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THE DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

- FOR GOVERNOR, WILLIAM M. SINGERLY, of Philadelphia. FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, JOHN S. KILLING, of Erie...

Watch the Republicans and roll up 5000 Democratic majority—it can be done. Get out the vote, and the count is sure.

If it is deemed policy for our protected industries in particular, and the Republican party in general, to depress business before elections, then Democracy, observing this fact, should endeavor to brighten business, and thus render the bowler howlless.

As to the business demoralization that some folks wished for, in order that it might be attributed to Democratic action in reducing the tariff, somehow it don't seem to be as dull as it ought to be just before election.

Greetings.

The Democratic clubs which met at Altoona last week, among other excellent things sent the following words of greeting to Senator Hill and Congressman Wilson:

Resolved, "That the Democratic Societies of Pennsylvania, in mass meeting assembled, send greeting and encouragement to David B. Hill, in his manly, patriotic and glorious struggle for Democratic principles and for Democratic successes in the State of New York and that we call on the Democracy to unite in his support, and a like message to William L. Wilson, one of the foremost champions and advocates of tariff reform in his struggle for the success of his party principle and his own course as a candidate for Congress."

By the way—how would Hill and Wilson do for 1896?

TRIBUTES TO TRUE DEMOCRACY.

Messrs. Stranahan and Buckalew at a Shamokin Mass Meeting.

SHAMOKIN, PA., Oct. 9.—A big Democratic mass meeting was held in the Opera House at this place to-night. State Chairman Stranahan and Charles Buckalew were the principal speakers.

Mr. Buckalew dwelt on the benefits of the income tax and the Wilson bill. He also upheld and applauded the Cleveland Administration.

Democratic Hopes on the Jump.

Chairman Stranahan's campaign is assuming growing proportions right along and the past week witnessed a veritable boom. The Democratic Society Convention at Altoona was the largest in its history and taxed the hotel facilities of that city to take care of the crowds.

The Democratic management has been earnest and vigorous in spreading literature and oratory in counter argument to the Hastings calamity appeal, with the result that in every county a big series of meetings are now running and the farmers are just as much awake as the mechanics and iron-workers.

Mr. Stranahan is more than hopeful. Like Chairman Gilkeson, he makes no claim, but is giving close attention to the Congressional districts and in the doubtful territory the Democrats appear to be pushing their campaign in a manner quite startling to the Republicans.

Mr. Stranahan finds his best campaign assistant in the general industrial revival that cannot be denied. Everywhere the mills, factories and furnaces are running and the railroads are pushed to their utmost in moving freight.

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It is now claimed that the Democrats will carry the Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-eighth districts, with fair chances in the Eleventh, Sixteenth and Twenty-fourth, in the State.

This is not Joe Scranton's year in the Eleventh, and Edward Merrifield is turning over ground in Lackawanna county in a manner that causes consternation to the Republican forces.

Packer's friends in the Sixteenth district have the knife out for Frederick C. Leonard, the Potter lumber dealer, and are industriously spreading the story of his free-trade record and the profits he is making from his timber tracts with lumber on the free lists.

Vote the whole ticket and nothing but the ticket.

PENSIONS.

We call attention to an article in another part of this paper, of the work of the Pension office. It shows that during the last year 39085 new pensioners were added to the rolls and 2,398 restored; and that more than eighty thousand certificates were issued during the year.

The fact is, the democratic party gave pensions to soldiers before the republican party was born as to revolutionary soldiers, soldiers of the war of 1812, and of the war with Mexico.

Mr. Buckalew has been speaking to meetings in Northumberland County, at ten or twelve different points and has been met by large assemblages of voters.

Senator Herring is on the stump for Mr. Buckalew and the whole ticket. The battle is being waged along the whole line, the voters are coming out to the meetings, and are at work for a full vote, on the 6th of November.

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The State Canvass.

The Democratic State candidates have now shaped affairs for a thorough and complete canvass of the State. The arrangements were perfected recently by Chairman Stranahan, who was ably assisted by General Greenland and others familiar with the strong as well as the weak points of attack and defense politically and commercially considered.

The Clarion wing of the speakers will proceed to Foxburg, Titusville and other points not hitherto visited, while the other party will leave Erie on October 24th and reach Corry at 9 A. M. Meeting Clarion party at Titusville they will proceed to Oil City, Franklin and Meadville, pushing forward for Pittsburg on October 26th.

Another party known as the Union town party will start from Uniontown on October 26th and proceed to Pittsburg, where there will be a combination of forces and a grand rally and demonstration.

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The Danger of Lagging Behind.

With all her vast and unnumbered populace China finds herself a mere pigmy when driven to confront modern implements of warfare and the more modernized and educated soldiery of Japan.

Fate seems to have decreed an evolution in China, and, quite appropriately, Japan, being herself only semi-civilized and christianized, is the chosen agent, or the little David who has been raised up to slay the Chinese Goliath.

China has not only the outer enemy to fight, but, if reports be correct, her internal strife is utterly demoralizing, the discord entering the very palace of the Emperor. With harmony within and war without she might possibly yet so handle her stubborn little enemy as to make peace upon her own terms, if not indeed whip out Japan; but the case seems very different in view of her present internal strife and the possibility of her utter demoralization.

Election day, November 6th.

The general charge of "he talks too much" don't fit up as close to the case of President Cleveland as some folks would like in York State. On the contrary they charge that he has plugged his telephone and gone a fishing with malice aforethought.

Vote the Democratic ticket.

All That's Claimed

"I had a poor appetite, that tired feeling and was run down, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has done me a great deal of good. I have a better appetite and do not feel tired. I can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as an excellent spring or fall medicine to keep the blood in order."

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JOHN R. TOWNSEND, AND HATTER, Merchant TAILOR, SUITS FROM \$18.00, CORNER MAIN & MARKET STS. BLOOMSBURG, PA. TROUSERS FROM \$5.00.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Federal Court of Columbia county to make distribution to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Catawissa, Pa., on Thursday, November 21st, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be declared from said estate as not in said fund.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Benjamin Strickler, late of Philadelphia, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned executor, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be declared from said estate as not in said fund.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Leahy, late of Philadelphia, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be declared from said estate as not in said fund.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Estate of Emma Whitehead, Deceased. Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., there will be sold at public sale on the premises, in Philadelphia township, Columbia county, Pa., (Glenway) on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, '94, at 10 o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, late of Emma Whitehead, dec'd., to-wit: A lot of ground situated in the village of Jonestown, in said Philadelphia township, in said county of Columbia, Pa.; bounded on the north by lot of W. N. Hoiler, on the east by a public road, on the south by lot of W. N. Hoiler, and on the west by a public road, wherein are erected

A FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, frame stable and other outbuildings. Terms of sale: Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent at the expiration of said sale; and the remaining three-fourths in two years thereafter, with interest from continuation said.

At the same time and place the undersigned will also sell the following personal property of the said Emma Whitehead, dec'd., to-wit: 1 cooking stove, 1 side-board, 4 rocking chairs, 1 cherry cupboard, 1 set cane-seated chairs, 1 set common chairs, 1 bureau, set of dishes, 1 iron kettle, beds and bedding, and other household and kitchen furniture.

E. FRANK ZARR, Executor.

COLUMBIA STEAM LAUNDRY.

Opposite Opera House, Centre St., BLOOMSBURG, PA. BRANCH OFFICES: Jamison City, J. P. Kennedy, Barber Shop; Eger, D. E. Miller, Barber Shop; Catawissa, Derr's Shoe House; Benton, O. E. Little, Jewelry store.

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A POINT TO ARGUE SUCH AS THIS is apt to convince even the most doubtful, just as one trial of J. A. HESS'S SHOES will convince the best judges that he sells the best made. J. A. HESS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

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OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT was never more fully stocked with patterns than this year; and so when you buy them you have that exclusive style all to yourself.

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT. If you want anything in the line of shoes for yourself or children, boy's or girl's school shoes, we would like you to look at our stock. We carry as large a line as any one in town.

COATS AND CAPES. We have these in abundance, more than we want; so if you want any come before all the different styles are gone.

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when every good house keeper will think of cleaning house, and this in very many cases makes an opening for perhaps a new parlor suit, a chamber suit, a new carpet or two or something new in this line, and when these openings appear we ask you to bear us in mind as the people who have the

Best Goods for the Least Money.

Permit us to give you an idea as to what we can do for you in this line. Note a few of the prices: ELEGANT PARLOR SUITS, Six pieces from \$20.00 up. GOOD THREE PIECE CHAMBER SUITS from \$11.00 up. HANDSOME WILTON RUG COUCHES from \$9.00 up. OUR \$3.25 SILK PLUSH ROCKERS are corkers, AND OUB

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Ingrain carpet from 20c. per yard up, and 53c. buys the very best EXTRA SUPER ALL WOOL. 62c. buys an excellent quality of tapestry, while 85 & 95c. buys the best velvets and body brussels respectively. Furthermore we have full lines in centre and extension tables, hall racks, book cases, china closets, wardrobes, combination book cases and writing desk and everything that goes to make up a first-class furniture store.

While cleaning house you will doubtless want to brighten up the furniture, give it new lustre and make it look good as new. For this purpose call and get a bottle of our FURNITURE POLISH which will do the work for you and you will be happy. Remember we have also full lines of dry goods, notions, groceries, &c., &c., at correspondingly low prices.

Kindly favor us with a call and be convinced that the above are but a few of the many bargains we offer.

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