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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

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ALL eyes are turned toward Allentown watching to see our Democratic brethren monkey with the Free-Trade bill-saw.

Tax officers in Indiana are filled with Democratic spleen, and there isn't a dollar in the Treasury. These two facts, point a moral and adorn a tale.

Sixty-six thousand English have purchased \$5,000,000 of bonds of our own while all the other countries combined have only furnished over 17,000,000 bonds.

The New York Sun is poking fun at the President for blundering when he wrote about the "centennial anniversary of the framing of the Constitution."

The anti-prohibition Democrats are threatening to lay San Randall out on a cooling bed at Allentown this week. A general invitation to attend the funeral has been issued.

The position taken by the Republicans of this State has "knocked the stuffing" out of the political prohibition clap-net. Hence, the bitter abuse of Charles Wolf and his dupes following.

The President has accepted an invitation to attend a dinner to be given in Philadelphia on the 17th of September in honor of the "centennial anniversary" of the framing of the Constitution.

Wagner with his labors in behalf of civil service reform the President sought re-election in agricultural pursuits. It is reported that he has an out-field at Red Top planted in hills four feet apart each way.

GENERAL FAIRBANKS, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic states that the organization is growing rapidly all over the country, and that during the last quarter the membership increased 12,000.

Much pressure is being brought to bear on Governor Beaver in favor of an extra session of the Legislature. His Excellency is apparently disposed to go, considering it a very good thing to do, considering all the circumstances.

WOLFE has been selected to run the Prohibition machine during this campaign. Such old timers as Hon. A. A. Barker, and Joshua L. Bailey were set aside to give Mr. Wolfe a chance to feed his grudge on the Republican party.

To the amazement of the New York Stock brokers, Jay Gould has lately been converting several millions of his stocks and bonds into cash, and now the rumor has been started that he proposes to purchase the R. & O. system, for cash in hand.

HENRY GEORGE, who is a rank Free-Trade heretic, has been writing on the wall, and consequently the platform of his party, put forth at the Convention last week, contains a protection plank. Mr. George is hunting for the working-man's vote.

The last argument in favor of burying up the "South Penn" is the admission of the Pennsylvania Railroad that with her immense resources, she has not the facilities to handle all the traffic of the State. Still, she persists in enacting the role of the dog in the manger.

The great feat of suppressing Samuel J. Randall is to be attempted at Allentown today. There is, however, an appalling kind of sensation slowly creeping down the spine of the Democratic Free-Trade contingent, that Sam may prove a bigger man than Grover, in Pennsylvania.

On Friday last Governor Beaver appointed Nathaniel P. Ing, Esq., of Uniontown, as additional law Judge for the Fayette and Green districts. This is a new office created by the late Legislature, and Mr. Ing is the Republican candidate to be voted for at the coming election.

JEROME, from the savage denunciation of Adjutant General Hedges by the Democratic press, "then" for remark made, on taking the chair, at the late Republican State Convention, must have hurt. Hastings has a knack of striking out from the shoulder, that brings blood every time.

SPRINKLERS are now trying to raise the price of canned fruit, on the cry that tin has raised. Somebody is going to be bit. The coffee speculation and the wheat speculation both collapsed, bringing the loss of millions to their originators. Now keep your eye on the attempted canned fruit speculation and see a similar result.

SENATOR ALLISON of Iowa is a high favorite as a Presidential candidate, with the Republicans of that State, but at their State convention last week they had the good sense and the good taste to abstain from putting him forward. Next year is the Presidential year, and it will be time enough then to trot out favorite candidates.

The Grand Army boys of West Virginia, together with thousands of their brethren from this State held a reunion in Wheeling last week. Preceding their parade the publishers of the Standard, a Democratic paper in that city, suspended over a street through which the procession passed, a large portrait of Cleveland. On arriving at this point the veterans refused to march under, and by an oblique movement, marched around it with lowered flags. So incensed were the Democrats that a riot was imminent, but trouble was happily averted. Evidently Mr. Cleveland is not a favorite with the soldier ladies.

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