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FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1894.

It seems the sugar trust scandal don't scandalize quite as much as some folks would like to have it.

Matt Quay is credited with being the sprag that is cloging the wheels of Senatorial legislation. But we are inclined to think this is too much to put upon any one man.

Coxey's term of service in jail expired on the 9th inst. His offense was not very grievous and neither was the penalty imposed; but with the cheap notoriety he has now acquired he may possibly draw full houses for awhile in variety theatres as an original commonwealer and escentric freak of nature.

We have wondered for some time who Senator Hill's second choice for President might be, and a recent interview now reveals the fact that Vice-President Stevenson is his second choice. We can't think of anything the Vice-President has ever done to the people of the United States that his name should be thus sacrificed at the hands of Senator Hill.

We have an idea that if Sugar King Havemeyer were to make open confession of all he knows about the sweetness he has profitably applied to Republican and Democratic statesmen alike no one would be so foolish as to charge him of being either partial or a partisan. It is not likely Mr. Havemeyer cares a sugar plum who is President so long as the party in power is not too sour to be sweetened.

The strategy the Republicans of the Senate are using by violating the five minute agreement for debate shows the reluctance with which they yield a single point in the Democratic effort to pass the tariff bill. Though forced along until near its finish the last Republican kick will not be made until the last item in the last schedule shall have been passed upon over all protest and objection. Just so faithful, indeed, are the Republicans in serving to the last our fostered and protected manufacturing interests.

Figures May Lie.

On the principal that figures should not lie we find the Philadelphia *Times* now charging the *Press* with a sugar-trust computation which seems to warp mathematics some what. For instance, the *Press* says one-eight makes one-half and the *Times* disputes the figures and the figuring in a way that has a logical look about it. We haven't space to tell you the whole thing but we extract the conclusion of the *Times'* figuring as follows:

"There is another feature of the sugar schedule of the new tariff to which the Press' new system of arithmetic will not apply. Under the McKinley bill the people are taxed from fifteen to twenty millions for the benefit of the sugar refiners, and over ten millions a year as bounty to sugar producers, and these taxes do not bring any revenue into the Treasury. Under the Wilson bill, as adopted by the Senate, the sugar refiners and all other consumers of raw sugar pay a direct tax to the government of forty per cent., and in addition to the forty per cent, paid upon raw material by refiners the tax of one-eight of a cent per pound is levied on refined sugar. Unlike the sugar tax under the McKinley bill, this one-eight of a cent per pound on refined sugar is not prohibitory, and will doubtless add to the revenue of the government. Thus the McKinley bill taxes the people nearly thirty millions a year on sugar without paying a cent into the Treasury, and the Wilson bill will tax them but little more, and the Treasury will be the gainer by from thirty-six to forty millions. This is not calculated on the principal that one eighth means one-half; it is estimated on the old and long accepted principal of arithmetic that two and two make four.

For the relief and cure of a cold in the head there is more potency in Ely's Cream Balm than in anything else it is possible to prescribe. This preparation has for years past been making a brilliant success as a remedy for cold in the head, catarrh and hay fever. Used in the initial stages of these complaints Cream Balm prevents any serious development of the symptoms, while almost numberless cases are on record of radical cures of chronic catarrh and hay fever after all other treatments have proved of no avail.

IN CONGRESS.

THE PRESIDENT'S UNALTERED POSITION ON TARIFF REFORMATION.

When You Have no Case Abuse the Opposition--Southern Democrats Disappointed--New Bond Issue not Contemplated--Government Interest in Pacific Railroads--Industrial Armies Respectfully Listened to by a Select Senatorial Committee.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, D. C., June 11, 1894.

President Cleveland told a Democratic member of the House who asked him his opinion of the Senate amendments to the tariff bill that his opinion on the question of tariff reform should be well enough known without any additional expression at this time, and intimated that he considered prompt action on the subject by both House and Senate of far more importance to the country than the mere details of this or that schedule in the bill, provided, of course, that the bill as a whole is kept in line with Democratic promises of tariff reform. That strikes me as the proper position for every patriotic Democrat to take at this time.

The Republican Senators are acting on the old legal maxim—when you have no case abuse the opposition. Finding that they were defeated on the sugar schedule of the tariff bill, which they had been for weeks claiming to be confident of defeating with the aid of Democratic votes, they have resorted to the cry of sugar trust, thinking to blind the country to the fact that the sugar schedule this week adopted by the Democratic Senators only gives the sugar refiners about half of what they are getting under the McKinley law. Senator Jones is confident that all of the amendments will be adopted and the tariff bill passed by the close of next week, and Republican Senators privately admit as much.

The southern Democrats in the House were doubly disappointed by the defeat of the bill for the repeal of the tax on State bank currency. They had confidently expected 140 votes in favor of the bill, but it only received 102, while the opposition mustered 170. They claim that men who had allowed themselves to be counted in favor of the bill voted against it.

Secretary Carlisle waited until the fake story that he was preparing for another issue of bonds had advanced to the stage of pretending to give all the details down to the exact amount of bonds to be issued, before he took the trouble to undo the work of the gifted writers of Washington fairy tales by officially announcing that he was not preparing to issue bonds, had not considered it even, and knew no reason why he should consider it at this time or in the immediate future. Secretary Carlisle has been during his entire public life known as a man who believes in the open and above board method of doing things, and the public may rest assured that should the necessity for another issue of bonds arise it will be duly and officially announced by the Treasury Department and not by fake newspapers. It is not believed that it will be necessary to issue more bonds, as there is no probability of the cash in the Treasury reaching an embarrassingly low condition before August, and by that time the increase in the Government receipts under the new tariff law will probably be great enough to furnish relief.

The claim for $15,000,000 against the estate of the late Senator Stanford, which was filed in California this week by direction of Attorney-General Olney, has been much talked about in Washington. The claim is made to protect the interests of the Government involved in the indebtedness of the Central Pacific Railroad to the United States. This step is in line with a resolution introduced in the House sometime ago by Representative Boatner, of Louisiana, providing for the employment of counsel to bring suits against the original Central Pacific syndicate, composed of Huntington, Stanford, Hopkins, Crocker, and Colton for money diverted by them for their own benefit from the earnings of the railroad. Mr. Boatner claims that the Government can get at least $40,000,000 by bringing these suits. The bonds upon which the railroad owes the Government this money are not yet due, but the claim is put in now so that the statute of limitation cannot be pleaded should the suits be entered after default in the payment of the bonds. It is expected that this Congress will legislate upon the indebtedness of all of the Pacific railroads to the Government, and C. P. Huntington is now in Washington looking out for his end of the matter.

Nothing startling has been brought out this week by the Senate committee that is investigating the charges concerning the alleged sugar trust scandal. The more testimony the committee takes the more apparent it becomes that these charges were based upon the flimsiest of foundations, helped out by conjecture and partisan politics.

The Senate will have a select committee of five to give hearings to the representatives of all the industrial armies and other cranks who have wild schemes to air, a resolution to that effect having this week been adopted.

If dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain, you need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take DeWitt's. It recommends itself. —W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

It will only cost the trifling sum of $10,000, it seems, to investigate the bribery charges so common in Congress. Why such an amount should be wasted to prove an established fact is beyond our comprehension. No wonder we are afflicted with small-pox, cloud bursts and cyclones in rotation, with a grasshopper plague trying to crowd in upon us.

We know of nothing more apt to but coal miners to work than a scarcity of coal and consequently a demand for it. Still the facilities for turning out the black diamonds in this country are more than equal to any emergency. If it were possible to get up genuine competition among mine operators, it would not be a great while until we should have coal dirt cheap; but there is the difficulty.

CANDIDATES' CARDS.

The following persons announce themselves as candidates for the offices named, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. W. HOFFMAN,
of Orange township.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. B. McHENRY,
of Benton.

FOR SHERIFF,
W. W. BLACK,
of Greenwood Township.

FOR STATE SENATOR, (24th District,)
WM. CHRISMAN,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
WM. T. CREASY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
ANDREW L. FRITZ,
(North Side.)

FOR SHERIFF,
G. W. HIMLEMAN,
of Benton.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elizabeth Ruckle, deceased.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrator of said decedent, as per his first and final account, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at the office of Col. J. G. Freeze, in the town of Bloomsburg, on Tuesday the 17th day of July, A. D., 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties having claims against the estate must present them or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

JOHN G. HARMAN,
6-15-t a Auditor.

ORDINANCE NO. 78.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1.—That ordinance No. 6, entitled "An Ordinance to Amend Article Sixth of Section One of Ordinance Number One," be and the same is hereby repeated.

Passed June 11th, 1894.

FRANCIS P. DRINKER,
ATTEST: R. H. RINGLER, President.
Sec'y.

ORDINANCE NO. 79

An Ordinance requiring citizens to obtain permits to construct or alter pavements.

Be it enacted by the authority of the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That from and after the publication of this ordinance as required by law, all citizens and property owners desiring to lay pavements along their respective properties or to raise or materially alter the same, shall be required to obtain a permit from the Town Council to perform such work in the same manner and subject to the same fine and the same restrictions and regulations as to keeping walks free from obstructions, erecting lights, guards, etc., as are required in building permits.

Section 2.—That whenever pavements are being laid, repaired or materially altered or the grade thereof changed, all property owners and their agents in charge of such work shall be required to make and maintain during the continuance of said alteration, or repair a safe temporary walk in front of their respective properties at least two feet wide, and in no case shall the safe passage of citizens be impeded by such work of laying, repairing or changing the grade of the pavement.

Section 3.—Any person violating the provisions of Section 2 of this ordinance shall, after notice by the Town authorities, be liable to a fine of one dollar for every twenty-four hours of such violation.

FRANCIS P. DRINKER,
ATTEST: R. H. RINGLER, President.
Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR THE FILLING OF THE approaches to the river bridge, and for rip-rapping the piers and abutments.

Sealed bids will be received at the Commissioner's office in Bloomsburg, until 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, June 23, 1894. For plans and specifications inquire at the Commissioner's office. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

J. G. SWANK,
G. S. IKELER, } Commissioners.
A. H. UTT,
Commissioner's office,
Bloomsburg, Pa., June 5, 1894.
Attest: C. A. TERWILLIGER, Clerk. 6-8-3t.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE

Estate of Levi Cortright, deceased.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, there will be exposed to public sale, at the late residence of the said decedent in the township of Briarcreek, in the County of Columbia, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1894,

at 10 o'clock A. M., and upon the premises, the following piece of land: All that certain piece of land situate in township of Briarcreek, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a point in the new state road in line of land of Geo. C Smith, 126 and five-tenth perches north of the Summer Hill road, thence by the said Smith's land south 86 degrees west 95 perches to a fence, thence by the same south 7 and three-quarter degrees west 9 and one-tenth perches to line of land of John Smith, thence by the same south 80 and one-half degrees west 42 and eight one-hundredth perches to a corner thence by the same north 7 and three fourth degrees west 43 and seventy-six one-hundredth perches to "Main Open Ditch," thence by the same south 82 and one-half degrees west 40 and eighty-eight one-hundredth perches to land of P. Linden, thence by the same north 12 and one-fourth degrees west 59 and twenty-four one-hundredth perches to the side of a road in land of Adam Sult, thence north 60 and three-fourth degrees east 148 perches, to the new state road aforesaid, thence in the same south 47 and one fourth degrees east 11 and seventy-two one-hundredth perches to a point in the middle of said road, thence south 74 degrees east 48 and fifty-six one-hundredth perches to a corner, thence south 5 degrees east 101 and nine-tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing 115 acres and 83 perches, strict measure.

TERMS OF SALE: $200 00 at the striking down of the property, twenty-five per cent. of the balance at the confirmation of the sale and delivery of the deed, and the remaining balance in six months thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi. Deferred payment to be secured by bond and mortgage.

DEWITT L. CORTRIGHT,
CHARLES C. EVANS, Executor,
June 6, '94. Atty.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jesse Johnson, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court to make distribution of the fund in the hands of R. R. Little, Esq., Trustee, to sell the real estate, in the order mentioned, as per account filed, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Monday, the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. When and where all persons having a claim on said fund are requested to appear and present the same, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
6-8-t. a. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Whitenight, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court to make distribution of the fund in the hands of John Mourey, Trustee, to sell the real estate in the order mentioned, as per account filed, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. When and where all persons having a claim on said fund are requested to appear and present the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
6-8-t a. Auditor.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY, Furniture, Fuel and other supplies.

In compliance with the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I hereby invite sealed proposals, at prices below maximum rates fixed in schedules to furnish furniture, fuel and other supplies for the several departments of the State Government, and for making repairs in the several departments, and for the distribution of the public documents, for the year ending the first Monday of June A. D. 1895.

Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts awarded as announced in said schedules. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond with approved sureties, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and addressed and delivered to me *before* twelve o'clock M., of Tuesday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1894, at which time the proposals will be opened and contracts awarded, in the Reception room of the Executive Department, at Harrisburg.

Blank bonds and schedules containing all necessary information can be obtained at this Department.

WILLIAM F. HARRITY,
6-8-3t Secretary of the Commonwealth.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of H. G. Phillips, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to distribute fund in hands of Executrix, to and among parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Thursday, July 12, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

W. H. SNYDER,
6-8-3t. Auditor.

LETTING.

Proposals for the repairing and remodeling of the Third street school house will be received by the undersigned at the school Board after June 2, 1894, and up to noon of June 8th, 1894. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Secretary on and after June 2, 1894. The building must be completed by the 20th of August, 1894.

WM. E. RINKER,
5-4-3t. Sec'y.

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