

Republican Ticket for 1872.

FOR PRESIDENT,

U. S. GRANT.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,

HENRY WILSON,

Presidential Electors,

A. B. MEACHAM, of Claatsilla county.
W. D. HARE, of Washington county.
J. F. GAZLEY, of Douglas county.

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The Relation of Party Leaders to the People.

The theory of our government lodges the supreme power in representatives elected by the people. These representatives so selected become the agents of the people to carry into effect their wishes, as expressed in their platforms. Hence they are not masters, but servants; and if they adopt, or endeavor to carry out any line of policy not recognized in the platform, the principles of which they are pledged to support, they in effect reverse the order of relation, taking upon themselves the authority and dignity which is wholly the province of the people. There may have been times in the history of the Republic when this could have been done by some eminent leaders with success—especially might this have been the case in the early history of the country, while the influences of Royalty were yet unneutralized by years of progressive enlightenment and experience; but to the glory of the great masses of the American people may it be said, that that day no longer exists. The great party in power, constituting so large a numerical majority of the citizen element of the country, will tolerate no public servant for a moment, who presumes to depart from its clearly defined line of principle and policy, as embodied in its platform. The people have grown in intelligence and virtue, and can no longer be influenced in their political action by the mere influence of a name. They have become capable of discriminating between the man and the principles which he advocates; and hence a public servant is now held in favorable regard in proportion to the ability and consistency and earnestness with which he advocates and defends the principles of the party. Charles Sumner, and Trumbull, and Schurz, failed to comprehend the true character of the people belonging to the Republican party, their intelligence and relation to them, when they endeavored to estrange them from their principles, by turning them into a new channel of political policy. To-day they, and the rest of the renegades from the party, the would-be leaders of the Republican hosts into Chappaqua pastures, stand out before the American people, forsaken by their old-time friends, examples of vanity and egotism, sacrificed upon the altar of their own perfidy. They thought to flourish in their schemes of selfish glorification, but the people, whom they expected to use for this purpose, have left them to the remorse and chagrin of political suicides. Let the people continue to rally around principle rather than men, and all will be well.

Among the most important acts of the Legislature on the 2d inst., was the adoption, by the Senate, of the House joint memorial in relation to the Northern boundary of the State, and the passing, by the House, of the House bill to repeal the Litigant bill. It will be gratifying to the Republicans of the State to know, that this last measure has thus been so promptly condemned by their Representatives in the House.

Investigation into the Harlem Court House job at New York city reveals the fact that one Lynch, a pet of the Tammany ring, held a sinecure office, and that four hundred per cent. profit was made on stone.

Our Senator Elect.

It will be gratifying to our readers to know that the long and strenuously contested election for United States Senator at Salem, has at last terminated in the election of Hon. J. H. Mitchell, of Portland. This occurred last Saturday, the Republicans all voting for him except the Senator and Member from Polk county. Mr. Mitchell is well known throughout the State as a gentleman of superior culture, splendid legal and legislative ability, which, in addition to a high sense of honor and great energy, well qualify him to fill the high position to which he has been elevated, with credit to himself and benefit and honor to his constituents and country. He was the choice of a large majority of the Republican members of the Legislature from the first, is thoroughly Republican in his principles, was fairly and honorably elected by Republican votes, and should go to Washington enjoying the confidence and good wishes of every Republican in the State.

Peter Cartwright.

It is announced in the dispatches of the 27th ult., that Peter Cartwright, the famous Methodist pioneer preacher is no more. He died at his residence in Pleasant Plains, Ill., September 25th, aged 87 years. His long service in the itinerancy, extensive travels and many peculiar adventures growing out of his eccentric character, have rendered his name a household word in multitudes of families, East and South, as well as West. He was endowed with unconquerable determination, tremendous energy and sterling integrity; and though like many of the early itinerants, he received but little intellectual culture from the schools of his day, yet by the untiring application of his own unassisted energy, he succeeded in becoming a most eloquent and powerful advocate of the truth, and thousands in his day were influenced to choose a life of piety by his ministerial labors. Though his mission was one of peace, yet he did not hesitate, in extreme cases, where moral influences seemed to fail, to resort to personal physical force, with which nature had amply endowed him, and some instances are narrated in his history of where rowdyish men at campmeetings were brought to their knees and prayer, by the vigor of his blows. He has been the only minister, we believe, in the United States, connected with the M. E. Church, who occupied consecutively the office of Presiding Elder for fifty years. We join with multitudes of others throughout the country, whom the announcement of his death will reach, in dropping a tear to his memory.

At a conference held in New York city on the 25th ult., by a number of Democrats dissatisfied with the Louisville movement, James Worrall, of Penn., presided, and made a speech favoring Grant and Wilson. A resolution was subsequently adopted urging Democrats to vote for Grant, and calling on members of the National Committee to organize in the several States, and unite in behalf of candidates approved by their conference. The nomination of Gen. Dix for Governor of New York was highly commended by them, and also others on the Republican ticket. In view of these things, and others of a similar nature, which are almost constantly transpiring, we are forced to the conviction that that "ground swell" which was to heave up for Uncle Horace, has begun to "move itself" in favor of Ulysses. Heave on, say we.

Put Him to Bed.

Why hasn't Gen. Banks made that speech in New York city on the subject of the national finances? It was announced that he was going to, and no speech on that theme has as yet emanated from this hero of Red river. We guess the reason why he has not done so, is because he has discovered that the financial minds of New York have no more confidence in his financial ability, than army men have in his military ability, or honest men have in his integrity. He is a politician that needs to go to soak.

WEATHER.—Cool and cloudy, a slight rainfall on Wednesday night.

Good Testimony.

In a recent speech of Senator Buckingham, the following was said in reference to President Grant's personal habits, which should be satisfactory on that subject, he being President of the State Temperance Union, and an officer in the Congressional Temperance Society, and not likely to be a superficial observer on that point:

A deal has been said about the habits of President Grant. It will not be possible for me to prove a negative, therefore I can't say; I can't prove that the President has been under the influence of intoxicating drinks, but will say this, that I have seen him and been with him on various occasions, public and private, at his house and mine, and I have known something of his habits of life. I was with him on the Fourth of July two years ago. I entertained him at my table. I went with him to the city of New London, and there we sat at the public table, where there was wine. I don't know that he drank a drop; if he had drunk anything of consequence I should have known it. After dinner he was suffering very severely with headache, and it was difficult for him to meet his friends; and yet he stood for over an hour to receive their congratulations. I went with him to the steamboat, and afterward to the hotel, where, when he retired, he was still suffering. Now, I say this, that he had one of those periodical headaches which he has at times, when he can not entertain men, and that it is in consequence of this that the people have gone away and reported that because of his habits he was unable to do business. I will say further, that I have never seen him when he has been any more under the influence of ardent spirits than our chairman is now. [Applause.] I will say of the men who are acquainted with him, that I never saw one or heard one say that he had ever seen him under the influence of intoxicating drinks. I say that these reports in regard to his habits are, in my judgment, the reports of enemies. [Local applause.] They are base slanders. [Renewed applause.] There is nothing in his habits or character which robs me of my confidence in him. I know that he is a man of great integrity, and I don't believe that there is any reward you or any one can bestow that will make him swerve from the course which is for the best interests of this Republic. I will say further, that I have never known a public man who appeared to be governed less by personal ambition than Ulysses S. Grant. [Applause.] I say still further, that you may be with him in private and in public, and you will have to be with him more than I have been before you hear him utter one word in commendation of his services while he was General in the army."

Laura D. Fair.

The trial of Laura D. Fair, of San Francisco, for the murder of Crittenden, has at last terminated in her acquittal. She was previously tried for this crime, found guilty and sentenced to be hung; but through the skillful management of her eminent counsel, she was granted a new trial. It took some eight days to secure a jury who had not formed any opinion of her case; but this having been done, and the testimony having been presented to them, and the comments of the counsel upon it, they reverse the decision of the former jury, and restore her to freedom. From this may be seen the imperfection and unreliability of human arbitration, as administered through juries.

We learn from the *Oregonian* that the Pacific delegation to the Philadelphia Convention, having their headquarters together, resolved that the flag that floated over them at Philadelphia should be presented to the Republican party of Oregon in case the State should be redeemed at the June election. The flag has been received by Hon. Chas. W. Parrish, and now floats over the office of the Republican State Central Committee, at Senator Corbett's building on First street, Portland.

MONEY MARKET.—The money market is unprecedentedly tight, amounting almost to a famine. It is next to impossible to collect money at all. We feel it more, probably, than any one else, as, usually, printer's bills are the very last to be paid. If somebody don't "see us" before long we shall be compelled to foreclose our mortgage. Distress, financially, ain't no name for it.

The county in which New York city is situated has saved \$2,000,000 in one year, by turning the Tammany Democrats out of office.

EASTERN NEWS.

A lengthy address to the Democracy of the United States is issued by a committee of the Louisville Convention. It explains the object of the assemblage, opposes the Baltimore platform as not Democratic, contends that the Democracy did not demand the nomination of Greeley and the adoption of his platform; says the watchword is not "anything to beat Grant," but anything to prevent Greeley from beating and destroying the Democratic party, and that Grant's election will be a much less calamity than that of Greeley. If the former is chosen the responsibility rests on Baltimore, which refused the people either a Democratic nominee or a platform. The address concludes by invoking Democrats to vote for O'Connor and Adams. The Iowa O'Connor Democrats have nominated a State ticket.

Silks, valued at from \$100,000 to \$150,000, were stolen from a public store in New York city, in one week.

The National Steamboat Convention at Cleveland, has organized a permanent National Board.

Attorney General Barlow has informed Tweed, Mayor Hall, Sweeney & Co., that their trials will begin next October.

Second Lieut. Chas. Jordan of the 16th U. S. Infantry, recently sentenced to a dismissal from the service and one year imprisonment for embezzlement of money, while acting as Quartermaster at Jackson, Miss., has been sent to Dry Tortugas.

The United Order of American Mechanics held a brilliant celebration at Newark, N. J., on the 29th ult., 50,000 members participating.

There was a light fall of snow in Maine week before last.

Mobile, Ala., has been without rain for forty days.

William Irvin, living near Terre Haute, Ind., was killed on the 29th ult. by means of an ax in the hands of his son-in-law, J. Miller, whom he had reproved for spilling a bowl of cider.

The Straightout Democracy of Wisconsin have concluded to nominate a State ticket.

M. Gering, of Jersey City, N. J., murdered his wife on the 29th ult., and cut his own throat, dying instantly.

Greeley arrived in Cleveland, Ohio, on the 24th. He made several electioneering speeches on the route.

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President Grant arrived in New York city from Long Branch on the 24th. He started for Washington in the afternoon.

The soldiers' monument at Pittsfield, Mass., was dedicated on the 24th, George W. Curtiss delivering the address. Twenty thousand persons were present.

The Northern Ohio Lunatic Asylum, at Newburg, Ohio, was burning on the 25th.

A bloody fight occurred at Hunterdon, N. J., last Saturday night between 150 blacks and over 300 whites at work on a tunnel, resulting in the death of one white and three blacks. The whites were the assailants.

General Wm. Harrow died at Evansville, Ind., on the 27th ult., from the effect of a railroad accident.

A railroad accident near Washville, Tenn., the other day, killed one man and wounded others.

A telegram says the weather through out the west for the past week has been very cool, with frost in various places.

At a house of ill-fame near Fulton, Ill., J. O'Neal stabbed Hiram Rexford repeatedly with a dirk, and finally chopped his head off with an ax.

The *Oregonian* tells of Mr. S. F. Kerns, of East Portland, being some fifteen miles from Portland the other day, and seeing what he supposed to be a deer, fired at it, and was astounded to discover by the roaring that he had wounded a California lion. Loading his gun and approaching, his surprise was changed into horror on beholding six others of the same species running towards the place. He made good time in getting away from there.

D. P. Wallace, master of the Chebells, says that salmon are remarkably numerous between Arcata and Oakland. They were jumping up and showing their finny backs all around the boat on her way. Only one solitary individual was employed in catching them. He had a wheel that turned by a crank by which he drew the fish into the boat.

The Gazette announces that Lord Hatherly has resigned the Chancellorship of England.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The English Court has gone into mourning on the death of the King of Sweden.

Princess Hohenlohe, sister of Queen Victoria, is dead.

It is said that the German Government, at the next session of the Prussian Reichstag, intends to provide means for meeting the scruples, reservations and encroachments of the Church.

Danish authorities have prohibited the importation of English cattle on account of rinderpest.

M. Thiers is writing a work on the history of philosophy, and has already made considerable progress.

So extensively is the adulteration of tea now carried on in China that Mr. Medhurst, the British Consul at Shanghai, wrote that 53,000 pounds of willow leaves were in course of manipulation at one port alone, to be mixed with tea for shipment, at the rate of from 10 to 20 per cent.

Mr. Lowe, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a speech at Glasgow, Eng., on the 29th ult., severely condemned Sir Alexander Coekburn for not signing the award of damages in the *Albatross* claims, and for publishing an argument which opens up the question and reviews the ill-feeling.

The rinderpest has appeared among the cattle in Lincolnshire, Eng.

The Brazilian Minister of Agriculture is dead. Senor Barretti is his successor.

The Government candidates have been elected to Congress throughout Brazil.

The Chambers of Commerce in several of the leading cities of England have adopted resolutions congratulating the Government on the happy termination of the arbitration, and copies of the resolutions have been forwarded to the United States.

The Republicans of Alsace have nominated Victor Hugo for the French Assembly.

Lord Chancellor Atherly, of Eug., has resigned.

A meeting of railway servants was held at Hyde Park, London, on the 29th ult., to adopt measures for furthering the movement for the emigration of large numbers of this class to Canada and the United States.

The French Government paid to Germany on the 23rd inst. 57,000,000 francs, completing the fifth half milliard of the war indemnity.

The Russian Minister to France has told Thiers that the Czar would not have gone to any meeting, the object of which was hostility to France.

The Paris *Figaro* says Dejmél Pasha, Turkish Ambassador to the French Government, died on the railway train while going from Paris to Littleburg, Austria.

Charles Sumner arrived in Paris on the 24th inst.

Gen. Manteuffel, Commander of the German troops now in France, and the French authorities, have agreed on the evacuation of the departments of Marne and Haute Marne, to commence October 15th.

Rev. Dr. Smith, editor of the *Standard*, the Baptist organ published at Chicago, gets a yearly salary of \$8,000; Rev. Dr. Patten, editor of the *Advance*, Chicago, the organ of the Congregationalists, gets \$7,000, and Rev. Arthur Swasey, editor of the *Interior*, Chicago, the organ of the Presbyterians, gets \$5,000. The secular press is not so generous toward its workers.

A reactionary movement has occurred in Japan, which Mori, the Japanese Minister, says is an effort of older men in public life to counteract the progressive movement of the young men, who have obtained control of affairs.

The French were leaving in crowds from Alsace and Lorraine to France, during the four days terminating on the 1st inst. The time to choose between German and French citizenship had then expired.

"What can be more harrowing to your soul than the thought of wasted opportunities?" asked a teacher of a bright boy. "A peg in my boot harrows my sole more'n anything else," replied the bright boy.

Lincoln was once talking to Montgomery Blair during the war, when he burst out, "I say, Blair, what can we do with that fault-finding, miserable Greeley and his paper? Why, he does more damage than twenty good generals can undo."

Andy Johnson is again wrestling with the Constitution. In a recent speech he requested his hearers: "In the event I should perish and fall, all I ask is that you will lay my bones among you, wrapped in my country's flag, with her Constitution."

The Straight Democrats of New York city elected delegates to the State Convention on the 1st inst.

Music is the food of love—beef and mutton that of matrimony.