, Esq., of Philadelphia. WILLIAM DEAL, Ed., of Finaderpina. THOMAS J. POWER, ESq., of Beaver. J. ELLIS BONHAM, Esq., of Cumberland. Col. JAMES BURNSIDE, of Centre. Col. FREDERICK K. BOAS, of Dauphin. Gen. GEORGE W. BOWMAN, of Bedford. JAMES L. REYNOLDS, Esq., of Lancaster.

The proceedings of the two Demogratic State Conventions have necessarily excluded much other matter intended for this paper. Next week we shall resume our usual variety.

IF The State Convention at Harrisburg having decided by a still more decisive vote, than even the Reading Convention, (S6 to 29!) in favor of the regular organization of the party in this County, the will hardly surrender to his enemies without a we hope our Democratic friends on the other side desperate struggle. We shall see. will now be satisfied. Let by gones be by-gones and let us all be found acting harmoniously and unitedly in support of the nominees of the party .---We should present a united front to the common enemy, and no longer be found wasting our energies in useless and unprofitable squabbles. If we cannot all agree about men, surely we can agree C. Terry, editor of the Lynchburg Virginian : to disagree in that particular as becomes Demo crats, and join heart and hand in our efforts to fur ther the great cause in which we are all engaged.

Hon. Ellis Lewis.

The nomination of this gentleman for a seat on the Supreme Bench, is alike complimentary to Lancaster county, and expressive of the high esteem in which he is held by his Democratic fellow citizens

The Judicial Ticket. We place at the head of our paper this week, th ticket nominated at Harrisburg, by the Democratic Judicial Convention. The Pennsylvanian of Friday,

FIRST DAY. speaking of the result, says; The delegater elected to the Democratic State Convention, to nominate candidates for Governor and Canal Commissioner, assembled in the Court The two Conventions lately held in our State form an era in the political history of Pennsylva-nia. Assembling as they did, with fears of dissen-sion, with predictions of disrupture, they have exand Canal Commissioner, as in the Court House at Reading, on Wednesday, June 4th, 1851, at 2 o'clock, P. M. The Convention was tempora-rily organized by the appointment of CHARLES KUOLER, Ecq., of Montgomery, county, Chairman, and Col. Jonx W. FOREY, of Philadelphia, and

hibited a degree of unanimity which has never be-fore been attained, and which is a prestige of our triumphant success at the polls, in October next— We have already spoken of the singular harmony which pervaded the State Convention which as-M. B. LOWBER, EEq., of Erie, Secretaries, The names of Delegates were called over, b sembled at Reading, on the 4th inst., and pointer Districts, when the following gentlemen presente their credentials and were admitted to seats as members of the Convention. [Delegates names to it as an evidence of our assured victory. We have now to congratulate the Democracy on the

omitted.], Mr. Lauman moved that the contested seats b proceedings of the convention assembled at Harris-burg, on the 11th inst. That body has well and nobly performed its duty, and have presented to their constituents a ticket that will command the now taken up in alphabetical order, and disposed

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AT READING.

of by the Convention.Mr. M'Calmont offered an amendment, to refer respect and secure the votes of all who are sincerely desirous of the success of the State and of the Nahe disputed seats to a Committee of seven Mr. Sterigere offered an amendment to the an

Our telegraphic despatches will show the votes ment, to refer the disputed sent to a monitor of one from each undisputed Senatorial District. The original motion and amendments were de bated by Messrs. Lowry, Forney, Sterigere, Laporte, Frailey, Hughes, McDonough and Mason, when for each candidate who was balloied for in Conven-tion, and no better evidence need be desired of the estimation in which the gentlemen who have received the nomination, are held by their fellow citizens, than that exhibited in the report. The Mr. Sterigere withdrew his admendment, and Mr. Lowry moved as an amendment to the first amend brilliant array of talent from which the selection ide, the high morál worth of their ment, that the Convention proceed to the considera competitors, all show that they must have deserved and obtained a firm hold upon the esteem and af-fections of their fellow citizens, to be so peculiarly tion of the contested seats from Philadelphia Co The amendment was adopted, and the motion, as mended, was agreed to. avored in so intelligent a body as that assemble On motion of Mr. McCalmont, it was Resolved, That the rules of the House of Renre

at Harrisburg, as to receive a nomination on the first ballot. entatives, be adopted as far as practicable, for the We have neither the time nor the space, this goverance of this Convention. morning, to enter into an extended notice of the

goverance of this convention. On motion, the following Delegates, elected by the Democracy of Philadelphia county, at a meet-ing of which William Curtis was President, were declared entitled to seats in the Convention, viz :---Thomas McDonough, William Rice, and Edward distinguished gentlemen whose names we have placed at the head of our paper-if such notice should indeed be necessary. They are too well and too widely known to need it. Each of them are distinguished for high legal attainments, for M'Coy, Senatorial: and Miles Sweeney, Thomas great worth in all the private relations of life, and for purity and integrity of purpose, which must command the respect of all, no matter to what Brown, William H. Fagan, William M'Daniel, E. P. Dunn, J. R. Manderfield, Chris. Mason, M. Van Dusen, Jr., George Esher, Isaac Leech, Jr., and John party they may be attached. With BIGLER for Governor, CLOVER for Cana Stallman, Representative.

The Chairman here read an invitation from Hon. Henry A. Muhlenberg, inviting the Delegates to a collation at his house this evening, which was Commissioner, and BLACK, CAMPBELL, LEWIS, GIB. son, and LowRIE for the Supreme Bench, the de mocracy of Pennsylvania enters upon the politi-cal campaign of 1851, with not only the hope but the certainty of a brilliant'and glorious triumph. accepted, and the thanks of the Convention tender ed to Mr. Muhlenberg, for the invitation.]

On motion, the Convention proceeded to consider the case of the contested seats from Cambria co. WHIG COUNTY CONVENTION .- This body met, A motion was made, that Henry L. Patterson be admitted as Senatorial Delegates from Cambria Blair, and Huntingdon, to which an amendment in Lancaster on Wednesday last-Capt. JAMES MEYERS, of West Hempfield township, presiding. was offered to substitute Adam Moses as the Dele The following persons were elected delegates to the gate from said district. The yeas and nays were called upon the amendment, and resulted as follows Whig State Convention, which meets in Lancaster

-Yeas 48. Navs 71. So the amendment was lost and the vote being taken upon the original motion Senatorial Delegate .- Nathaniel Ellmaker, Lan it was unanimously adopted.

On motion, *Resolved* unanimously, That John C. O'Neill be admitted as Representative Delegate from Representative Delegates.—Dr. R. E. Cochran, Columbia; Amos S. Henderson, Salisbury, Hon. Bedford and Cambria. The Convention then resolved to proceed to the John Strohm, Martic; Daniel Herr, Strasburg

onsideration of the contested seats from Lancaster ounty. The main question at issue, was this: Whether We were not in town during the session of the the Convention called by the County Committee appointed by the County Convention of April 10th, 1850, or the Convention called by the Committee Whig County Convention, on Wednesday last, and consequently can say very little about it. We learn, appointed by the County Convention of September 18th, 1850, was the regularly constituted Convenhowever, that the two factions into which our op-

ponents are divided-the Stevens and anti-Stevens ion of the party? men—alias Silver Greys and Woolly Heads—began [A recess of ten minutes was here taken.] Convention re-assembled. A motion to limit the claimants on each side to half hour speeches, was to show their teeth at each other. The old line

Whigs were triumphant, and Mr. Stevens was delaid on the table. feated in his aspirations for a seat in the ensuing The Secretaries then proceeded to read the creentials presented by the respective claimants.

1st. Proceedings of a Convention held in Lan There is evidently trouble brewing in the Whigcaster, March 5th, 1851, George G. Brush President at which Col. Wm. B. Fordney was elected Sena wam, and the approaching fall nominations for County Officers, efc., bids fair to produce any thing torial Delegate; James Patterson, Samuel Parker, Hiram B. Swarr, J. B. Baker, and N. B. Wolte, Re-'else than unity and harmony in the party. The scene last week was the "beginning of the end," presentative Delegates to Reading Convention. 2d. Proceedings of a Convention held November 13, 1850, Hon. B. Champneys, President, at which and we now tell our readers, in the language of the

almanac makers, that they may keep a sharp look out J. B. Amwake was elected Senatorial Delegate for squalls about the latter end of August. Mr. Ste-C. M. Johnston, Thomas Dean, Peter Martin (for whom Col. Reah Frazer was afterwards substituted) vens was beaten out, it is true, last week; but will J Leaman Winters, and John Ream, Representa he stay beaten ? We doubt it. At least we think tive Delegates to Reading Convention.

A resolution was adopted, that two gentlemen from each set of claimants be heard on their repective sides. Mr. Amwake arose and addressed the Convention

n support of himself and colleagues. Mr. Swarr followed on behalf of the claims of A letter received at Richmond by the Enquirer the set of Delegates to whom he belongs, and read a printed statement in relation thereto, signed by dated on the 15th, gives the particulars of a fatal rencontre that occurred at Lynchburg on Friday the claimants.

week, between James C. Saunders, Jr., and A. W The Convention having decided that the claim ants should speak alternately, Col. Frazer made ar "The parties met in front of the market house— Saunders asked if this was Mr. Terry, and the lat-ter replied in the affirmative, when Saunders struck him with a stick. Terry forthwith drew one of address of considerable length, in which he denied that the portion of the Democracy of Lancaster which he represented were disorganizers, and con tended that the Delegates elected in November were Colt's revolvers and fired; when Saunders drew a legally elected according to the usages of the party small pistol and fired also. Five shots were then He gave way, at 64 o'clock, to a motion to adjourn exchanged between them-three by Terry, and two until 71 o'clock, P. M., which, after an ineffectua by Saundera. Both then clinched and were in the attempt to amend by substituting 8 o'clock, toact of committing upon each other further violence, Terry with a knife, and Saunders with Terry's remorrow morning, was adopted, and the Convention accordingly adjourned.

EVENING SESSION

Mr. Barrett nominated WILLIAM BIELER, of George W. Bowman, F. W. Hughes, C. H. Hunter, DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION. Mr. Bois nominated SAMUEL W. BLACK, of Alle

Theny. Mr. Keenan read a letter from Colonel BLACK. requesting that his name might be withdrawn as a candidate for Governor. The letter was ordered o be entered upon the minutes of the Convention ind printed with the regular proceedings.

PITTSEUROH, May 27, 1851. GENTLEMEN :--- The nomination of Col. Bigler by the Democratic State Convention, is already an as-certained certainty. The purpose of this letter is to request that you will depart from your instructions, and, not name me as a candidate for the office of Governor.

Concert of thought and unanimity in the evening of preparation, gives goodly promise of a glopious lav in action. Let not me be an obstacle in the way of perfect harmony, but rather let us rejoice hat we in the West can minister to the triumph of

the Party that knows no section in State nor Coun-If I did not believe that the entire nation was interested in our success at the State election, I might not be so carnest at the first of the fight; but I do believe that the security of the Union depends upon

beneve that the security of the ontoin depends upon the issue in Pennsylvania, and therefore, "in my heart of hearts," feel most anxious. Governor Johnston, against whom and towards whom I never have, and never will employ an un-kind word, has declared himself for a re-election. His resources are neither few nor feeble. , Suppose he succeeds, it is a declaration on the part of Penn-sylvania that she is determined to disturb the measures of conciliation and compromise which have put past troubles to sleep. To these measures the Democratic party is so far committed; and he, I think, equally committed on the other. Let the

think, equally committed on the other. Let the centre of the Union shake the Union, and what be-comes of the trembling branches of the tree ? I do not belong to the school of secure sinners, who do not think there is any need of alarm, be-cause danger does not thunder daily at our doors. Nor do I admire the blind bravery of men who will not look at perils because, like a pursued ostrich, they can hide their heads in the sand: but I do ad-mire those who, exclusing not the value of the

unice those who, calculating not the value of the Union but the danger of it, endeavor, by wise and just means, to still the storm before it breaks upon the best hopes of the true heart. And they are to be the more admired because the storm breaks and wrates itself upon them, and not upon the counter

wastes itself upon them, and not upon the country. The peace of this Union has been troubled, and may be troubled again. Let us not by hollow pro-fessions, but by acts of fidelity and firmers, be true to every several right the Constitution gives to severy several section of the country. Then we are A maricane and worth of the name mericans and worthy of the name.

You will excuse me for running into this earnest expression, but I feel it all and cannot keep from saying it. I consider the American Union the greatest human institution that was ever formed, and next to the Christian religion, the greatest blessing our misfortunes have ever met, to make easier he burdens of a weary life, and I regard even the langer of its dissolution as a disaster most deeply o he deployed

We can groan and sweat without much agony, where the groun and sweat without much agoing, under the load of life's sorrows, so long as we have a country. But take that away and we have no heart for anything, and no manhood to 'meet anything. When the Moselle exploded some years ago, on the Ohio river, the arms and legs, with the heads

The one river, the arms and legs, with the heads and hearts of men were seen flying through the air. That was very like a Union exploded, dismember-ed and destroyed. The more horible after its destruction, because of its beauty before. It is impossible not to love the thought and the man who made the thought, as well expressed as this: "The States of the Union, distinct as the bil-love and one bits the San?" And may we not add

nus, and one like the Sea." And may we not add the waves of the sea roll in their appropriate spheres, wrapping themselves daily and nightly around each other, and are broken only when driven against the ock on the shore. The wisdom of our fathers ris-

ng from the mighty deep of the spectral past, be-eeches us to avoid the breakers which they carefully and safely shunned. Very truly, SAMUEL W, BLACK. To the Delegates from Crawford, Westmoreland,

Beaver, Lawrence, Allegheny, &c. On motion of Mr. Lamberton, seconded by Mr.

Young, Col. WILLIAM BIGLER was nominated by acclamation, as the Democratic candidate for Fovernor. The nomination was hailed by repeated and enthusiastic rounds of applause

On motion, Messrs. John S. McCalmont, John W. Forney and John Laporte, were appointed a Committee to wait upon Col. Bigler, and inform im of his nomination

On motion of Mr. Leet, the Convention proceedd to nominate candidates for Canal Commissioner Mr. Alexander nominated Seth Clover

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Stewart	"	John B. Bratton.	•
Plumer	ыć.	William Searight.	
Bowman	:.	Wm. S. Campbell.	
Cake	"	J. Y. James.	
Snyder	41	George Merriman.	
Fister	κ.	Daniel B. Kutz.	

Daniel B. Kutz. William W. Wilson Eyer Charles R. Bell. Laporte Mr. Hale read a communication from Mr. Wil

n, declining a nomination for Canal Commisoner Messrs. Lowry and Forney were appointed telers to assist the Secretaries in taking the ballots. [Mr. William S. Amweg, of Lancaster, was here ibstituted for Samuel Parker.] The Convention then proceeded to ballot for

Canal Commissioner, as follows [Whole number of Delegates 133-necessary to choice, 67.1

a choice, 07. First Ballot. Anderson, Beans, Bois, Brubacker, Clinger, Eyer, Fullwood, Frame, Frost, Frailey, Hale, Hayes, Kent, Linderman, Lee,Leet, Morison, McCaughey, McVeigh, Manderfield, Ott, Plumer, Pauley, H. L. Pattageng Ress Robingon Robarts Bitter Roddu

J. B. Sterigere, J. C. McCalmont, William A. Gal braith, and George Lauman. The President also named Meesrs. Lowry, Ros

and Miller, as the Committee to wait upon Col. Samuel W. Black amuel W. Black. On motion the Convention then resumed Ballin

ing for Canal Commissioner, as follows

Ing for Canal Commissioner, as follows Screat Ballot. Mestre. Alexander, Amweg, Ayres, Barrett, Bownan, James Bailey, Baker, Blanding, Chase, Coll, Crisswell, Chik, Dunn, Dallas, Forney, Fis ter, Gloninger, Goodrich, Gilles, Galbraith, Harvey, Hastings, Hunter, Jones, James, Karne, Kugler, Lazarus, Lawell, Lamberton, Leech, M'Guffin, M'Donugh, M'Coy, M'Cammon, M'Collough, Mil-ler, M'Calmont, Gordon F. Mason, M'Daniel, L. Bi Patterson, Ross, Rankin, Shaffner, Strohecker ed collectively. B. Patterson, Ross, Rankin, Shaffner, Strohecker, Stoan, Sterigere, Trout, Tippin, Vansant, Vandyke, Van Dusen, James W. Wilson, Worrell, Wolfe, 55

Van Dusen, James W. Wilson, Worfell, Wolle, 35 voted for Seth Clover. Messrs. Andersein, Beans, Bois, Bartle, Cameron, Clinger, Cake, Eyer, Fullwood, Frame, Frost, Fa-gan, Frailey, Hughes, Hale, Hayes, Kent, Keenan, Linderman, Lee, Leet, Lowry, R. A. Lamberton, Lauman, Morison, M'Caughey, M'Veigh, Mander-field, Ott, Plumer, Pauloy, H. L. Patterson, Robin-son, Roberts, Ritter, Roddy, Serrill, Snyder, Steel, Stallman, Sherwood, Tolan, William W. Wilson, Weaver, White, Wm. Wilson, 46-voted for Wil-liam Searight. liam Searight.

Messrs. Armstrong, Beaver, Brown, Samuel N Meesrs. Armstrong, Beaver, Brown, Samuel N. Bniley, Colloy, Conroy, Donnell, Diffenbach, Day, Eshor, Felty, Graham, Innes, Johnson, T. B. Ken-nedy, James Kennedy, Laporte, Morrett, Chris-tian Mason, O'Neill, James Patterson, Edie Patter-son, Rice, Reynolds, Ringwalt, Stewart, Swarr, Sweeney, Stahle, Traugh, Woodward, Young, 32 --voted for J. B. Bratton. [The names of Messrs. CAMPELL, MERIMAN, JAMES and BELL, were withdrawn.] Eighth Ballot. Measrs. Alexander. Amwer, Avres. Barrett. of a temporary organization, and BENJ. E. CHAIN, SAMUEL L. YOUNG, R. B. ROBERTS and R. A.

Eighth Ballot. Messrs. Alexander, Amweg, Ayres, Barrett, Bowman, Jas. Bailey, Baker, Blanding, Chase, Coll, Crisswell, Clark, Conroy, Diffenbach, Dunn, Dallas, Forney, Fister, Gloninger, Goodrich, Gilles, Galbraith, Harvey, Hastings, Hunter, Innes, Jones, Gandaldi, Harvey, Hastings, Hunter, Innes, Jonda, James, Karns, Kugler, Laporte, Lazarus, Lawell, Wm. H. Lamberton, Leech, M'Guffin, M'Donough, M'Cov, M'Cammon, M'Collough, Müler, M'Cal-mont, Gordon F. Mason, Morrett, M'Daniel, Chris-tian Mason, Ott, L. B. Patterson, Ringwalt, Ross. Dankin, Shoffoor, Stophocker, Sloan, Swarr, Steri, Dankin, Shoffoor, Stophocker, Sloan, Swarr, Steri, Hankin, Shafiner, Strohecker, Sloan, Swarr, Steri-gere, Trous, Tippan, Vansant, Vandyke, Van Du-sen, Jas. W. Wilson, White, Worfell, Woodward, Wolfe, 66-woted for Seth Clover. Messrs. Anderson, Beans, Bois, Bartle, Cameron. Clinger, Cake, Eyre, Fullwood, Frame, Frost, Fa-mer Fraibur, Warker, Wale, Haven Veron, Kennan

Clinger, Cake, Eyre, Fullwood, Frame, Frost, Fa-gan Frailey, Hughes, Hale, Hayes, Kent, Keenan, Linderman, Lee, Leet, Lowry, R. A. Lamberton, Lauman, Morison, McCaughey, McVeigh, Mander-field, Plumer, Pauley, Edie Patterson, H. L. Pat-terson, Robinson, Roberts, Ritter, Roddy, Serrill, Snyder, Steel, Stallman, Sherwood, Tolan, Wm. W. Wilson, Weaver, Wm. Wilson, 45-voted for William Searight.

W. whon, weaver, whi. whon, 30-woled hor William Searight. Meissrs. Armstrong, Beaver, Brown, S. N. Bailey, Colley, Donnell, Lay, Esher, Felty, Graham, John-son, Thoe. B. Kennedy, James Kennedy, O'Neill,

to seats; which was disagreed to. The delegates certified to by Mr. Curtis, were as. Patterson, Rice, Reynolds, Stewart, Sweeney Stahle, Traugh, Young, 22-voted for J. R. Bratton [The name of Mr. BRATTON was withdrawn.] then admitted to the Convention without calling the yeas and nays. The Convention next proceeded to the conside-

Ninth Ballot.

Messrs. Alexander, Amweg, Ayres, Barrett, Bow-nan, James Bailey, Haker, Beaver, Brown, Bland-ng, S. N. Bailey, Chase, Coll, Crisswell, Clark, ing, S. N. Bailey, Chase, Coll, Crisswell, Clark, Conroy, Donnell, Diffenbach, Bay, Dunn, Dallas, Eyre, Esher, Eorney, Felty, Fister, Fagan, Glon-inger, Goodrich, Graham, Giiles, Galbraith, Harvey, Hastings, Hunter, Hale, Innes, Johnson, Jones, James, Karns, Kugler, James Kennedy, Laporte, Lazarus, Lawell, William II. Lamberton, Leech, M'Guffin, M'Donough, M'Cyy, M'Cammon, M'Cul-lough, Miller, M'Calmont, Gordon F. Mason, Mor-rett, M'Daniel, Christian Mason, O'Niell, Ott, L. B. Patterson, Jas. Patterson, H. L. Patterson, Rice, Reynolds, Ringwalt, Ross, Rankin, Stewart, Shaff-ner, Strohecker, Sloan, Swarr, Steel, Sweeney, ner, Strohecker, Sloan, Swart, Steel, Sweeney, Stallman Sherwood, Stahle, Sterigëre, Traugh, Trout, Tippan, Vansant, Vandyke, Van Dusen, Jas. W. Wilson, Won. W. Wilson, Weaver, White, Wm. Wilson, Worrell, Woodward, Wolfe, Young, Or word da Schollage, Standard -voted for Seth Clover.

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ing indicident in the set of the	with w hallon spoke at some length in support of
rill, Snyder, Tolan, 38-voted for Wm. Searight.	the Fordney delegates.
RECAPITULATIONS OF BALLOTINGS.	Col. Black, of Allegheny, next addressed the
1st. 2d. 3d. 4th. 5th. 6th. 7th. 8th. 9th. Clover. 27 29 35 38 38 41 55 66 95	Convention in support of the Polaney delegates.
	The discussion was further continued by Messre.
Searight, 35 36 36 36 37 42 46 45 38	
Bratton, 23 24 25 23 23 24 32 22	Wilmot and Black, when the motion to admit the
Campbell, 26 27 27 25 24 21	Fordney delegates was agreed to-yes 86, nays
Merriman, 2 2 3 3 2 2	29, as follows:
James, 4 3 3 3 5 3	YEAS-Alexander, Anderson, Ard, Bailey, Black-
Kntz 9.5	more Bredin Brewer Brightly Bruner Burke

6 6 4 4 2 1 Bell,

On the 9th ballot, Gen. SETH CLOVER, having eceived a majority of all the votes given, was delared duly nominated as the candidate for Canal commissioner. On motion of Mr. Lamberton, the nomination of

Jackson, Kerr, (Allegheny,) Kerr, (Cumberland,) Keenan, D. Laird, W. H. Lamberton, Leet, Leidy, Gen. SETH CLOVER was confirmed by the unani-nous voice of the Convention.

Lippencott, Longenecker, McCartney, M'Claskey, M'Clean, M'Donald. Macfariane, M'Farland, M'-Kibben, Mann, Maxwell, Maynard, Meany, Miller, On motion, the President appointed Messrs. Hastings, Innes, and Plumer, a Committee to wait Nixon, Oakford, Packer, Plumer, W. A. Porter Reeder, Ritterson, R. B. Roberts, Salmon, Shannon upon Gen. SETH CLOVER, and inform him of his ninatior

The subject of appointing a State Central Com-Smith, Snodgrass, Stahle, Stokes, Strong, Thomas nittee, was then taken up, and alter a discussion as to the number of which said Committee should Trout, Wallace, Watson, Weidman, Wilkins, Winchester, Worthington, Wright, J. Young and S. L. Young-86. consist, and the mode of its appointment, it was Resolved, That a State Central Committee, t consist of nine persons, be appointed by the Presi-Chain, Crawford, Crisswell, Cutler, Dimmick,

Resolved, That we will cordially support the believing him to be an able, houset and important believing him to be an able, houset and importupa-ible Democrat, and well qualified to discharge the during of that important and highly responsible of Resolved, That in the matter of levying duties of

The following additional Resolutions were unar

At 20 minutes before 5, P. M. the Conventior

JUDICIAL CONVENTION,

Pursuant to the call of the State Central Com

nittee, the delegates to the Democratic Judicial

Convention assembled in the Hall of the House of

Representatives, at Harrisburg, at 10 o'clock A. M.

M. PORTER was called to the chair, for the purpose

LAMBERTON were appointed Secretaries. The list of undisputed delegates were then called

over, when it appeared that the seats of the dele-

gates from the counties of Philadelphia, Lancaster,

Bucks, and Union and Juniata, and the Senatorial

The Convention then proceeded to the considera

tion of the contested seats from Philadelphia

county, one delegate from each side being allowed

one hour to argue the case. Capt. Small then addressed the Convention at

ength, in support of the claims of one set of del-

egates. Mr. Brightly next addressed the Convention in

support of the delegates claiming under the certificate of Wm. Curtis.

Capt. Small next spoke at some length in reply

Mr. Cameron moved that the subject of the

Philadelphia contested seats, be referred to a com-

mittee to determine which set of delegates ar

entitled to seats, or whether either set are entitled

Mr. Wilmot moved to admit the delegates ap-

ointed by the Convention called by the Amwake

Mr. Cessna moved to amend so as to admit the

elegates appointed by the Convention called by

the Fordney committee. Mr. Reynolds then addressed the Convention at

ength, in support of the Fordney delegates. Mr. Amwake next addressed the Conventio

until the hour of one o'clock, when the Convention

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment

Mr. Amwake resumed, and concluded his re

narks in support of the delegates appointed under

Mr. Reynolds rejoined and replied to the remarks

Mr. Wilmot addressed the Convention in support

of the Amwake delegates. Mr. Whallon spoke at some length in support of

more, Bredin, Brewer, Brightly, Bruner, Burke, Byerly, Cessna, Chase, Clark, Coleman, Collins,

Cooper, Cummings, Cunningham, Eldred, Felton, Fetter, Flood, Foster, Foulkrod, Fox, Gibson,

Gloninger, Glossbrenner, Guernsey, Hastings, Hav

iland, Hickman, Hirst, Hopkins, Hugus, Ives,

djourned until three o'clock this afternoon.

ation of the Lancaster contested seats.

delegates from Luzerne, Columbia and Montou

[The list of delegates omitted.]

On motion of Jno. Cessna, Esq., Hon. JAMES

HARBISBURG, June 11, 1851.

nously adopted

djourned sine die.

were contested.

to Mr. Brightly.

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Presideni Hon. WILDIAM WILKINS. Vice Presidenti Javie M. Potter, Simon Cant-eron, Dr. T. J. P. Stoker, Francis Cooper, Stephen D. Anderson, Levi Foulkrod, Loeph M. Ritterson, Israel Thomas, Dr. Jesse Young, C. W. Everhart, Newton D. Strong, N. W. Sample, G. D. Glonin-ger, James Nill, Asa Packer, Thos. D. Potts, Paul Resolved, That in the matter of levying duties of foreign imports by the general Government, we are in-favor of the reciprocal interchange of dir pro-ducts with the only friends of the earth, in conso-mance with the enlyinghened spirit of the age, recog-nizing clearly the practice of the Government to maintain and preserve in full vigor and malety, all the great industrial pursuit of the country. On motion, the Resolutions, as read, were adopt-ed collectively. ger, atmes Will, Ara Packer, Thos. D. Porte, Fahl Leidy, James Burnside, A. Porter Wilson, John R. Bhannda, E. B. Chase, Timothy Iyes, Arnold Plumar, Murray Whallon, James Keenah, Wm. Kerr, James A. Gibson, Wm. Hopkins, James Lee, J. A. Fulton, W. H. Miller, Joh Mann, Jo-seph B. Ard, Harrison P. Laird, Franklin Kearcher. Screichten I. M. B. Batting, James J. Batting, James

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Secretaries-J. M. B. Petriken, James L. Roynolds, Henry J. Stable, W. T. H. Pauley, John Hickman, Wm. H. Wallace, John Oakfo

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The President was then conducted to the chair Resolved, That the thanks of this Convention be tendered to the officers for the faithful and impar-tial manner in which they have discharged their and addressed the Convention in a brief, but most able and eloquent speech. The Vice Presidents and Secretaries then took

Resolved, That the proceedings of this Convenon be published in all the Democratic papers o Mr. Rich submitted a resolution returning the

thanks of the Convention to Hon. James M. Porter, temporary president, and the other temporary officers. Add

On motion, the Convention then proceeded to make nominations for Judges; when Mr. Cessna nominated James Campbell.

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bers of this Convention, in voting for candidates for the Supreme Bench, shall vote for five candi-

dates, and that the candidates having a majority

shall be nominated ; but no one having less than

The Convention adjourned until 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Porter and the amendment offered thereto. After some remarks by Messrs. Hirst, Rhey,

The Convention again met at 3 o'clock, and re-

sumed the consideration of the resolution of Judge

Porter and Reeder, the amendment of Mr. Mercur was disagreed to-yeas 61, nays 71.

The amendment of Mr. Laird was then dis-

The original resolution was then slightly modi-

The Convention then proceeded to a first vote,

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was adopted.

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fied and adopted without a division.

On motion, the nominations were

which was unanimously adopted :

Mr. Burnside submitted the following resolution,

Resolved, That this Convention congratulate

heir Democratic brethren, lately assembled at

Reading, on the nomination of Col. Wm. Bigler,

for Governor, and Seth Clover, for Canal Commis-

sioner, and at the bright prospects we have of giving our old enemies a New Orleans defeat in

October next. Mr. Sterigere moved that the President and Vice Presidents be a committee to prepare and the presidents to the Democracy of Pennsyl-

vania, in favor of the ticket nominated; which

On motion of Mr. Wilmot, the thanks of the

Convention were returned to the President and

officers of the Convention, for the faithful and im-

duty. On motion of Mr. Sterigere, the President of

Resolved, That the proceedings of this Conven-tion be published in all the Democratic papers of

After a few eloquent and appropriate remarks

from Judge Wilkins, recommending the ticket, and taking leave of the members,

On motion, the Convention adjourned sine die

Ratification Meeting.

Pursuant to public notice given, the members of Democratic Union Club No. 1 of Columbia, and a

nees of this Convention of their nomination. On motion of Mr. Fulton, it was

partial manner in which they had discharged their

onfirmed by the Convention.

throughout the State. All admit that he po legal talents of a high order, and that in every respect he is one of the ablest judges in the Commonwealth. That he will maintain this exalted character, in the Supreme Court of the State, we have not a doubt, inasmuch as he is a gentleman of great industry and indomitable energy, and has withal that lofty and praise worthy ambition implanted when he was shot by Terry through the arm, and deeply in his character which will lead him to as by Saunders through the leg, and is very severely that lofty and praise worthy ambition implanted pire to the highest eminence in his profession .---Judge LEWIS is justly regarded by all as one of the leading jurists of this country, and many of his written opinions on intricate legal questions have elicited encomiums from some of the most eminent lawyers in the Union. We feel proud of our candidate, and we feel satisfied that Lancaster county patch of Tuesday says : will give such an expression in his favor at the Mrballot-boxes, as will be alike creditable to them and pleasing to his numerous friends throughout the Commonwealth.

A COINCIDENCE .- It is worthy of note, as a somewhat extraordinary coincidence, says the Reading Gazette, that the three first officers of the Democratic Mass meeting on Thursday evening-Hon. JOHN LAPORNE, President, and Gen. WM. S. Ross. Vice President on his right, and Hon. STRANGE N he would survive. PALMER, Vice President on his left-were old school-mates and intimate companions, who grew up together at Wilkesbarre, and the sons of three of the 132 Democrats in North Eastern Pennsyl vania, who voted for THOMAS JEFFERSON in the dark days of 1799. This striking coincidence proves that the same devoted spirit which nerved the fathers of Democracy to combat the tyranny of Federalism, still lives in their sons and descendants.

THE METHODIST CHURCH SUIT .--- We learn from the Christian Advocate and Journal that the book agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, acting upon the suggestion of the Court in the late trial respecting the Church property, have proposed to the Commissioners of the Church, South, "an adiustment of their preferred claims by a legal arbitration under the authority of the Court." We are glad to learn this, says the New York Commercial and trust that the South will, with equal prompti tude and cheerfulness, meet the proposal favorably

TT The Pennsylvanian of Saturday says :- " We learn with pleasure, that it is contemplated by most of those who signed the protest against Judge CAMPBELL, [in Philadelphia,] to issue a strong address in favor of the Judicial nominations of the Democratic Harrisburg Convention. This is the true spirit, and shows that obedience to the will of the regularly ascertained majority is still as potent as ever."

INDIAN QUEEN HOTEL.-This new establishment at Cape Island, N. J., is now open for the reception of Visitors. The accommodations for boarding, lodging and bathing are excellent, and there is no one who will be more attentive to his guests than the gentlemanly proprietor, Mr. Horkins. We advise those of our friends who may desire to take a few weeks recreation to go to Cape Island and stop at the Indian Queen Hotel. For particulars see advertisement.

JOHN N. PURVIANCE, Esq., late Auditor General, has been nominated by the Democratic Convention of Butler county, as the candidate for President Judge of the district lately presided over by Judge Bredin, dec'd.

volver, which he had wrested from him, when they were separated. Terry was borne off to Dr. Blacktord's and Saunders to Mosby & Holcombe's-both regarded as mortally wounded, Terry received one of Saunders' balls in the centre of his breast or olleagues to seats in the Convention. Mr. Reynolds (substitute for Col. W. B. Fordney,) stomach : Saunders received one of Terry's balls just above the navel, and it passed out on the left closed the discussion, in reply to the Col. Frazer, and in behalf the claims of the Delegates elected ide just above the hip-bone. They are both now lving insensible. in March. 1851.

Capt. Biggers attempted to separate them, A motion was then made, that the Delegates elected in November, 1850, be admitted to seats in the Convention, to which an amendment was offer though not dangerously wounded." ting the Delegates elected in April. The cause of the quarrel was the strictures of Mr. M'Calmont offered the following, as an pendment to the amendment: Mr. Terry on the course pursued by Dr. Saunders, Resolved, That James L. Reynolds be admitted the father of his antagonist, as a member of the as the Senatorial Delegate, and James Patterson. Virginia Constitutional Convention. The editory

uel Parker, Hiram B. Swarr, J. B. Baker and Mr. Terry, died on Sunday, The Richmond Dis-N. B. Wolf, as Representative Delegates from Lancaster county to this Convention. Mr. Lowrie moved to postpone the subject, and We have conversed with a gentleman who say

ddressed the Convention in favor of admitting both Terry on Saturday night. He seemed collectsets of Delegates. Mr. M'Calmont spoke against admitting both ed, and spoke calmly of the responsibilities of an editor and the unfortunate nature of the rencontre of Thursday. He expressed the belief that he was sets, and in favor of the amendment to amendment.

Mr. Sterigere also spoke against admitting both sets, when Mr. Lowrie withdrew his motion to mortally wounded and expected soon to die. The deepest gloom pervaded the town of Lynchpostpone, and the question came up on the amendburg. The family affliction occasioned by the event was extreme. Both gentlemen were exten sively connected. Mr. Saunders had been but six ent to the amendment. The yeas and nays were called, and resulted as follows : weeks married. Mr. Terry has a wife and four children. The hope was earnestly indulged that

called, and resulted as follows: Yeas.—Messrs. Alexander, Ayres, Barrett, Bow-man, James Bailey, Beaver, Brown, Blanding, Sam'l N. Bailey, Chase, Coll, Crisswell, Clark, Clinger, Conroy, Donnell, Day, Dunn, Forney, Fister, Fagan, Gloninger, Goodrich, Graham, Gilles, Galbraith, Harvey, Hastings, Innes, Joseph Johnson, Jones, James, Kugler, James Kennedy, Leet, Laweli, Leech, M'Guffin, McDonough, McCoy, McCammon, McCullough, McCalmont, Miller, McCaughey, Mc-Veigh; Marrett, McDaniel, Christ, Mason, O'Neil, Plumer, L. B. Patterson, Pauley, Edie Patterson, Rice, Ringwalt, Robinson, Rankin, Roddy, Serrill, Sterigere, Traugh, Tolan, Tippin, Vandyle, Van Dusen, James W. Wilson, White, Worrell, and Young—75. The condition of Mr. Biggers, the police officer was the same as at last reports. He was severely

wounded, and not free from danger. 107 Mr. Saunders died on Monday.

DREADFUL .- An Irish family, consisting of four persons, father, mother and two children, were burnt to death on Thursday last, on the works of the Union Canal, ten or twelve miles below Hum-Young-75. Nays.-Messre. Anderson, Armstrong, Beans, melstown, Dauphin county. They occupied a small tenement in which was stored a quantity of Nays.—Messra. Anderson, Armstrong, Beans, Bois, Brubacker, Bartle, Cameron, Cake, Diffen-bach, Eyer, Esher, Fullwood, Felty, Frost, Fraley, Hughes, Hunter, Hale, Hayes, Karns, Thomas B. Kennedy, Kent, Lee, Linderman, Lowry, Laporte, Lauman, Lazarus, Gordon F. Mason, Morison, Manderfield, Ott, H. L. Patterson, Ross, Roberts, Bitter, Strobecker, Swider, Sloan, Steal (Stalman) of chips, &c., and as the fire occurred in day time, it is supposed that intoxication was the cause of their terrible death. The Harrisburg Telegraph says that the blackened and crisped remains of the unfortunate family were brought to that place on

Ritter, Strohecker, Snyder, Sloan, Steel, Stallman, Trout, Vansant, Wm. W. Wilson, Weaver, Wm. Friday afternoon, and were interred in the burying Wilson, Woodward-47. ground of St. Patrick's Church. The vote was then taken upon the resolution, as

mended, and it was agreed t ID At an election for municipal officers, re On motion, the Senatorial Delegates were appoin cently held in San Francisco, nearly the whole ted a Committee to report a list of officers permanent organization of the Convention. On motion, the Convention then adjourned to Whig ticket was elected. GEORGE W. BAKER, Esq., formerly of this city, was the Democratic Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. candidate for Recorder.

SECOND DAY.

Dr Josian Randall, Esq., of Philadelphia, has The Convention assembled in the Court House been appointed, by the President, Minister to Rusn Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock, and was called sia, and DE ECHART, of the same city, President of o order by the Chairman. The Committee to select officers for the perme

the mint, vice Dr. R. M. PATTERSON, removed. ent organization of the Convention, reported the IF Amongst the visitors last week at Wheatfollowing names: President .- Hon. JAMES L. GILLIS, of Elk Co. land, was the gallant and accomplished Gen. PBR-

SIFER F. SMITH, of the U.S. Army. IF The New Hampshire Democratic State Convention has recommended Judge WOODBURY H. Tippin, John A. Morison, David Fister, James for the Presidency.

DREADFUL MORTALITY .- The Louisville Courier of the 3d instant says-

M. C. Trout, Nicholas Snyder, David Bois, Henry McCullough, W. W. Dallas, Jenathan D. Leet We learn that the steamer Grand Turk, from New Orleans, with a large number of emigrants on board for St. Louis, lost 25 or 30 of her passengers by the cholera before the boat reached Cairo. Seventeen had died before the boat arrived eorge W Hale, David Fullwood, Charles Frailey. Secretaries .- B. F. Sloan, E. P. Dunn, William Seventeen had died before the boat arrive haffner. A. McCammon, D. Rankin

at Napoleon, and the disease was then raging terri-The President, upon taking his seat, made a brief address, thanking the Convention for the honor bly on board. These unfortunate creatures we transfered from an emigrant vessel at New Orleans. conferred upon him, and expressing an earnest hon suffering with the ship fever, and most of them that its deliberations would' tend to promote were in a deplorable condition. The disease that nion, harmony and success of the Democratic proved so fatal must have been a combination of ship fever and cholera. The boat was very much crowded, which but added to the fatality. party.

On motion, the Convention proceded to the non ination of candidates for Governor.

erson, Ross, Robinson, Roberts, Rute, Julison, ill, Steel, Sherwood, Traugh, Wm. W. Wilson, M. Wilson, 35-voted for William Searight. The Convention re-assembled at $7\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock, pursuant to adjournment. Col. Frazer concluded his emarks in support of the claims of himself and

Win, Wilson, 30-voted for William Searight. Alexander, Ayres, Barrett, J. Bailey, Baker, Clark, Dunn, Dallas, Forney, Goodrich, Harvey, Hastings, James, Kugler, Lamberton, Leech, Mc-Guffin, McCammon, McCalmont, McDaniel, Stro-kecker, Sloan, Sterigere, Tippin, Vansant, White, Worrel, Wolf, 28-voted for Seth Clover.

Annweg, Bowman, Blarding, Chase, Crisswell, Conroy, Fagan, Gloninger, Keenan, McDonough, McCoy, McCullough, Miller, Gordon F. Mason, Morrett, Christ. Mason, O'Neill, L. B. Patterson. Morreit, Christ. Mason, O'Neill, L. B. Patterson, James Patterson, Lankin, Sweeney, Stallman, Wea-ver, Woodward, Young, 25-voted for William S. Campbell.

Campbell. Armstrong, Beaver, Brown, Samuel N. Bailey, Donnell, Diffenbach, Day, Esher, Felty, Graham, Innes, Johnson, Thos. B. Kennedy, Justice Ken-nedy, Lazarus, Edie Patterson, Rice, Reynolds, Ringwalt, Stewart, Swarr, Stahle, Vandyke, 23-voted for John B. Bratton. Messrs. Cameron, Fister, Hunter, Jones, Karns, Lawell Shaffner Tolan Lames W Wilson 9-

Lawell, Shaffner, Tolan, James W. Wilson, 9oted for Daniel B. Kutz.

Messrs. Colly, Coll, Lowry, Laporte, Lauman, Trout, 6-voted for Charles R. Bell. Messrs. Cake, Giles, Galbriath, Hughes, 4-voted or J. Y. James.

Messrs, Bartle, Snyder, 2-voted for George Merriman.

Fifth Ballot.

Messrs. Alexander, Amweg, Ayres, Jas. Bailey, Baker, Clark, Dunn, Forney, Fister, Goodrich, Galbraith, Harvey, Hastings, Hunter, Jones, James, Karns, Kugler, Lazarus, Lawell, Lamberton, Mc Karns, Kugler, Lazarus, Guffin, M'Cammon, McC fon, McCullough, M'Calmont, M'-Daniel, Jas. Patterson, Shaffner, Strohecker, Sloan Sterigere, Trout, Tippin, Vansant, Van Dusen, J. W. Wilson, Worrell, Wolt, 38-voted for Seth over.

Messrs. Anderson, Beans, Bois, Cameron, Cling-, Fullwood, Frame, Frost, Frailey, Hale, Hayes Kent, Linderman, Lee, Leet, Lowry, Lauman, Morison, M'Caughey, M'Yeigh, Manderfield, Ott; Plumer, Pauley, H. L. Patterson, Ross, Robinson, Robests, Ritter, Roddy, Serrill, Steel, Sherwood, Tolan, Wm. W. Wilson, White, William Wilson, 27 -voted for William Searight.

37—voted for William Searight. Messrs. Bowman, Blanding, Chase, Crisswell, Conroy, Dallas, Fagan, Gloninger, Leech, M'Don-ough, M'Coy, Miller, Gordon F. Mason, Morrell, Christ. Mason, O'Neill, L. B. Patterson, Rankin, Surgers William Transk Warster Woodward weeney, Stallman, Traugh, Weaver, Woodward, Joung, 24—voted for William S. Campbell.

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oted for John B. Bratton Messrs. Brubacker, Cake, Eyer, Gilles, Hughes, -voted for J. Y. James, Messrs. Bartle, Snyder, 2-voted for Mr. Merri-

an. Messrs. Colly, Laporte, 2-voted for Mr. Bell.

After the 5th ballot, the Committee appointed to inform Col. Bigler of his nomination, reported that they had attended to the duty, and that, being now in the city, he would pay his respects to the Conention in person

vociferous demonstrations of applause, and alter having been introduced to the Convention by the President, made the following appropriate and elouent address ·

Vice Presidents.-Charles Kugler, Franklin Van-ant, Charles Worrall, Patrick Conroy, Thomas [Address omitted, having been published last veek.]

Col. Bigler having retired, on motion of Mr. rown, Christian Mason, Matthew Van Dusen, A. Lowry, it was

ved. That a Committee of three be appointed Res tterson, Samuel Morrett, James Kennedy, George wait upon Col. Samuel W. Black, and invite him M. Lauman, Enos Tolan, John P. Felty, Samuel N Bailey, Ira Day, S. Strohecker, John P. Anderson George P. Steel, John Blanding, Daniel L. Sherwood o address the Convention at such time as may suit is and their pleasure. The following resolution was also adopted :

Resolved, That a Committee of nine be appointed by the President, to report Resolutions for the Bowman, John S. McCalmont, R. C. tion of the Convention.

On motion, the Convention then adjourned to ? clock, P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention re-assembled at 2 o'clock, and s called to order by the President.

Mr. R. A. Lamberton, of Dauphin, was admitted a seat, as substitute for Mr. Joseph Brubacker. The President announced the names of the fol-

Mr. Gordon F. Mason moved that the next State Convention be held at Harrisburg, on the 4th of March, 1852. Mr. M Donough moved to amend, by substituting

Mr. M Donough moved to Reading as the place of meeting. Mr. Van Dyke moved an amendmen mendment, by substituting Philadelphia.

The amendments were negatived, and the ques-on coming up on the original motion, fixing the next State Convention at Harrisburg on the 4th of

March, 1852, it was adopted. Mr. Rice offered the following resolution, which vas unanimously adopted :

Resloved, That the thanks of this Convention are

reby cordially tendered to the Commissioners of the county of Berks, for the use of the Court House and the citizens of Reading generally, for the kind and hospitable treatment extended to us during the essions of the Convention.

The Committee appointed to wait upon Gen. CLOVER, reports that he accepts, with feelings of gratitude, the nomination for Canal Commi

ner, and regrets that, owing to illness, he will be unable to appear hefore the Convention, and er-

These his thanks in person. [A recess of 15 minutes was here taken.] At $4\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock, Convention re-assembled. The on Resolutions, through their Chair-

man, Mr. Barrett, reported the tollowing as unaninously agreed upon by the Committee

Resolved, That the time has arrived, when not only the prosperity of our people, but the preser-ation of our bleesed Union, require that the Demcratic party, in all its measures, shall strictly and aithfully adhere to the fundamental principles aithfully established by its wise, patriotic and glorious foun-lers; and among the most important of these prin-iples, we may enumerate a strict construction of the Constitution of the United States—a total abinence on the part Congress, from the exercise of all doubtful powers-a sacred regard for the rights

eserved by the sovereign States of which the federacy is composed—an absolute non-interference by the people of the several States, with the do mestic institutions peculiar to each-and a rigi economy in the expenditure of the taxes raise -and a rigid

from the people, confining the appropriations of public money for Congress, to national objects, plainly authorized by the Constitution. namy authorized by the Constitution. Resolved, That had these vital principles of De-nocracy been faithfully observed in the administra-

ion of the National Government since the advent of the Whigs to power on the 4th of March, 1849, we should not now witness the spirit of discord and alienation which at present prevails between the North and the South, on the question of domestic slavery—threatening as it does eventually to dis-solve the Union. Nor should we have to deplore the enormous appropriations of public money, ap-proaching in a time of peace to the war standard of expenditure, and endangering an entail upon our posterity of the fatal incubus of a permanent naional debt.

Resolved, That the Democratic party of Pennsylthe laws, and will faithfully observe and execute, so far as in them lies, all the measures of Compro-

ention in person. Col. Bigler made his appearance, amidst the most bociferous demonstrations of applause, and atter aving been introduced to the Convention by the resident, made the following appropriate and elo-

vards their brethren of the slaveholding States. Resolved. That the Sixth Section of the Act of

he Legislature of Pennsylvania, passed on the 3d of March, 1847, denying under severe penalty, the se of our State jails for the detention of fugitive slaves, while awaiting their trial, ought to be ex-punged from our Statue books, both because it in-terposes obstacles, by means of State legislation, to the execution of the provisions of the Constitution the United States, and because it is a virtua isregard of the principles of the compromise, and calculated seriously to endanger the existence the Union

Resolved. That in Col. WILLIAM BIGLER, ou candidate for Governor, we recognize a long tried, able and faithful Democrat, in whom there is no guile, and a man, who by his own pre-eminen merit, has risen to the exalted position which h now hold in the affection and respect of his fellov citizens. We hall him as the worthy representa itizens. We hail him as the worthy representative and chosen standard bearer of our great and lorious principles, and pledge ourselves to do ba e for the cause of Democracy under his banne v under his banner The President announced the names of the following gentlemen, as the Committee on Resolutions, low the Keystone State from the misrule of the prese viz :---Messrs. G. R. Barrett, Cordon F. Mason, Whig Governor.

Ebaugh, Geiger, Hegins, Heister, Kearcher, Krick, R. A. Lamberton, Lee, Lewis, Lowry, Mercur, Nill, Pauley, Potts, Rich, W. Y. Roberts, Stehley, Wilmot, Wilson, Woodward and J. M. Porter-29 Messrs. N. W. Sample, Geo. Sanderson, David Laird, James L. Reynolds, John S. Dougherty and Andrew Leader were admitted as delegates from

NATS-Messis, Banks, Burnside, Cameron,

Lancaster county. The contested seats from Bucks county then taken up.

A motion was made to admit C. W. Everhart, E. J. Fox and Wm. Kinsey as delegates from Bucks

Mr. Hirst, of Philadelphia, moved to amend so as to admit W. Beans, James Ott and Caleb Mr. Wright then addressed the Convention in

support of the claims of himself and colleagues. Mr. Hirst moved the appointment of a committee, equal to the number of Senatorial delegates to nominate officers for the permanent organization of the Convention : which was agreed to The Convention then adjourned until 8 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION. The Convention met at 8 o'clock, pursuant

adjournment. The Convention resumed the consideration he contested seats from Bucks county.

Mr. Fox addressed the Convention in support of the. claims of himself and colleagues, and was replied to by Mr. Wright.

The question was further discussed by Messrs. Wilkins, Mercur, Reeder and Hirst, when the previous question was called and seconded, and the amendment disagreed to-55 to 63. The original motion was then adopted; and Messrs. C. E. Dubois, Chas. W. Everhart, E. J. Fox and Wm. Kinsey, were admitted to seats in the Con-

The Chair then announced the following as the committee to report officers for the permanent or ganization :

Wm. L. Hirst. Chambers M'Kibben, Joseph Collins, S. A. Anderson, J. Lippencott, S. N. Rich J. J. Lewis, Wm. M. Heister, C. E. Dubois, John Weidman, Geo. Sanderson, Simon Cameron, H. C. Longenecker, S. C. Dimmick, Moses M'Clean Adam Ebaugh, Wm. Kerr, Cumberland, C. D. Eldred, John Crisswell, H. M. Nicholson, U. Mercur, John Hastings, Wm. Maxwell, J.E. M'Farland, Thos. Cunningham, Samuel W. Black, Wm. Kerr, Alle'ghy, J. D. Leet, John Cessna, John S. Rhey, J. R. Crawford, H. P. Laird, William Y. Roberts, C. W. Hegins.

On motion, it was ordered that when this Convention adjourns it adjourns to meet at 8 o'clock o-morrow morning. The Columbia, Luzerne and Montour contested

eats were then taken up. After a discussion between Messrs. Wright, of

Luzerne, and Mr. Baldy, the contestant, Wesley Roat was admitted to a seat. Adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 12, 1851.

The Convention met 8 o'clock, pursuant to

djournment. The delegates in attendance from Montgomery county substituted Adam Hirst in place of Natha iel Jacoby.

John B. Sterigere then presented a letter from Nathaniel Jacoby, deputing him to act in place of said Jacoby.

A motion was made to admit Mr. Hirst; when Mr. Fulton moved to strike out the name of Adam Hirst and insert that of John B. Sterigere Adam Hirst and insert that of John B. Sterigere, After a few remarks by Messrs. Sterigere, Rich Thomas and Chain, the motion to admit Mr Sterigere was agreed to-yeas, 83; nava, 36. The next question in order was the conteste seat in Union and Juniata.

A motion was made to admit C. H. Shriner t o a seat; when

Mr. Keenan moved to strike out the name of Mr. Shriner and insert the name of S. E. Hench Mr. Hirst, from the committee on officers, epoited the following gentlemen as officers of he Convention; which report was unanimously adopted :

large portion of the Democracy of Columbia and a the adjacent places, met on Friday evening, the 13th inst, at the Town Hall, for the pur ratifying the nominations made at the Reading and Harrisburg Conventions by the representatives of the Democracy of Pennsylvania. The President of the Club in the chair, on mo-

ion the meeting adjourned to the Odd Fellow Hall, where a very large concourse of people soon convened to hear the distinguished speakers, who were announced in the bills to address the meeting. The Committee of Invitation had made arrangements with Col. Black, of Allegheny, Gen. M'Donald. of Cambria, W. H. Welsh; Esq., of. York, and ther distinguished gentlemen to address the meeting, which announcement drew out one of the argest and most respectable and intelligent politi-cal audiences ever held in the place. The regular business of the Club was discensed with for vening, when Dr. N. B. Wolfe stated that Col. lack whom all were anxious to hear, had not arrived in fown, and regretted in common with the audience the disappointment so generally. felt.-The following resolution was then submitted and passed without a dissenting voice.

Resolved. That the nominees of the Cubernatorial Resolved, That the nominees of the Gubernatorial and Judicial Conventions of the democracy of the Commonwealth, meet with our cordial and undivided concurrence. That we invoke the Democracy of Lan-caster county and of the State, to rally with alacrity to the support of the candidales of our choice, and signalize the triumph of the democracy of Pennsyl-vania, by the election of every man nominated at Reeding and Harrisbure. Reading and Harrisburg.

After the adoption of the foregoing resolution, Sen M'Donald was introduced, who made a very strong and powerful speech, which was rece vith frequent interruptions of applause; and at he conclusion the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. There being no other of the invited speakers present, and the business for which the Club asembled having been transacted, a motion for adjourn nent carried.

J. J. GAULT. Pres't. C. M. STREIN, Sec'ry. Columbia, May 13th, 1851.

A PERILOUS POSITION .- Joseph Seigfried, who as contracted to paint the spire of the Presbyte-an Church on Main Street, ascended, on Thursday afternoon, to within some six feet of the top, by ngeniously attaching a block and tackle to a hook, nd fastening the lower end to a large basket. He took passage for the upper regions in that frail barque, and reached an elevation of 152 feet from the ground. Having been drawn up as high as the apparatus would admit, and wishing to fasten a wire to the topmast spire, he climbed up the rope and stood upon the tackle block, holdin with and to some projecting pices of tim, while he arran-ged the wire with the other. While in this peri-lous position, he felt himsefl growing faint, and is grasp relaxing. He immediately slipped down into the basket, where he lay, nearly exhausted, ome ten minutes, with his head projecting over one side of the receptacle and his feet over the op-posite. It was almost enough to sicken a flands-man to view the feat. Had Mr. S. fallen from the peak of the steeple he never would have known what hurt him.-Chilicothe, O., Gazette.

HOR. JAMES BUCHANAN.-The fame of this disnguished Statesman and pure Democrat, whose name is an honor to Pennsylvania and whose bril liant talents are an ornament to the world, is un-excelled in the annals of political history. Every day we witness additional evidences of his growing popularity with the American People. By refer-ence to our Telegraphic Despatches, it will be seen that the Democracy of Washington county, Pa., have just nominated Mr. Buchanan for the Presidency. In the East, West and North, Buchanan's stock is perceptibly rising. In Virginia, Alabama, Georgia, and even Florida, he has also been named in connection with the Presidency. We think we may safely say, judging from the signs of the times, that Mr. BUCHANAN even now holds a higher place in the affections of the American Democracy, and in the affections of the masses of the people, is more popular with the masses of the people, than other public man, and will in 1852, enjoy a position not unlike the one held in days by the Hero of New Orleans .- Col. Co. Dem

The Whig State Convention meets in this city on the 24th instant.