

Elk County Advocate.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR.

GEN. JOHN W. GEARY, OF CUMBERLAND.

JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT.

HON. H. W. WILLIAMS, OF ALLEGHENY.

The First Emperor.

Yesterday, the 14th of August, was the one hundredth anniversary of the birthday of Napoleon I. The year 1769, in which his birth occurred, otherwise was not especially memorable. The world was generally at peace. Turkey has just begun war with Russia, because of certain infringements of her territory, but the remainder of Europe was unusually free from the strife of arms.

The brilliant Catharine II. was empress of Russia, Charles III. held the sceptre of Spain, Frederick the Great was ruling Prussia, George III. had been nine years king of England, and was just beginning to talk of his "rebellious subjects in the colonies."

The following embrace, we think, the most general use of stamps as applied to manufacturers and particular classes of business that pay a special tax: All notes and certificates of debt, five cents on each \$100; if under \$100 five cents; if over \$100, five cents on each \$100 or part thereof.

The recurrence of his birthday, and the thought of what he made and what he aspired to make France, naturally suggests her present ruler and her present condition.

But beyond this ambition for the adornment of the capital, there appears to be very little of the First Emperor about Napoleon III. Military genius he has not. And of the magic influence, which can summon flowers in the severest of adversities, he is destitute.

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That Asa Packer, the Democratic candidate for Governor, was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention held at Charleston in 1860, from which he bolted, and united with the Southern secessionists in nominating John C. Breckinridge as the session candidate to defeat Stephen A. Douglass, the regular Democratic nominee, is a fact that should be remembered.

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NOT OUR DAD.—The Walker party in Virginia repudiate the idea of their triumph being called a Democratic victory. The "Richmond Enquirer," the old Democratic organ, speaks thus: "The Democratic papers at the North committed a very gross error in ascribing this great victory to the 'Virginia Democracy.' There has been no such party in this State for eight years, and its very bones have rotted and now crumble at the touch. No correctionary process could bring that party to life, and its ashes mingled with, and undistinguished from that of the old Whig party.

INFORMATION.—If the patience of Postmasters is not tried then we are mistaken. No matter how much his temper may be provoked, it must occasionally get the upper-hand of him. An exchange says:

When you call at the office for your mail and the Postmaster hands it out ask him if that is all.

When you want a stamp on your letter, tell the Postmaster to put it on; if he don't like it you lick him. In case you put the stamp on, soak it in your mouth long enough to remove the maulage; it will then stick until it is dry.

Be sure to ask the postmaster to credit you for stamps; if he has any accommodation about him at all, he will do it.

STAMPS.—Though we have for some time been living under the rule of stamps, the question is one of every day asking, "How much of a stamp does this require?" The following embrace, we think, the most general use of stamps as applied to manufacturers and particular classes of business that pay a special tax.

The new one dollar notes will have a vignette of Washington, and a representation of Columbus discovering America on the face. Instead of the vignette of Chief Justice Chase, as on those now in use. The two dollar notes will have a vignette of Jefferson and a view of the Capitol, instead of the vignette of Franklin, as on those now in use.

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