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## Repubilican Victory Again

The Republican party in Penn-
yivania should and will be victorious again this Fall. They have a yictory and deserves suceess. The
Republican party promised toMnintuin the standard of values, to make cery dollhr, what metal it be,
cquivalent to its stamped value. It presagel that the silver mine
owners flould not thrust all their product upon the goverument at a price far in exceso of its intrinsic
value. How hasi t kept its promises? The credit of the nation has bee preserved and the honor and praise
of this country has been enhanced.
Thereisa to be elected in Pennsylvania November next and while there ha who a should be the nomisee fin Governor, now since the enomination has been made, there ought to be no There are quiet a great many Con-
gresman to be clected from
Pennylvania and the Republican party chould be as strongly representod as
before and we believe it will be. Thefere Repunthican party has a reword
of which it an justly lee soud and
$\frac{\text { Another Hero. }}{\text { the most sunguineexpectations. }}$

It will be a relief to Admiral
Hewey to learn that a new maval
Meso has transprrel. Unless the
Admiral's disinclination for publicit and all kinds of fuss has be pecially providential that Manila is ten thousadd miles from home
Constructor Hobsen's feat, however, will inake it easier tor him to come
back, and before he gets ordered toour part of the world again there may be
futher subdivison's of glory which will help to make his sative shores
less oninous to him. Constructor Hobeon himself seems to be a person
who is more likely to be disturbed than overexalted by applause. His record is that of an
ableand very thoughtul man, devoted to his profescion and its problems
and bent on doing business rather than on gathering renown. Yet to get as mear the top as his abilitios and opportunities would
warrant. What his abilities were he has demonstrated by the steady work which caused him to graduate
second in his class $(\mathbf{1 8 5 9})$ at the Naval Academy, and then to be sent abroad for futher instruction His opportunities he has giezed when
they offered, and when they havent offered be hasin vented them. Hei credited with proposing the postgraduate course in construetion a the Naval Academy, of which he tad charge when he got permission
tosil with Admiral Sompon's fleet. tosail with Admiral Sampson's fleet.
His chance to take the His chanse to take the Mrerrimac of his own making, and all that he

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 temss to have tothank fortune for inthat he got away alive. The moralitors cloved his storeand nol
his goods under the sherifss ham rise into, celebrity is a particular this cruel story is yet to be told: : 1 n
res sound andedifying one, considering Tuesiay the sheriff of Centrecoun-y that it is born of war., It is that per orders he could not resist, bat
success worth having, waits on pre- which in the kindness of his bi paration, and that the man who turns wheart he would have loved to have out tobe the right man inan import- donc, came to this placeand arrested ant place is the man who learned
how beforehand.-Harper's Weekly

Historical Society. A quiet movement is in progress
looking toward the formation of a historical. Much valuable locaunty. tory has been left run to waste and there is no time toloose. Weought
to know what is fact and what is tradition-at present it all passes
for history. The Gazette is contri-
buting its share in ther by the "Newspaper Lore"series now in course of publication, and wr are
glad to receive testimony from various localities outside and inside the
county that they are widely read county that they are widely ren
and favorably commented upon. We take the above from th
Lewistown Gazette. A historic society is needed in every county in
the state. That society in turn
needs aetive, diligent workers and searchers in every township and
borough of the county. We are pleased to note the item from our esteemed contemporary making
known the fact that such a movement is quietly gaining foothold
our neighboring county. The $G e$ in Snyder county, has taken th nitiative in searching for reliab
data and publishing the same. The Snyder county Historical while it has not accomplished a much as the members might wish tart and a visit to their room in the cout house will reveal at leastsom
results of their organization. great many old copies of count
newspapers
have been collected historical books, and a full set of
the secord and third series of the Penna. Archives are in their posses-
ion. We wish more could have been accomplished, but this much Jas been done, that without the or-
ganization, it would not have been coomplished. In the first place, a
tart is neeessary, hence we trust our Mifflin county neighbors may, county Historical society, as such enifit to $S_{u s}$ der comenty as well a Miftli

## Infamous Outrage and Iravesty of

It will be remembered that, some who has a little notion and clothing he Narrows in Centre county by a but for the lucky arrival on the county, Mr. Gensbnrg might have lost his lie as well as his money,
and his buadle of clothing on his
pedlun's beaten almost into insensibility hy
the robbers, who only quit their murderous work and ran away into
the wond when they caught sight of the gentleman from Snyder count coming that way.
Suspicion pointel to several par-
ies as having committed or taken part in this crime, and Mr. Gensbury as importuned to have them arhesitated, because he knew it could ut finally was persuaded to do so in ic good, in that it would goto break p the practice of highway robbery
in the Narrows of that county, a prosectution.
Accordingly, he had two persons hocus pocus of the law or otherwise, were acquitted, the jury placing the
costs on Mr. Gensburg, a thing they could legally do, we are told, but which to our lawman mind was an iamous outrage, and in this we hare the opinion of all our best peoput upon crime. It certainly will deter any one from bringing suit in hat court for a similar offence, ess rexident of that county, unless, of course, the court and county commissioners should right this great Mr. Ge
Mr. Gensburg is a sober, honest, doing business on borrowed capital result of that suit ascertained than


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