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ONE CENT.

THE SUREST ROAD TO WEALTH IS THROUGH LIBERAL ADVERTISING

CONVENTION CALL.

To the Republican Electors of Pennsylvania:
After consultation and correspondence with the members of the Republican State Committee, and by their direction, I hereby give notice that the Republicans of Pennsylvania, by their duly chosen representatives, will meet in State Convention at Harrisburg, Wednesday, August 13, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the offices of State Treasurer and Auditor General, for the nomination of eighteen candidates for Delegates-at-Large to the Constitutional Convention provided for in the Act of Assembly approved June 13, 1891, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

Notice is especially directed to the fact that, in accordance with the provisions of the last mentioned act, each Senatorial district is entitled to a representation of three delegates in said Constitutional Convention, two of whom only can be members of the majority party in said district. The electors of each district are therefore requested to make proper nominations for delegates to said convention, the rules governing the nomination of candidates for State Senator to be applicable.

In this connection the Chairman desires to call the attention of Republican voters to the recommendation of the State Convention of 1882, that "they allow the greatest freedom in the general participation in the primaries consistent with the preservation of the party organization."
W. M. H. ANDREWS, Chairman.

In 1876 the Republicans carried four counties in Maryland; in 1880 they carried eight; in 1884 they carried nine; in 1888 they carried twelve. This shows their progress towards victory. In 1892 they should carry the state.

It is announced that ex-President Cleveland will make six speeches in the Ohio campaign. The Baltimore American thinks that if he does, it will be worth the price of a circus ticket to see him walk around that free silver plank in the Democratic platform.

It begins to look as though in this age of progress we are likely to have the laws of nature reversed, and the rains, the heat and the cold regulated by human devices. The government has sent an agent to Texas for the purpose of ascertaining the possibility of having rainfall at command, and now comes another project from Kansas City, by which the temperature of our houses can be regulated from 70° to zero. It may be that these inventions may prove successful, and that the wisdom of the creator may be thought to be unwise. We may have rain

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Keiter is now receiving a new stock of Tapestry and Body Brussels and Ingrains in handsome new fall patterns.

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Just opened a large assortment of Choice New Patterns, in all widths.
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A SPECIAL BARGAIN IN SYRUP.

The Finest Table Syrup we have ever had for the price.
**Heavy Body,
Light Color,
Splendid Flavor,
Strictly Pure Cane Syrup,
Not mixed with Corn Syrup and Glucose.
PRICE TEN CENTS A QUART.**
Also a Fair Sugar syrup at 6 cts.

"Northwestern Daisy"

Is a high grade Patent Flour—Made from choicest Minnesota Wheat. Makes more bread than ordinary Flour.

EASY TO BAKE.

Guaranteed Equal in every respect to any High-priced Flour in the market,
\$6.00 PER BARREL.

For sale only

AT KEITER'S.

when we will, and to an extent that to finite minds may be deemed needful, and we may succeed in having the temperature of our houses under such thorough control that we can have arctic cold or tropical heat, or any of the intermediate points as we may desire. But after all, it may be found that the proposed regulations of the temperature and the measure of the rainfall, if successful, may not prove blessings. However that may be, it will do no harm to try them.

It has been generally supposed that the Hebrew associations of New York organized for the purpose of affording assistance to Russian emigrants ex-patriated from their homes by the Czar would be able to meet most of the existing contingencies, but it seems that they are already encountering serious difficulties, and that even the aid of the Hirsch fund prevents them from carrying out their generous purpose. With the usual liberality and charity of the race, however, we believe that before this great problem has been solved, means will be supplied for the relief of the poor people who have been so suddenly thrown upon the bounties of the world.

TRULY our country is becoming an asylum of the poor, the lame, the halt, the blind, the pauper and the criminal, at least such seems to be the idea entertained of it by Europeans, if we are to judge by the character of many of the immigrants sent thither. The latest demonstration is the announcement that arrangements are being made to have brought to the United States the persecuted Hebrews of Russia. A number totally destitute of means have already arrived and have been detained by the New York authorities. It may seem cruel and at variance with humanitarianism to deny these poor people asylum here, but the laws will have to be obeyed.

Oh, What a Cough.
Will you heed the warning? The signal of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourself if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents, to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves Croup and Whooping Cough at once. Mothers do not be without it. For Sale Bank, Side of Church, no Shiloh's Famous Plaster, Sold by D. H. Hagenbach, N. E. corner Main and Lloyd streets.

Buy Keystone flour. Be careful that the name LESSIG & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 3-3-Staw

MAKE A MOVE!

LET OUR LOCAL CAPITALISTS BE UP AND DOING.

NOW LET A START BE MADE.

Many Occurrences of Much Interest—General and Local Affairs.
Personal Mention—A Reply
From the W. C. T. U.

Will our local minded men never give up the old tune "Down in a coal mine, underneath the ground," and do something by which they may be enabled to swell their bank accounts and help their fellow-residents without relying solely upon the mines?

A little push and energy would result in the accumulation of a fund that would induce outside manufacturers to come into the town and give it some color of stability.

It is not necessary to raise \$100,000, nor \$75,000, nor even \$50,000.

The Democrat Machine Company, the Gardner Steel Co., of Massachusetts, and the woolen machinery firm of Farbus & Sons, of Camden, N. J., are awaiting inducements.

With, say \$30,000, the tax exemption Council has declared, plenty water, the best railway facilities and an abundance of labor and cheap fuel, couldn't Shenandoah make a showing in bidding for such concerns?

Now is the time to act and the men of town who want to get under the tree when the plums fall must get there quick. Seranton, Wilkes-Barre and Little Mahanoy City are giving us the go-by in the industrial line.

Let a live active Board of Trade be organized and, with harmonious, persistent action, we will eventually get towards the front.

THE W. C. T. U.

What a Member of the Local Organization Has to Say.

MA. EDITOR.—Having read the article in this evening's issue of your paper, in regard to the W. C. T. U., the thought came to me, that if those persons, who condemn the work of the W. C. T. U., knew more about the work that has and is being accomplished, they would not be so severe in their criticisms. Our time, energies and money are not spent alone in trying to reform those who are the slaves of strong drink, but our work, State and National, is divided into thirty-three departments with an active and efficient superintendent in charge of each. No one Local adopts all these, but each selects those departments which they think best adapted to the locality in which the Union exists. These departments come under six different heads, namely: Organization, Preventative, Educational, Evangelistic, Social and Legal. It is very evident that our organization is not looked upon in other places with the disfavor it is in this rum-cursed county, or it never would have reached the vast numbers it has in the sixteen years of its existence, there being in the United States a membership of 148,973. In Pennsylvania we have a membership of over 15,000. Nor is our work confined to this side of the water, as will be seen from the following taken from the report of our missionary, Mary C. Leavitt, who has encircled the globe with the white ribbon.

"In her eight years' absence she held over 1,600 meetings in China, Japan, India, Northern and Southern Egypt, Australia and the Hawaiian Islands, talking in 47 different languages. To do this she employed 231 interpreters."

She not only organized unions in these places, but she introduced scientific temperance instruction in the schools and secured the regular study of temperance literature such as recent laws have introduced into the curriculum of the public schools in our own state.

At a convention of teachers, held in Copenhagen at which was gathered all the leading teachers of Scandinavia, Mrs. Leavitt was one of the principal speakers. The outcome of her address being the subsequent passage of laws compulsory in the schools throughout Scandinavia, including Denmark, Sweden, Finland and Norway. There is no way in which humanity can be benefited but what there is a department reaching out to help along. Were one to try to do here for erring girls and fallen women what has been done in Wilkes-Barre and other places, we would be dubbed busybodies and requested to stay at home and keep our houses clean, as we were in former times when efforts were made to protect our boys and girls from temptation and a lowering of their morals, for when the sacredness of God's day is disregarded the road to ruin is very easy. The indifference of mothers on this subject is greatly to be regretted. They stand aloof and then when their boys and girls fall prey to temptation and fault with the W. C. T. U. for not doing more. But regardless of croakers and fault finders, we shall still wage our peaceful war for God, Home and Native Land.

MEMBER W. C. T. U.
Shenandoah, July 28, 1891.

TALENTED MUSICAL ARTIST.

A. Simpson Slichter, of York, Without a Peer in His Line.

In York city there reside many people of musical talent, but there doubtless is none in the state who is capable of manipulating so gracefully so many different musical instruments as A. Simpson Slichter, of that place. He plays thirteen different musical instruments and is master of them all. His favorite is a small harmonica, and when in his hands it becomes an instrument of great interest, producing the finest music and most beautiful sounds. With it he can perfectly imitate brass bands, bagpipes, concertina, mocking birds, cat calls, crying babies, railway trains and various other sounds. "Sim," as he is popularly called, is also without few equals when it comes to manipulating a guitar. He once performed the feat of playing six month organs at one time. He was born in Schuylkill county July 8, 1855, is a nephew of G. N. J. K. Siegfried, of Pottsville, and began his profession at the age of six years. He has challenged Dash Williams, of Sunbury, to play on the harmonica or guitar for \$500 a side. The contest will probably take place in Shenandoah, as soon as arrangements can be completed.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Four of Shenandoah's Democratic citizens are seeking the office of Sheriff.

Our local politicians, especially those in the Democratic ranks, are very active now.

Constable Jerry Toomey wants the Democratic nomination for Jury Commissioner. The News intimates that "Billy" Newwenter may be a candidate for Sheriff on the Republican side.

William Wragg has been suggested for the position of Jury Commissioner on the Republican ticket.

Col. Harry Royer, of Pottsville, will be the Democratic nominee for the Constitutional Convention from the 23rd Senatorial district.

John E. Grossang, of Pottsville, who has been "knocked out" so frequently, is the latest aspirant for the Republican nomination for Sheriff.

The big head is seizing upon some very small fry politicians in Pottsville, and the Shenandoah postoffice guide is issuing free copies to advertise them.—*Republicans.*

No better evidence of Judge Green's popularity, fitness and ability is wanted than the attacks made upon him by the Chronicle. It will not help the Democratic aspirants one whit.

Our Polish citizens want a share of the spoils this year. Since they are to furnish from 500 to 1,000 votes they seem to think they are entitled to some recognition from the Democratic party to which they mostly belong.

The Democrats intend to make it a rule that no office holder, except Judge and Congressman, will be eligible for a second term. This rule will suit the "outs" very well; but wait until they get "in" then it won't seem to be the fair thing after all.

For delegate to the Constitutional Convention from the upper district, the name of Joseph H. Pomeroy, Esq., is most generally mentioned, and he is willing to accept provided the Republicans nominate but one candidate. Major M. M. L'Veille is talked of also but it is doubtful whether he would care to accept.—*Journalist.*

PERSONAL.

E. F. Smith, Esq., of Pottsville, was in town yesterday.

Assistant Postmaster Dengler is home again and at his post.

Dupuy District Attorney Shay was in town yesterday on important legal business.

John A. Reilly, who has been as far west as California, returned home last evening, looking hale and hearty. He had a nice time.

Mrs. Fairchild, Miss Mahala Fairchild and Lillie Houser returned from Auderled yesterday where they spent two or three days visiting friends and relatives. Charley Shaw, coal inspector in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, stationed at Pittston, was in town yesterday, swapping stories with his friends.

J. H. Pomeroy, Esq., left town this morning for Nantuxet Beach, near Boston. He is a delegate from the Schuylkill County Bar Association to the National Bar Association, which assembles at that place.

Everybody likes to get the most for the money. This desire is quickest accommodated by an investment of 20c. in a bottle of Wolff's Acme Blacking. Ask some of your neighbors if they have not found more profit, comfort and pleasure in a bottle of Wolff's Acme Blacking than in any other article they could obtain for a like amount. It is profitable because it preserves leather; it is comfort and pleasure-giving because it is easily applied and requires but one application a month on ladies' shoes and once a week on men's shoes.

Atlantic City Excursion.

When the Atlantic City excursion train reached Shamokin yesterday it had five cars with every seat taken. Five cars more were added and before reaching Tamaqua these were filled.

Waters' Ales beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent.

DIXON A WINNER.

HE KNOCKS OUT THE AUSTRALIAN IN FIVE ROUNDS.

A SHORT AND SHARP BATTLE.

The Colored Lad Merely Toyed With the Imported Pugilist.
Rounds of Applause for the Featherweight Champion.

By National Press Association.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—The prize fight between George Dixon of Boston and Abe Willis of Australia took place at the gymnasium of the California Athletic Club last night for a purse of \$5,000 and the bantam-weight championship of the world.

Willis was practically unknown here and the betting before the fight began was in Dixon's favor, ranging from 100 to 70 and 100 to 90. Great interest was taken in the fight and the club room was well filled.

The contestants appeared in the ring soon after 8:40 o'clock. Both men were in perfect condition. Dixon's seconds were Tom O'Rourke, Mitchell and Billy Akers. Willis was seconded by Martin Murphy and Billy Smith. Hiram Cook was referee. Time was called at 8:45.

The Battle.

First round.—The men sparred carefully for fully a minute, Dixon showing to great advantage in reach. Then Dixon led and caught Willis on the jaw, sending him down. When he rose there was the liveliest kind of a rally, the men slugging each other at close quarters. Dixon plainly had the best of it. Willis lunged as much as possible.

Second round.—After fighting cautiously for a minute Dixon planted a swinging left on the Australian's jaw. Several sharp rallies and much clinching followed. Then they kept up a sea-saw on each other's jaws at the closest possible range. The round closed with cheers for both.

Third round.—Both men were very wary at first, Dixon then landing his left on Willis' eye and his right on the jaw. Neither blow did much damage.

Fourth round.—After two minutes of sparring Dixon landed on Willis' jaw and body several times, receiving two sharp raps in return. Both were very quiet and saved themselves by dodging.

Fifth round.—It was opened like the others, neither seeming disposed at first to rush and force matters. Towards the close there was a sharp rally near the ropes, in which it was given and taken for a moment, though Dixon was plainly landing harder and oftener. Presently Dixon caught the Australian on the jaw with his left and sent him down. Willis rose to his hands and knees and took his 10 seconds on the floor. He rose a little weak, but when Dixon rushed him he stood prepared to receive the attack.

He could not do much, however, in the rally that followed, and Dixon's right soon came into contact with Willis' jaw and the latter went down flat on his back. He fell heavily and lay like a log. When the 10 seconds had expired Willis' seconds had to lift him from the floor, and Dixon was declared the winner. The colored boy seemed as strong as when the fight commenced.

The Boston boy was cheered to the echo as he left the ring. He is regarded here now as the wonder of the age.

TWO GREAT RACES TO-DAY.

Teuny and Longstreet to Meet for a Prize of \$12,000.

New York, July 29.—Great crowds are expected at Morris Park and Brighton Beach this afternoon, as it is the greatest day of the year for racing enthusiasts.

Everyone has heard of the proposed matches to-day, and everyone has talked of them. Teuny, his popular idol, and Longstreet, a horse that his owner believes is the peer of any ever foaled in this country, will meet at even weights over a mile and a quarter at Morris Park for a prize of \$12,000, while at Brighton Beach Kingston, the best son Spendthrift ever had, and Tulla Bickburn, a mare that has suffered but three defeats this year, will fight for a \$3,000 purse over a mile and a furlong.

Custom House Employees Discharged.

New York, July 29.—The letters sent to Collector Elliott by Secretary Foster regarding the discharge of Custom House employees have been made public. Ninety employees are ordered discharged, and numerous reductions in salaries are authorized in various departments. The movement is for the reduction of expenses. Many of the offices are abolished.

Two Trains Collided.

ALLIANCE, O., July 29.—The second section of freight train No. 83, west-bound, and local freight No. 70, east bound, on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad collided with a terrible crash near Salem, O., last evening. Two engines and 11 cars of freight were demolished. Several members of the crews were severely injured but none fatally.

Consul William E. Sims Dead.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—A private cable dispatch received here from Colon, on the Isthmus of Panama, announces the death of William E. Sims, of Virginia, United States Consul at that port. He was a leading Republican politician of his State, and figured as the central target in the Danville riot of 1883.

Happy and content is a home with "The Rotheater," a lamp with the light of the morning.

EXPOSING A FRAUD.

Startling Disclosures Regarding a Pennsylvania Insurance Company.

READING, Pa., July 29.—In the Court of Common Pleas of Berks County a bill in equity has been filed signed by a number of policy holders of the Standard Mutual Life Stock Insurance Company of this city.

The startling charge is made that the company was organized for fraud. The company got into trouble about two years ago, and as a result of the filing of a bill in equity by Aaron B. Wood, the Court of Common Pleas of Berks County appointed Peter W. Fisher receiver.

Wm. Righter Fisher was retained as attorney by the petitioners and other policy holders about a month ago. He says that during his investigation one of the reasons that made him suspect fraud was the discovery that one of the managers of the company had been dipping into graveyard insurance.

The Mutual Company was started in 1886, and is now said to have outstanding policy holders, who reside principally in Philadelphia and neighboring portions of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, to the amount of \$900,000.

DEATH OF AN OLD PRINTER.

The First Man to Put "The Star Spangled Banner" Into Type.

BALTIMORE, July 29.—Samuel Sanda, one of the oldest citizens of this city, is dead, aged 92 years. For a long period he had probably been the oldest living printer, being in unintermittent service as printer, editor or publisher since his apprenticeship in 1811. Half a century ago he published the American Farmer, the first agricultural paper in this country.

When an apprentice boy in 1814 in the office of the American in this city he put into type fresh from the author's hands, the song of "The Star Spangled Banner." Left alone in the office on account of his youth when the other hands went into the trenches on the attack by the British on the city, he put the stirring poem into print in the shape of a broadside, which he distributed throughout the city.

CANADA IS SLOW.

No Report Yet on the Seizure of American Fishing Boats.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—A dispatch from Ottawa says that the Hon. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Fisheries, has referred to the Department of Justice for consideration the official report on the recent seizure of seven American fishing boats in British waters near Eastport, Me.

The captain of the cruiser Dream has forwarded to Ottawa an American chart from which he traces the conclusion that the Americans were trespassing at the time he pointed upon them.

The United States cruiser Woodbury is patrolling the waters at Campobello, where the fishing boats were seized.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The World's Fair Commissioners are in Paris to-day.

The New York State convention of the Knights of Pythias is in session at Cortland.

Willis Reed, aged 73, an inventor of mill appliances, was killed by a fan in a tank at Danbury, Conn.

The Boston Safe and Trust Company has begun a suit for \$7,445,000 against the Charleston, Cincinnati & Chicago Railroad.

Stephen A. Ryan, who failed at Atlanta for \$2,000,000, has been put in jail for refusing to turn over \$120,000 said to be in his possession.

The British taxpayer is grinning at the prospect of an addition to the family of Princess Beatrice, wife of Prince Henry of Battenberg.

The factory of the Feltzer Shoe Company in New Brunswick, N. J., was destroyed by fire yesterday, also two houses belonging to the Willow Grove Cemetery Association.

F. C. Allen, the well-known publisher of Augusta, Me., died yesterday of pneumonia at the Parker House in Boston. He was taken ill on the steamer returning from Europe.

The tie-up in Newark, N. J., on the rapid transit branch of the Newark Passenger Railway is practically ended. The road is running with nearly its full complement of cars to-day manned by new hands. None of the strikers will be taken back.

A fire involving a loss of \$25,000 in buildings and stock occurred in the business part of Taberg, N. Y., at an early hour. The losers are Miss Tompkins, building and millinery; Peter Coyle, store and hotel; A. E. Hart, tin shop and dwelling; W. W. Barber, store building; W. B. Graves, general store and building; W. C. Armstrong, store building and dwelling; J. J. Dooley, general store.

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Brown Sugar, 4c.

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