

The Post.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Prothonotary,
JEREMIAH CROUSE,
of Middleburg.

Register & Recorder,
JAMES M. VANZANDT,
of Middleburg.

District Attorney,
HENRY H. GRIMM,
of Freeburg.

Jury Commissioner,
ALVIN A. ULSH,
of West Beaver.

Republican State Convention.

The Republicans of Pennsylvania, and all others in favor of an Honest Currency and the faithful discharge of National Obligations, and opposed to Communism and the Restoration to Power in the National Government of the influences which procured the rebellion of 1861, are requested to send delegates, apportioned according to their representation in the Legislature, to a Convention to meet at Harrisburg, at 12 M., on the 23d day of July next, to nominate a candidate for State Treasurer and transact such other business as may be brought before them.

M. S. QUAY,
Chairman State Committee.
Phila., June 9, 1879.

The Southern cities are already beginning to dread a return of the yellow fever, and to take measures to protect themselves against it.

There are at the Philadelphia and Reading rolling mills 900 tons of finished railroad rails, each 30 feet long, and weighing 40 pounds to the yard, awaiting shipment to Brazil.

The indication of paralysis have become so apparent in Col. Thomas A. Scott, now traveling in Europe, that the probabilities are that he can never again fulfill the important duties of President of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The seventy-five hour pedestrian contest between O'Leary and Crossland was finished at eleven o'clock on Sunday night, in Chicago, Ill. O'Leary made 250 miles and 3 laps and Crossland 225 and 3 laps.

The friends of ex-Gov. Hartman are pressing upon the President the propriety of making him Secretary of War, to succeed Mr. McCleary when the latter leaves the office next fall. It is not generally known that Governor Hartman was the original choice of Mr. Hayes for that position.

William Armstrong, who was 101 years of age, of Mechanicsburg, Cumberland county, a few miles above Harrisburg, was buried last week, with the honors of war, in that borough. He preserved faculties and powers until within a short time of his death. He was the oldest man in Pennsylvania.

The officers of the Permanent Exhibition and the State Agricultural Society have conferred with reference to the approaching fair. It was decided to open the fair on the 8th and close it on the 20th of September, to increase the premium list to \$20,000, and not to receive any but American working machines.

A Washington dispatch to the Cincinnati Commercial says: We are informed that Republicans from Mississippi say there is no question but Jefferson Davis will be returned to the United States Senate if he lives and his disabilities are removed. All indications point very strongly in that direction, and many Democrats from the same State do not deny that Davis will be a candidate. They say it all rests with him, and that if he is a candidate the Mississippi Legislature cannot refuse to elect him.

A perfect simoom of shocking crime seem to be now sweeping over the land. From North, East, South and West come daily accounts of murder, outrage, suicide, and the like, and if one were to judge from the columns of the newspapers, it would be impossible to avoid the conclusion that the bottomless pit had cast out into the earth its agents of evil, who are now working destruction on humanity.

The leading organ of the South Carolina bulldozers declares that it does not know a single instance where the presence of troops at the polls has prevented any Democrat from voting. This is frank and honest, and takes the wind out of a large Democratic bubble. If the organ had gone a little further with its frankness and told us how many negroes the red-shirted rifle-clubs at the polls had kept from voting, its contribution of valuable information would have been rounded and complete.

Congress adjourned sine die on the 1st inst. The President sent a special message to both branches urging the necessity of an appropriation to pay for the services of the Marshals. This they refused to do. The issue is now sharply defined. The Democrats of both houses simply refuse to vote for the appropriations necessary for the enforcement of the laws of the United States for the punishment of criminals. The bulldozers are perfectly willing to let the country on the la-

Hon. H. G. Fisher has been elected to manage the affairs of the Republican Congressional Committee for the campaign of the present year. Mr. Fisher is among the youngest of the Republicans in Congress, and a distinction of this kind is no mean compliment, as the position is one of great responsibility. We believe that he is equal to the position.—*Huntingdon Globe*.

Nineteen summers are all that have passed over the head of an Allentown girl who has twice been divorced.

Additional Locals.

Adjourned Argument Court on the 15th.

Temperance Pic-Nic.

The G. T. U. of Adamsburg will hold a grand Pic-Nic in Markley's grove, about half a mile west of the town, on Saturday, July 10th. Eminent speakers will be present. A good time is anticipated, and a cordial invitation is extended to all the citizens of Snyder county. It is hoped there will be a good attendance. The bounteous hospitality of a generous community will be freely extended to all who come.

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THE LAW OF NEWSPAPERS.—The courts have decided that if a person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publishers may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount whether the paper is taken from the postoffice or not. Also, action for fraud can be instituted against any person, whether he is responsible in a financial view or not, who refuses to pay subscriptions due for a publication. Some forgot this, and think by merely refusing to take the paper from the post-office settles the matter.

A Literary Avalanche.

An enviable fame among people who love good books is being achieved by the AMERICAN BOOK EXCHANGE, 55 Beekman street, New York. Simultaneously with the completion of their wonderfully cheap and successful ACME edition of CHAMBERS' CYCLOPEDIA OF ENGLISH LITERATURE, they announce the publication of six other standard and popular books, all choice editions, at prices heretofore unheard of. They are "Bullfinch's Ancient History," 1,492 very large double column pages, large type, price in cloth, \$2.25, sheep, \$2.75; "Josephus' Complete Works," 1,052 pages, uniform with Bullfinch's, still larger type, price, cloth, \$2.00 sheep, \$2.50; "Arabian Nights," large type, cloth 55 cents; "Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress," very large type, cloth, 55 cents; "Robinson Crusoe," large type, cloth, 55 cents; and "Baron Munchausen," extra large type, cloth, 50 cents. A discount of 10 per cent, when ordered in cluse of five or more of either book, or in the amount of \$10.00 or more selected from the list, at one time. Circulars giving full particulars, specimens of type, &c., will be sent free on request. Sold only to buyers direct, not through dealers or agents.

The 4th, in Middleburg, as observed by the ubiquitous reporter of "The Post." The deafening boom of 150 pieces of 400 lb. rifled Krupp cannon, which shook the earth for miles, like an earth-quake, announced the dawn of as beautiful a morning as has opened upon this fair portion of the continent for more than half a century. In the early morning the infantiles vented their youthful patriotism by tying firecrackers to the tails of small dogs. At the business places Jake and Waldo measured calico and weighed out groceries, and G. Alfred, first having cut his toe-nails and washed one foot, packed butter—High Castable Jim called the roll of deputies and only 107 of the braves responding, he retired to his bath-room, a hole dug in the ground floor of the cellar and filled with water. Bogar, Jerry and several others were industriously lounging around the "Waffle-house" to get a smell of those splendid waffles and other good things for which Mrs. Smith has more than a State wide reputation. The sun's approach to the meridian drove all to the shade and for a time silence, deep, grave-like silence hung like a funeral pall over this ancient village.

The unweared sun sank beneath the western horizon and the shades of evening invited the good folk from their hiding places who appeared upon the streets winking and squinting like so many toads in an ash-heap. They had all taken a patriotic snooze and fought over the battles of the Revolution—captured King George the III, and put the hosts of red-coats to flight; but, nonsense, they had in truth only been fighting a few nubby flies and they were wont to call this true heroism—true bravery and claimed to be put upon the record list with the pay of Lieutenant-Generals during their natural lives.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testifying to the estate of Captain John W. Sanford, of West Beaver, Pa., need have been granted to the

ASSIGNEE NOTICE.

ALL persons interested are hereby notified that Isaac Reever of Franklin Township, Snyder Co., made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, and all his real and personal property to the extent of his debts, and other claims payable to him by the state and federal governments, and other persons having valid claims against him, to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons indebted to him, and that persons indebted to him shall be entitled to receive payment from him in proportion to the amount of his debts, and that the discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt.

July 13, 1879. Astiague.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

PETER HARTMAN of Snyder county a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 21, 1867, having applied for a discharge from his debts, and other claims payable to him by the state and federal governments, and other persons having valid claims against him, to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons indebted to him, and that persons indebted to him shall be entitled to receive payment from him in proportion to the amount of his debts, and that the discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt.

July 13, 1879. M. C. McCANDLESS, Clerk.

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