

PREDICTING A BREAK.

Hopeful Republican Leaders of West Virginia Are Already

HARD AT WORK FOR PROTECTION.

Grounds for Their Belief That the State Will Get Into Line.

EVIDENT ANXIETY OF THE DEMOCRACY

FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.

WHEELING, Aug. 15.—Just now, immediately following the State Conventions of the two parties, both Republicans and Democrats in West Virginia are making extensive preparations for what is expected to be a most desperate and doubtful struggle.

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The Republicans have determined to make a magnificent effort to place the war-born State in the column where they believe it naturally belongs.

"We think there are more of us in the State than there," said C. B. Hart, Chairman of the Delegation to the recent Minneapolis Convention.

"Many prominent Democrats have admitted to me," continued Mr. Hart, "that they knew Fleming was not elected at the polls."

"By no means. This State was not alone in that tidal wave. This year's returns from Oregon and Rhode Island show that the Republican vote is all in line again."

"It has been claimed that the labor difficulties, particularly at Homestead, would have an effect upon the situation."

"I do not think a single vote will be changed in the State on that account," replied Mr. Hart.

"Another Republican leader thought that the State nomination would tend to the advantage of the party."

"On the other hand," he continued, "McCorkle will add no strength to the opposition."

"The trouble in 1888 was that the Democrats were caught unawares. They did not expect any such close result, and it came like a flash of lightning from a clear sky."

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"We also believe that Secretary Elkins is ready to pour out money to influence the result."

"Some new legislation bearing upon the election goes into effect this year. The West Virginia Constitution does not permit of a

registration law, but the last Democratic Legislature passed a measure which practically provides for such registration, although it is called assessing and listing the voters.

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GRASSHOPPERS IN DROVES.

They Destroy Whole Fields of Oats in an Ohio Neighborhood.

NORWALK, O., Aug. 15.—Grasshoppers in countless numbers are doing an immense amount of damage in this county—Huron and adjoining counties, to oats and other growing crops.

So destructive have they been that whole fields of oats have been destroyed. Farmers have plowed them under or turned cattle into the fields.

COLEMAN, L.L., Aug. 15.—[Special.]—Owen Cosley, a farmer about 25 years of age, living five miles west of this city, was shot four times this morning by Richard Dunaway, a neighbor, and almost instantly killed.

Cosley was at a neighbor's house when Dunaway came in, remarking that he was just in time for dinner.

It is attractive, but its hue in the skin and eyeballs is repulsive, and indicates biliousness, a malady, however, easily remediable with Host's Stomach Bitters.

Low Rate Excursion to Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago via the P. & W. Ry.

Last Excursion to Atlantic City via the B. & O. railroad, Thursday, August 13, at the popular rate of \$10 the round trip.

Light Suits Are Doomed. Fashion's edict has gone forth. Black is the coming color.

When going to Canton, O., stop at the Barnett House; strictly first-class; refitted and furnished throughout. Elegant sample rooms. Rates, \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the best of all remedies for children teething.

LADIES are greatly benefited by the use of Angostura Bitters.

Many ladies are martyrs to suffering. Their best help is Parker's Ginger Tonic.

Boys will banish roaches, bed bugs, etc., from your house forever. 25 cents.

Try to Live and Live to Dry. Prefer the drier, has been drying for 25 years.

Do Not Write Little Early Risers. No gripping no pain, no nausea, easy to take.

Marion Harland, Author of "Common Sense in the Household," writes, February 5, 1892: "After long and careful trial of others, I prefer

Cleveland's Baking Powder. Cleveland's is a pure cream of tartar and soda mixture, not containing alum or ammonia or any other substance deleterious to the human stomach.

Marriage Licenses Issued Yesterday.

Table with columns: Name, Residence. Includes Orion P. Miller, Elizabeth Lloyd, William Sisson, etc.

DIED.

ANDERSON—On Sunday, August 14, 1892, WILLIAM, son of John C. and Rose Anderson.

BURNS—At the family residence, No. 22 Madison avenue, Allegheny City, on Monday, August 15, 1892, GEORGE BURNS, eldest son of Christ J. and Kate Burns, aged 16 years and 6 months.

CHISLETT—At her residence, 160 Forty-fourth street, August 14, 1892, at 11:30 p. m. MARGARET, wife of Arthur Chislett, in the 84th year of her age.

DUTCH—MR. WILLIAM A. DUTCH, of Blair station, on the 14th day of August, 1892, aged 23 years 2 months and 23 days.

GREAVES—At Bridgeville, Pa., August 14, 1892, GEORGE MURRAY, infant son of J. W. and Sadie W. Greaves.

MULVANY—At her residence, No. 294 Jenny Lind street, McKeesport, Pa., on Sunday, August 14, 1892, at 8:10 a. m., CATHERINE, wife of James Mulvany, in the 70th year.

MURDOCK—On Sunday, August 14, 1892, at 2:30 p. m., at his residence, 527 North 10th street, Allegheny, in the 52d year of his age.

NIEBAUM—On Saturday, August 13, 1892, at 1:15 p. m., JOHN R. NIEBAUM, aged 66 years 4 months and 18 days.

O'DONNELL—On Sunday, August 14, 1892, at 4:45 a. m., DANIEL, son of John and Bridget O'Donnell, aged 6 months 3 weeks and 6 days.

SCHWIMM—On Sunday evening at 8:15 East 10th street, August 14, 1892, at 8:15 p. m., Hon. ROBERT THOMPSON, in his 76th year.

SMIT—On Sunday, August 14, 1892, Mrs. SARAH WILLIAM SMIT, aged 21 years and 9 months.

WALLEN—At Narragansett Pier, August 11, CHARLES KENNEDY CASS, son of Augustus Cass and the late Henry D. Wallen, in the 15th year of his age.

WILSON—At Grand North Park, Col., on Sunday, August 14, 1892, ALEX. G. WILSON, son of Mrs. Isabella Wilson, 122 Second avenue, city.

ZIMMERMAN—On Sunday evening, August 14, 1892, at 9 o'clock, at his residence, 100 Federal street, Allegheny, at 4 o'clock TUESDAY AFTERNOON. Interment private.

Tutt's Tiny Pills act so kindly on the child, the delicate female, or infirm old age as upon the vigorous man.

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