

Towanda, Pa., Oct. 20, 1881.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR STATE TREASURER, GENERAL SILAS M. BAILY. "A man who from his youth up has fought the battles of Republicanism in a region where no hope of success could add vigor and zeal to the contest, and with no reward save the consciousness of having served the cause he loved. A man who has attended his life the duties of a citizen by service on the floor of glory and of blood, who won his promotion in the glorious Pennsylvania Reserves, from Captain to Brigadier, for meritorious service on the field. A man who stood in the red hell of battle at Drainsville, on the Peninsula, at Gaines Mill, South Mountain, Antietam, Fredericksburg and the Wilderness, and who bore witness with his blood that he loved his country well. He bears upon his person the rough scars left by the cruel cannon balls, and will carry to his grave the evidence of his patriotism and courage. He is able and worthy to lead Republicanism to victory, and he has the right to war. (Speech of Republican General Palmer, in Republican State Convention.)

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FOR SHERIFF, WILLIAM T. HORTON, Of Terry Township. FOR PROTHONOTARY, GEORGE W. BLACKMAN, Of Sheshequin Township. FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER, JAMES H. WEBB, Of Southfield Township. FOR COUNTY TREASURER, EBEN LILLEY, Of LeRoy Township. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, DANIEL BRADFORD, Of Columbia Township. MYRON KINGSLEY, Of Standing Stone Township. FOR COUNTY AUDITORS, W. W. MOODY, Of Rome Township. J. T. HESTED, Of New Albany Borough.

STANDARD COUNTY ELECTIONS.

Tuesday, November 8, is the day for holding the state and county election this year. Voters who change their residences from one election district to another require a residence of at least thirty days in the district where the election shall offer a vote. State and county elections have been held in this county for many years. Every qualified citizen should vote. This is a duty for the neglect of which the reason should be very strong. Without such a reason the neglect to vote is an unpardonable refusal to perform a public duty. We hope every citizen of this county will vote at the election on November 8th.

There is no room for doubting that Hon. DAVID DAVIS (Nile) the Vice-President elect, has been confirmed by the Senate last week as Minister to Spain.

Twenty thousand Republican majority in Ohio, and 50,000 in Iowa. That will do for an "off year."

Let no one give himself any uneasiness as regards the eventual payment of the State debt. It is a matter of course that the State will pay its debts, but it will be sure.

The final decision of the ecclesiastical judges has gone against him, and Dr. Tombs, heretofore a Methodist minister of Chicago, has been expelled from the fold of the Church.

The Legislature of Ohio, elected last week, will have a Republican majority on joint ballot of about 30. Looks just as though the Democrats would not jerry-mander the Congressional districts of that State to any serious extent, this winter.

It is now pretty generally conceded that General BAILY's majority over Noble will be somewhere in the neighborhood of twenty or thirty thousand. Some place it at twenty thousand, but the shrewdest politicians say a few thousand less than that.

ORANGE NOBLE has been used for the recovery of a sewing machine corporation which it alleged he stole. No doubt this suit has been brought to force Mr. Noble from the field as an independent candidate for State Treasurer. The Democracy are silly dogs.

A CORRESPONDENT asks an exchange for the proper pronunciation of the name of President GARFIELD's assassin. The reply was as follows: "As the execrable wretch claims to be of French descent, he pronounces his name Grr-woy. When the gallows gets its due, it will be pronounced Grr-out."

The Greenback State Central Committee met at Harrisburg Friday, and about twelve members were present. A letter was read from R. W. JACKSON, the candidate for State Treasurer, in which he says he has no intention of withdrawing. There was no effort to force him from the ticket and to endorse WOLFE.

People who have had much to say about the recent loss of strength by the Republican party in the U. S. Senate will be willing to acknowledge their error in that respect, in the light of the fact that the party last week, without apparent effort, elected DAVID DAVIS to the presidential chair. And DAVID DAVIS weighs 150 pounds.

The executive committee having in charge the erection of a National and International GARFIELD Memorial Hospital met at Harrisburg Friday, with General SHERMAN in the chair. Various committees were appointed, and an appeal to the public in general for subscriptions in aid of the fund, prepared by Secretary BLAINE, was adopted.

AFTER a careful perusal of the predictions of numerous correspondents at Washington for the past few days, we have come to the conclusion that Mr. BLAINE is to be Minister to England, Governor of Maine, Minister to France, Secretary of State, Secretary of the Treasury, and President in 1885. Also that lazzing accidents, nothing can prevent Mr. CONKLING from becoming Judge of the Supreme Court, Minister to England, Secretary of the Treasury, and Secretary of State and Governor of New York State.

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The Star route cases came up by arrangement in the criminal Court at Washington Friday, a large array of counsel for the defense being present. Mr. ROBERT G. LEXINGTON declined to go on at once unless the argument could be closed immediately, as he desired to be present throughout the whole discussion. The matter was then held over for two weeks, the time for the opening of the argument to be then fixed.

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