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Republican State Convention.

The Republican State Convention, for the nomination of candidates for Governor and other State officers, will be held at *Harrisburg, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1857.* Each District will elect Delegates in the usual manner, equal in number to its representatives in the two Houses of the State Legislature, and no person will be entitled, by substitution, to represent a district in which he does not reside.

CHARLES GIBBONS,
Chairman of State Executive Committee.

Union County Convention.

The opponents of the present National Administration and of the Cincinnati Platform, are hereby requested to meet in Lewisburg election districts, in the county, at the usual places of holding such meetings, on SATURDAY, March 14th, 1857, and elect two delegates from each, to meet in County Convention, on WEDNESDAY, March 18th, 1857, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the COURT HOUSE, in the city of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention, to be held at Harrisburg, on the 25th of March, for the nomination of candidates for the several State offices.

The meetings in the several townships will be held between the hours of 3 and 5 P. M., and in the cities and boroughs between the hours of 7 and 9 P. M.

By order of the Union Executive Committee of Allegheny county.

JAMES A. EKIN, Chairman.
SUMNER ERRETT, Sec'y.

THE DECISION IN THE CASE OF DRED SCOTT.—We do not know how other persons may feel in view of the recent *dicta* of the Supreme Court in the case of Dred Scott, an abstract of which was published in our telegraphic column on Saturday morning, but it appears to us that the almost diabolical spirit it evinces in going out of the way to protect Freedom at the expense of Slavery, ought to be sufficient to arouse to indignation the coolest and most torpid of northern men. The decision is a fitting crown to the aborted tyranny which has just submerged with Pierce: an iron clasp, well forged to link the dead with the living administration. It comes pat upon the recent inaugural, "rounds and caps it to the tyrant's eye" and just fills up the cup of iniquity.

What matter is it that this decision upsets those we have on record? New lights have arisen with the progress of revolving years, and Story and Marshall, Jefferson, Madison and Monroe hide their twinkling lights before the full-orbed glory of Douglas, Pierce and Davis. The Supreme Court has aimed a blow at State Sovereignty which is baser and more iniquitous than any thing we had before conceived of. The State of Illinois for example, under this decision, in her legislative capacity, has no power to enact such a law as can make a slave coming there with the consent of his master a freeman! The decision that the Court has no jurisdiction in this case makes all the other remarks from the bench touching the ordinance of 1787, and the compromise of 1820, mere *obiter dicta*, it is true, but the fact that the Court has gone out of its way to say what it has, shows its *animus*, and trumpets to the four corners of the earth the eager alacrity with which it echoes the mouthings of demagogues like Pierce and Douglas.—We may henceforth throw to the winds the reasoning of Story and the decisions of Marshall, so far as this court is concerned, and submit to seeing the government surrendered, bound hand and foot to the same power which has given Kansas over to blood and desolation, elevated a weak old man to the executive chair, given the Treasury, the Post-Office, the Army, the Navy and the Department of the Interior to be its willing servants and exhilarated and energized by its success, pressed on to the Supreme Court, made that the echo of its will and left no place for hope to rest upon, but the virtue of the masses of the people, to which we must henceforth appeal. Let them come in their might and at the ballot box root up the rotten fabric to its foundations which four years of misrule has served so much to weaken, and which the four years to come will doubtless not improve or strengthen.

RAILROAD DISCRIMINATION.—The letter of Mr. Bryan, on our first page, draws attention to a matter which is a just subject of complaint against the Pennsylvania Railroad, to wit: its discrimination against Pittsburgh men and Pittsburgh interests in favor of competing cities west of us. That road, it will be seen, last year carried flour from Cincinnati to Philadelphia at a rate which gave the Cincinnati manufacturer an advantage over the Pittsburgh manufacturer of 25 cts per bbl.; and when at last it yielded to repeated remonstrances on this point, it only took off 15 of the 25 cents difference, leaving still a balance of 10 cents a barrel in favor of the Cincinnati manufacturer. In consequence of the ruinous discrimination thus exercised against it, the Pearl mill, at one time a thriving and flourishing concern and a very useful one to the city, was thrust to the wall and compelled to suspend operations.

The same spirit of discrimination against Pittsburgh is apparent in many other instances and has been made the subject of frequent complaint. To go no further, we may cite in point the fact that goods carried eastward from Pittsburgh to places along the line of the road, are charged 25 cents per 100 lbs. more than the same kind of goods carried westward from Philadelphia for the same distance.

Why should Pittsburgh be subject to this discrimination? Why should the Cincinnati or Madison miller be allowed an advantage, on a Pennsylvania road, over the Pittsburgh miller? When the county of Allegheny was induced to subscribe a million of dollars to aid in building that road, it was under representations that the road built with aid thus given would be a convenience and a benefit to Pittsburgh and its neighborhood; and yet we are one of the finest enterprises in the city withering away beneath its power, because denied the privileges accorded to competing enterprises in other cities.

We know it will be said that all this is owing to the tonnage tax—that if it were not for the tonnage tax of ten cents on the barrel of flour the road could carry as cheaply for Pittsburgh as for Cincinnati millers. But why, we ask, does the tonnage tax operate in the one case and not in the other? Does not the State charge as much tax on Cincinnati as on Pittsburgh flour carried over the road? Then why does the road make it an excuse in the one case and waive it in the other? If Cincinnati flour can be carried cheaply, in spite of the tax, surely Pittsburgh flour can be carried at the same rate. All that is asked, is that Pittsburghers shall be put upon the same basis as their competitors.

If the discrimination is made to coerce our business men into a demand for the repeal of the tonnage tax, the policy argues but a poor knowledge of human nature. So far from accomplishing that end, it has led to the very reverse. It would need but few figures to enumerate those among them who favor the repeal of that tax. They know that they are entitled to equal privileges with other shippers, under existing circumstances; and if that is not conceded to them, now, they see nothing in the proposed change that would secure it to them. In the meantime they have the privilege of looking forward to the completion of the Connellsville road, in the hope that *then* they will enjoy a better chance.

BROAD TOP MINERAL REGION.—The construction of the Broad Top Rail Road, from Huntingdon into the Broad Top coal region, has opened up the way to the heart of the mineral resources of the State. There is to be found, not only coal but an inexhaustible supply of the finest iron ores to be found any where in Pennsylvania. Specimens of these ores may be seen at the office of H. S. KING, corner of Water st. and Chancery Lane, and we advise all who take an interest in such matters to call and see for them-

Is it Lay[illegible] the threshold of the fierce struggle that [illegible] before the people of this nation, we design that there shall be no misunderstanding as to our position on the great point raised by the Supreme Court in the Dred Scott case. We shall treat the so-called decision of that Court as an utter nullity. It is not law, and it has no binding force upon either the people or the government. It is not an authoritative interpretation of the Constitution, nor is it, legally, a decision entitled to any weight whatever. It is simply a demagogical stump speech from the hustings of the supreme bench, got up in legal phrase to suit the necessities of the Buchanan administration. The Judges of the Supreme Court have therein simply abandoned the robe and the ermine to achieve the task of framing a new platform for the locofoco party.

Look at the facts in the case. Dred Scott, an alleged Missouri slave, brings a suit against his claimant, for his freedom, upon the ground that his master, having voluntarily removed him from Missouri on to free soil, he thereby became free. The Supreme Court decide that Dred Scott is not a citizen of Missouri or of the United States, and therefore was not entitled to bring a suit in that Court; hence they dismiss his suit for want of jurisdiction. *That*, then, was the only point for them to decide, and that decided, there was an end of the case. The suit fell because the party bringing it had no rights in that Court.

Beyond this legal point the Court had no power to decide anything. They had no right to go into the merits of a case, when the case itself was dismissed for want of jurisdiction. All that follows is simply extra judicial and is entitled to be regarded only as the unauthorized opinion of so many individuals.

At the time when Chief Justice Marshall was on the bench, he gave it as the opinion of the Court, incidentally, that Congress had full and unlimited power over the Territories. This opinion was once cited in the Senate, to Gen. Cass, as authoritative and conclusive; but Gen. Cass replied that the opinion was an incidental one, foreign to the case at issue, and was a mere *obiter dictum*—an *opinion*, but not *law*. The Democratic party sustained Gen. Cass in this view, and from that day to this has refused to be bound by *that* decision of the Supreme Court. On the same ground we object to *this* decision. It is a mere opinion, delivered in a case in which the Court admitted it had no jurisdiction—a mere *obiter dictum*, devoid of all legal force or authority.

But if this were not the case, we have high Democratic authority for disregarding all such decisions. Prior to the great Bank struggle of 1832, the U. S. Supreme Court had decided a National Bank to be constitutional. Gen. Jackson and the Democratic party set this decision aside, and pronounced the Bank *un* constitutional. Gen. Jackson utterly refused to be guided in his political opinions by the Supreme Court. He had sworn to support the Constitution, he said, as *he* understood it, and not as the Supreme Court understood it. We may safely plant ourselves upon that ground. We cannot speak for the Republican party; but we feel free to say that it will spurn this decision and, when its day of triumph comes, as come it will, sweep into oblivion the base, reckless and unjust Judges who have prostituted their high offices to purposes so vile.

The Constitution was ordained to establish Justice and secure the blessings of Liberty to the people; and it will be worth one struggle, at least, to prevent it from being thus turned from its high aims to subserve the lusts of tyranny. The Constitution was made *by* the people and *for* the people; and *to* the people, the sovereign power in this confederacy, we appeal from this decision. They understand the charter of their liberties, we hope, full well enough to rebuke and defeat, at the polls, this effort to give the whole country up to the domination of the slave power.

THE NEW TARIFF AND ITS EFFECTS.—We confess to a great fear of the effects upon the industrial interests of Pennsylvania, of the new tariff, and more especially as to its effects upon the iron interest. As to its general results, we take the following from the money article of the *N. Y. Times*:

"The New Tariff, though not in all respects such as to please all parties at home—and certainly very defective in some of its details—is warmly welcomed by the *the importing interest here*, and will, no doubt, prove good news to the English and Continental merchants and manufacturers in the American trade, on the arrival not of the steamer Arica, the Cunnard packet, to-day."

Of course, the importers welcome it, and foreign manufacturers will regard it as a godsend. Instead of being an act to reduce the revenue, it is an act for the special benefit of foreign manufacturers and domestic importing agents. It does not go into effect until July 1st; in the meantime, all orders for foreign goods that can be dispatched within, have been countermanded, and there will be comparatively few importations prior to that; but *after* that, look out for a deluge, and in consequent wild spirit of speculation, fostered by dealers in foreign wares.

As to the reduction of the duty on iron, the N. Y. Courier & Enquirer says:

"The reduction will unquestionably tell with severe effect upon the Iron interests. It will materially check the rate of progress which the manufacture of iron has for the last few years been making, and which bids fair to render this country soon independent of all others in regard to this first of all industrial necessities. The production of iron in this country has more than doubled within the last three years; and during the last year more than two-thirds of the rails laid down on American railroads were of American manufacture. The export of iron from England has greatly fallen off, and this fact is driving the English iron trade into a state of most earnestly for a remedy. Says a late number of the London *Mining Journal*:

"These facts have led some interested in the trade to the conclusion that it would be sound policy for the staffordshire iron masters to reduce prices next quarter day two pounds per ton, with a view to regain the command of the American market, *and to get rid of the competitors who are supplanting English iron in the United States.* Doubtless, if the price of iron could be reduced to that extent, *it would ruin many of the American manufacturers, and would, for a time, open the way for a large demand for English iron.*"

At this juncture the American Congress has considerately stepped in and lent a hand towards "getting rid of the competitors who are supplanting English iron in the United States;" and have done what they well could to save the Staffordshire men from the unpleasant necessity of reducing prices "two pounds per ton." The British people are full of gratitude. Only to the United States Senate for a tender regard for the English pocket, even at the expense of American industry."

We are glad to note that the Republican members of Congress from this State did all they could to prevent the passage of this bill. Not so their Democratic colleagues. The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *North American* writes:

"The Democratic members from Pennsylvania, who were present, voted with the party, and to save the new Administration from the responsibility of revising the tariff. Perhaps the day may come when the poisoned chalice will be commended to their own lips. It is a hard and bad blow at the interests of Pennsylvania."

In the procession which escorted Mr. Buchanan to the capitol on the day of his inauguration Mr. Bernhisel, of Utah, was one of the marshals. It is supposed that this choice was intended to act as a sort of counterpoise in the social scale, Mr. Buchanan having no wife and Mr. Bernhisel having one.

OUR BOOK TABLE.

THE ARTIST'S FRIEND. By Emerson Bennett.

This is one of the flash novels of the day. It is for sale at Lauffer's who has a large assortment of much better books which we advise readers to buy.

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THE CORES ENTANGLED. By Mrs. H. H. Bigelow.

We have not had the time to read this work as carefully as we could wish. We have glanced through it however, and find it one of the strongest of that class which has multiplied so rapidly since the publication of Uncle Tom's Cabin. It is published in Boston by Wentworth & Co., and in Cleveland, by I. I. Bigelow. We shall say more of it when we shall have read it with more care. Writing under the pressure of the latest decision by the Supreme Court we can see no hope for the friends of freedom but in constant appeals to their sense of justice of manhood and of womanhood through the medium of the press, and from the pulpit and the rostrum.

The appointment of Judge Black to the post of U. S Attorney General leaves another place vacant on our Supreme bench. The bogus Democracy held their convention as will be remembered last week and nominated for the only place which they were then aware would be vacant, Judge Ellis Lewis of Philadelphia. Another candidate of course is now needed in addition to him, and the Republican convention will have two gentlemen to nominate for this position in their convention which will be holden at Harrisburg on the 25th of the present month. We have avoided mentioning any names of persons as candidates for the different offices which are to be filled in due time, because we have thought the people would arrive at their own conclusions without our aid, and it is with no design to forestall any opinions they may have formed or to close our columns to the friends of any other of our distinguished citizens, that we mention the name of HENRY W. WILLIAMS, of this city as one which would go with great weight before the Republicans of Pennsylvania as one of the candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court. He is neither too young nor too old, but at 40 is just in the prime of manhood. He has been a successful lawyer, and as Associate Judge of the District Court, to which place he was elected when the lamented Walter Forward was chosen President Judge of the same, he has ever commanded all the respect due to that position.

We have known Judge WILLIAMS long and intimately, and we know we utter the general conviction of all who have been witness to his judicial career, when we say that he would carry to the Supreme Bench, if elected, a character for dignity learning, ability and integrity second to that of no man on that bench. The West is entitled to one man of the two that will be nominated, and while she has many sons, any of whom she would delight to honor and who would do credit to her name, she has none more deserving of her approving voice than the subject of this notice.

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The above mentioned safe was this day opened in my presence, and I herewith certify that the large amount of books and papers therein contained were in good order and the writing perfectly legible. H. M. RUNYAN,

St. Louis, January 9, 1857.—ap22:3mdawly

Prof. Wood's Hair Restorer.—A Real Hair Restorer,

Mr. Samuel Jones, a Methodist clergymen, residing in Murrayville, Westmoreland county, says that his hair had been getting gray for the last twenty years, and was disposed to fall out. He used two bottles of Prof. Wood Hair Restorer, which entirely stopped the falling out of the hair all the hair resumed its original color, and has kept the color now for nine months. This is a common case, but we publish it because it is near home, so that the public may be convinced that Wood's Hair Restore s what it purports to be. Sold at one, two and three dollars per bottle, at

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

☞ **In Accordance with a Resolution** adopted at a Republican Mass Meeting in Allegheny City, held on the 24 ultimo, the officers of the Allegheny Republican Club, have appointed the following Executive and Finance Committees:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.—*First Ward*—E. Gregg, J. H. Logan, A. Woodhouse, Joseph Brenner, R. H. Fleming.—*Second Ward*—Joseph Kuhnavier, John Meistrer, Wm. H. Ehl, Capt. Wm. Martin, John McDonald. *Third Ward*—Casper Gang, L. R. Lindsey, H. Gretig, F. W. Siebrecht, Benjamin Patterson. *Fourth Ward*—Wm. Davidson, J. A. Bloomer, W. W. Ha l, Philip Ballstein, A. M. Burchfield.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.—*First Ward*—E. Gregg, J. Brenner. *Second Ward*—apt. Wm. Martin, Wm. H. Ehl. *Third Ward*—Benjamin Patterson, L. R. Lindsey. *Fourth Ward*—W. W. Ball, Philip Ballstein.

The above named gentlemen are requested to meet at the Head Quarters, Moore's Hall, Diamond, on Thursday evening, 12th inst at 7 o'clock, P. M.

JAMES PARK, Jr., President.
J. D. BALDWIN, Sec'y. m9:2d

TO INVALIDS.

Dr. Calvin M. Fitch,

Author of the Invalid's Guide and Consumptive's Manual, &c., &c.

Will be at the ST. CLAIR HOTEL, Pittsburgh, Pa., FROM

Monday Morning, March 16th,

TO

Saturday Evening, May 16th, 1857,

WHERE he may be consulted daily, Sabbath excepted, for *Consumption, Asthma, Chronic Bronchitis, &c. Also, for Dyspepsia, FEMALE DISEASES,* and other affections connected with or predisposing to Consumption.

If from any cause Dr. FITCH should be unable to remain during the whole of the period above named, the appointment will be concluded by his associate, Dr. J. W. BYER.

Those intending to consult Dr. Fitch are particularly requested to apply early as experience has proven the necessity of his former visits Dr. Fitch has found it utterly impossible to give all the attention he could have desired to the number who delayed visiting him until the last, and so thronged upon him during the last few days of his appointment.

And Dr. Fitch wishes it furthermore distinctly understood that although he considers Consumption a curable disease, and treats it as such, still that he does not pretend to raise the dead, nor to cure patients who have neither lungs nor constitution left, and those who wish treatment from him must apply reasonably early in the course of their disease. And he would add also that both himself and his associate are scrupulous to tell those applying their real situation, nor need any apply who are unprepared or unwilling to learn the truth. A correct treatment will of course only be undertaken in cases where there seems some chance of remedy. In case when there is none the treatment must of course be merely palliative.

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Farms and Building Lots for sale.

THE undersigned, Guardian of the minor children of David Greer, dec'd, by order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, will sell at private sale, on favorable terms, the following Farms and Building Lots:

1. A valuable and desirable tract of Land situate on Plum Creek, in Plum township, within a short distance from the ten mile station, on the Allegheny Valley Railroad. It is a part of the well known Greer Farm, and is No. 5, on the plan of the partition, among the heirs of David Greer, which plan is filed in the Orphans' Court in No 91 of December Term, A. D. 1856. The tract contains 105 acres and 89.6 perches. It has upon it several good springs of excellent water, and abounds in timber and shade trees. Among them are about eight hundred sugar maple trees. There are upon it several sites overlooking the Allegheny river and presenting views unequalled in beauty by any in the county. It can be divided into smaller tracts for country residences. Several gentlemen of the city have purchased portions of the Greer Farm, and have already built, or are about to build upon and improve them.

A tract adjoining the above and between it and the Allegheny Valley Railroad station. This tract is No. 2, on David Greer's plan, and contains 44 acres and 96 perches. It is