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The Tribune is the only Republican daily in Lackawanna County.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

To the Republican electors of Pennsylvania.

The Republicans of Pennsylvania, by their duly chosen representatives, will meet in state convention Thursday, April 22, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the opera house, city of Harrisburg.

By order of the state committee.

Attest: Jere B. Roy, W. R. Andrews, Secretaries.

It is a new thing to find the Scranton Truth crying "Budge" to law and order and trying to justify mob rule.

Stand by Pennsylvania.

The announcement of the eminent Philadelphia manufacturer, Hamilton Diston, who was recently elected one of the national delegates from the Second congressional district, on what at the time was generally regarded as an anti-Quay ticket, that he is a Pennsylvanian and as such will be for Senator Quay as long as he is a candidate, represents the proper spirit.

This magnificent Republican state, with its quarter of a million Republican plurality, has long enough been passed aside by the national conventions of the Republican party.

The time has come when a determined effort should be made by the Pennsylvania delegation to secure at St. Louis such a recognition of the commonwealth as its obvious and indisputable due.

The chances that Senator Quay can be nominated at St. Louis are small. There need be no attempt to disguise that fact. There is, however, a possibility of success, and in politics, more often than not, it is the unexpected that happens.

In his opinion, Justice Shiras called attention to the fact that the real question at issue was whether the various railroad companies engaged in the traffic from Cincinnati to Augusta and Social Circle were so engaged under a common control, management or arrangement for a continuous carriage or shipment within the meaning of the interstate commerce act.

Responsibility of Bankers. A decision of far-reaching moment to those concerned in banks or banking has been delivered by the United States Supreme court in what is known as the Meadowcroft case.

very much of a public business. This is the Chicago Record aptly observes. It is merely common sense. A bank acts for its own benefit and for the benefit of its depositors.

When a man commits a crime or violates an ordinance the law intends that he shall be punished, no matter what his influence or wealth. Unfortunately, however, in the needlessly protracted court processes in vogue in this country, there have been notable instances wherein influential culprits have been able to evade their just punishment.

The United States supreme court evidently believes that federal regulation of interstate railways should regulate. The belief is novel, but welcome.

Important Commerce Decisions.

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