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Evening Herald

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1896.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

To the Republican electors of Pennsylvania: The Republicans of Pennsylvania, by their duly chosen representatives, will meet in State convention Thursday, April 23, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the opera house, city of Harrisburg, for the purpose of nominating two candidates for representatives-at-large in Congress and thirty-two candidates for Presidential electors, the selection of eight delegates-at-large to the Republican National convention, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

By order of the State Committee.

M. S. QUAY, Chairman.

ATTEST—JERE B. REX, WM. R. ANDREWS, Secretaries.

SCARE-HAWKS carry more from a town than undertakers bring their homes, and then complain because fear does not preside at their breathlessness.

DAVID B. HILL is not the only Democrat who stands the slightest chance of filling the Executive chair of this nation during the next four years. There are others.

IN the death of John J. Ridgan the Democratic party loses one of its ablest young leaders and Schuylkill county a prominent and influential citizen.

OUT in Chicago lawyers are accusing the County Commissioners of accepting bribes to influence the Grand Juries in criminal indictments and claim to hold paid checks to back up their assertions. Chicago is a live town.

LUZERNE county disposed of one of her many murderers yesterday, although the wretch assisted in disposing of the case by pleading guilty in the second degree. Now let them hurry the other 18 or 20 through to punishment.

WILKES-BARRE is carrying on a crusade against cigar stores that violate the law against selling on Sunday. A crusade against beer saloons that violate the law in Schuylkill would do more good than remonstrances to the court at license time.

ANOTHER presentation was made to the Hartman-last night, previous to their departure from the almshouse as officials thereof. This time, however, the stentorian voice of W. John Whitehouse, pleading for reform, was conspicuous by its absence.

IT is unfortunate that the vessel despatched by the Cubans in this country to aid their struggling brethren in Cuba should have foundered, as the loss is a serious one and a sad blow to the cause. The vessel was an old one, and needed a thorough overhauling before being sent to sea, which it did not receive.

THE venerable Frederick Fraley, now in his 83rd year, has been re-elected president of the National Board of Trade, now in session at Washington, by a rising vote. Mr. Fraley is one of Philadelphia's most distinguished citizens and has been active in her affairs for a period longer than most men live.

THE Wilmington, Del., School Board had a peculiar case to decide recently. A Hindoo boy was admitted to one of the schools but the parents of some of the children protested to the Board, claiming he should attend the schools for colored children, but the Board decided he was not a negro and had as much right to attend a white school as an Italian or any other foreigner.

THE resolution introduced by Senator Quay to have the canals from New York to Baltimore examined by a board of engineers, with a view to their purchase by the government, is one that should be promptly passed, and the machinery set in motion to have them transferred to the government. The enlarging of these canals would afford an inland passage for war vessels from New York to Philadelphia and Baltimore and add greatly to the defenses of all these places, supplementing the plan of fortifications already decided upon. The advantages of these water ways to commerce would also be greatly increased and afford inland transportation more than sufficient to pay the expenses of operating and maintaining them in good condition. The Senator has a broad and comprehensive scheme for the establishment of an extensive system of canals to be paid for by an increase in customs duties on certain kinds of merchandise, which would also be benefitted by the protection this increase would afford. Until some means of materially increasing the revenue is adopted, however, there is not much hope for the consummation of the Senator's plans.

A PECULIAR POSTMISTRESS.

Letters Posted Twenty Years Ago Found in Her Office.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 30.—United States Postoffice Inspector W. T. Fletcher has just completed a singular inspection of the postoffice at Georgetown, Ind., and put it in new hands. This is a village of 600 inhabitants. The postoffice for more than a quarter of a century has been administered by the Motweiler family, father and daughter. The father died fifteen years ago, and the daughter, Miss Louise Motweiler, now 60 years old, has been in charge ever since. Inspector Fletcher found the floor of the office covered five feet deep with mail, and the old postmistress had lanes through this mass of matter. Forty carloads of newspapers, some dating back to 1876, were dumped out where the villagers could pick out their own mail. Over 7,000 undelivered letters with unbroken seals, some of them postmarked twenty years ago, were delivered. Miss Motweiler lived in the same house of two rooms, and had for her companions ten cats.

To nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a priceless boon, for it not only strengthens the mother, but also promotes an abundant secretion of nourishment for the child. For those about to become mothers, it is even more valuable for it lessens the perils and pains of childbirth and shortens labor. Of all dealers.

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The President's Ducking Trip.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Dr. O'Reilly, reached Washington from his brief shooting trip to Quantico, on the Potomac river, about 9 o'clock last night. The return journey was made on the lighthouse tender Maple. Captain Lamberton, of the tender, joined the president in the sport, which took place just off Quantico, while Dr. O'Reilly remained on board. Thirteen ducks were the result of the day's sport.

Burned on Her Way to Skate.

NYACK, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Miss Katie Staggers, a well known young lady of Blauvelt, N. Y., was burned to death while on her way to a skating pond. She was crossing a field on the way to the pond, and went through a fire among leaves which had been started by some boys. Her clothing caught fire, and she was burned fatally before the flames were extinguished. She died after much suffering.

Baptized in the Catholic Faith.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 30.—Ex-Governor Silas Woodson was yesterday baptized into the Roman Catholic church. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Burke and Father Newman. The bishop has had frequent talks with the ex-governor, who is nearing the end of life, regarding this step. None of Mr. Woodson's family are Catholics, and his baptism has caused much surprise.

Spotted Fever in a Convict Camp.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 30.—An epidemic of spotted fever is raging in the convict camp near Rusk. Five convict guards died in one day, and others have thrown up their jobs and fled. A number of convicts are down with the fever and it is feared the contagion will spread to the city of Rusk and surrounding country. People are greatly alarmed.

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IN 1896.

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In carrying out his policy, in 1895, Julian Ralph visited China and Japan, and journeyed through the West; Richard Harding Davis took a trip through the Caribean Sea; the evolutions of the new navy were described and illustrated by Rufus F. Zogbaum; Frederic Remington presented studies of Army and Frontier life; Poultney Bigelow attended the opening of the Kiel Canal.

In 1896 like attention will be given to every notable happening. The chief events in art, literature, and music and the drama will be artistically presented. W. D. Howells, in the new department, **Life and Letters**, will discuss in his interesting way books and the social questions of the time. E. S. Martin's sprightly gossip of the **Busy World** will be continued. The progress of the Transportation Commission around the World will be followed, and Caspar W. Whitney will conduct the department of **Amateur Sport.**

In 1896 will occur a Presidential election. In its editorials and through its political cartoons the WEEKLY will continue to be an independent advocate of good government and sound money.

In fiction the WEEKLY will be especially strong. It will publish the only novel of the year by W. D. Howells, and a stirring serial of a Scotch feud, by S. R. Crockett. The short stories selected are of unusual excellence and interest. In every respect HARPER'S WEEKLY will maintain its leading place in the illustrated journalism of the world.

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STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The speculative movement in stocks today was not attended by any news of a general bearing, and the widest fluctuations that were recorded were unexplained, except in so far as professional manipulation was concerned. Closing bids:

Baltimore & Ohio	48	New Jersey Cen.	104
Del. & Hudson	128	N. Y. Central	98
D., L. & W.	142¾	Pennsylvania	53
Erie	16⅛	Reading	15¾
Lake Erie & W.	27⅝	St. Paul	74
Lehigh Nav.	45⅛	W. N. Y. & Pa.	4⅛
Lehigh Valley	37	West Shore	—

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—Flour in light demand; winter super, $2.40@2.60; do. extras, $2.60@2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, $3.25@3.40; do. do., straight, $3.40@3.55; western winter, clear, $3.40@3.50. Wheat dull, with with 72c. bid and 72¼c. asked for January. Corn inactive, with 33¾c. bid and 33⅞c. asked for January. Oats quiet, weaker, with 25c. bid and 25½c. asked for January. Hay quiet and firm; choice timothy, $16. Beef steady. Pork dull. Lard steady; western steam, $6. Butter irregular; creamery, 14@21c.; factory, 9@14½c.; Elgins, 21c.; imitation creamery, 14@17c.; New York dairy, 10@16c.; do. creamery, 14@19c.; Pennsylvania and western creamery prints, extra, 20c.; exceptional may higher; do. choice, 19c.; do. fair to good, 15@18c.; prints jobbing at 20@22c. Cheese steady; large, 7½@10¼c.; small, 7½@10½c.; part skims, 3@6c.; full skims, 2@3c. Eggs weak; New York and Pennsylvania, 15@16c.; jersey, 15@16c.; western fresh, 15c.; southern, 14@14½c.

Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Beeves steady, but still for cows and rough native steers, $4.10@4.75. Cheese steady. Hogs easy, $4.10@4.20; inferior, $3.85@4; culls, $3.60@3.75. Veals firm, at fortunes, $4@5.25; extra prime, $5.50; common to good, $3@5; western grassers sold at $3@3.50. Sheep and lambs active; sheep 10@15c. higher; lambs 25@50c. higher; common to prime lambs, $4.50@6.25; culls, $3@4.25. Hogs barely steady; common to prime Yorkers, $4.60@4.65; pigs, $4.65@4.70.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Jan. 30.—Cattle steady; prime, $4.60@5.00; good, fair heifers, $3@4.25; rough fat, $2@3.60; bulls, stags and stags, $2@3.25. Hogs lower; prime medium weights, $4.55@4.60; light hogs and pigs, $4.60@4.65; heavy grades, $4.40@4.50; roughs, $3@4. Sheep steady; prime, $3.40@3.60; fair, $2.90@3; common, $1.50@2.90; lambs, $4@5. Veal calves, $5.50@6.50.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by A. Wasley, druggist.

The Sultan Accepts Russia's Advice.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Times says that although no definite agreement exists for the immediate or proximate Russian occupation of Armenia, it is certain that there is a private understanding between Russia and the sultan which gives the sultan confidence in Russia's friendship and disposes him to conform to Russian advice in matters of foreign policy.

Murdered and Cremated.

RICHMOND, Ky., Jan. 30.—Christopher Jones was killed at his home near Horse Lick, in Jackson county, two days ago. Jones' house was burned and a charred body, supposed to be that of Jones, was found in the ashes. Shotgun wads were found in the dooryard. It is believed Jones was shot first and then fire was set to the house. James and Jack Cornelius are suspected of the crime.

A Town Marshal's Brutal Crime.

DURANGO, Colo., Jan. 30.—Kid Moore and George Bridges, who had been ordered by Marshal Thompson to leave town and did not go, were shot and killed in their shanty on the outskirts of the city by Thompson and Officer Fasshinder. The officers say they shot the men in self defense, but as their victims never carried firearms, other proceedings are likely to be taken.

Defending Captain Healy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—At the court martial of Captain Healy, of the revenue cutter Bear, H. O. Nico, general agent of the North American Commercial company, at Unalaska, Third Officer Dilson, of the whaling steamer Mary D. Hume, and Dr. Bodkin, of the Bear, were all called as witnesses, and testified strongly in Healy's favor. The specific charges of drunkenness were positively denied, and it was explained that the captain's fall into the water at Unalaska was simply an unavoidable accident, and the witnesses united in giving Captain Healy a general good character. Captain Healy himself denied the charges against him, though admitting that he drank a little on certain occasions named.

Trapper Sent to Jail.

CAPE MAY, Jan. 30.—Charles Lloyd, of Belle Plain, this county, pleaded guilty to unlawfully trapping two rabbits and a pheasant, and was fined by Justice Shoemaker, of Tuckahoe, $60 and costs, in default of the payment of which he was committed to the county jail for thirty days. It is estimated that he has caught and sent to the Philadelphia market during the past four months 500 rabbits and a thousand game birds of various kinds.

The Deadly Folding Bed.

FOSTORIA, O., Jan. 30.—A folding bed closed up on Mrs. H. E. Bohrer, wife of the traveling passenger agent of the Mobile and Ohio, and her mother, Mrs. P. Esselman. Mr. Bohrer managed to kick the end out of the bed and crawl out. She is fatally injured. Mrs. Esselman will recover.

Lexowing Norristown's Police.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Jan. 30.—The police committee of town council, investigating charges against patrolmen, has suspended Officer Charles V. Royer for giving a disorderly house police protection for a money consideration. Three other officers are under the fire of the Lexowers.

Masonic Appeal for Peace.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 30.—At the meeting yesterday of the grand lodge of Tennessee Masons an appeal to all Masons throughout the world to lend their aid in preserving peace and averting war was adopted.

The Weather.

For eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair and slightly warmer; light southerly winds.

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Munyon's Vitalizer restores lost powers to weak men. Price, $1.00.

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Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 1503 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

THE LOSS OF THE HAWKINS.

The Vessel Probably Sunk by an Agent of Spain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—United States District Attorney MacFarlane admitted today that, in accordance with instructions from Washington, the authorities here had been for some time investigating the doings of the Cuban revolutionists in this district. "So far," he said, "no warrants have been issued in the case of the steamer Hawkins."

The section of the neutrality laws applicable in the case of the wrecked expedition is No. 5,286, which states: "Every person within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States who begins, or sets on foot, or provides for, or prepares means for any military expedition or enterprise from thence against any foreign prince or state is deemed guilty of a high misdemeanor, and subject to a fine not exceeding $3,000 and three years' imprisonment."

District Attorney MacFarlane said that it was for violating the above section that Captain Hughes and the others on the steamer Laurado were tried recently at Charleston. The prisoners in that case, however, were not found guilty.

Under the casualty act of June 20, 1874, which requires a report to be filled within five days by the owner, agent or master of every wrecked vessel with the collector of customs in the district to which such vessel belongs, those responsible for the loss of the Hawkins can be punished.

One of the Cuban leaders here declares that the sinking of the Hawkins was undoubtedly due to treachery. It is evident, he says, that there was a Spanish spy on the vessel, who caused the leakage, as the Hawkins was in perfect condition when leaving Baltimore.

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Germany's Warning to Crespo.

BERLIN, Jan. 30.—A semi-official statement has been published warning President Crespo, of Venezuela, that he cannot count upon the help of the United States to enable him to shirk his obligation, supposing Germany takes measures to enforce the payment of the railway claim. The Monroe doctrine may, perhaps, be applied to territorial disputes, the statement says, but it cannot be invoked to protect defaulting debtors against the claims of the European states.

Uncle Sam as a "Usurper."

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Lord Salisbury and the Right Hon. Mr. Chamberlain have been considering the result of the inquiries into the records here, made on behalf of British Columbia, which show that the United States has no right, under the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825, to 3,000,000 acres of land opposite Prince of Wales Island, on the Pacific coast, which the United States has usurped since buying Alaska.

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A Big Republican Celebration.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 30.—The celebration by the Tippecanoe club in this city on Feb. 29 of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the Republican party will be, in some respects, a national affair. The speakers will be Hon. William McKinley, Governor Bushnell, Lieutenant Governor Jones, Speaker Sleeper of the state legislature, J. Sloat Fassett of New York, Governor Bradley of Kentucky, Mayor Pingree of Detroit, Senator Sherman, Senator-elect Foraker, Congressmen Burton and Beach and Henry C. Hedges of Mansfield, O., who attended the first Republican national convention in 1856.

A Naval Cadet's Narrow Escape.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—A United States cadet, George Cracy, assigned to the American line steamship St. Louis, was caught by the right leg yesterday in the cogs of a big wheel in the St. Louis' engine room. The leg was broken in two places, and he was saved from instant death by two comrades. Under the mail subsidy act under which the St. Louis and St. Paul became auxiliary cruisers of the United States navy it is necessary that each vessel carry a naval cadet for each 1,000 tons. Cracy was one of the twelve cadets on the St. Louis.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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STOLE FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The Embezzler Kept a Careful Monthly Statement of the Amount of His Stealings, Which Was Found on His Person When Arrested—Confesses His Guilt.

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Harry M. Fowle, hitherto a valued and trusted clerk for the Shepard & Morse Lumber company, was arrested yesterday, and it is expected the charges of forgery and embezzlement preferred against him will aggregate $50,000. Fowle is pronounced by the expert officers at police headquarters as one of the most clever manipulators of figures brought to their attention for a long time. For years he has lived in luxury, but it appears that his first downward steps were taken in October, 1893.

On Fowle's person was found $60 in cash, a loaded revolver and two envelopes, on one of which he had written: "Private memorandum, Harry M. Fowle. To be burned unopened in case of death." This led Chief Watts to believe that Fowle would have shot himself when arrested had he had the opportunity or inclination. In the envelopes were found a detailed list of checks and cash which he had taken from his unsuspicious employers. The total amount was $47,613.

Here is his monthly statement: June, '94, $2,969; August, '94, $1,288; November, '94, $2,355; December, '94, and January, '95, $2,177; February, '95, $1,043; March, '95, $2,311; May, '95, $2,702; June, '95, $2,157; July, '95, $2,359; August, '95, $3,094; September, '95, $2,596; October, '95, $3,524; November, '95, $2,033; December, '95, $3,090.

The cash sums which he embezzled varied from $30 to $300 per month, or about $5,000 in all. This will be a total loss to the company, while on the other hand the banks will lose the greater part of the forged amounts. These banks are located all over the country, and there are so many of them that no one will sustain a heavy loss.

As ledger clerk for the firm he handled checks in large numbers, and in the absence of the cashier the cash receipts, which as a rule were paid in checks on banks. He was shrewd enough to credit customers on the ledger, although checks did not appear on the cash books. Fowle is also charged with stamping checks with the company's stamp and forging H. B. Shepard's signature.

Fowle opened an account at the Old Colony Trust company, depositing his checks there, some checks needing indorsements being cashed through other banks. An indorsed check presented at a bank where the firm had no account led to inquiries. He had no bad habits, but lived better than his $1,000 salary would allow. Fowle was very cool at first, but finally confessed.

Dubuque City Officials Indicted.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Jan. 30.—This city has been excited for the last two weeks over the grand jury investigation ordered by Judge Husted into alleged salary grabs by members of the city council. Yesterday the grand jury reported. Mayor Olinger was indicted for taking $503 for services on the board of health when his salary was already at the legal limit, $1,500. Aldermen Halpin, Cullen, Shea, Crawford, Vogler, Schulte, Kaufmann and Bauer were indicted for voting on the question of their own salaries, contrary to the city charter. Aldermen Bonson and Ryder, who voted against an increase, were the only members of the council not indicted.

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Cameron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Michigan. They say: "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we have ever sold, and always gives satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Grahler Bros., druggists.

Bound and Gagged by Burglars.

ALTOONA, Pa., Jan. 30.—A sensational robbery occurred here Tuesday night. Two men entered the home of John Bookhammer, bound and gagged Mrs. Bookhammer, and then ransacked the house, but only secured $5 for their trouble. Mrs. Bookhammer was discovered by her son on his return home. She was unconscious, but was soon revived. The police are looking for her assailants.

Tragedy in a Prison Cell.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 30.—Adolph Niese, who was held, with his wife, in the jail at Colville for murder, having beaten their little boy to death with a club, cut his wife's throat with an old razor, and then his own. He is dead and she will die.

"Absolutely Unfounded."

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 30.—A semi-official announcement has been given out here that the reports that a partition of Turkey is contemplated, or that an alliance has been formed between Russia and Turkey, are absolutely unfounded.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowls, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances. "Last winter I had la grippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Gruhler Bros., druggists.

Coming Events.

Feb. 17.—First annual ball, Patriotic Drum Corps, Robbins' opera house—Schoppe orchestra.

Feb. 20.—Supper and entertainment under the auspices of Council No. 84, Daughters of Liberty, in Robbins' hall.

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Gruhler Bros., druggists.

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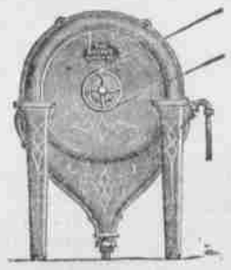

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