

Elk County Advocate.

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FOR GOVERNOR, HON. HENRY SOUTHER, OF SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1872.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5, 1872.

In pursuance of the resolution of the Republican State Central Committee, adopted at Harrisburg Jan. 18, 1872, a Republican State Convention, composed of Delegates from each Senatorial and Representative District, in the number to which such District is entitled in the Legislature, will meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 19th day of April, A. D. 1872, to nominate candidates for Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Auditor General (should the Legislature provide for the choice of one by the people), and an Electoral Ticket; and also to elect Senatorial and Representative Delegates to represent this State in the Republican National Convention, to be held at Philadelphia, June 5, 1872.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.

The Republicans of Montgomery county on Thursday, February 29, nominated for State Senator, in the place of Hon. Henry S. Evans, deceased, Daniel H. Mulvaney, Esq., of Norristown. Mr. Mulvaney is a prominent member of the Montgomery Bar, and exceedingly popular throughout the three counties comprising the district.

The election of postmaster of the people is being agitated in Congress, and has many advocates among the practical men of both branches thereof. It seems to be asking only what is right to claim for the people the power of choosing this officer, for no officials in the land come so often and so closely in contact with the people as postmasters and their subordinates, and therefore it is only reasonable to concede to each community the privilege of nominating and electing such officials. We believe the day will come when this will be done with more officers than postmasters, and our Government will not be perfectly free as a system of self-government until the people are conceded larger powers of election.—[Erie Gazette]

HON. DAVID DAVIS, who has been nominated for President by the National Labor Reform party, was born in Cecil county, Maryland, on March 9, 1815. He graduated at Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio, in 1832, and having studied law at the schools of Harvard and Yale, removed to Illinois in 1835, and commenced the practice of his profession at Bloomington. He was elected to the Illinois Legislature in 1844, and in 1847 was a member of the State Constitutional Convention. In 1848 he was elected Judge of the Eighth Judicial District of Illinois, and was twice re-elected to that position. In 1862 President Lincoln appointed Mr. Davis an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Joel Parker, the Labor Reform candidate for Vice President, is the present Governor of New Jersey, having also occupied that position from 1863 to 1866.

There seems to be a general revival of the temperance cause throughout the world just now. The Church of Rome is taking it up with great energy, and using its influence to restrain a class who certainly do about as good drinking as any other. England, too, is sharply at work, and Russia joins the movement, backed by the Autocrat himself and all the Greek Church. It is doubtful if it can avail much in the latter country against the rigidity of the climate. Teetotalers tell us—and possibly correctly—that spirituous liquors lessen the powers of the human frame to resist cold, and yet in the frozen regions of Norway, Sweden and Northern Russia more spirits are drunk than where else in Europe.

Of the State officers of Tennessee, the Governor, the six Judges of the Supreme Court, the Attorney General and Reporter, the Secretary of State, the Treasurer, the Comptroller, the Superintendents of the Insane Hospital, Penitentiary and the Capitol, the Public Printers, the Speakers of the House, the Speaker of the Senate, the Clerk of the Senate, the Doorkeeper of the House and the Doorkeeper of the Senate, were in the rebel army.

Forty years ago a blooming young girl of sixteen married an old man of sixty for his money, expecting that he would soon die and leave her a wealthy young widow. Last week the lady died at the respectable age of fifty-six, leaving a husband aged one hundred, and four children to mourn her loss.

The weak may be joked out of anything but their weakness.

ONE MILLION OF LIVES SAVED.

It is one of the most remarkable facts of his remarkable age, not that so many persons are the victims of dyspepsia or indigestion, but its willing victims. Now, we would not be understood to say that any one regards dyspepsia with favor, or feels disposed to rank it among the luxuries of life. Far from it. Those who have experienced its torments would scold such an idea. All dread it, and would gladly dispense with its unpleasant familiarities. Mark Tapley was jolly under all the trying circumstances in which he was placed, never had an attack of dyspepsia, or his jollity would have speedily forsaken him.

all the multifarious diseases to which the human system is liable, there is perhaps no one so generally prevalent as dyspepsia. There are diseases more acute and painful, and which more frequently prove fatal, but none the effect of which are so depressing to the mind and so positively distressing to the body. If there is a wretched being in the world it is.

A CONFIRMED DYSPEPTIC. We have said that dyspepsia is perhaps the most universal of human diseases. This is emphatically the case in the United States. Whether this general prevalence is due to the character of the food, the method of its preparation, or the latter manner in which it is usually swallowed, is not our province to explain. The great fact with which we are called to deal is this:

DYSPEPSIA PREVAILS almost universally. Nearly every person you meet is a victim, an apparently willing one; were this not the case, why so many sufferers, when a certain, speedy and safe remedy is within the easy reach of all who will avail themselves of it? But says a dyspeptic: What is this remedy? to which we reply: This great alleviator of human suffering is almost as widely known as the English language. It has alleviated the agonies of thousands, and is to-day carrying comfort and encouragement to thousands of others. This acknowledged panacea is none other than

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