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### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

STATE. State Treasurer, BENJ, J. HAYWOOD, Mercor. Judges of the Superior Court, CHARLES E. RICE, Luzerne, JAMES A. BEAVER, Centre. E. N. WILLARD, Lackawanna. GEORGE B. ORLADY, Huntingdon, HOWARD J. REEDER, Northampton. JOHN J. WICKHAM, Beaver. COUNTY. Treasurer, JAMES H. FONES. Associate Judge, JACK MCCRAY.

**Republican State Committee Meeting** 

The rooms of the Republican State Committee, at 1231 Walnut street, Philadelphia, were crowded to the doors last Wednesday afternoon at the first meeting of that body that has been held in years. Every dis trict was represented, and in nearly every instance by the regular committeeman.

Senator Quay presided, and as he called the meeting to order was given an ovation of which he has reason to feel proud. He said :

Gentlemen, I have called this meeting because, first, I desire to make personal acquaiotance of the of Texas, who, finding no adequate members; second, that an under- law to prevent prize fighting in that standing might be arrived at in rela- State, convened the legislature in extion to the duties of the committee which would prevent the unhappy occurrences recently witnessed; third, because I desire information from all of you as to the exact condition of prohibiting prize fighting within the affairs in the different counties of the borders of the Lone Star State. This State, which you fittingly represent; knocks out the proposed Corbettfourth, because it is necessary that steps be taken, and promptly, for the financial support of the campaign, "long distance rag chewers" will have and, fifth, because I desire your ap-to find other fields in which to exhibproval of procedure, which might it their brutality. Should they find probably look like usurpation-the appointment of an Executive Committee.

It was my thought that the State winner be compelled to fight a bull-Committee might with profit be dog next, and when the bull-dog has modeled as to its powers and duties won, he be shot, and thus send the upon the National Committee. The championship down, down, down-National Committee has the right to appoint an Executive Committee. I think it is composed of nine members, who shall be members of the National Committee, or not connected with

it. The importance of such an organization consists of the unwillingness and difficulty of members promptly assembling. For that reason during the national campaign the Executive Committee alone sits at headquarters daily, the National Committee being rarely called to- stitutional right, and, therefore, caugether except at the inauguration of not be impaired by a legislative enthe campaign.

Chairman Quay said that this was The act creating the Superior knowledge of in all his experience in seven Superior Judges, and Mr. Olm-Pensylvania politics.

local ticket is a good one, and in county the streams are lower than every way worthy the united support they have been in twenty-five years, of the party. The candidates will and the Schuylkill can be crossed carry their full party vote and more, dry shod. From Hazelton word yet the Republicans must not become comes that Laurel and No. 3 mines lax in their efforts to bring out the of the Lehigh Valley Company and voters in their respective precincts. the Stockton, of Linderman & Skeer, Let there be no lagging in the race. have shut down indefinitely. Vil-

It is probably true, as Commissioner Lochren says, that the limit has been reached in the amount of yearly appropriations for pensions, ation. reducing pensions at Democratic discretion.

ACCORDING to the official Statistical Abstract for 1894 the people of United States practiced a sharp econ omy during the hard times. Comshut down. paring the year 1894 with 1892, the

consumption of cotton per capita fell from 24.03 pounds to 15.91; the consumption of wheat from 6.90 bushels in 1890 to 3.41 in 1894. The per capita of corn consumption was 32.09 bushels in 1890 and 22.76 in 1894. The consumption of wool in the same time fell off more than one-sixth. When the figures of the present Administration are made up they will fill one of the least creditable chapters in the history of the country. ALL honor to Governor Culberson,

Hollidaysburg is now the only town in Central Pennsylvania where a super-abundant water supply exists, and connections have already been tra session last week, and in less than formed with the mains of six neighthree hours after getting organized boring towns to afford relief during both branches passed a bill forever the famine. Throughout South Jersey the drouth is being most severely felt. From all points come complaints of the crops being damaged. Fitzsimmons mill, and this brace of and, in some instances, a total loss. "long distance rag chewers" will have

a place we suggest that the authori-Forest County, Pa. My name is sub-mitted to the people of Forest County for their consideration at the coming elec-tion. Persons loving temperence and morality will find in me a consistent and fearless advocate. ties impose the condition that the where it will be out of sight of prize

fighters till they shuffle off. Voting for Superior Judges.

Mr. Olmstead, a prominent lawyer of Harrisburg, has made public an opinion that the right to vote for the C. whole seven Judges to be elected to the Superior Court this fall is a con- has just opened a new feed actment.

the best attended meeting of the Court provides that each voter in the State Committee that he had any State shall vote for but six of the stead holds that as the fundamental Senator Saylar offered a resolution law confers the right of suffrage upon approving the action of Senator all citizens to vote for all officers, ex-Quay in creating an Executive Com- cepting the limitation put upon such possible margin. Customers will receive mittee to assist the State Committee voting by the constitution itself, and fair treatment and prompt attention. When in need call, to draft legislation and urge its pas- the supreme law and therefore void. New

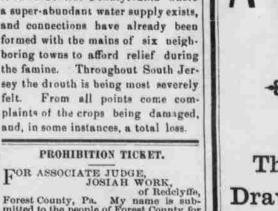
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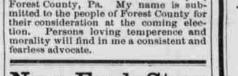
this State.

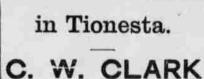
the Republicans of the county. Our has fallen since July 1. In Berks

liages are required to carry water for domestic use two and three miles. In Williamsport the drouth is without an equal in severity and dur-The rivers in Montoursville Certainly it will not become any have given out and a famine threatlarger under the present policy of ens the place. Heavy losses are reported from all sections of Northampton county. The Deleware, Lehigh and Bushkill rivers are lower than they have been in thirty-five years. Along the latter all mills operated by water power have been

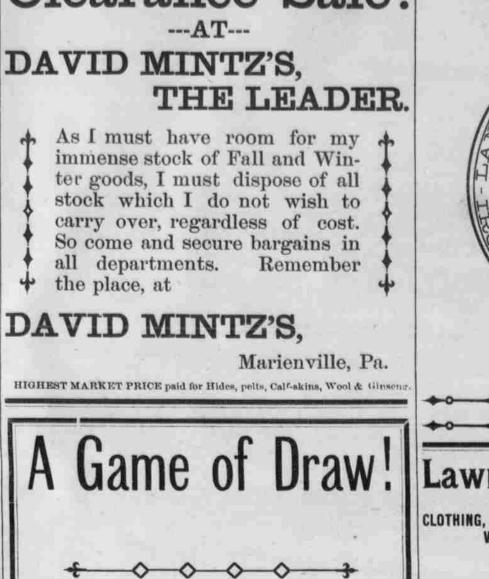
In Holidaysburg, General Superintendent F. L. Sheppard, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, petitioned the city council for a water supply for the car shops, the locomotive works and the 5,000 employes of the company. At Altoona, where the water famine has now assumed the most serious aspect, the probable closing of these works during the drought necessitated the petition. The council decided to send 11 trainloads, containing 400,000 gallons of water, every day to Altoons.







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in its work. It was unanimously there being no such limitation as to adopted. John Russell Young of- Judges of the courts created by the fered a resolution providing for the Legislature, an act of Assembly limappointment of a committee of five iting the suffrage is in conflict with sage by the next State Legislature The argument is plausible, but it embodying the reform pledges in the would be very unsafe to accept it. State platform. This was adopted. As election officers are sworn to exe-Resolutions were also passed author- cute the laws and do not sit to deterizing the appointment of a commit- mine constitutional questions they tee to formulate rules to govern the would certainly reject all hallots on party in the State, providing for the which a citizen had voted for seven meeting of the committee again on Superior Judges. By the law they the day before the date fixed for the are required to return but six votes PETER KLEIN. next State convention ; providing from any one citizen for the Superior that the chairman of the committee Judges, and it would be their manishall designate the hall in which the fest duty to reject all ballots on convention is to be held; providing which seven had been voted for. that the State convention shall be The citizens of Pennsylvaia who held on Thursday instead of Wednes- desire their ballots to be counted and day and authorizing the appointment returned would do well not to bother of a Finance Committee.

A resolution was also adopted construction. The law provides that strongly urging Pittsburg as the place they shall vote for only six of the for holding the next Republican na- seven Judges to be elected ; the electional convention. tion officers are sworn to execute the

The Chair caused some laughter law under which the election of and applause when he said that Mr. Judges is held, and the election Gilkeson had handed him a check board that counted and returned for \$5000, as the funds in his hands geven votes from any one citizen for remaining from the last campaign. Judge would be assuming the power Colonel Quay said such an action of the Supreme Court. was unprecedented in the history of the party.

law, and it is certainly expedient, Then the roll was called again, and and most likely lawful as well, that at the request of Chairman Quay voters should do the same. Without each one of those present stated the stopping to quibble about constitutional technicalities the people of outlook for the party in his particu-Pennsylvania should vote for six lar locality. All of the reports were Superior Judges, and thus make sure of a cheerful and satisfactory characthat their ballots will be counted and ter, although two thirds of the speakreturned.-Phila. Times. ers at least were of the opinion that the majority this November would Great Drouth in the Eastern Part of not be anything as large as it had been in the last two years. On the adjournment of the committee Colonel Quay was besieged by the members, and for over an hour he was kept busy shaking hands, receiving congratulations, giving advice and listening to information. the scarcity of water. Farmers com-

Foun weeks from yesterday will plain everywhere of the backwardbe election day, and although the ness of crops, and in numerous incanvass of candidates has thus far stances are compelled to carry water been rather quiet the indications a distance of miles for cattle. point to a good vote being polled by | But litile rain of any consequence

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