Announcements.

REPRESENTATIVE DELEGATE. We are authorized to announce CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, of Tionesta, as a candi-date for Representative Delegate to the Republican State Convention, which meets in Harrisburg, April 25, next.

We are authorized to announce H. C. WHITTEKIN, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Representative Delegate to the Republican State Convention.

NATIONAL DELEGATE.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN: Please announce my name as a candidate for Delegate to the Chicago Convention, subject to the District Conference.

A. B. KELLY.

Tionesta, Jan. 9, 1888.

CALL FOR THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN)

STATE COMMITTEE, PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21, 1888. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21, 1888.)

The Republican State Convention will be held in the Opera House at Harrisburg, on the last Wednesday of April, the 25th, 1888, at eleven o'clock, a. m. for the purpose of nominating one candidate for Supreme Judge, two persons for Presidential Electors-at-Large, and twenty-eight persons for Presidential Electors, the latter to be named by the Delegates from the Congressional Districts where Districts have not previously named them. Also for the election of four De'egates and four Alternates-at-Large to the Republican National Convention to be held at Chicago, June 19th, 1888.

National Convention to be held at Chicago, June 19th, 1888.

The attention of Republicans throughout the State is respectfully directed to the following Permanent Rules for the holding of State Conventions and the conduct of the party:

First,—That Delegates to the State Convention shall be chosen in the manner in

vention shall be chosen in the manner in which candidates for the General Assem-bly are nominated. SECOND.—Hereafter the State Conven-

SECOND.—Hereafter the State Conventions of the Republican Party shall be held not earlier than the third Wednesday of August, except in the year of the Presidential election, when it shall be held not more than sixty days previous to the day fixed for the National Convention, and except in Gubernatorial years. At least sixty days' notice shall be given of the date of the State Convention.

There,—That we recommend to the county organizations, that in their Rules they allow the largest freedom in the general participation in the primaries consistent with the preservation of the party organization.

ganization.

The State convention of June 30th, 1886, having abotished Senatorial representation, belegates to the approaching State Convention will be selected according to the number of Representatives in the Legislature to which each county or city is entitled under the Representative Apportionment law passed at the recent sension of the Legislature.

THOS, V. COOPER, Chairman.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Primaries for election of Delegate to State Convention, and nomination of Delegate to Chicago Convention will be held in the several townships on Tuesday, February 21st, (the day than a brute. of the February election), the return Judges to meet at the Court House, in Tionesta Boro, on Thursday, Feb'y 23d, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Rules same as govern regular Pri-O. M. SHAWKEY, Cheisman. Jan. 23, 1888.

JUDGE WILSON of the Clarion dis trict is announced in last week's Republican-Gazette of that place, as a candidate for Supreme Court Judge.

THE Democratic millionaires have overthrown the Democratic commoner in Pennsylvania. Scott, Singerly and Coxe-each with his million of money -bave made a combination greater than Randall's brains. Tell it not in Gath that the Democracy is the poor mar's party. Tell it to the marines and hear them spicker.

GEORGE W. CHILDS, of the Philadeclining the nomination for president of the United States, tendered him by William McManes of the same city. The author of so many delicious morsels of obituary poetry is not of the proper temperament for the tempestous duties of president. His decline is a

for ex-Congressman Erank Hurd, of Were parents more careful to make Ohio, to come into Pennsylvania and use of such object lessons as these they make a free trade speech. Mr. Hurd would succeed in making impressions is the person who said he wanted to on the minds of their children which get back into Congress that he might bave an opportunity to "knife the iron Mothers could point out neatly and have an opportunity to "knife the iron men of Pennsylvania." His district plainly dressed ladies to their daughrepudiated him and spewed him out, ters and show them how it is that they and now this loud mouthed brawler, are better dressed and really more at-this agent of the Cobden Club, has the effrontery to come into Pennsylvania frills and fluffs and fluences. Then to speak against the policy that has by dressing their daughters neatly and built up the industries of our State plainly they would lay the foundation for a correct taste in the matter of workingmen in the world. It is a dress, wonder the people of Philadelphia did not mob the creature. - Harrisburg Telegraph. +---

THE Pension Committee of the Senate has reported favorably a new pension bill, providing for the pensioning recounting some of his drunken ex-of such ex-soldiers and sailors as are periences. The pleasure these recolof such ex-soldiers and sailors as are incapacitated from manual labor. Senator Manderson, of Nebraska, is the father of the bill, the objects to be accomplished by which are the same as ing that their fathers went on sprees were contemplated by the dependent in their young days, and did not sufpension bill, which President Cleve | fer for it! land vetoed during the last session of the Forty-ninth Congress. The friends your children and explain to them of this bill hope to obtain its passage how they came about? Do you earand approval, as the clearness and ex- nestly try to show them by living explicitness with which its purposes are amples how much better it is to lead a stated, it is believed obviate the chief strictly temperate life than to indulge objections raised against it by the in the least excess, or to even yield a President in his veto. The Pensions single point when tempted? Committee are unanimously in favor of the bill, and it will have many advectes, not only among the veterans, and temperance lectures. These are but also among those who believe that all very good in their places, but they nothing is too good for the men who will not make deep and lasting imsaved the life of the nation on the pressions on the minds of children.— field of battle. Pittsburgh Com. Gazette, Jan. 24th.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

Conducted by the Tionesta Union. The W. C. T. U. meets the 2d and 4th Cuesday of each month, at \$ p. m.

President-Mrs. Eli Holeman, Vice Presidents-Mrs. J. G. Dale, Recording Sec'y-Mrs. L. A. Howe. Cor. Sec. & Treas.-Mrs. S. D. Irwin.

Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that puttest thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also. Hab. II, 15. The wicked worketh a descitful work: but to him that so weth righteousness shall be a sure reward.—Rev. H. 18.

THE OTHER OBSERVER.

Do you see the man? Yes, I see the man. The dog is fol-

lowing the man. The dog does not wabble like the man. Do you see the man now? No, I do not see the man. He has

gone into a house. The dog does not To Balance from Wm. Smeargo in the house. It sat down beside the door.

Do you know what kind of a house

No, I do not, but I see a sign over the door. Spell it.

Saloon-saloon. Why did the dog not go in?

I give it up. Because there is nothing in a saloon that is fit for a dog to drink.

There, I see the dog. It wage its tail in glee.

Yes, it does that because the man has come out of the saloon.

See now, the man follows the dog, but he cannot walk as straight as the

No, but if the man had stayed with the dog he would be able to walk straight.

Is the man sick?

No; he is drunk.

Why didn't the dog get drunk? Because the dog must stay sober to lead the man home. The dog follows the man to the saloon, and then the man follows the dog home.

Do animals get drunk?

No, none but men.

I have heard you speak of a drunk-

Yes, my boy; but then I was talk ing about the man who spends his money in a saloon for stuff that takes his senses away, and then acts worse

Is the dog a wiser animal than a drunken man?

Some dogs have more sense than some drunken men. I would rather be a dog animal than

a man animal. Why so, my son?

Then I would not look so bloated, and smell so badly. I think the dog is much nicer than the man.

But you must not compare a man with a dog, my sou. There, the man has gone into anoth-

er saloon. Yes, and the dog has gone and left

Has the dog gone to find a dog saloon?

No; the dog has gone home to tell the man's wife that she must come and fetch her husband out of the saloon.

There are a great many suggestions delphia Ledger, has written a letter in this object lesson on temperance, some of which may make deeper and more lasting impressions on the mind of the child than a sermon or lecture.

The fact that a man will make himself lower in the scale of animal life than a dog is most appalling, even to wise act, and again opens the way for Blaine.—Meadville Gazette.

a child, yet it must be a very stupid child who cannot see that it is an Then children are more afraid of Ir was the perfection of impudence drunken men than they are of dogs.

Boys are frequently warned against the drinking habit by their fathers.

This is right and proper, yet the force of the warring is often more than neutralized by the father laughingly lections appear to afford him prompts

his sons to do the same thing. Have you not heard young men excuse their excesses in drinking by say-

Do you point out social wrecks to

These object lessons are more effect-

COUNTY AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1887.

S. FITZGERALD, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with Forest County, for year ending January 2, 1888. | DR. | CR. | Str. | St DR. To esseted tax for 1887 3,954 60
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To State tax for 1887..... 11 01 474 67 \$705 87 \$705 87 To Balance..... S. FITZGERALD, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with Redemption Fund, for year ending January 2, 1888.

By amount paid individuals \$ 250 78 To Balance from Win, Smearbaugh. \$3,443 96
To individual amounts received, 168 67 By Balance \$3,381 85 To Balance \$3,381 85

J. R. CHADWICK, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County, for the To orders drawn OLIVER BYERLY, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County, for the year ending January 2, 1888.

\$234 40 By 60 day's services.......\$180 00 By 544 miles travel.......... 54 40 \$234 40 W. D. SHIELDS, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County, for the year ending January 2, 1888.

CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary, &c., in account with Forest County, for year ending January 2, 1888. To orders drawn \$260 20 By fees ... LEONARD AGNEW, Sheriff, in account with Forest County, for year ending January 2, 1888. To orders drawn ... \$355 90 By fees.......... 40 00 By Balance...

P. M. CLARK, District Attorney, in account with Forest County, for the year ending January 2, 1888. \$134 00 By fees To orders drawn ...

FOREST COUNTY, 88;

We, the undersigned Auditors of Forest County, do hereby certify that we met at the Commissioners' Office in said county according to law, and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Sheriff, Prothonotary, District Attorney and County Commissioners, for the year ending January 2, A. D. 1888, and find the same as set forth in the foregoing report. In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 16th day of January A. D. 1888.

E. L. JONES,

ROB'T Z. GILLESPIE, [L.S.]

WILLIAM BLUM, [L.S.]

County Auditors.

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County Treasurer's Commissions
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Collector's Commission..... 333 50 FINANCIAL STATEMENT of Forest County for the year ending January 2, 1888. ASSETS.

ASSETS.

Balance due on County account by Solomon Fitzgerald, Treasurer.

Seated Lands returned for 1887.

Due by D. W. Clark for coal

Due by Tionesta Township.

Due by Tionesta Borough

Due by Hickory Township.

Due by Green Township.

LIABILITIES. Amount due on bills not presented for payment.... Surplus over all Liabilities.

FOREST COUNTY, 88:
Pursuant to law we, the undersigned Commissioners of Forest County, publish the foregoing exhibit of the recepits and expenditures of said County for the year ending January 2, 1888. Witness our hands and seals this lith day of January, A. D. 1888, W. D. SHIELDS, C. F. LADEBUR, J. J. PARSONS, County Commissioners, J. J. PARSONS,

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