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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 1892.

It may be hot next Tuesday evening but there'll be good ventilation, comfortable seats, and plenty of room to laugh at the wit of Mr. Ambrose.

Clerical coats in Alpaca etc., at Lowenberg's.

AFFAIRS AT TITUSVILLE.

EIGHT HUNDRED PERSONS RECEIVING RELIEF DAILY FROM THE COMMITTEE.

TITUSVILLE, June 13.—The temporary bridge over Oil Creek was finished today and admits of communication with the South Side. The Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad has commenced to run on schedule time again and its freight office will be rebuilt. Oil Creek has forced itself into an entirely new channel and to remove sand bars and replace the water to their old bed is a great problem. Eight hundred persons are receiving relief daily from the committee and the need of funds is very urgent and is applied to relieve immediate necessities.

Professional Way of Carrying Money.

A Western man says that men have various ways of carrying money. Butchers, grocers and bakers carry it in a big crumpled wad. Bankers carry it in nice clean bills, laid at full length in a morocco pocketbook. No banker ever folds a bill. Brokers always fold their bills twice. The young business man carries his money in his vest pocket, while the sporting man carries it in his trousers pocket.

Farmers and drovers carry their money in their inside vest pocket, and whenever you see a man carry a lot of loose change in his overcoat, you may know that he has at some time been a car conductor or a curbstone merchant. Newspaper men carry their money in some good bank; and poets—well poets don't trouble themselves about such a trivial thing as money.

THE COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.

AN APPEAL TO THE WOMEN OF THIS CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Board of World's Fair Managers of Pennsylvania desire to have a full representation of the Industries and Interests of the Women of Pennsylvania at the Columbian Exposition of 1893.

They urge upon the Women of Columbia County the desirability of entering the general competitive exhibit of the exposition, and to further this end publish the following suggestions:

- To SECURE EXHIBITION.
- Copies of all newspapers now or heretofore edited by Pennsylvania women.
- Copies of all books written by Pennsylvania women.
- A list of all inventions made by Pennsylvania women, and, whenever possible, models thereof, not exceeding 12 inches in any one dimension.
- Scientific collections made by Pennsylvania women.
- Indian and Colonial relics owned by residents of Pennsylvania.
- Statistical and graphic representation of the educational and charitable work of women of the state.
- Noticeably fine examples of the product of women's work in every line, domestic, artistic, professional and industrial.
- To furnish carefully tested recipes for the proper cooking in as many ways as possible of Pennsylvania food.
- To encourage the accumulation of personal savings for defraying the expenses of a prolonged stay at the Exhibition.
- The State Committee also informs the Auxiliary Committees that freight and insurance will be paid to and from Chicago for exhibits included under the head of Art or Reform schools, Clubs or Associations.

The World's Columbian Exposition opens on the first day of May 1893, and closes on the 31st day of October 1893.

All goods must be delivered on the grounds on or before April 10th, 1893.

The space for exhibits will be assigned by the Committee at Chicago in the month of July 1892. It is therefore important that applications shall be filed with the County Committee at the earliest date prior to the fifteenth of July.

Blank application forms can be secured from any member of the County Committee.

Mrs. C. H. ZENNER, Secretary.

Fire consumed the entire property of Mr. Price who became very despondent and was thinking of suicide as his only relief, when his good wife presented him with an insurance policy procured through the old and reliable agency of M. P. Lutz & Son, who are always ready to insure you against lightning, fire or cyclone at lowest possible rates, and thus prepare for the unexpected.

Moral, Insure with M. P. Lutz & Son, Moyer's Block, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Pretty straws for children at Lowenberg's.

Gold Mines.

WHERE THE PRECIOUS METAL WAS FIRST FOUND IN CALIFORNIA.

From the San Francisco Chronicle. The history of the discovery of gold in 1848 in California has been so frequently told and the facts are so well established that there is nothing of interest to be added to the well-known and familiar account of the Coloma mill, the finding of the particles of gold in the tail-race, and the subsequent operations of General Sutter, Marshall and the others who were present or were at once apprised of the discovery. The story has been told a thousand times and is familiar to the world over.

It is not so well known, however, that while Marshall's discovery was unquestionably the one that produced the most wonderful migration and subsequent development of an unknown region that the world has ever seen, he is by no means entitled to the honor of having been the first person to find the precious metal in California.

Nothing can be more assured than the fact that from almost the first exploration of the Pacific coast by the hardy navigators of the sixteenth century the idea in some way gained a foothold that gold existed here in abundance. Sir Francis Drake, who visited this region in 1579, asserts it, and so do other writers who have other sources of information. The Spanish conquerors of Mexico were persuaded of the existence of rich gold deposits in a country far to the northwest, corresponding exactly with the location of our State, but were unable to verify their belief, though sending out frequent expeditions to do so.

That the founders of the missions knew of the existence of gold here there is good ground for believing, as well as for believing that they profited by that knowledge.

In 1775 gold was discovered near the Colorado river, in the vicinity of Yuma, by Mexicans, and half a century later deposits were found near San Ysidro, in San Diego county. In 1833 places which are still being successfully worked were found in the mountains to the northwest of Los Angeles, and from them were taken considerable quantities of the precious metal. Some of the product of these mines found its way from the Atlantic seaboard long before Marshall was ever heard of, and the knowledge of the existence of gold on the Pacific coast was quite general even then. This fact was known to the Mexican authorities as early as 1844, as shown by documents found in the archives of that government. In one communication, dated September 1, 1844, it was said that fully 2,000 ounces of gold dust, taken from the placers of the Santa Clara, were in circulation at one time in Los Angeles, and in the same letter the existence of silver mines is also mentioned, though their exact location is not given.

In March, 1846, nearly two years before the discovery at Coloma, Thomas Larkin, Consul at Monterey wrote to his superiors that he had no doubt that mines of gold, quicksilver, copper, etc., would be found all over California. Five years before that J. D. Dana, who accompanied the Wilkes expedition and made an overland trip from Oregon to San Francisco, reported that he found indications of the existence of gold in Southern Oregon and in the Sacramento Valley. Many other facts might be cited, all tending to establish the certainty that the discovery of Marshall was no discovery at all in the real sense of the word, though, by a fortuitous combination of circumstances, his lucky (or rather unlucky for himself) find set the world in a blaze of excitement.

Not only were the people of every civilized land carried away by the tales of great fortunes to be made in a day, but the financial and monetary world was appalled and shaken to the base by California's extraordinary output of the precious metal. Europe became alarmed. A plethora of the noble metal was feared, and for a time the idea was strongly entertained of demonetizing gold.

DARING TRAIN ROBBERY FRUSTRATED BY OFFICERS.

THE CARS HAD ON BOARD \$186,000.

CONNELLSVILLE, June 13.—Train robbers were foiled last night in an attempt to hold up the New York, Washington and Philadelphia Express on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad between Layton station and Conneltsville. The mail and express cars had on board \$186,000.

The suspicions of the railroad officials were aroused several days ago by information which they received in some way. They got word that plans were laid to rob the express on Sunday night somewhere east of Layton, the plans were to flag or wreck the train and then plunder the mail and express cars containing the money.

A telegram was sent to Robert Shepard, the Baltimore and Ohio detective here, last night. About eight o'clock he went to Uniontown and got Sheriff McCormick and a posse of men who were taken to Layton on a special train. They boarded the express there and part of the officers went on through to Cumberland. The arrival of the sheriff's posse scared the robbers off and probably saved many lives. Although admitting that they expected an attempt at robbery, the railroad officials refused to give any information. Superintendent Holsbrook was on board the train.

It was learned to night that the Cooley gang planned the robbery. Sheriff McCormick and posse are now trying to capture the famous gang before they get back to their mountain haunts.

A nobby line of summer shirts at Lowenberg's.

They poulticed her feet and poulticed her head, And blistered her back till 'twas smarting and red,

Tired tonic, elixirs, pain-killer and salves, (Though grandma declared it was nothing but "narves.")

The poor woman thought she must certainly die.

Till "Favorite prescription" she happened to try.

No wonder its praises so loudly they speak;

She grew better at once, and was well in a week.

The torturing pains and distressing nervousness which accompany, at times certain forms of female weakness, yield like magic to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and adapted to delicate organization of woman. It allays and subdues the nervous symptoms and relieves the pain accompanying functional and organic troubles. Guarantee printed on bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

Summer coat for comfort at Lowenberg's.

Under River and City.

A TUNNEL TO BE BUILT FROM LONG ISLAND TO NEW JERSEY.

The statements made by Austin Corbin in New York the other evening about a tunnel from New Jersey to Long Island caused considerable speculation in railroad circles. Mr. Corbin, who is President of the Long Island Railroad, said:

"I have just signed an agreement with the Pennsylvania Railroad by which Long Island and New Jersey will be united by a tunnel for our mutual advantage and for New York as well. Our plan is to go down at some point to be fixed by the Pennsylvania people, and reach the bedrock and then come across, passing under the city of New York and continuing on to Brooklyn. It has not been determined whether the route shall have a single exit to the surface in New York city or more than one. If one is determined on it will emerge near the Battery, so that passengers may take the elevated roads up either side of the city. If the engineers fix on a more northerly line, it will cross New York at Cortlandt, or perhaps at Chambers street, and then there will be outlets to the west and east sides, so that passengers may take either line of rapid transit trains.

"Electricity will be the motive power. We can make the run in nine minutes, and that without regard to weather or any thing else. Not only will it enable travelers by the Pennsylvania and Long Island Railroad to come right into the heart of the city, but the road ends night and morning will play a large part in relieving the jam and terrible congestion of passenger traffic seen at the Brooklyn Bridge and at the ferries over the East and North rivers."

BRISTOL H.

is a young stallion, two years old, owned by C. E. Hower of Bloomsburg. He was sired by the celebrated trotter, Frank M., some of whose colts have made great records. His dam is a Morgan mare with three minute record. Bristol H. will stand for the season of 1892 at the stable of C. E. Hower, Bloomsburg. Terms \$25.00.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, June 13, 1892.

The democratic smile is a very broad one these days as it has every reason to be. Democratic prospects were never brighter, and nothing but the making of a gigantic mistake by the Chicago convention, and there exists no reason for anticipating anything of that sort, can prevent the democrats naming the next President of the United States. The Minneapolis convention could not possibly have done more to please the democrats than it did do.

It made the infamous force bill a part of its platform; it nominated the champion of that measure for President, and, as if the democratic cup of joy were not already overflowing, it nominated Whitelaw Reid for Vice President. Mr. Harrison is acknowledged to be weak in States which the Republicans must carry to win; but Whitelaw Reid is weak everywhere. He has for many years made war in his paper, the New York Tribune on all organized labor, and particularly upon the typographical Union, a fact which will not be forgotten because he for the purpose of getting himself on the ticket, allowed the Union printers to take charge of his office until after the election. The files of his paper will furnish reason enough to prevent any friend of organized labor casting a vote for the ticket which carries his name.

Mr. Reid has another element of weakness that will neither be lost sight of nor forgiven by the old stalwart element in the republican party. Some of the most bitter attacks ever made upon Grant were written by Reid during the Greeley campaign when he was supporting the democratic national ticket. The Grant men never forgive those who attacked their idol, as one James G. Blaine could testify to, if so disposed, and it is certain that many thousands of them will refuse to vote the ticket of their party because Reid's name is on it. A weaker ticket than Harrison and Reid could not have been named.

The return of the republican bosses who went to Minneapolis to "dow" Harrison, was much quieter than their departure from Washington; but, notwithstanding professed intentions of support, they are still bent upon "dow"ing him, and this time they will succeed, as the contest will be before a tribunal that cannot be controlled by Federal office holders, and when that tribunal shall render its verdict against Harrison and Reid a joyful chorus of "I told you so's" will be heard from Quay, Platt, Clark and Co.

The presence at the Minneapolis convention of such a large number of office holders, has revived the idea of an amendment to the civil service reform law, prohibiting any Federal office holder becoming a delegate or alternate to any nominating convention. There is no question that such an amendment would be in the line of real reform, and many think that Senators and Representatives should also be included.

The investigation of the Census bureau will not probably proceed much further until after the Chicago convention, as Representative Fithian, chairman of the committee has gone to Chicago to remain until the convention concludes its work. He says he proposes making short work of the investigation when he returns.

The conference committee on the river and harbor bill held its first meeting today. Its members are confident of reaching an agreement and getting their report before the Senate and House this week.

It is understood that Mr. Harrison is almost as much pleased at having at last succeeded in getting rid of Mr. Blaine as he is at being renominated. He will take pains in filling the vacancy not to select a man larger than himself.

Representative Bryan, of Nebraska, whose speech on the tariff made such a wide and favorable impression last winter, is delighted. He says: "Harrison's nomination will be especially helpful to the democrats of the west, because he represents all that is stalwart in the republican party. The young men are drifting to the democracy, and there is nothing about Harrison to change the drift. He represents all that is high in protection and all that is bitter in partisanship. This, together with the fact that he is opposed to the west on the silver question, will make his nomination of special advantage to the democrats of that section."

The death of Col. L. L. Polk, President of the Farmers' Alliance, which occurred here on Saturday, upset the plans of the leaders of that organization to a very great extent, as he had been slated for a place on the ticket which it is proposed to nominate at Omaha on the 4th of next month.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never had such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. C. A. Kleim, druggist.



DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT
Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure.
Rheumatism,
Lumbago, pain in joints or back, brick dust in urine, frequent calls, irritation, inflammation, gravel, ulceration or catarrh of bladder.
Disordered Liver,
Impaired digestion, gout, biliousness, headache, neuralgia, nervousness, general debility, La Grippe, urinary trouble, bright's disease.
Impure Blood,
Scrofula, malaria, gen'l weakness or debility. Guarantee—Use contents of One Bottle, if not benefited, Druggist will refund to you the price paid. At Druggists, 50c. Size, \$1.00 Size. "Invalid's Guide to Health" free—Consultation free. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

Don't mind the weather next Tuesday evening, but hear Clement T. Ambrose on "The Sham Family" at the Normal.

Shickshinna, Not Shickshiny.

Capt. John M. Buckalew, of Jones-town, writes the editor asking why our people do not get back to first principles and change the last letter in Shickshiny to a, thus making its terminal correspond with other Indian names of the similar sound. Shickshinna is much prettier, we admit, and the change has not been made because the matter has never been agitated. Mrs. M. L. T. Hartman agrees with Capt. Buckalew that Shickshiny should end with a to be properly spelled and give the correct pronunciation. Shall we change? —Echo

Catarrh in New England.

Ely's Cream Balm gives satisfaction to every one using it for catarrhal troubles.—G. K. Mellor, Druggist, Worcester, Mass.

I believe Ely's Cream Balm is the best article for catarrh ever offered the public.—Bush and Co., Druggists, Worcester, Mass.

An article of real merit.—C. P. Alden, Druggist, Springfield, Mass. Those who use it speak highly of it.—Geo. A. Hill, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

Cream Balm has given satisfactory results.—W. P. Draper, Druggist, Springfield, Mass. 6-10-2t.

Clearing out Light Suits; a few left at Lowenberg's

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office June 28, 1892.

Mrs. Hannah Faux Mr. Harvey Miss. Jennie Hess Mrs. Jacob Musselman Mrs. William O'Neal Mr. Henry King-heiser Mr. H. Wells Miss. Lizzie Seybert.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised June 14, 1892. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART, P. M.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Fourth of July Excursions on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

In pursuance of the usual custom the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets for the Fourth of July holiday between all stations on its system east of Pittsburg and Erie, at a rate of two cents per mile.

These tickets, which open up a rare chance for holiday touring, will be sold on July 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, and will be valid for return until July 5th, 1892, inclusive.

Too Much of It.

Inhabitant of flooded town in Southwestern Illinois? "Yes sir, it's just about like this for the next hundred miles or so. Where are you bound?"

Disgusted stranger (with carpet bag.) "Springfield. I'm a delegate to the Prohibition convention, but I'm going back home. This is a little more water than I can stand. When does the next train leave?"

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale by C. A. Kleim.

"The Sham Family"—Clement T. Ambrose, of Chicago. The first entertainment in the Normal School's new audience room.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PURE OLD RYE AND WHEAT WHISKEY.

We formerly had bonded warehouse room sufficient to store 8,000 gallons of whiskey, which we considered a stock sufficient to meet our trade, but we found however, that we could not get our whiskey such that for us to be able to get a larger stock of old whiskey, we were compelled to increase our storage room and have just completed an ironed bonded warehouse with a capacity sufficient to store 30,000 gallons of whiskey.

We aim to sell no whiskey less than one year old and from that on up to the oldest we have in stock except in original packages, thereby giving our patrons the benefit of the age.

What we claim over a great many other distillers: First, Briarcreek being a rich fertile valley, we are able to get a superior quality of grain to manufacture our whiskey from.

Second: Having our flouring mill in connection with our distillery we clean all our grain for distillation over a rigid process of the miller, thereby making it as clean as the grain that is ground into flour.

Third: We hand mash, double distill our whiskey and then re-distill on a copper still, which new whiskey contains.

Fourth: We teach our whiskey well thereby getting out the full oil and all impurities, which new whiskey contains.

Fifth: We use no second-hand barrels, our whiskey is all put in new, clean, Indiana White Oak barrels which is considered the best barrel in the market.

Sixth: It is a known fact that the hotter whiskey is kept the faster it will age, therefore, we heat our bonded warehouse with steam, so the thermometer will register 70 degrees, when the temperature is at zero.

We have never distilled any corn, and do hereby guarantee all our whiskey positively pure rye, wheat and for purity and quality we defy competition, and to any person who will find any poisonous drug in our whiskey, put in by us, as it leaves our distillery or sales-room we will forfeit \$600.00.

ASH & BRO., BINGHAMTON, Col. Co., Pa.

6-16-3mo.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Russet shoe polish at Dentler's 20 cents.

Female weakness Positive cure To THE EDITOR.—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the thousand and one ills which arise from deranged female organs. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any lady if they will send their Express and P. O. address. Yours respectfully, Dr. W. B. MARCHESI, 99 GUNNISON ST., Utica, N. Y.

TO THE PUBLIC.

B. W. Jury, a practical builder of many years experience, has located in Bloomsburg, and is now ready to make estimates and take contracts for the erection of buildings either large or small. Office in Columbian Building, 3rd floor, in S. Neyhard's room.

5-20-3m.

Russet shoes, dark and light, high and low, \$3 to \$5. at F. D. Dentler's

We are prepared to do papering either by contracting to put it on or only sell you the paper, just as you like. J. H. MERCER.

Wall paper and window curtains at W. H. Brooke & Co.

For Wall Paper and Window Shades go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

A full stock of ladies, and childrens, Oxford ties at Dentler's.

Glasses fitted free of charge at J. G. Wells.' All work guaranteed.

6-17-2t.

A good assortment of Ladies' and Misses' and Childrens' summer hats at E. Barkleys.

Some very choice wall paper remnants this week large enough to cover rooms 12x14x9. Suitable for all rooms. Decided bargains if they fit your rooms at W. H. Brooke & Co.

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you a satisfactory result, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of throat, lungs or chest, such as consumption, inflammation of lungs, bronchitis, asthma, whooping cough, croup, etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at C. A. Kleim's drug store.

Deeds, single and double acknowledgment, at the COLUMBIAN office. 1f.

Fifty dozen window curtains just opened on Monday—prices from 25c. to \$1.50 each at W. H. Brooke & Co.

A large and complete line of Wall Paper at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Window curtains continue to go. Prices from 25c. to \$1.50

Are you going to paper your rooms? If so perhaps you can deal better with us than any where else. At least we can tell you what we can do if you give us a chance. W. H. Brooke & Co.

Call and see our line of Wall Paper and Window Curtains before you buy. J. H. MERCER.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

A look at our reduced Wash Dress Goods will convince you of great bargains, viz: Fine Dress Gingham reduced from 25cts to 15cts.

Best Lawns from 12 1/2 to 9c. One lot of white goods from 18 to 12c. \$2.50 dress pattern to \$1.50

Best Sateen from 37 1/2 to 15c. White and black Embroidered Dress Goods, black Lawns, plain, plaid and striped, Embroideries and Laers.

1,000 Fans from 3c to \$3.50. Big reduction in Parasols.

I. W. HARTMAN & SONS.