

Republican State Ticket.

Judge of the Supreme Court, Hon. JAMES T. MITCHELL, Philadelphia.

Announcements.

RATES.—Congress, \$20. Assembly, \$10. District Attorney, \$5. No announcements will appear unless accompanied by the cash.

ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. A. RAYDALL, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to Republican usages.

Meeting of the Republican County Committee.

The late Chairman of the Republican County Committee, C. M. Shawkey Esq., having removed from the County, and the undersigned having acted as Chairman pro tem. at the last meeting, he issues a call for a meeting of the Republican County Committee, at the Court House, in Tionesta, on Monday evening, May 21, 1888, to make arrangements for the primary elections in the County, the election of a Chairman for the year, and other business of importance. A full attendance is desired.

SAMUEL D. IRWIN, Chairman pro tem.

It surprises nobody to hear that Representative Martin, of Texas, is in favor of the Mills Free Trade bill. A man who will blow out the gas in his bedroom may naturally be counted upon to do what he can to blow out the fires in American factories.

THERE are about 2000 rice growers in this country and to protect them the Mills bill proposes a duty of about 100 per cent. on foreign rice. There are a dozen times that number of wool growers in the country, and the Mills bill proposes to admit foreign wool free. The explanation of the true inwardness of these two propositions lies in the fact that the 2000 rice growers are all Southern Democrats, while the 40,000 wool growers are to a very large extent Northern Republicans.

THE Troy Times reminds the people that President Cleveland could only find time to write a three-line telegram of regret to the Grant memorial banquet in New York, but when the monument to John C. Calhoun was unveiled in Charleston, S. C., he wrote a long letter eulogizing in the most fulsome terms the South Carolina nullifier. John C. Calhoun's policy carried out would have disrupted the Union. Gen. Grant's military genius gave us a Union unbroken. Why the distinction made by President Cleveland? Doubtless the President was governed entirely by his own personal feelings in the matter, just as he was last Memorial day when he went out on a fishing excursion.

THE Conferees of the Venango, Warren, McKean and Cameron county district, met in Kane last Thursday, and after several ballots, nominated Hon. Lewis F. Watson of Warren, for Congress, and elected Judge Cochran of Cameron, and Capt. Cummings of Tidioute, delegates to the Republican National Convention at Chicago. The conference made a very wise choice in the Congressional candidate, and one that will win. Col. Watson is one of the most genial of men, and will exert an influence in congress second to none in the Pennsylvania delegation. Beside he will strengthen the ticket greatly in the campaign which will soon be in full blast. We congratulate the Republicans of that district, and only wish we had as good a candidate with as good a chance to win in our own.

A BILL is proposed in Congress which appropriates several millions for erection of postoffice buildings throughout the country. If it becomes a law the Postmaster General will be authorized, in his discretion, to erect a postoffice building in any town or city in which the gross postal receipts for two successive years have exceeded \$50,000 a year. Under this bill no building is to be erected at a cost exceeding \$25,000, to which may be added, if necessary, \$5,000 for the purchase of a site. Where the annual receipts do not exceed \$20,000 the building shall not cost more than \$15,000, and where the receipts are between \$20,000 and \$25,000 a \$20,000 building is authorized. The \$25,000 building is only allowable when the receipts exceed \$25,000 annually. It is scarcely necessary to state that under its provisions Tionesta will not get a new building this year.

THE President will not consent to any substitute for the Free Trade bill. This, we believe, is the first time the gentleman ever objected to a substitute.

THE Democratic party as now organized seems to consist solely of Grover Cleveland, Roger Q. Mills, John G. Carlisle, William L. Scott and a small job lot of English principles.

THE Mugwumps have discovered another plot to nominate Mr. Blaine for president. And what is the most alarming feature of the affair is the fact that the whole Republican party seems to be in it!

In Mississippi there died the other day a man who was 112 years old. His living so long is accounted for by the fact he never tried to vote the Republican ticket, and so avoided the danger of violent death.

THE venerable Neal Dow has committed another assault and battery upon the Republican party in Maine. The General is so old, however, that no attention will be paid to his attacks so long as they are as harmless as they have been up to this time.

THE London Saturday Review mournfully states that "Mr. Cleveland's prospects of a re-election are at present not very brilliant." It is needless to add that this announcement has plunged all England into profound despondency and apprehension.

CHAIRMAN MILLS may thank his scheme for putting borax on the free list for the failure of one of the largest firms in America dealing in that commodity. He may also be able to derive some additional satisfaction from the fact that the head of the bankrupt firm is one of the ablest and most upright members of the California Democracy.—Phila. Press.

WE don't believe the Republican nomination for president this year will be given to any man who is not definitely on record now as willing to lend a cheerful and hearty support to the nominee of the National Convention, no matter whom it shall be. If there is no man in the field who is unwilling to abide by this rule, then none have we offended, says the Phila. Press.

GENERAL WIRT ADAMS, the Democratic postmaster at Jackson, Miss., who engaged in a street duel with a Democratic editor the other day in which both were killed, is said to have been "one of the most popular gentlemen in the South." It may also be added that he was a man of honorable and dignified bearing, and in the good old Southern way, sah.

WHEN President Cleveland vetoed the bill providing for the erection of a post office at Allentown, the reasons he gave were so inadequate and foolish that they were not accepted as a justification of the exercise of the veto power, and very few believed that he gave the real reason for the veto. They believed that the veto was prompted by the refusal of Mr. Sowden, of the Allentown district, to vote for the Mills bill, the pet measure of Cleveland. Yesterday this belief became conviction, when Cleveland signed the Lancaster bill for a post office. And in what a shameful position this leaves Cleveland? Is it not the pettiest sort of ward politics for the President of the United States to thus use his power as a ward bully might his club to beat his opponents into submission. But this is Cleveland's policy, and has been ever since he repudiated the one-term pledge made during his last canvass. This policy of vengeance will largely account for the unanimity with which the Democratic conventions are endorsing his second-term candidacy. Knowing that he has a good chance for renomination they are for him, although they may be secretly anxious to see him defeated, and also knowing that if they are not for him the power of this administration will be used to break them into the Cleveland traces, and if without avail, then to ostracize them and club them into political obscurity. This is spoils politics with a vengeance. This is civil service reform in a hot pot. This must be the "higher type of politics" that obtains in the African jungles, rather than in the New England camp of the Mugwumps. But it is the style of politics that seems most effective with the Democratic party; perhaps the fruit of their early training by the Southern slave drivers. It is a most amazing exemplification of personal domination, nevertheless.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

Conducted by the Tionesta Union.

The W. C. T. U. meets the 2d and 4th Tuesday of each month, at 3 p. m. President—Mrs. Ed. Holman, Vice Presidents—Mrs. J. G. Dale, Mrs. W. J. Roberts.

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Who unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that putteth thy bottle to him, and maketh him drunken also.—Eiab. II, 15.

The wicked worketh a deceitful work; but to him that soweth righteousness shall be a sure reward.—Rev. II, 18.

Stimulus is a Latin word meaning a goad. It differs from food as the whip differs from oats, or the bellows from fuel. Food actually becomes a part of the flesh, supplying new particles of matter where old ones have been worn out and cast off. This tearing down and rebuilding constitutes the process of nutrition. A stimulant adds nothing to the materials of which the body is composed. Milk entering the system is welcomed by every tissue. By digestion it is divided into its various elements, and each seeks its own. The lime goes to fill the place of worn-out atoms in the bones and teeth, while the albuminous portion, with soda and other salts, is carried in the blood to muscle and nerve, of which they become a part. Alcohol comes in like a thief, and takes from, rather than adds to, the tissues. As a thief it is received. All the involuntary powers rise up against it, and this mutiny produces the sensation called stimulation. The interloper is driven out upon the breath, through the pores, by every avenue of exit; and as it enters so it comes out—alcohol. It never becomes a part of any organ or tissue, hence the fallacy of the popular belief that wine and beer give strength. The commotion they produce, in the effort made to expel them, gives a temporary, but false, sense of strength. When the excitement subsides, and the weary cells would rest, the deluded victim "feels the need of a little something more," and the process is repeated. The effect we see is not the action of alcohol upon the system, but the action of the system upon alcohol. As long as there is life in the flesh, it resents the presence of alcohol. In a "dead drunk," it is overcome for the time but does not cease to struggle. The exhaustion and wretchedness which follow are in proportion to the resistance offered.

The Northern Indiana Conference of the M. E. Church, held last week at Wabash, gave no uncertain sound in regard to its position on the temperance question. The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That it is our duty to consent to no terms with the liquor traffic of this country, except its "unconditional surrender." Resolved, As citizens we will not vote for any man on any platform who is not in favor of the time, every where, of "pulverizing the rum power." Resolved, Nothing in the above paper shall be construed in such a way as to prevent us from making use of whatever good features we may find in existing legislation.

Resolved, That we heartily indorse the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in its various departments, especially in the line of juvenile work. That we promise our hearty support and Christian sympathy to the unions in the towns to which we may be sent, and will endeavor to influence the Christian women of our churches to organize for this work where unions do not already exist.

An old Chinese proverb says, "Do not stop in a cucumber field to tie the shoe." The meaning is very plain. Some one will be likely to fancy that you are stealing fruit. Always remember the injunction, "Abstain from all appearance of evil." Do not stop under the saloon porch to rest yourself, however shady the trees may be, or however inviting the chairs. Some one may fancy you are a common lounge there, and so your good name be tarnished. Don't go to a liquor saloon to get a glass of lemonade, however refreshing it may seem to you. Rather buy your lemons and prepare the cooling beverage at home, where others may share it with you, probably at no greater expense than your single glass would cost you. Somebody seeing you drinking at the bar, will be sure to tell the story, and will not be particular to state that you were drinking only lemonade. Then, too, if you are careless about the appearance of evil, you will soon grow equal-careless about the evil itself.—Union Advocate.

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CALVIN M. ARNER, Clerk Orphan's Court of Forest County, Tionesta, Pa., April 29, 1888.

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