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REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION. Pursuant to a call made by the Chairman of the County Committee, the following named delegates from the different townships assembled in the Court House, in this place, on Tuesday of last week:

Springhill—Jacob White, A. H. Bies, Oliver—John Forney, L. Garrison, Wayne—John E. Stronaker, Perry—Dr. Hatfield, J. B. Donley, Benks—Aaron Blythe, A. S. Bowler, Monongahela—W. L. Hamilton, Jas. Woods, Union—Dr. Donny, C. Orvis, Whiteley—R. Forney, B. Lemler, Cumberland—J. Gwynn, J. H. Kay, Jefferson—S. Ringle, H. Lane, Morgan—T. B. Rose, J. M. Cox, Jeff. Borough—Dr. Oliver, R. Drake, Franklin—H. Smith, James Kay, Jacob Riehsart, Marion—Hansel Owens, J. J. Summerville, Centre—James Collins, Wm. Green, Morris—Wm. Hopkins, Jesse Carter, Richhill—James Parkinson, F. H. Henderson, Jackson—P. M. Guiney, John Smith, Carmichaels—Rough—T. T. Middle, F. A. Knox, Allegheny and Washington unrepresented.

The meeting was called to order by placing Aaron Shelby, Esq., in the chair, Mr. James King, of Perry Tp., Vice President, Messrs. Benson Forjce, of Whiteley Tp., and J. B. Donley, of Perry, Secretaries. The Convention proceeded with the nomination of State and County candidates, with the following result:

ASSEMBLY, DR. JNO. STONE, Of Monongahela Tp. SHERIFF, JNO. WALTON, Of Richhill Tp. TREASURER, SAMUEL HARVEY, Of Centre Tp. COMMISSIONER, JNO. LANTZ, Of Gilmore Tp. JURY COMMISSIONER, JOSEPH MORRIS, Of Greene Tp. POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR, A. SHELBY, Of Dunkard Tp.

Resolved, That E. M. Sayers, Esq., be the delegate to represent Greene county, in the Williamsport State Convention, on the 26th inst., and that we concur in the selection made by the county, of the District having the right to send a Senatorial delegate.

The following named gentlemen were then chosen for the ensuing year as a committee of vigilance:

The annexed resolutions were then presented and cordially endorsed by the Convention: Resolved, That we cannot too strongly impress upon our friends, in the Republican districts of the State, the importance of selecting as candidates for the next Legislature, honest men—men whose known fidelity to the best interests of the Commonwealth, and whose irreproachable integrity will prove above, and superior to those substantial arguments too frequently and successfully used by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, to mislead and corrupt.

Resolved, That we are in favor of a general Railroad law. Resolved, That we regard the release of that arch traitor, Jefferson Davis, upon nominal bail, as a violation of law and an outrage upon the feeling and sentiment of the loyal citizens of this great Union.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse Genl. W. W. Irwin, of Beaver county, as the candidate of the Republican party for the State Treasurer, to be elected by the next General Assembly. Resolved, That it is the duty of our candidates to labor for the success of Republican principles, and that they are hereby requested to exert themselves, so as to secure their election.

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Republicans of Greene, and we do instruct our representative delegate to vote for Hon. H. W. Williams, of Pittsburgh, for Supreme Judge. Having finished business the convention adjourned.

AARON SHELBY, Pres't. JAS. KING, V. Pres't. B. FORDYCE, J. B. DONLEY, Secret'ys.

The contest between the two factions Curtin and Cameron Republicans, in Lawrence Co. resulted in a victory for the former by 429 majority. Mr. Harbeson, their former representative in the Legislature, voted for Cameron for U. S. Senator against the wishes of his constituents. His friends tried to re-nominate him but failed. Hon. Henry Edwards defeating him by the above number of votes. Right enough! Lay them on the shelf!

Tux Republican State Convention will be held at Williamsport on Wednesday, 26th inst.

MEETING AT THE COURT HOUSE.

On last Tuesday evening, a large and intelligent audience assembled at the Court House to hear the gentlemen speak on that evening. The room was filled to overflowing (7) as it rarely our town is favored with performances of this kind.

The meeting being organized, and order secured, the first performance was announced by the chairman—SELECTOR ORATION, by A. A. Purman, Esq. Mr. Purman arose, and in his usual able manner, delivered a selection from the speech of Hon. C. L. Vallandigham, made in Richmond '63, and published in the Enquirer of that city, with high commendations. It showed conclusively the unrighteousness of the war on the part of the North, and the righteousness of the South, and proved beyond a doubt that the Radicals were the cause of the war, and the misery attending it.

Mr. Purman was listened to with profound attention, and at the close was greeted with warm applause, (though some charged that he made some addition of his own to the speech; we hardly think he did.) At this point your correspondent was called away, and reluctantly he left the room. He has since learned that other speeches were made, that did credit to the performers, and honor to the party they represent.

Yours truly, J.

MR. EDITOR:—As the suffrage question appears to engross considerable attention at this time, and there appears to be various shades of opinion respecting it, permit me through the medium of your paper, to present a thought or two on the subject, to the readers of the REPUBLICAN. In approaching this question—inasmuch as we profess to be a Christian people, it would be well to view it from a Christian stand point, and thus determine what is our duty as a Christian people, in the premises.

If we are what we profess to be, let our course of action be in accordance with the teachings of that inflexible standard of Christian faith and practice. By reference to Luke X, 25-37 we are required to extend the same charity to one neighbor we would have him extend to us. The question would naturally arise, who is my neighbor? Christ gave an inflexible rule by which we may know. He says "A certain man (or Jew) went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead, and by chance there came down a certain Samaritan as he journeyed, came where he was; and when he saw him he had compassion on him, and went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him."

Now, this man, although a poor, despised Samaritan was neighbor to him that fell among thieves, whilst the Priest and Levite, although, born to ecclesiastical titles and distinction, were not. It so happened, in our day, that the army of the Government went down from the North into "Dixie" to suppress a gigantic and wicked rebellion, and many of them fell among thieves, robbers, traitors and murderers, which stripped them of their raiment, and wounded them, and thrust them into vile and filthy prisons, and let them there to languish, starve and die. The Priest and Levite of the South came and looked on them, but as they (in most instances) were strangers to pity, and compassion they passed by on the other side. But the poor, despised and stricken Samaritan was there also, and true to his natural disposition, he had compassion on our noble defenders who had fallen among these thieves, and exerted himself to the utmost of his ability in administering to their comfort; and likewise in aid of their escape from the hands of their murderers.

For the proof of the truthfulness of these statements, we refer to Rev. J. J. Geer, Pittenger, Prentiss, and a host of others. But why go from our own vicinity for testimony, when we have abundance at home? Why not refer to Lieutenant Rogers, Serg't. Lisbon Scott, Col. J. Cooke, and others in our midst, who all say that while they were pursued by blood-hounds, and still more blood-thirsty men, the Samaritans of the South hovered near their pathways, and rendered their assistance in their flight from prison, starvation and death, whenever it was within the scope of mortal power to render it; often subjecting themselves to the severest pains, and death itself, to save our brave countrymen. This people surely have earned and well earned the appellation of neighbor.

In view of all the facts we have stated, and in view of the great responsibility resting on us as a professedly Christian people, and our accountability to God, shall we reward treason, and punish loyalty by enfranchising these thieves, traitors and foes to our country and at the same time deny to the loyal Samaritan his civil rights, the power of suing and being sued, the law of evi-

OUR DISABLED SOLDIERS.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette. "What shall our disabled soldiers do?" is the caption of an editorial in the New York Weekly Tribune of June 5th, inst. Mr. Greeley thinks this is a momentous question, and I agree with him. But would not a more fitting way of stating the question be "What shall we do for our disabled soldiers?"

Mr. Greeley, while admitting the fact that thousands of our brave soldiers have lost either an arm or a leg—some, indeed, even both of these—in the service of our country; that others have been rendered blind or deaf, and still others who have come back saddened and hopeless, with health and strength completely wrecked by the hardships endured in her defense, calls on individuals to support and employ these brave cripples at such wages as they (the soldier) can earn.

Is there not something foolish; nay, dishonorable, in asking individuals to maintain our disabled soldiers when we have or ought to have a Government not only able, but willing to take care of them? A Government, too, for whose treasured life they have crippled their own.

Mr. G. also states that the paltry \$100 bounty is of but momentary consequence to any of them, and, in the aggregate, adds an enormous burden to the national debt! And after calling on individuals to support these soldiers—the maimed, the blind, the broken down in constitution—there is given another pance—a for those brave boys who were so fortunate as to lose but one arm in the service, namely; to learn to write with the left hand, and eke out a subsistence for themselves and their families by such copying as can be obtained—Heaven look down and help our brave defenders if this is all that can be done for them! If it is, the adage is verified that "Republics are ungrateful." But is there no other way of aiding our maimed heroes than the plan given? I think there is.

First, let the Government ascertain (and this can easily be done by the Assessors and their Assistants in every district and Division in the United States) how many of them are utterly helpless; how many partially disabled; how many of their widows and orphans there are needing help; let Government ascertain what amount of money is necessary to provide justly for them all, but giving to all according to their need. To those hopelessly disabled, during life; to those partially so, until they can be educated and fitted for book keepers, teachers, &c.; and to the orphans, until they are able to take care of themselves and their mothers.

I know not and I care not what amount of money may be required. It can be raised if the Administration and Congress so will it. How? will be naturally asked. I answer, ascertain first how much is needed, and then levy the whole amount pro rata according to his wealth, on every rebel in the land.

Mr. Greeley and other sentimental philanthropists may say, "This is confiscation." Admit that it is. Confiscation is carried out under the laws of all the States every day in the year. For instance, the employees of a railroad company, either by accident or design, run a train off the track, killing and wounding many passengers. A jury assesses the damages each passenger has sustained; and if the money is not paid, the sheriff confiscates and sells enough of the wrong-doer's property to satisfy all demands; and every right thinking man says amen. A city corporation leaves a cellar, sewer or vault open at night; a citizen falls in and is severely injured; the same process is again gone through; a jury assesses the damage, and, if the money is not paid, the sheriff confiscates, and all say amen.

A malicious farmer kills or maims his neighbor's stock; destroys his fences and crops, or cripples the owner; then another confiscation, if the damage is not made good without that summary process. Such is the case among all States, all nations, and in all civilized society; and all honorable and just men say it is right.

Now, will any man, any where, pretend to say that the Southern rebels are less guilty than the railroad company, city corporation, or malicious farmer? No man will. Then why not make them pay the damage they have done, as we compel all others? The principle is the same; nay, if anything, they who have wounded and maimed our soldiers are more to blame than any of the cases above stated. J. G. P.

CHERRING.—The United States Treasurer is reported as having announced a few days ago that there was more money in the Treasury subject to actual draft just at the present time than at any other time in the history of the Government. The amount of gold on hand is said to be one hundred and four millions of dollars.

COMPOUND INTEREST NOTES.—The Treasury Department is prepared to redeem the United States compound interest notes as they shall severally mature by payment of principal and interest thereon to the date of maturity on their presentation to the Treasurer or the either of the Assistant Treasurers of the United States at New York, Philadelphia or Boston.

The Democratic State Convention which met in Harrisburg on the 11th inst., adopted twelve resolutions relating to almost every conceivable question but the Free Railroad Law. On that question not a word was uttered. A measure so nearly related to the permanent welfare of the whole State, and in which the people are interested more than any other, is not even recognized by a party asking for popular support. The inevitable inference is that the Democratic party is opposed to a Free Railroad Law.—Pitts. Com.

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NOTICE TO THE TAXPAYERS OF GREENECOUNTY.—The undersigned, Treasurer of Greene county, hereby gives notice that in pursuance of the Act of Assembly approved March 8, 1865, he will attend in the several townships and boroughs at the times and places designated, between the hours of nine o'clock, a. m., and five o'clock, p. m.; to receive the State and County Taxes for 1867, to wit:

1st WEEK, Cumberland township and Carmichaels borough, Tuesday, and Wednesday, June 25th and 26th at the house of Henry J. Jennings, Jefferson township, Thursday, 27th of June, at the house of Wm. Kelley.

2nd WEEK, Morgan township, Friday, 28th of June, at the house of Morgan Bell, Washington township, Saturday, 29th of June, at the house of Clinton Lewis.

3rd WEEK, Franklin township, Monday, 1st day of July, at the house of Smith Greenock, Whiteley township, Tuesday, 2nd day of July, at the house of Elizabeth Morris, Newtown.

4th WEEK, Greene township, Wednesday, the 3d of July, at the house of Jeremiah Stewart, Ben. Monongahela township, Thursday, the 4th of July, at the house of Wm. Mesterzatt, Dunkard township, Friday, the 5th of July, at the house of that Messrs. Taylor and Bell, Perry township, Saturday, the 6th of July, at the house of M. B. Horner.

5th WEEK, Wayne township, Monday, the 8th of July, at the house of John Collier, Gilmore township, Tuesday, the 9th of July, at the house of Rich Hennen, South Hill township, Wednesday, the 10th of July, at the house of Edwin Ferrel, New Prospect.

6th WEEK, Allegheny township, Thursday, the 11th of July, at the house of August Miller, Richhill township, Friday, and Saturday the 12th and 13th, at the house of Murphy Ryan, Jacksonsville.

7th WEEK, Morris township, Monday, the 15th of July, at Nineveh, at the house of A. J. Barker, Centre township, Tuesday, the 16th of July, at the house of H. B. Church, Rawsville, Jackson township, Wednesday, the 17th of July, at the house of T. J. Oshannon, Merion township, Thursday, the 18th of July, at the Treasurer's Office, in Waynesburg, Pa. T. J. Oshannon, Treasurer.

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Bounty Tax Report FROM Perry township, for the year 1867, John Lemly collector. DR. To amount of duplicate.....\$2,701 65 CR. By amount paid as directed by the School Directors of the township.....\$2,696 73 Balance on hand.....192 70 65 Bounty Tax for 1867, Reuben Brown collector. DR. To amount received from Jno. Lemly.....4 92 Amount of duplicate.....3,352 47 CR. By amount paid by order of the township.....\$3,352 47 Bal. in hands of collector 4 92-3,357 39 Bounty Tax for 1867, Jno. Lemly collector. DR. To amount of duplicate.....\$3,201 41 CR. By amount collected and paid out.....\$2,636 71 Percentage for collecting 68 39-2,705 01 Balance uncollected or in the hands of collectors.....496 40 We, the undersigned auditors, certify that the above statement is correct, to the best of our knowledge. W. G. MORRIS, J. B. DONLEY, Auditors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of ELIZABETH STADLER, late of Jackson Tp., Greene county, Pa., having been granted by the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them immediately, properly authenticated for settlement. A. J. HINERMAN, Administrator. 65-6t. of Allegheny township, Administrator. 5-15-6w Dunkard tp., Administrator. Take no more unpleasant and unuseful remedies for unclean and dangerous diseases. Use Heimbold's Extract Buchu and improved Rose wash. 3:15c-w-ly.

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