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Representation in the Republican Convention.

Looking to the general interests of the Republican party the INTELLIGENCER has favored a change in the basis of representation in the Republican National Convention. Voting strength in the National Convention should bear some relation to voting strength at the polls. States in which, from whatever cause, the Republican vote is small and whose electoral vote is almost certain to go to the nominees of another party, should be willing to accept representation with some regard to these local conditions.

Owing to the disorganized state of the Republican party in the South delegates from that section are more easily "set up" than elsewhere and less likely to come to the convention representing the sentiments of constituencies. A candidate having the active support of an administrailon disposed to use its power in his behalf might without great difficulty enter the convention with an almost solid South bound to him by the strong tie of patronage.

It has already been shown, for example, that under the present apportionment the four Southern States of Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Georgia, which polled 183,000 votes for Garfield, will have in convention eighty-four delegates; while the six States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusettes, Rhode Island and Connecticut, polling 414,000 Garfield votes, will have but seventy-six votes. Of the four Southern States named not one will give a Republican electoral vote. Of the six Northern States named all went Republican in 1880, and will probably be, five will certainly be, Republican in 1884. Much more of the same kind might be shown.

Under the present system we might have a ticket made by States from which we would not get a single electoral vote. This is manifestly unfair, impolitic and not conducive to the welfare of the party. It is a condition which might at a time of high feeling split a Republican convention and, worst of all, split it on a sectional line. It is a condition almost as dangerous as it is unwise.

Discussing this question a year ago the INTELLIGENCER, in reply to some plausible objections, took the broad ground that the convention ought as nearly as possible to represent the Republican party as it is and not attempt to represent the Republican party as it ought to be—the practical against the sentimental. There ought to be a powerful Republican party in the South, but there is not and it will not come through the mere fact of a formidable and menacing representation in the convention. The proof that it will not come in this way is to be found in the notable fact that in all these years of equal representation in convention it has not come—in fact the Republican party in the South has been decaying. There are two or three Southern States in which there is a little blue sky, but it isn't big enough "to make a Dutchman a pair of breeches."

It is urged against the proposed departure that it would discourage Southern Republicans. The discouragement would hardly go beyond those patriots who are anxious to go to the national convention in the hope that it may give them a short cut to Federal patronage. Those Southern Republicans who desire only Republican success, and who wish to make sure of it, will readily acquiesce in any plan to strengthen the party at the outset of the campaign. It might happen that West Virginia Republicans would have less voice in the convention, but that would be small matter if the general interests of the party were advanced. In the Electoral College West Virginia Republicans have not been having any voice at all. If representation in the convention be apportioned with regard to the Republican vote, Republicans in every State will have an incentive to increase their vote. Then increased representation will come as the reward of merit.

A matter of so much importance ought to be discussed and determined without reference to candidates; but the fact that the proposition now comes before the national committee from Senator Frye, a friend of Mr. Blaine, has at once aroused the opposition of some of the friends of other possible candidates.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

Mr. Carl Schurz is writing a biography of Henry Clay.

The Chief of Police of Grand Rapids, Mich., refuses to allow the Salvation Army to parade the streets.

A dram shop is said to be a place where a poor man spends what he cannot spare, and gets what he does not need.

An Englishman named France is having a ship built in Germany. This reminds one of the fact that green blackberries are red.

The Paris *Figaro* is to have a grand Christmas number printed in London. There the expense will be one-third of what it would be in Paris.

Recently, at a wake in Ireland, the floor gave way and mourners and corpse were mingled in a badly damaged mass at the bottom of a well below the cellar.

The gold mines recently discovered in Idaho Territory are reported to be very rich, and it is believed there will be fifty thousand miners in the region by next spring.

Sweden has twelve normal schools,—seven for young men, and five for lady students. The number of students is 1457,—905 men, and 552 ladies. The institutions are not capable of receiving all who wish to attend.

A singular phenomenon is reported from Magdeburg, Prussia. In the corner of the yard of a house on Broadway, the asphalt pavement was lifted several inches by a vigorous growth of edible mushrooms that had sprouted in spite of want of air and light.

Twelve years ago Birmingham, Ala., did not exist even as a village. The present site of the city was an old worn out plantation with a surrounding mountain wilderness. Not a dollar of capital was in the development of its vast storehouse of hidden treasures. Now all is changed. Over $20,000,000 capital is invested in the coal and iron district of which Birmingham is the centre. Its population—about 16,000—is increasing, and the city is growing rapidly.

State and Near-by Press.

The Tucker county *Pioneer* is six years old and is giving the people of that county a paper that merits their support.

The Grafton *Sentinel*, under the management of Mr. George Dunnington, is one of the best and liveliest State exchanges that come to this office.

The Buckhannon *Banner* has entered on its eighth volume. Editor McCreary has redeemed his promises and given his people a good home paper.

A. J. Lacy has retired from the Raleigh county *Index* and Mr. A. M. Prince has entire control of that spicy and interesting paper. The *Index* has always been well edited.

The Kanawha *Gazette* has come out in a new dress of bourgeoise trimmed with minion and nonpariel, and presents a very handsome appearance. The *Gazette* is a good paper, and its continued prosperity is noted with plessure.

The Oceana *Tidings*, recently started in the wilds of Wyoming county, has met with such success that it proposes to enlarge shortly and print its entire paper at home. The people of Wyoming should encourage the *Tidings*, that they may become known to the world.

The Randolph *Enterprise* wants McDonald for President, and no old, broken down political hack. It wants as a Democratic nominee a pure and honest man, without a whisper of taint against his private or public life. When S. J. T. hears of this he will probably go, lie down and die.

The Charleston *Leader* suggests Joseph C. Gist, of Brooke county, as a man to head the Anti-Bourbon ticket. He is one of the largest wool growers in the State, a gentleman of irreproachable character, and well posted in State affairs. He measures up to the old standard, "he is honest and capable."

The Morgantown *New Dominion* continues striking sledge hammer blows in favor of a railroad in Monongalia county. This in face of the decided opposition to a railroad that has been shown in that county entitles the *Dominion* to more than ordinary commendations for its efforts to unite the county with the rest of the world.

The Marshall *Herald* since it became a Republican paper under the able management of Mr. J. E. Hart, has shown much improvement in its general make up. Mr. Hart has worked in the West Virginia journalistic field before, and has a number of friends glad to welcome him back and wish him success in his present venture.

The St. Clairsville *Gazette* defines it position on the U. S. Senatorial question in this manner: Again we say: for the United States Senator, Hon. George H. Pendleton. And we rise to remark: for the present let Mr. Henry B. Payne look after the interests of the Standard Oil Company, and Hon. George W. Geddes continue to serve the Democracy as member of Congress from the Mansfield district.

The Marietta *Register* has entered on its eighty-second year and celebrates the event by changing from a weekly to a semi-weekly. It has always been a most excellent and reliable paper and few perhaps enjoy a better patronage. It has been a recognized force in the politics and social life of Washington county for years. The semi-weekly will not be quite as large as the weekly and will be furnished at the same price as the weekly. It will undoubtedly be a success.

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OPINION of Eminent Dr. R. S. Steuart, President of Maryland Hospital, Baltimore: "* * * I have used Colden's Liquid Beef Tonic for more than a year. It combines the virtues of food and tonic remarkably, and, I am satisfied, has saved life when any other medicine would fail." (Remember the name, Colden's—take no other.) MWF&W

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TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

Trains arrive and depart as follows—City time.

Baltimore & Ohio—MAIN LINE—DEPART—1:40 a m, 8:35 a m, 2:35 p m, 5:05 p m, 7:05 a m. C. O. Div.—8:35 a m, 9:15 a m, 5:05 p m, 11:10 p m. W. & P. Div.—DEPART—For Pittsburgh, 6:20 a m, 3:05 p m; for Washington, Pa., 6:20 and 9:05 a m, 3:05 and 5:45 p m; for Elm Grove 1:50 p m. ARRIVE—Main Line—12:15 a m, 10:20 a m, 3:15 p m, 8:10 a m, 4:15 p m. C. O. Div.—6:10 p m, 9:50 a m, 2:55 a m. W. & P. Div.—ARRIVE—From Pittsburgh, 9:50 a m, and 6:30 p m; from Washington, Pa., 8:00 and 9:50 a m; 1:15 and 6:30 p m; from Elm Grove, 4:40 p m.

P., C. & ST. L.—DEPART—6:27 a m, 9:02 a m, 1:22 p m, 4:47 p m. ARRIVE—8:37 a m, 11:12 a m, 3:37 p m, 7:07 p m.

Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling.—DEPART Bridgeport and St. Clairsville Accommodation, 9:29 a m and 5:24 p m; Cleveland, 12:09 noon; Massillon, 4:17 p m. ARRIVE—8:45 a m, 10:29 a m, 2:54 p m, 5:02 p m.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh—DEPART—6:07 a m, 11:41 a m, 4:16 p m; Steubenville Accommodation 9:28 a m, Wellsville Accommodation 5:03 p m. ARRIVE—12:18 a m, 8:03 p m, 8:45 p m; Steubenville Accommodation 3:33 p m, Wellsville Accommodation 8:45 a m.

B. Z. & C. Railway—LEAVE Bellaire for Woodsfield and Summerfield at 6:00 a m. and 2:10 p m. ARRIVE at Bellaire at 9:15 a. m. and 5:55 p. m.

WHEELING & ELM GROVE R. R.

On and after Thursday, December 13, 1883, cars will run as follows:

Leave the city, corner Market & Eleventh sts. at		Leave Wheeling Park at	
*6:40 A. M.	2:40 P. M.	*6:30 A. M.	2:30 P. M.
8:00 "	4:00 "	7:50 "	3:50 "
9:20 "	5:20 "	9:10 "	5:10 "
10:40 "	6:40 "	10:30 "	6:10 "
12:00 "	8:00 "	11:50 "	7:50 "
1:20 P. M.	9:20 "	1:10 P. M.	9:10 "

*Sundays excepted.

J. KLERN, Superintendent.

"Agin" Carrots.

American Agriculturist.

Connecticut has a stringent statue against suffering wild carrots to grow along the highways running through farms, and we hear with great satisfaction that some transgressors in this matter have been prosecuted this year, for tolerating the nuisance. What is the use of having laws against any nuisance unless they are enforced? The object of the law is to eradicate this pestilential weed, one of the worst the farmer has to contend with, and to protect the careful husbandman who keeps his own fields clear of the pest. He needs protection. His careless neighbor may put him to a large expense and damage his hay crop, and increase the cost of every hoed crop, simply by neglect. If he leaves the carrot to mature its seeds, the dried umbels are carried away by the winds, thus spreading the pest. The water along the roadside washes the seed through a culvert, mixed with road dust, into adjacent fields. The grass in the highway belongs to the adjacent land holder, and the law very properly holds him responsible for what he grows with his grass. The careless farmer may not freely damage his neighbor.

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DIED.

DUNNING—On Tuesday, December 11, 1883, at 12:45 o'clock, JOHN DUNNING, aged 42 years.

Funeral from his late residence, Thirty-third street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited.

GREER—On Tuesday, December 11, 1883, at 12:30 P. M., MRS. URSULA GREER, in the 74th year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Henry C. Greer, 48 North Huron street, Island, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Wood Cemetery.

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These remarks are rather general in their nature, but in dropping you these few gentle hints on the subject of Christmas, we know (excuse the modesty?) that your mind will naturally turn to our establishment in your desire to procure suitable gifts for your "dear, five hundred friends." We have only time and space (both valuable in a newspaper) to give you the pleasing information that our Christmas "Drummer" will present his handsome card to all who wish to see a neat specimen of a Holiday Catalogue, giving some of our prices and styles. It is a little late getting around but hopes to be in time to save some worry and much money.

In short, we are ready to see you and have you see us. We are in good working condition and will "make it pleasant for you." Can't you reciprocate?

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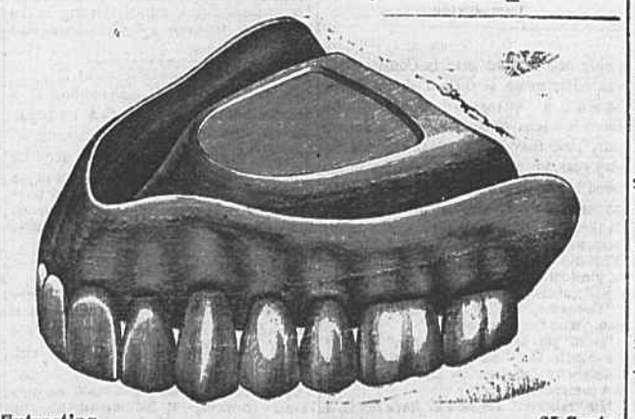

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