

STUART FORTENER RILES OPPOSITION

Republicans Follow Lead of Popular Chief Executive.

GOVERNOR ON THE STUMP

Not Only Calls For Support of State Ticket, But Tells of Importance of Congressional Campaigns.

Probably the hardest blow the enemies of the Republican party received in this campaign was that given by Governor Edwin S. Stuart when he came out squarely in favor of the election of John K. Tener.



JOHN M. REYNOLDS.

Governor Stuart did not equivocate, nor did he qualify his endorsement of the Republican standard bearer in the slightest degree and since he made his initial declaration at a splendid meeting in Harrisburg he has taken the stump and is calling upon his fellow Republicans of the old Keystone state to vote the full Republican ticket "from top to bottom." He is manfully giving his reasons why this should be done in his enthusiastic support of the party's standard bearers.

That the attitude of Governor Stuart has disconcerted the opposition is shown in the editorial comments of the few newspapers for Berry.

Prior to his coming out in favor of Mr. Tener the governor was the subject of fulsome praise; he is now referred to by these same editors as "weak and vacillating." But these silly attacks upon Edwin S. Stuart simply react upon those responsible for them and serve to emphasize the position taken by the most popular chief executive of Pennsylvania.

Governor Stuart did not make his public declaration until he had thoroughly investigated the character and intentions of the candidates and convinced himself that they would all carry out the pledges made to the people in the party platform and in their public utterances.

Will Keep His Word.

Before the Harrisburg meeting Governor Stuart had a long talk with Congressman Tener at the executive mansion in which the whole situation was thoroughly discussed and the governor, who that night was called upon to present the party nominee referred to this fact when he said:

"I had today a very frank and manly talk with the candidate, and he assures me that he understands thoroughly the responsibilities of the great office for which he is a candidate, and if elected to that office his only ambition will be to give an honorable administration in the interest and for the benefit of all the people.

"He assures me that there are no other obligations to ask him or to make him do anything else, and the one thing he desires and the one thing he will do is that on every question coming before him for his approval or action, he will use his judgment and be guided by what he thinks is for the best interest of Pennsylvania and her people.

"I am very glad to say that four years ago in a campaign he was a very loyal friend and supporter of myself in that celebrated campaign, and I take great pleasure in introducing to you the man who is the candidate of the Republican party and the man who, I am satisfied, will do what he promises you he will do if elected to that high and honorable office.

"I say that with all sincerity, and I now take great pleasure in introducing the Hon. John K. Tener, the candidate of the Republican party for governor of Pennsylvania."

Governor Stuart, if he did not have full faith in Mr. Tener would not have uttered those words. He is not that stripe of a man.

In the four years that he has served the state Mr. Stuart has earned the confidence and respect of his fellow citizens by his upright and his independence of action, guided by conservatism and extreme caution.

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fee. With Congressman Tener seated upon the same platform, the governor, speaking to a vast audience, with ten thousand men in the streets unable to gain entrance to the hall, called upon his friends, many of them companions of his boyhood days, to not only vote for Mr. Tener and the entire Republican ticket, but to work loyally for the success of the Republican cause.

Governor Stuart, besides paying a splendid tribute to the nominees on the state ticket and dwelling upon the desirability of continuing a Republican administration in the state government, directed attention to the national phase of the campaign. He told of the importance to Pennsylvania's business and industrial interests of maintaining a Republican majority in congress and of the efforts of the Democrats to capture doubtful districts in this state in their fight to win control of the national house. He therefore urged every Republican to vote the full Republican ticket, that Pennsylvania shall again head the Republican column.

VICTORY CERTAIN ON TUESDAY NEXT

Pennsylvania Republicans Prepare For Rousing Majority.

WALTON'S CALL TO ACTION

State Chairman Urges All to Go to the Polls to Insure a Magnificent Triumph.

In the closing days of the campaign there is the greatest confidence among the Republican leaders of a sweeping victory for the full Republican state ticket.

Chairman Henry F. Walton, Secretary W. Harry Baker and the other active spirits at the Republican state committee headquarters in Philadelphia report that there has been a remarkable change in situation in a number of counties to the advantage of the Republican candidates owing to the strenuous campaign that has been under way during the last two weeks. Districts which some time ago were classed as doubtful are now certain to be carried for John K. Tener for governor and all his colleagues on the Republican ticket.

A final note of warning has been sounded by field marshal Walton to Republican committeemen to guard against the danger of over-confidence, and Republicans are generally admonished to refrain from giving "complimentary votes" to Democratic or independent candidates in local contests and are urged to vote the full Republican ticket to insure the counting of their ballot.

National Issues Involved.

The importance of the election on account of the congressional contest is emphasized by Senator Penrose, who is anxious that Pennsylvania shall maintain her prestige as the leading Republican state of the union in the house at Washington. Pennsylvania by reason of her large delegation in the present house was enabled to present her interests in framing the present tariff act.

Republican state leaders in commenting upon the result of a canvass of Pennsylvania made by the Philadelphia Press and published last Sunday, insist that its estimated plurality for John K. Tener, the Republican candidate for governor, is too low. The Philadelphia Press says that "impartial estimates furnished the Press from all the counties" give the Republican state ticket a plurality of 125,750.

While the leaders say they are not ready to make public their estimates by counties they admit that their reports give Mr. Tener over 150,000 plurality and some express the opinion that the final figures will be even larger.



HENRY HOUCK.

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VAN VALKENBURG TO FACE JURY

Early Trial of Tener's Criminal Suit Demanded.

COMPANY SEEKS DAMAGES

National Public Utilities Corporation Sues For \$250,000 For Alleged Malicious Libel.

Following up the blading over for court of E. A. Van Valkenburg, editor of the North American, on the charge of criminal libel, made upon affidavit of John K. Tener, the Republican nom-



JOHN K. TENER.

inee for governor now demands that the case shall be brought to trial at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. Tener wants a complete judicial investigation of the charges made by Editor Van Valkenburg, all of which Mr. Tener has denied under oath, and he insists that there shall be no unnecessary delay in bringing the case to an issue.

The dastardly nature of the attacks made upon Mr. Tener has reacted upon the authors and absolutely failed of the purpose.

A. S. L. Shields, of counsel for Mr. Tener, in presenting the case against Editor Van Valkenburg, charged him with wilful and defamatory libel, and in referring to his client, he said:

An Honored Name.

"Mr. Tener is a resident of Charlestown, Pa. He has lived a life of probity and righteousness and his conduct has been such that his neighbors and constituents have respected him, and they have acclaimed him by sending him as a congressman to Washington.

"This citizen of Pennsylvania is known and honored by all his neighbors and friends. His family name has never been besmirched, and he has been nominated by a Republican convention of the state of Pennsylvania as the unanimous choice for governor of this commonwealth. Mr. Tener has submitted his name to the citizens of Pennsylvania as a candidate for that office."

He then reviewed the attacks made upon Mr. Tener and held how in advance of the original publication the newspaper had solicited sales of extra copies based upon what it was going to say about Mr. Tener.

Waiving his legal right to ask a commitment on the affidavit, Mr. Tener took the stand as the only witness at the hearing, saying that he was perfectly willing to tell every detail of his connection with the National Public Utilities corporation and the Security Life and Annuity company, and to prove that he entered these corporations honestly and openly and for legitimate business reasons.

After he had given direct testimony as to his connections with the two companies he was subjected to a rigid cross examination by former Judge James Gay Gordon, counsel for Mr. Van Valkenburg. In spite of the numerous questions hurled at him and the lawyer's efforts to entrap him, Mr. Tener replied to every question in a straightforward manner, bearing out all of the public statements he has made since the charges against him were published.

As the result of his testimony Mr. Van Valkenburg was held in \$5000 bail for court on the charge of having criminally libeled the candidate, causing injury to his business and reputation. Security was furnished and Mr. Van Valkenburg was released.

Heavy Damages Demanded. Not only is Van Valkenburg being prosecuted criminally by Candidate Tener, but he and the North American have been sued for \$250,000 damages by the National Public Utilities company, the corporation with which Mr. Tener was connected and which has been the subject of the journalistic assaults.

This suit is separate and apart from Mr. Tener's action and is based upon the series of articles designed to injure the Republican candidate for governor.

The bill of particulars in this case, filed upon affidavit of Thomas Bromley, Jr., assistant treasurer, among other things says that the publications in the North American contained "false, scandalous, illegal, defamatory and malicious" libels.

The affidavit further states that the charges affect the company "are

false, malicious and untrue, and the said defendants have wilfully and wantonly published the same with no other motive than to increase the circulation of their newspaper and to work up a vindictive and revengeful feeling in a political campaign.

"That by reason of said libelous publications the said plaintiff has suffered great loss and damage in its business since the first publication on Oct. 13, 1910, of said newspaper containing said libelous charges and statements, has been impaired, its debtors have refused to pay their indebtedness to the company, in consequence of which plaintiff company has not been able to meet its obligations, thereby causing suit to be brought against it; and work on its enterprises has had to cease by reason thereof, and the good name and reputation of said plaintiff corporation has been so vilified and defamed that the damage and injury to the plaintiff is irreparable. Plaintiff, therefore, claims of defendants damages to the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which sum is justly due the plaintiff."

THREE DAYS IN THE STORM.

Log of the Steamship Vigilancia Has Lively Chapter on the Storm.

New York, Nov. 1.—The steamship Vigilancia, which has arrived from Tampico and Nassau, reported that on the outward voyage she was caught in the recent West Indies hurricane and had a severe shaking up. The hurricane broke on the night of Thursday, Oct. 13, and lasted until the 16th. The great violence of the storm was about sixty-two hours in duration. Captain Curtis, finding from the barometer and the general appearance of the sky that a hurricane was about to break, steamed toward the center of the gulf in order to secure sea room to ride out the storm.

He was about 150 miles west of Tortugas when the worst of the storm occurred. The wind blew from 90 to 100 miles an hour, and the seas broke continuously over the vessel, sweeping away five lifeboats. Doors and windows of the deck houses forward were smashed, and the water filled the smoking room like a well.

ANGER CAUSED DEATH.

Miller Was Attacked by Heart Disease While Quarreling With Stranger.

New York, Nov. 1.—Adolph Miller, fifty-six years old, was cleaning up behind the bar at his saloon, 652 Clarkson avenue, Brooklyn, when a stranger came in. What the man said to Miller no one knows except the man himself, who was seen by no one else and has not been found.

But whatever it was, it seemed to make Miller furious, and the sound of his voice raised in anger awake his wife in their living rooms, back of the saloon.

Miller made a few more explosive remarks, and suddenly everything became still except for footsteps hurrying out of the side door of the saloon. Mrs. Miller hurried behind the bar, where she found her husband in a sitting posture on the floor with his hand over his heart.

He had died from an attack of heart disease probably brought on by his violent anger against the stranger.

GERMAN REPLY DELAYED.

American Representatives in Potash Dispute Preparing to Come Home.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—The German government continues to delay a definite reply to the American representations concerning the recently enacted legislation governing the potash industry which has adversely affected contracts for the export of potash to the United States.

After having waited six weeks the American representatives are preparing to leave for home on Wednesday.

Dashed to Death From Motorcycle.

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 1.—While riding a motorcycle down the Trumansburg macadam road into this city Earl Chapman, twenty-seven years of age, crashed into a stone pile about two miles north of Ithaca and was injured mortally, dying a few hours thereafter.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, November 15, A. D. 1910, by Lorenzo R. Foster, John R. Jones, Thomas J. Burke and others, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Incorporation and regulation of banks of discount and deposit," approved May 13, A. D. 1876, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Hawley Bank," to be located in Hawley, county of Wayne, and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which said proposed corporation is organized for the specific purpose of receiving deposits, making loans and discounts, and doing a general banking business, under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Capital stock is fixed at fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), divided into one thousand (1,000) shares of the par value of fifty dollars (\$50.00) each, with ten dollars (\$10.00) on each share for surplus, the total capital and surplus being sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000). Said proposed corporation, for the purposes above stated, shall have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and its supplements.

JOHN R. JONES, Attorney for Incorporators. 63eol 13.

LEAVES 144 DESCENDANTS.

Jacob C. Harper Dead at Harperton, Randolph County, W. Va.

Harperton, W. Va.—Jacob C. Harper, 76 years of age, is dead here. He was born in Pendleton county, West Virginia, where his forefathers for several generations lived. His grandfather, Jacob C. Harper, for whom he was named, after the massacre at Fort Seybert by the Indians was captain of a company that followed the Red Men over the trail which passed through the Canaan Valley and shaded them beyond the Ohio. Mr. Harper leaves an unusual progeny.

He is survived by his wife, 18

children, 120 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. Two children are dead.

Mr. Harper was for several terms a justice of the peace, and was prominent in the Presbyterian church, having served as an elder. Four of his sons are now serving as elders or deacons in the same church. Peter Harper was elected to the Legislature from Pendleton county in 1892. He served as United States marshal for four years from 1893. Riley Harper was Sheriff of Tucker county, West Virginia, for four years from 1896. The Harpers are Democrats.

—PRINTING QUICKLY DONE AT THIS OFFICE.

HOW TO CURE A TERRIFIC HEADACHE.

Many people suffer with an aching head week after week, occasionally getting relief from so-called headache powders and nerve stupefying drugs. They never get cured because they start wrong. Such people should do a little commonsense thinking. Headache is simply the result, a warning signal, of a far more serious trouble. Usually it means bad blood poisoned by an inactive or sluggish liver. Headache sufferers are often nervous, cross and irritable. Their sleep is disturbed and digestion impaired. The liver doesn't do its work right, and the bile elements poison both nerve and brain.

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