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LOOK AHEAD.

Some of the older of the independent Republicans of Butler took exception to our statement of last week, that as our representatives at Harrisburg had voted for Cameron in caucus, they were now in honor bound to vote for him at the election. They think that a "map" can be made of the 7th last should be binding, if the Representatives find that they have misinterpreted their constituents, and a petition to that effect is now in circulation, though it is not being generally signed on account of the apparent hopelessness of the situation.

That the sentiment of the Republicans of the county State in office, no one denies, but he and his agents looked a long way ahead. He managed that his long years' nomination in Philadelphia, Allegheny, Lancaster, Dauphin and other popular counties last spring, and when they were elected in the fall, he considered himself re-elected, and now that he has secured a caucus nomination his defeat can be encompassed by a very determined effort on the part of about thirty members of the two Houses.

That he should be retired, that he is an utterly unfit representative of the Republic and party and the people of the State, is a fact which no one who has followed the political methods of the party or of free government, and that his retention in so powerful and important an office is felt by thousands of men all over the State, who have voted anything but the Republican ticket, to be a personal humiliation, goes without saying.

No grander party than the Republican party was ever organized on this Continent, no nobler set of men than those who have led it, and no pages of the history of the Nation will record greater sacrifices than those made during its first administrations. With its record it should dominate the Nation for a Century, but as time has passed, we find that the commercial and industrial classes have taken a hold, and that money and patronage have placed men and retained men in the National Senate who are a weakness to the party, and whose doing aided in causing its defeat at the last election.

That the election of Boyd, Democrat, for Governor by a majority of 1440, and the election of the balance of Republican State ticket by majorities of about 4000 and the election of the majority of the Alliance Legislative ticket.

The Alliance men have a majority of eight in the House and three in the Senate; they claim that the election of Boyd was fraudulent, and as the Legislature in joint session in Philadelphia they resolved themselves to remedy matters.

To do this, they took possession of the Capitol building at Lincoln, at 5 o'clock of the morning of the day of meeting; Thursday last placed guards at the doors and allowed none but members-elect to enter; they elected a Speaker and put a guard around him, then they started in to upset the whole State election but the Democrats and Republicans objected to their methods, and the Legislature was left in the session Court, which seems to have been in session. A committee was sent to the Court for instructions, and the Court responded by sending the Sheriff with a mandamus on the Speaker to cause the returns.

The Sheriff refused to obey the order, and the Speaker who had gained entrance by a back window, declared the session adjourned; the Democrats and Republicans attempted to leave the room, found the doors locked and guarded; and came to blows the people outside the building, and the Alliance men and Gov. Thayer ordered the militia and cleared the capitol grounds; the Lt. Gov. was escorted back to the Speaker's desk, and the members re-assembled, the returns were canvassed and Boyd was declared elected Governor, and the Alliance men met and declared his election void; then Boyd went to the Executive mansion and demanded possession and was refused by Gov. Thayer on the grounds that he (Boyd) is not a citizen of the United States.

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Next day another proposed government in Butler had begun to organize, and that they were not obeyed, the Alliance men met and declared that Mr. Power, their candidate, was the only legally elected Governor and that he was the only Governor they would recognize; the Board of Public Lands and Buildings met and they refused to vacate the building and had the steam and gas turned off; the Supreme Court notified Thayer that he was no longer Governor and that the new Lt. Gov. would succeed him until Boyd's disability was proved.

The Republican members of the Oregon Legislature, renominated Senator John H. Mitchell, Tuesday.

A CORPORATION tax case argued before the Supreme Court, Tuesday, involves the legality of the three mill tax on bonds and mortgages.

One of the Harrisburg correspondents says that the Butler Co. members of the Legislature were informed that if they voted against Cameron they would jeopardize the appropriation for the Slipperyrock Normal School.

The joint Legislative Committee appointed to make arrangements for Pattison's inauguration, met in Philadelphia last week, and selected Col. A. W. of Harrisburg for Chief Marshal of the parade. Gov. Deaver's Party will be the guest of Gov. Deaver over night, and will be sworn in at the Capital next day, Tuesday, by Justice Clarke of the Supreme Court.

Quick Denial. Chris. Magee is quick at denying Philadelphia and Washington dispatches, that a deal had been struck between the Democrats and Cameron to be re-elected U. S. Senator in a week or two, and that two years hence, Chris. is to step into Senator Quay's shoes, as his colleague. It is all well enough for Chris. to deny the "soft impeachment" thus early for nobody has yet said that Cameron is to be re-elected U. S. Senator in a week or two, and that two years hence, Chris. is to step into Senator Quay's shoes, as his colleague.

Charged With Embezzlement. G. B. Delamater, G. W. Delamater and T. A. Delamater, the members of the firm of Delamater & Co., bankers, who assigned recently, were summoned before Alderman Changan of Meadville last Friday, on a charge of embezzlement. The complaint was made by the outgoing board of County Commissioners, whose term of office expired on Monday last week, and stripped of the legal verbiage, states that J. H. Marley, E. J. Batley and W. J. Lindsay, the ex-county commissioners, had embezzled from the firm of Delamater & Co. with the embezzlement of upward of \$60,000 of county funds, having received the deposits of the County Treasurer while knowing themselves to be insolvent, and converting the same to their own use. The complaint was made under the provisions of the act approved May 1, 1889, No. 162, relating to the receiving of deposits by insolvent bankers, a law in favor of which Senator Delamater voted.

The complaint was read, a plea of not guilty entered and a hearing waived. Bonds were given by each of the defendants in the sum of \$10,000 for their appearance at the February term of court, with Edgar Hulsecker and D. G. Richmond as security.

The suits against the Delamater are due to the poor showing made by the statement of the appraisers appointed to examine the assets and liabilities of the firm. That statement was filed last week. It shows that the liabilities are \$1,040,000 and the assets in round numbers about \$300,000, so that creditors cannot hope to receive more than 25 per cent on their claims.

On Monday we made a proposition to their creditors to compromise 50 per cent on the dollar, in return for the release of the firm. High Greenleaf, the oldest resident of Brady township, is seriously ill. X. T. Y.

THE CAUCUS' ACTION.

The action of the Republican Senatorial caucus at Harrisburg yesterday will be hailed with satisfaction by most Democrats and a very few Republicans. It will cause profound regret and not a little resentment among the great mass of thinking Republicans to which the party which was elected by the caucus, to whose intense dissatisfaction with Mr. Cameron and his methods The Press for several weeks past has been giving expression and currency.

From every quarter were coming protests against his re-election, and a caucus was called by Mr. Cameron's managers two weeks in advance of the usual time, in order to commit Republican members before the rising tide of opposition should lead them to reconsider pledges given before the caucus, and to the discredit of the party. The caucus was developed. Almost the entire Republican State press, outside of Philadelphia, are either strongly opposed to Cameron and frank in their expression of it, or, if refrained from expressing their views, they are at least justly hounded down to jail and are now before the Supreme Court. There is all before a legal and a moral side to the same question, and they often differ. The moral objection, the result aimed at, the purpose, if legitimate, but not the means by which it is to be attained, is the same. It is a question of the right of the people to elect their representatives, and of the right of the people to elect their representatives, and of the right of the people to elect their representatives.

Continuing round the Diamond from the Breder street brings us to one of the old time Gilmore squares, so called from the late Hon. John Gilmore, who, fifty years ago, owned both of the squares on east end of the Diamond. The brick house now known as the "old Gilmore" was built by him and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Porterfield, and was erected by Mr. Gilmore near 30 years ago. Mrs. Graham is the widow of the late John Graham, Esq., a good man and a very distinguished one in 1830, when he was a member of the bar and was a cause of great sorrow and regret to all our citizens, as well as a great loss to our bar. He had purchased and lived in this house and died in same in 1860. Mrs. Porterfield's first husband was James Graham, Esq., a member of the bar and was a cause of great sorrow and regret to all our citizens, as well as a great loss to our bar. He had purchased and lived in this house and died in same in 1860.

Where the above Mrs. Graham house stands, there was a man, John Smith's shop, carried on by the late Col. Mandesca Gilmore and the late Mr. Paul Paulson, of Centre Twp. Mr. Paulson became known as "Valeau," from a notable political event that occurred in the year 1830, when he was a member of the Legislature for a Governor that year. One party, the Whigs, had run up a flag at the Meeting, now Bank corner, on the street, in honor of their cause and candidate, Joseph R. Porter, for Governor. This displeased the other party, the Democrats, who were determined to tear down the flag. In this movement Mr. Paulson, who was a very ardent Democrat, took a leading part, appearing upon the ground, hammer in hand, and upon the flag, and for attending to such other business as may come before them. W. E. TAYLOR, Secy.

Recollections of Butler; or Fifty Years Ago. Across Main street from the Meeting is the square of the late Hon. John Breder, which retains the same name as fifty years ago, and is, we believe, the only square in the town that does so, or that remains in the possession of children. Two of its lots are now owned by two of the daughters of the late Judge Bredin. Mrs. Nancy Cummings and Mrs. Elvira Lyon, and the other one by a grand-daughter, Mrs. Clarence Ziegler. The square is a very fine one, being the first on Main St., was, however, owned until recently by her brother, Joseph B. Bredin, Esq., who sold same to Mr. H. W. Koene, of Mercer county, who is about to erect there a fine building. The square is a very fine one, being the first on Main St., was, however, owned until recently by her brother, Joseph B. Bredin, Esq., who sold same to Mr. H. W. Koene, of Mercer county, who is about to erect there a fine building.

Washington township is to have four more wells, one on the Henry Stoner place, one on the Henry Stoner place, one on the Henry Stoner place, one on the Henry Stoner place. A company composed of T. P. Miller, J. H. Gibson, and others of North Washington, are taking leases near the well and the most of the territory is taken up the neighborhood.

There has been thirty-four wells drilled in the township. Mr. H. S. is about to buy the well on his place. Mr. R. O. Rumbaugh and wife gave an oyster supper and dance for the old people, quite a number were present from North Washington.

John Piro, one of our enterprising farmers, finished threshing a few days ago, and is now engaged in the job with his chaff-puller machine. They are through going men and did a good job. John Simpson, a well known farmer, is doing his threshing in the neighborhood.

J. B. Campbell, our jovial farmer and hunter, lost one of his horses while engaged at teaming in the Wildwood field from the effects of a tramp on one of his hind feet. Lack of care while giving the policy is pronounced over the dead but it will suffice to say it was a trifle.

If there is anything in signs it seems to me one would be safe in predicting that Norman Hilliard is going to build a house. That is what the signs say, and the signs say that Norman Hilliard is going to build a house. That is what the signs say, and the signs say that Norman Hilliard is going to build a house.

John Hilliard is home from the Charters oil field. He has been there for a few days. Daves Agers is home from the Wildwood field where he has been teaming.

Our new board of commissioners have appointed Isaac N. Meals, of this township, to be the assessor for the year 1890. A better man, Success, Isaac.

Samuel Curtis and Clementine Christy and a Mr. Dufford of Buttercup P. O. visited our friends here for a few days. They were accompanied by Mrs. Green in Evans City.

What is the matter with our literary society this winter? Mrs. High Greenleaf, the oldest resident of Brady township, is seriously ill. X. T. Y.

SEVERAL Indian chiefs surrendered to Gen. Miles, Wednesday, and the war is supposed to be ended.

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PROSPECT INSTITUTE.

Program of the Local Institute to be held in Prospect, Pa., Saturday, January 24, 1891.

FORENOON SESSION—10 O'CLOCK. Devotional exercises, Rev. N. Schellier. Address of welcome, Rev. J. A. Clark. Address of the President, Rev. J. A. Clark. History, Prof. M. A. Sutton. Recitation, Miss Thelma Richardson. Geography, J. C. Thomas. Afternoon Session—1:15.

DEATHS. GILBERTSLEY—Tuesday, Jan. 13, 91, at his home at 3339 Ridge St., Pittsburgh. Mrs. Samilla C. Gilbertsley, wife of A. R. Gilbertsley, in her 45th year.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. Administrators and Executors of estates can secure their receipt books at the City and County Offices.

DISCUSSION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between H. M. Clark and A. K. Kerner, under the firm name of H. M. Clark & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent on Oct. 24, 1890.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James McElhenny, late of Butler County, Pa., deceased, have been granted to A. T. Black, Adm'r.

ESTATE OF EDWARD H. GRAHAM, DEC'D. LATE OF CONNOQUENESSING TWP. Letters of administration on the estate of Edward H. Graham, late of Butler County, Pa., deceased, have been granted to A. T. Black, Adm'r.

ELECTION NOTICE. The stockholders of the North Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 13, 1891, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. The partnership heretofore existing between Owen Brady, Joseph Hartman, A. H. Simpson and H. J. Hoyt, under the firm name and style of the Butler County Bank, has been dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of January, 1891.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF JOHN W. BRADON, DEC'D. Letters testamentary on the estate of John W. Bradon, late of Connoquenessing Twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to Peter P. Hilliard, Adm'r.

JURY LIST FOR FEB. 9, 1891. List of Traverses Jurors drawn this 13th day of December, 1890, for the term of court commencing on the 13th day of February, 1891.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES. WEST FEES R. R. MARKET at 6:00 A.M. transfers passengers at Junction to Apollo, which arrives in Allegheny at 6:40, and connects for Blairsville, etc.

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