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Editorial.

FRANCE and Siam can't agree and are threatening to begin hostilities.

given the credit.

is doing the kicking since the democrats | Bellefonte on are in power. In order to make the pension list a roll of honor, camp fol- at 12 o'clock, noon, to nominate, lowers, bounty jumpers and that like must be dropped.

PRESIDENT Cleveland is engaged at present upon his message to congress which will deal chiefly with the money question. This message will, in a large measure, influence the legislation of the coming special session.

In the special election in the Eight congressional district on Tuesday, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. William Mutchler, his son, Howard Mutchler, Democrat, was elected over General Frank Reeder, Republican, by about 2,800 majority. The vote was less than one-half that of last year in the upon the vote for Presidential Electors district when it went 6,242 Democratic.

COUNTY chairman J. C. Meyer gives notice this week, in another column, for holding the primary election August 5th and the county convention the following Tuesday. The candidates for the various offices are all at work traveling over the county soliciting support so that the democratic voters may know for whom to vote. The contest thus far has been free from factional fights and quarrels, and augurs a united party for the final struggle, after the ticket is nominated.

Begging for Charity.

The following item, clipped from the Johnstown Tribune, would apply with equeal force to other places we know of; for holding delegate elections. Ang. 5. The custom of sending children begging for people to buy tickets for concerts. lectures, etc., has become a nuisance in Johnstown, and should be abated as any other nuisance. There are few people who are afflicted several times a day -in houses, offices, workshops and on the streets-by persistant beggars. It the entertainment is worth anything and a party can go to it, then places can be provided at which he can get admis sion tickets. If he thinks it not worth anything, or he cannot attend, a ticke is purchased merely to get rid of a nui sance. If a man or woman wants to give to charity, he or she can find a way to do it.

A Wonderful Change,

The editor of the Renovo News is re sponsible for the following yow stor which has made a wonderful change of a Renovo cow. It is stated that a few days ago a keg of Joseph W. Smith's College, E.P. best beer fell from a wagon. The keg was broken, and a cow that hadn't | Curtin. given a pint of milk in three months drank nearly all the beer. From that hour the cow's habits changed, and ever since it has given twenty quarts of milk Gregg, N P. every day. This is not a temperance lecture, but we are not responsible for the effects Joe Smith's beer has on a tardy cow. Who is next?

The Way to do it.

An exchange gives its readers the fol- Harris, lowing brief and pointed hints: "All Howard, persons knowing themselves to be in- Liberty. debted to this office are requested to call and settle. All those indebted to this office and not knowing it are requested to call and find out. All those knowing themselves to be indebted and not wishing to call are requested to stay in one place long enough for us to catch him. All those who are not indebted are requested to call and become."

Wheeling to Chicago.

For the purpose of advertising a brand of lager beer Charles J. Guetling, of Pottsville, Pa., is wheeling a sextile of "Yuengling & Sons" famous product on a wheelbarrow to Chicago, to the World's Fair. He expects to make the trip in twenty-eight days. His outfit weighs 154 pounds and he claims he can average fifty miles per day.

-Young men, you can find a fine and very stylish assortment of summer suits at Lyon & Co's., Bellefonte. The prices and quality will suit you.

THE COUNTY DEMOCRACY.

The Centre

PRIMARY ELECTION AND CO. · CONVENTION.

Regular Price . . . \$1.50 per year. The Call Issued by Chairman J. C. Meyer-Delegate Apportionment-Offices to be Filled-Party rules etc.

> The Democratic voters of Centre County will meet at the regular places for holding the general elections in the respective election districts, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5th, 1893, EVERYTIME a bank fails no matter to elect delegates to the County Convenwhat the cause may be, Cleveland and tion. Under the rules of the party the the democratic party in general are election will open at 2 o'clock P. M. and close at 6 o'clock P. M. The delegates chosen at the above stated It is not the deserving pensioner who time will meet in the Court House, in

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8th. 1893,

One candidate for Sheriff. One candidate for Treasurer. One candidate for Register. One candidate for recorder.

Two candidates for Commissioner. One candidate for Coroner. Two candidates for Auditor. To elect four delegates to the State

Convention for 1894; a chairman of the County Committee to serve for one year from Jan'y 1st, 1894; and to transact such other business as the interests of the party may require.

APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES, The number of delegates to which each election district is entitled, based

1	in 1892 is as follows:	
The state of the s	Bellefonte, N W	alfmoon
d	Total	95.

ELECTION BOARDS.

	for holding delegate election	ns, Aug.
,	1893:	
9	DISTRICT. CHAIRMAN. Boroughs:	ASSISTANT
s	Bellefonte, N W, L. A. Shaeffer,	W. J. Singe J M Gepha
-	" S W, J L Runkle,	J A Ruj H Jackso
y	" WW. Dr Kirk,	A Lukenbac J R Sheffi
f	Centre Hall, RD Foreman,	D F Lus C H Mey
5	Howard, Abe Weber,	Sol Cano
1	Milesburg, A M Butler.	WTHA
-	Millheim, J C Smith.	B F Kisto Frank Kna
1	Philipsburg, 1st w, F K White,	J A Luker S W Cro
t -	" 2nd w. D Paul,	G Pootsgrov
0	" 3d w, W J Howe	Frank He
9.	S Philipsburg, J Hoffman Unionville, E M Griest,	W Mora
	Townships; Benner, D Heckman,	L Rerie
	Boggs, N P, G W Brown,	Jas Coakle Andy Fetz
-	" EP, GH Leyman,	R CIrv M Leyma
y	" WP, Geo Noll,	Ed Johnso D F Poormi
	Burnside, Oscar Holt,	E Meek

Dan'l Grove, T F Kennedy, N J McCloskey, H M Krebbs, JH Miller, J C Rossman. David Sower, WP. W Pealer, Haines, E P. J Orndorf, " W P. G Bower, S Winkelblech J C Markle D J Gates J P Sebring. Half Moon, PH Meyer,

F Deitz, H Weaver, Marion, Jas Martin, Miles, E P. J Brumgart, Austin Gramley. " MP. Jacob Deitrick. D L Meek. J C Stover, Geo Emerick, Petter, N P. " 8 P. W N Royer,

Miles Seigfried, Pat Heffren, Rush, N P. Snow Shoe, E P. J D Brown, F Turbridy. Spring, N P. J Garbrick, Jr. J Mulfinger, BP. WP. A V Hamilton, V Beckwith, P J Loughrey, S K Emerick

Aaron Fahr Bigler Shaffer Samuei Hoy W Young G R Williams Walker. Sol Peck. G J Woodring Worth, J. C. MEYER, Chairman. W. G. RUNKLE.

DEMOCRATIC RULES.

The following are the rules governing the dection of delegates and the county conven-

The following are the rules governing the election of delegates and the county convention:

1. The Democratic County Convention of Centre county shall be composed of one delegate for every fifty Democratic votes polled at the Presidential or Gubernatorial election next preceding the convention. The allotment of delegates to the several election districts in the county shall be made by the standing committee of the county at its first meeting in every alternate year succeeding the Presidential and Gubernatorial elections and shall be in proportion to the Democratic votes cast in each district at such election.

2. The election of delegates to represent the different districts in the annual Democratic county convention shall be held at the usual place for holding the general election for each district on the Saturday preceeding the second Tuesday of August in each and every year. beginning at 2 o'clock, p. m. on said day and continuing until 6 o'clock p. m. The delegates so elected shall meet in county convention in the court house, at Bellefonte, on the Tuesday following at 12 o'clock M.

3. The said delegate election shall be held by an election board, to consist of the member of county committee for each district and two other democratic voters thereof who shall be appointed or designated by the county committee. In case any of the persons so constituting the board shall be absent from the place of holding the election for a quarter of an hour after the time appointed, by Rule Second for the opening of the same, his or their place or places shall be filled by an election, to be conducted vivivoice, by the Democratic voters present at that time.

4. Every qualified voter of the district, who at the late general election voted the Democratic ticket, shall be entitled to a vote at the tablest election state.

at the late general election voted the Demo-eratic ticket, shall be entitled to a vote at the delegate election; any qualified elector of the district who will pledge his word and honor to support the Democratic ticket at the next gen-eral election shall be permitted to vote at the delegate elections.

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6. The voting at all delegate elections shall be by ballot; upon which ballot shall be written or printed the names or names of the delegates voted for together with any instructions which the voter may desire to give the delegate or delegates. Each ballot shall be received from the person voting the same by a member of the election board, and by him deposited in a box or other receptable provided for that purpose, to which, the box or other receptable, no persons but members of the board shall have access.

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6. No instructions shall be received or recognized unless the same be voted upon the ballot as provided in Eule Fourth, nor shall such instructions if voted upon the ballot be binding upon the delegates unless one-half or more of the ballots shall centain instructions concerning the same office. Whenever half or more of the ballots shall contain instructions concerning any office, the delegate elected at such election shall be held to be instructed to support the candidates having the highest number of votes for such office.

7. Each election board shall keep an accurate list of the names of all persons voting at such elections, when the list of voters together with a full and complete return of such election, containing an accurate statement of the persons elected delegates and all instructions voted shall be certified by said board to the county convention upon printed blanks to be furnished by the county convention.

8. Whenever from any district qualified Democratic voters, in numbers equal to five times the delegates which such district has in the county convention, shall complain in writing of an undue election, of talse returns of delegate or of instruction, in which complaint the alleged facts shall be specifically set forth and verified by the affidavit of one or more persons, such complaints shall have the right to contest the seat of such delegates or the validity of such instructions. Such complaint shall be heard by a committee of delegates to be appointed by the president of the convention, which said committee shall proceede to hear the parties, their proofs and allegations, and as soon as may be report to the convention shall proceed immediately upon the call of the yeas and nays to adopt or reject the report of the contesting parties; in which call of the yeas and nays to adopt or felect the report of the contesting parties; in which call of the yeas and nays to adopt or felect the report of and nays to adopt or reject the report of the contesting parties; in which call of the yeas and nays the names of the delegates whose scats are contested or whose instructions are disputed shall be omitted.

9. All delegates must reside in the district they represent. In case of absence or inability to attend, substitutes may be made from citizens of the district.

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10. Delegates must obey the instructions given them by their respective districts and if violated, it shall be the duty of the President of the convention to cast the vote of such delegate or delegates in accordance with the instructions, and the delegate or delegates so offending shall be forthwith expelled from the convention, and shall not be eligible to any office or place of trust in the party for a period of two years.

convention, and shall not be eligible to any office or place of trust in the party for a period of two years.

11. In the convention a majority of all voters shall be necessary to a nomination, and no persons name shall be excluded from the list of candidates until after the third ballot or vote when the person receiving the least number of votes shall be omitted and struck from the roll and so on at each successive vote until a nomination be made.

12. If any person who is a candidate for any nomination before a county convention shall be proven to have offered or paid any money, or other valuable thing or made any promises of a consideration or reward to any delegate for his vote, or to any person with a view of inducing or securing the votes of delegates, or if the same shall be done by any other person with the knowledge and consent of such candidates; or if such facts be ascertained after his nomination, shall be struck from the ticket and the vacancy supplied by a new nomination, and in either case, such person shall be ineligible to any nomination by the convention, or to an election as a delegate thereafter. And in case it shall be alleged after the adjournment of the convention that any candidate put in nomination the charges shall be investigated by the county committee, and such steps taken as the good of the party may require.

13. If any delegate shall receive any money or other tradulent practices to obtain such nomination, such delegate will be forthwith expelled, and shall not be received as a delegate to any further convention, and shall be includible to any party nomination.

14. Cases arising under the 8th, 12th and 13th Rules shall have precedence over all other business in convention until determined.

15. That the term of the chairman of the county committee shall begin on the first day of January of each and every year.

16. That the term of the chairman of the county committee to appoint the members of the committee to appoint the members of the committee for the various boroughs and tow

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Wilbur F. Reeder, chairman of the Republican county committee has issued his call for the annual primary delegate elections and county convention. The delegate elections will be held on Satunlay, August 19th, 1893. In the boroughs of Bellefonte, Centre Hall, Howard, Milesburg, Millheim, Philipsburg, Unionville, and South Philipsburg, and in the townships of Howard, Potter, of his superior qualifications, because of the Snow Shoe, Union, Rush, Spring, Boggs, Worth, Harris and Ferguson the polls will open at 7 p. m., and close at 9 p. m. lasting credit. and in the remaining districts will open at 2 p. m., and close at 4 p. m. The county convention will assemble the following Tuesday, August 22, in the court house, at Bellefonte at 11 a. m. The convention will be composed of 121

THE NEW ROAD LAW.

The new road law passed by the last legislature and signed by Governor Pattison a few days ago, is regarded as a practical measure, one it is thought, which will result in a reform in the matter of road making, in some of the districts at least throughout the country. By this act the taxpayers of any township or road district are enabled to contract for making the roads at their own expense and paying salaries of township or road district officers and thereby road tax in such township or road dis-

The process by which this right is to the said right shall, before the beginning of the fiscal year, present to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county in which said right is devired, setting out that he, she or they are the owners of property assessed and taxed for road purposes in said township or road districts, the number of miles of public road in said township or road district and the desire and ability of the petitioner or petitioners to lay out, open, make, amend and repair the public highways and bridges of said township or road district wholly at his, hers, its or their own expense for the ensuing township fiscal year, and to pay the other expenses of said township without any right against or claim upon said reason of the material, labor or money furnished.

trict at least once every month and be from 1860 to 1893. fully satisfied that the petitioners have fully complied with their contract, and are trying to manufacture political each receive the sum of \$480 per year.

ing the work the petitioners or contract- manufacturing industries and financial ors will be required to pay to the town- circles. That is where the origin and ship clerk \$50; to each of the township cause lies-not at the democratic threshauditors \$25; to the township attorney old. \$50; and to each supervisor \$250. They In order to right these wrong an infaithful performance of their trust."

property is held by one or more persons at hand. or corporations and consequently pay the most of the tax assessed, which in and to carry out the wishes of the peomany instances go to other purposes than ple congress has been summoned in that of repair of the street. It is be. special session to repeal, wipe out and lieved that the corporations will willing. exterminate every trace of McKinleyism ly embrace the opportunity of freeing themselves from the heavy road tax generally levied, by undertaking to keep the streets in proper repair and it that it is done properly

A Communication.

HOWARD, PA., July 20, 1893. To the Democracy of Centre county:

We take pleasure, as citizens of Howard boro and vicinity, in bringing to public notice the claims of one of our represent ative Democrats as a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer on the Democratic ticket.

For almost thirty years many of us have labored earnestly in this portion of the county for the success of our party, without a request for recognition in any of the county offices. In all that time but one or two in Howard township, and none in Howard boro, have been called to serve our people at the county seat In casting about for a fit representative of irrdustry, integrity and sterling Democracy of our community we have kept closely in view the critical judgment of the people, and the duties of the office to be filled.

We cheerfully concede that live, energetic, crupulously honest and obliging persons are most entitled to confidence and advancement in the line of public service; and we hereby certify that in H. A. Moore these qualities are happily blended. His faithful observance of public, as well as private obligations: his earn est, but conservative Democracy; his genial and obliging disposition and his general business training and efficiency, commend him to your confidence.

We are for him, and would like you to co-ope rate with us to secure his nomination-because claims of our locality, and finally, because his official career, we are confident, would bring to us and our party substantial advantage and

Very Truly Yours, BALSER WESSE, J. A. WOOWARD, K. G. SRUTT, MICHAL CONFER, A. W. GARDNER, P. ROBB, JR.

Lane's Medicine moves the bowels each day In order to be healthy this is necessary.

THE RESPONSIBILITY.

WHAT CAUSES FINANCIAL DISTURBANCES.

The Result of Republican Legislation-Mc-Kinley Bills and Sherman Silver Bills Cause the Trouble-Will be Repealed.

Almost every policy of the Government, in force at this time, which affects our finances and regulates to a large extent the course of the nation's prevent the levy and collection of a trade, was originated by the republican party and put in operation by their officials who, for many years past, have been in power at the nation's capitol. be acquired as follows: "Any one or Since the democratic party assumed more taxpayers desirous of acquiring control, in the short space of a few months, no opportunity was had to repeal anything or change a single existing law. Why then should they be held responsible for those things their generally conceeded that the Sherman Silver Act, coining 60 cents worth of silver and calling it a dollar, is the cause of all the present flurry in our finances. The disturbance of our money markets and failure of many banks are generally attributed to this pernicious piece of \$5,460 for employes in the office of the legislation, enacted by a republican Vice President. The office of the seccongress, senate and President.

Our republican exchanges are, apparently, gloating over these failures, as they think they see in them the opportunity to hoodwink the public, since township or road district for or by they occur under the opening of a democratic administration, but never mention at the same time, that we are liv-The work is to be done under the ing, moving and transacting all our direction of the supervisor who is re- business, no matter in what avocation quired to view and inspect the making or to what extent, under the regulaand repairing of the roads in his dis- tions of republican legislation enacted

The republican press of the country for this service the supervisors shall buncombe under existing circumstances. They are hankering after the many and twenty-five laborers are en-It likewise will be the duty of the good, fat offices from which they are supervisor to notify the contractors if now being driven as a result of the verat any time he sees the roads need re- dict of the people on last November. pair, and if they fail to repair the roads They were turned down because they as required, he is empowered to pur- legislated for the benefit of the few. chase such materials and employ such They had McKinley's to favor the men as may be necessaay to repair the wealthy manufacturers, and John Sherroads and charge the same to the con- man's to enrich the western silver In addition to the salary provided to acts are still in full operation and are about \$35,000 for fuel and gas. The be paid to the supervisors for supervis- the cause of the present depression in Capitol and grounds represent a cash

will also be required to execute a bond dignant populous arose and drove the in a sum equal to \$500 for each and McKinleys, the Shermans, the Quays every mile of public roud in said town- and their camp followers from the seat ship with suretied conditioned for the of power and influence and called upon Grover Cleveland and the patriotic The practical effect of the bill will be leaders of the democratic party to as-In the convention a majority of all voters felt more particularly in townships in sume control and, if possible, avert the which the greater amount of taxable threatening dangers which are so near

That is why Cleveland was elected; and Shermanism on our statute books.

Half Rates to the World's Fair,

In order to afford an opportunity to the public to visit the World's Fair, will be the missson of supervisors to see the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has decided to run a series of popular excursions from Washington and Baltimore and other eastern cities to Chicago. The round trip from Washington and Baltimore will be \$17.00; from Bellefonte \$16.75, and proportionate rates, a single fare for the round trip, will prevail from other stations.

The parties will be carried on special trains composed of the newest and best standard passenger coaches, containing all modern conveniences.

The special trains will leave Washington 10.15, Baltimore 11.20 a. m., York 1.15 p. m., Harrisburg 3.26 p. m., Altoona 7.40 p. m., and, stopping at principal intermediate stations, arrive in Chicago 5.20 the next afternoon.

The excursions are fixed for Aug. 2d, 12th, and 23d. The return coupons of these tickets will be good within ten days, and will be accepted for passage only on trains leaving Chicago at 3,15 p. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Grange Festival.

The members of Walker Grange, P. of H., will hold a festival in the Grange hall at Hublersburg, on Saturday, Aug. 12th, 1893. All kinds of refreshments will be served. A band will be present to furnish music.

Just stop in and see Montgomery & Co. hustle out the clothing and hats at the present Bargain prices.

You ought not to let the chance go by without a new suit and straw hat. MONTGOMERY & Co.,

Bellefonte, Pa.

EXPENSES OF CONGRESS

The extra session of congress takes out of the impoverished treasury a big sum in cash. Though many of the expenses of the national legislature run on during its absence from Washington they jump to a maximum when it sits. To make laws costs Uncle Sam a large amount of money annually. The pay alone of members of the House amounts to \$1,800,000 a year, and they get \$130,-000 extra for mileage. To help them transact their business they require a small army of clerks, doorkeepers, pages, etc. The salary list for this force of assistants runs up to \$730,000. This does not include the office of the sergeant-at-arms, which is a sort of bank, through which the salaries of the Represenatives are paid. To run this financial institution an outlay of \$16,000 more is needed. An additional \$26,000 provides for the support of the House republican friends have done? It is post office, through which as much mail matter passes as comes into and goes out of a good-sized city.

> The number of Senators being much smaller, their annual pay amounts only to \$440,000, with an addition of \$45,000 for mileage. There is an expense of retary of the upper house, which does the banking and attends to much of the clerical business of that august body. costs \$64,500 in salaries. Clerks and messengers to various committees draw \$163,500. The sergeant-at-arms, doorkeepers and other helpers get an aggregate of \$118,600.

It also costs a great deal of money to run the building which Congress occupies for business purposes. The Capitol is under charge of Architect Clark, who is allowed \$65,000 a year for keeping it in order. Four plumbers do nothing but mend and renew the arrangements for water and gas. gaged every day of the year in scrubbing the corridors of the great edifice. All this has nothing to do with the keeping up of the two wings, so far as their interior arrangements are concerned. The care of them devolves upon the Senate and House respectively. Furniture and repairs require an annual outminers and money kings. Their evil lay of \$18,000, to which must be added outlay of nearly \$20,000,000. This estimate would have startled its original projectors. Wanting a design for the building they offered \$500 and a building lot for the best one that should be submitted. Until twenty-five years ago the site comprised an area of only twenty-two acres. It was enlarged to its present size of fifty-one and one-half acres at a cost of \$685,000.

Decidedly Shaky.

A trembling hand, an uncertain step, fidgeti iess, indicated by restless shifting from one place or posture to another, usually mental annovance at unexpected noises, are among the noyance at unexpected noises, are among the indications of extreme nervousness. These seem trifling, but the health of men and women in this condition is "decidedly shaky." liable to be overthrown disastrously by causes which the vigorous might defy. To fortify the nervous system, general vigor must through the medium of reinforced digestion, and a renewal of an impaired power of sleeping at night be raised to a healthful standard. A guarantee of this is Hostetter, Stomach Bitters, which re-establishes digestion, bile segretion and the habit of body on a permanently regular basis thus renewing that bodily equilibrium, which is followed by a gain of strength and nerve tran-quility. For kidney complaint rheumatism, neuralgia, aid as a preventive of the first attack or subsequent return of malarial disorders, this medicine is without a peer. Thrice daily take a wineglassful.

A. C. MINGLE

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\$\\ \gamma \\ \gamma \text{gives you a genuine hand-welt button boot} \\ \text{\text{\text{cheap} at \$\frac{\pi}{2}\$}. Don't miss seeing them. \$3 \ buys a pair of elegant patent leather bala-style as good as our best.

\$5.50 buys the best the market affords in feel like guaranteeing them, but 'tis against the rule.

There are people who have a house full of children and it takes a great deal of money each year to keep so many little ones shod. We feel confident we can reduce the expense.

Mingle's Shoe Store.