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Republican State Counvention.

MEADQ'SS REPUBLICAN STATE) COMMITTEE. HARRISBURG, Feb. 1, 1876.

In persuance of a resolution of the Republican State Committee, adopted at a meeting held in Harrisburg this day, a Republican State Convention, to be composed of delegates from each Senatorial and Representative district, to the number to which such district is entitled in the Legislature, is here-by called to meet in the city of Harriaburg, at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, March 29, 1876, for the purpose of nominating an Electorial ticket and of electing Senatorial and Representive delegates to repreand the State in the Republican Na-tional Convention, to be held at Cincinnati, on the 14th day of June, 1876.

By order of the Committee, HENRY M. HOYT, Chairman.

A. WILSON NORRIS, Secretary.

Our Washington Letter.

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 24, '76.

"Tempus mutanter et mos mutanter cum cum ellis," the old Romans used to say which, being rendered in the

vernacular, means, "Times change and we change with them," and its truth was never more fully verified than to-day. The wonderful tergiversation of parties and remarkable changes in individual opinion has never been so sudden and extreme as now. Men like the chameleon seem to take their hue from the color of the substance upon which they rest. With the animal it might be the peculiar bark of a tree or the particular color of a leaf but with his imitator man, position, power, or pelf seem to be the active agent in forming at least his political com-plexion. With the democracy of today this is undeniably the case and being thoroughly conscious of the fact that an itching palm is now and ever sim pin pin pin pin am pin that an itching palm is now and ever has been the distinguishing badge of all their order they at once discover how the republicans were enabled to carry New Hampshire; federal gold imparted a republican hue to the democratic cham-leons of the State. Now one would suppose that a party who joyfully hope that they have dis-covered a "big bonanza" in the defalcations of a single republican official would be slow to admit that such a swarm of them like a herd of swine had been bought and sold. It once occurred that a couple of women got into a violent quarrel, and the daughter of one of them seeing that affairs were approaching a crisis, came slyly up to her mother and softly said, mammy call her bad names before she calls you one. Now doubtless the democratic party are quite familiar with this story, and hence the unscemly haste with which the blatant cry of "Rogue! rogue! rogue!" with which the party has been exercising its lungs for the part for motion

with the democracy, and when a number of them met at a convivial party, ns they often did, it was usual to call on "Jimmy" for a song, and with great feeling he used to sing :

"Hurrah ! hurrah ! for the hickory tray,-Polk, Dallas and Democracy : Gineral Jackson has set us fray, And thots de way with us all."

Congress for the past week has done nothing to speak of. The investiga-tions take up all the time of the exconfederates, so that they have not even time to make seconsion and State rights speeches. They have not found another bonanza like Belknap, and are very much annoyed that Peudleton fell with Belknap. An inquiry into the cost of the investigation, showing that not less than \$500,000 will be expended in paying for inves-tigations, has rather startled the pub-Tuesday the committee asked for lie. \$90,000 to pay expenses already in-curred. They limited themselves to this amount intending to make anoth-er application soon. Every witness will cost at least \$300, and the other expenses, added to that of the 1000 expenses, added to that of the 1000 witnesses will make up a heavy bill. Marsh is here and has been before the judiciary committee. The impeach-ment and indictment of Belknap will be carried on simultaneously. Presi-dent Grant sent a pardon to Marsh and his wife to get them to return and his wife to get them to return. It is not thought here that the demo-crats were anxious to have them back. They would have preferred to have gone into the campaign charging

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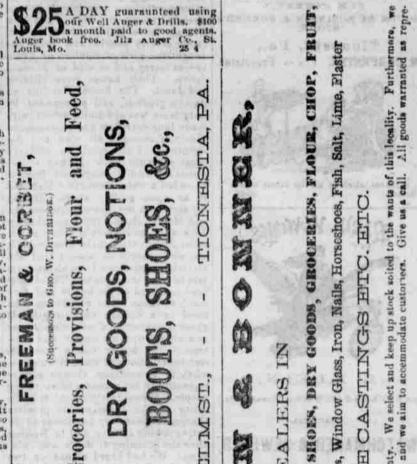


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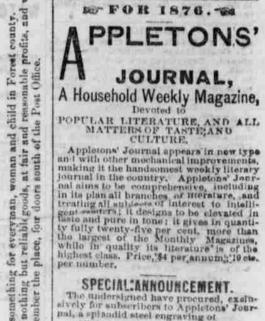
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