

ADVOCATE & TIMES.

RAHWAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1878.

CHARTER ELECTION

Tuesday April 9th.

POLLING OPEN 7 A. M. TO 7 P. M.

1st Ward, Station Hotel.

2d Ward, Halpau Hotel.

3d Ward, Chamberlin's Hall.

4th Ward, Crowell's Hotel.

Republican City Ticket.

For Mayor,

For Water Commissioner,

For School Commissioner,

For District Assessor,

For Constable,

For Councilman,

For Judge of Election,

For Inspector of Election,

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THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For the several wards and the City Ticket, except Mayor, is at the head of our columns. Never has the party put forth a better set of names for the various offices, and men who in their general course have made themselves interested in the good of the city. No man of the calibre for Council has been nominated in this business and official positions given evidence of energy, activity, and enterprise and not one of them will be more sticks to the end and vote as an ass. The winks of the leaders may dictate.

All of them are property holders, with a single exception, and are directly interested in a reduction of expenses. No one of them has ever been in favor of an extravagant expenditure of means beyond receipts and we think all the taxpayers may rest assured the interest of the city will be safe in their hands.

The new physicians never are found of their own medicine and this dose may be taken or not as the Democrat but he mixed it and must swallow it. We knew the Democratic Reform party wiped out all on the old state and started on a new deal. Give us "more copy."

Consistency was at one time thought to be a jewel and one of rare value, therefore highly prized. No one is apt to look for jewels in a swine's snout, therefore the Democrats would be guilty of possessing anything of the kind, nor have the people been disappointed in not finding it there. Three years ago this party, after many promises of reform, economy and retrenchment, obtained complete control of city affairs. No one expected they could or would be able to complete a revolution in municipal matters in a single year, and no one but themselves was foolish enough to think so. They did so think or else they willfully and grossly deceived themselves and the people. It is hardly necessary for us to recapitulate all the follies and blunders of the first year of their city rule, but a time came when they attempted to convert public opinion to their side. Public meetings were held and denunciations of public men and others in private life were bandied from the platform by shysters employed for the purpose and under pay of the city. Falsehood after falsehood was uttered, truth was half told and calculated to mislead and deceive was the stock in trade of these men. At one of these, a number of names were suggested to the Mayor as suitable ones from which to select a City Treasurer. Acting on this suggestion after having had his nominations objected to previously, the Mayor selected one of the names as candidate for Treasurer and two of the others as members of the Board of Finance. It was a bitter pill for the Council but they swallowed it. Now just here comes in the consistency of these yelpers for economy, reform and all that. Every man knows that by the hardest of efforts the city finances have been main- tained and that those who have been most anxious, apparently to have it sustained. This has been their outward and open conduct. But what have they done in secret. It is not unknown that Councilman Pratt has addressed letters to money lenders in the city, or known that the Finance Board, after every money making, were negotiating loans and re- presented that the City Bonds were not worth the paper they were printed on. Councilman Freeman and his have left no stone unturned during the last six months to get the city credit and have resorted to all sorts of devices to prevent the Board from making successful negotia- tions of loans or sales of Bonds. These are facts, well known and susceptible of proof. If these men and others behead them not officials but leaders in the reform ring call this course of conduct. In conformity with their official position, we do not know what construction one might put upon it. Anything to ruin the city in order that they might be kept in power has been the line of their action. The people do not want any more such.

Still More "Copy."

The Advocate's labor in about a column of editorial last week in an endeavor to show that Democratic economy has been belittled during the past three years of Republican rule. Anything to ruin the city in order that they might be kept in power has been the line of their action. The people do not want any more such.

Now what portion of the tax levies of the last three years has been used "to pay the old debt contracted by the Republicans." It would do nothing, you may attempt to falsify the record and to flatter yourself that the people are ignorant, and have forgotten all these things, but they have not. Now once more we propose to put your truthfulness to the test. You say "There is not a person of intelligence in the city that does not know that the current expenses have been reduced about one-half under Democratic rule."

Now specify, any throwing dust in people's eyes. Some plain spoken people would call this style of argument lying but we are not one of that kind you know, we only ask you to specify and give us dates and figures. Come now, you have made the assertion, give us the proof. You know these things and must have been one of those persons of intel- ligence. But, we will wager an old hat you cannot figure 10 per cent of reduction in current expenses, originated and carried out by the reform Democrats. Publish the figures.

When a South Sea Islander wants to show his religious zeal, grabs a knife jumps in and kills a missionary or two. When a Democratic Congress is suddenly attacked with a frenzy of reform, it seizes the printing office of economy, misuses a few hundred overworked clerks, and presto the country is saved.

A nice cottage property on Williams street, near the depot, for rent, cheap. B. Wells, Agent.

When a religious society quarrels and splits, it stands to reason that the devil gets one of the divisions.

State Items.

Synth & Pennington, the editors of the Patriot suspended Friday, with liabilities estimated at \$12,000.

The Patriot Press appears in a new dress and slightly enlarged. It is one of the best papers in the State.

The clock purchased by the city of Paterson is to be placed in a tower, to be erected on school house No. 6.

The Monmouth Park race course will be sold at Freehold, April 5th. The New York Jockey Club talk of buying it.

Long grass is growing in the Cape May oyster beds, and it is feared they will be injured thereby.

Miss Lizzy Hoffman, of Cape May, was badly burned on Monday evening by the explosion of a coal oil lamp.

A tree containing seven wild skunks was killed in Cape May county, a few days ago. The "killer" was "skunked."

The chapel of Dr. Booth's church at Englewood, is nearly completed, and is a most imposing edifice near the main building.

The loss by the fire at the Central Railroad pump house in Bayonne reaches \$1,000 on machinery alone. The fire broke out during the absence of the engineer.

Ground was broken Monday for the new convent of the Sisters of St. Dominic, in First avenue, Jersey City. The building will be 100 feet square and cost \$10,000.

James Madden, sentenced to one month in the Hudson County Jail for drunkenness, was found dead in his cell Monday morning. His death was caused by heart disease.

The U. S. District Court at Trenton has received \$2,000 from the Albany General and will continue appropriations until this is exhausted.

High Clerk of No. 253 Washington st. Jersey City, fell between the bumper of two cars in the Pennsylvania Railroad yard, Friday, and was fatally injured.

Quarrying stone is one of the Winter occupations of some of the Manassas farmers, from which they secure an excellent quality for their own and neighbors' use.

A new sect of religious people, calling themselves "Bibleites" are holding parades each week in Sparta township, Sussex county.

Agnes McCobb, an inmate of the Hudson County Almshouse, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, on Wednesday, for attacking and threatening to kill Warden Warren.

Henry Oakley, a Hoboken boy only seven years of age, was arrested on Wednesday on a charge of stabbing a playmate named Baker. Witnesses claim that the stabbing was accidental.

The wheat crop in Salem county is so advanced that the farmers are beginning to fear it will produce more straw than grain at harvest. In many of the fields the wheat is six inches high.

On Friday night John Bennett, of Carpenter's Point, jumped from a train in order to save a walk home, and was found shortly afterward lying upon the rails inseparable, and with his head badly cut.

In cleaning up the ground of the Pimlico Grove Camp Meeting Association, one day last week, the Superintendent found thirteen pocketbooks. All were empty but one, and that contained but twenty-five cents.

A wild African buffalo belonging to a menagerie escaped in Hoboken, Friday, and created great excitement in the streets. He was finally lassoed and brought back to confinement.

Attorney General Dyson, Friday, telegraphed Judge Nixon and McKim to the amount needed to run the United States Court at Trenton; the sum of \$6,000 was asked for, and the Government sent \$3,000.

The annual meeting of the New Jersey Officers' Association will be held at the Trenton House, on April 9th, at 12 M., with dinner at 2 P. M. Gen. Hancock and other prominent military men will be present.

The office furniture and two pieces of property owned by the Merchants' Loan and Trust Company, Paterson, were sold at public sale Monday by order of Chancellor Runyon, and realized only \$160.

The man who was trampled by a horse at the Pennsylvania Railroad freight depot, Jersey City, on Friday morning, died at the Charity Hospital Monday. His name has not yet been ascertained.

On Sunday night the residence of Mr. John R. Watson in Perth Amboy, opposite Webb's Point, was entirely destroyed by fire, with its contents. The building was valued at \$5,000; covered by insurance.

One day last week a little three year old son of Mrs. Garretson, of Bound Brook, got hold of some matches, and before it was discovered had eaten a portion of the friction therefrom, which caused his death the next day.

Mary Bauman, a girl thirteen years of age, residing at Hoboken, was crushed between two cars on Wednesday while gathering coal on the track of the Westchester and Erie Railroad. Her injuries were fatal.

Chancellor Runyon has directed Vin. M. Johnson, master in chancery, to sell the Hackensack and New York Railroad, to satisfy the \$100,000 mortgage held by Garrett Jackson, Jr., and C. L. Blauvelt, as Trustees.

An unknown man was thrown from a horse, Friday, and trampled upon until he became insensible, at the Pennsylvania Railroad freight depot, Jersey City. He was taken to the hospital in a dangerous condition.

Testimony is being taken in Hackensack before commissioners to decide upon the value of the depot ground of the New Jersey Midland Railway Company at that place. The owners demand \$24,000, the company offering only \$10,000.

Mr. Beatty, the organ and piano builder of Washington, has put up a telephone office at his factory with the telephone office at the Washington depot and thus keeps him- self in almost instant communication with the outside world.

General Items.

Lady Dufferin is styled "the little queen" by the admiring Canadians.

A Massachusetts woman reports that she has been badly poisoned by the coloring matter in a calico dress.

A woman in St. Louis had her nose broken last week by the explosion of a toy steam engine, with which her children were playing.

The list of grave Senators, says the Cleveland Herald, who were accused of having been inebriated at the all-night session on the Silver bill now numbers sixteen.

The use of the postal card in the United States is still increasing. The orders for the last quarter amounted to fifty-three millions, at the rate of 212 millions a year.

It has just been found that a man who was convicted in 1874 of horse-stealing, and sentenced to the Illinois Penitentiary, was guilty of the crime, and he has been pardoned.

Mr. C. E. Potter is a young colored man living in Hartford, who is credited with remarkable natural ability for painting and a good art education. His studio is full of sketches.

Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., now has three hundred students, all the Southern and five of the Northern States being represented. Many of these teach during part of each year.

The Germans teach the purity of milk by dipping a well polished knitting needle into the fluid. If the milk is pure some of it will adhere to the needle, but if water has been added it will not.

The religious observance of Sunday practically ends at noon in San Francisco. In the afternoon the law permits all public amusements, and race-courses, theaters and other resorts are open.

A mouse placed in a box with three rats, snakes at Anna, Ill., killed one of the snakes, while the two remaining ones showed the greatest fear of the little beast, watching every move it made.

The only wreath laid upon Victor Emanuel's coffin when it was walked up to the Tribune of the Pantheon at Rome was that sent by Queen Victoria. The others were hung around the walls of the chamber.

In the western part of North Carolina there are one thousand Cherokee Indians and half breeds. To a considerable extent they live by hunting game, such as deer, turkeys and bears, and pass much of their time fishing.

The Russians punish all Poles even surgeons in hospitals, whom they find to be Turkish in service, and the fate of those who are now in the East, and have not the money or other means for escape, is deplorable enough.

Colonel Darksdale, of the Jackson (Miss.) Cavalry (Den.), gave dinner to the members of the State Legislature recently, at which half a dozen negroes were seated, among the whites without any attempt at discrimination.

There are 125 species of grass known to be native in Maine, and it is thought a survey would discover half as many more. Fifty kinds have a high agricultural value. The grass crop of the State is said to be worth \$42,000,000 annually.

Two hundred perch, averaging an inch and a quarter in length, were taken from the stomach of a lion sent to G. H. Wythe, of Rockville, Conn., to be mounted. There were at least two hundred more broken in pieces in the stomach and gutlet.

More than thirty million feet of spruce logs have been contracted for in Vermont to be delivered during the Spring in the city of New York. About noon on Friday he arrived in New York, and the logs were taken to the city wharves.

The convict chief at Auburn prison is a remarkable natural organization. The organ is sentenced for grand larceny, the first of which he was convicted of in 1854, and the second, for murder, in 1858.

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Lynchings in Virginia.

Littleton, Va., had been the scene of a peculiar crime and its repetition recently. Two brothers by the name of Wallace were arrested some time ago for the murder of the wife of one of them. Her infant and a Miss Church. They were tried and convicted in spite of their assertions of innocence. George Wallace, one of the brothers, after the conviction declared that his brother John was alone guilty of the crime, and at the fatal day approached the grew wild in his protestations. All Thursday afternoon and night George kept calling upon John to confess, roaring like a maniac. John refused to confess, saying that he knew that they would hang him anyway. About noon on Friday he was hanged, and the other brother, who was hanged on the same day, was also hanged. The Wallace family were all hanged, and the professor is a forger.

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