

es judges, six of whom will be Repub-

The court will sit appually at Phila

Hastings has given no intimation as

to whom he will appoint it may be

Judge Wyckham, Beaver ; J. Hay Brown, Lancaster: E. N. Willard,

RELIGIOUS GARB BILL.

sure is being brought to bear upon the

is so pronounced that it is practically

settled that he will veto it. These

people claim that if the bill should be-

come a law it would force their child-

ren out of the public schools because

of the simple dress which they wear.

It is believed that the Governor will

nates against certain religious sects.

Th Quay County bill is also in

danger of being vetoed. The general

ty years the coal lands in the territory

people will drift to other localities and

General News.

women of the South for funds with

which to build a monument to the

An appeal has been issued to the

delphia, Pittsburg, Harrisburg, Will-

iamsport and Scranton.

will be as follows :

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Bloomsburg, Pa.

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1895.

Candidates.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, MORDF.CAI MILLARD,

CENTRE TOWNSHIP.

Attorney A. G. Potter of Selins grove, who received such terrible in juries in a railroad accident last winter, is again able to practice his pro fession. He has been elected a delegate to the next Republican State Convention, and other honors are being bestowed upon him by his fellow- citizens.

W. E. Housworth Esq., Fish Ward-en for this section of the State, is making arrangements to bring suit Legislature. It is advocated by the recent against the coal companies who use patriotic societies, and a strong pres- trophe had occurred. the river for their dumping grounds. Unless this is stopped the time is not far distant when there will be no fish in the Susquehanna. At this time the coal dirt is rapidly forming the the proposition, but the opposition to bed of the river, as far as the East it from the Mennonites and Dunkards bed of the river, as far as the East side of Burns' Island. We wish Mr. Housworth the utmost success in his undertaking .- Selinsgrove Tribune.

The open contest for the control of the next Republican State Convention between the adherents of Governor Hastings and United States Senator Quay is attracting the attention of politicians all over the State.

The formal declaration of war by the Governor seemed to have a paralyzing effect upon the Republican managers. In many instances they of Schuylkill and Luzerne counties, stood mute, and were unable to tell just "where they were at." Some time will be required for these men to collect their wits, and then the declarations will come as to which king they will serve under.

Wages Still Advancing.

It is hard to keep tab on all the increases in the rates of wages; but the burdens of the county government the country will not fail to note with will fall upon the agricultural classes. particular interest the announcement posted yesterday by the Johnson Steel Company, of Lorain, O., of a voluntary advance of 15 per cent. in certain of its departments, with the additional statement that all of the lepartments will be given an increase

EIG FOWDER MILL BLOWN UP.

THE COLUMBIAN, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

PEOPLE HURLED FROM TED FOR MILES IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

Shenandoah, Pa., June 23.

The powder mill operated by Roberts, Reese & Beden containing Governor Hastings has approved the Superior Court bill and will soon 1400 kegs of the explosive, thew up anneares the appointment of the sevlast night, demolishing the buildings, shook the valley for 25 miles around and caused a loss of \$40,000. It is heans. The other will be a Democrab The bill goes into effect July r supposed to have been touched off by and provides that the court shall ora firebug. ganize within thirty days thereafter.

It was located in the Catawissa Valley, four miles from here. No lives were lost so far as is known. The village of Ringtown, two miles from A lively contest is being waged for the new judgeships. The Governor has received upward of fifty applica-tions, some of the candidates being the scene of the disaster, suffered terribly. The inhabitants were thrown from their beds and some fled from their houses in terror. There is toamong the most prominent poliucians in the State. Although Governor day not an unbroken window glass in the town, and many of the houses are so badly wrecked that they will have to be abandoned until repairs are made. The home of L. W. Krebs, a farmer one mile distant, is almost a complete wreck. Doors and shutters were torn from their fastenings and broken into kindling wood. The plaster fell from the walls, and even the furniture was housed about in all said with certainty that the appointees Scranton; ex-Governor James A. Beaver, Bellefonte; ex-Judge Howard Reeder, Easton: George B. Orlady, Huntingdon, and Henry J. McCarthy, of Philadelphia, the latter a Democrat. the furniture was hurled about in all directions. Half a dozen other homes. also close by the Krebs residence, are badly shattered. Some of the people there were slightly injured when The Religious Garb bill will be taken up this week by Governor thrown from bed. In Shenandoah, Hastings for final consideration. This which is four miles from the mill,

The powder mill was new, having Governor by these organizations to have the bill become a law. The Governor was at first inclined to favor the out buildings at the place.

Mr. Pardoe's Claim.

Ex-County Commissioner Joseph Pardoe, who is now a resident of Bloomsburg, threatens to sue this county to recover about \$100, which he paid as street car fare to and from his Northumberland home and the take the broad ground that the bill is unconstitutional because it discrimi- that the Act of Assembly allows him expenses in traveling from his home to the office. His son, Howard Pardoe, who is practicing law at Hazleobjection is that within the next twen- ton, will conduct his case.

Mr. Pardoe was the minority member of the Board of Commissioners out of which it is proposed to create that preceded Messrs. Zerbe, Cope the new county, will be outworked and Lindner. Shortly after his elecand that the large population will be tion he moved from his farm in Chil-materially decreased. The Governor's lisquaque township to Northumberfriends also say that the population in land. He patronized the street cars the proposed county is made up prin- and the steamboats. He is willing to cipally of foreigners, of whom not more than ten per cent. pay taxes. When the mines are abandoned the and the steamboars. The is whing to compromise his claim for \$14, pay-ment of his fares on Saturday nights and Monday mornings. - Sunbury ment of his fares on Saturday nights and Monday mornings. - Sunbury Democrat.

Another change has taken place in the English Ministry Lord Rose-bery has resigned the Premiership, and Lord Salisbury has accepted it.



BLACK DRESS

ORDINANCE NO. 84.

The following ordinance was passed by the Town Council at a meeting held May 22. An Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg, n order to fund the Present Indebtedness

Expenses incident to the Opening of Jeffer-son Street and North Street, Ordained to be Opened by Frevious Councils, and for Ob-taining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality thereto. WHEREAS, The existing bonded indebted-ness of the Town of Bloomsburg amounts to the sum of \$37,940, and in addition thereto there is an existing indebtedness for out-standing orders—the sum of \$12,000 and standing orders-the sum of \$12,500 and for the judgment obtained against the same Town, for personal injuries received by W. R. Ringrose, together with the interest, costs and expenses incident to the litigation concerning the same, amounting to abou \$7,000-which outstanding orders and adgment are bearing six per cent, interest, and it is desirable to fund the said indebt-dness by the substitution of another form of indebtedness bearing a lower rate o interest.

Some go for 28c., others high- these.

PLISSE.

Just new this season. Oh, now carrying the most comhow lovely. Nothing cooler plete line of anyone in town? or more stylish. Just the thing Why? Because we never do for these hot summer days that anything by halves. We can are coming. We have it in all show you more value and style kinds of designs. Light and dark back grounds. Some have the waves in the stripe, tan shoe for \$2.25.

PURSEL & HARMAN,

sustained by W. R. Ringrose for Personal

others in the body. They all go for 15c, the yard.

DUCKS.

able stories never find place under our name in these

columns. This week's store news is brim full of good

TITE CREDIT EVERYONE with common sense; improb-

things. Note the things we speak of this week:

There is nothing more stylish or neater looking than duck suits. Every one wants one for this summer. Dark blue back ground, with white counters if they were not. We stripe is one. Can you imwill let you say how much magine anything prettier? Lots of others, especially the linen colored duck. All just the thing at 12 tc.

DOTTED SWISS.

These are being shown and correctly made, well made, and are going to be worn more made of good material. We than ever this year. We have have never sold as much as them in plain, and also with now. We are out of one kind the flouncing around the just now, but only for a day or two; have it coming as fast as from the flouncing, full skirt we can. Can't be equaled in length, all different designs, at town for the prices, as the \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.40. Children's make up is the very best, at less than half of some of

SHOES.

Do you know that we are

Bloomsburg, Pa

that the interests of the said rown will be the better subserved by the procurement of a plant and the necessary appliances, 'or the furnishing of light for the Highways of said Town and to be owned by the said Town; and by the immediate opening of the High-ways mentioned and previously ordained. Therefore he it ordained and enacted by the Town Composition of Please. the Town Council of the Town of Blooms-burg, and it is hereby ordained and exacted Sec. 4. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the said municipality as evidenced by the existing and outstanding orders of the said Town, and for the payment of the said Town, and for the payment of the

judgment, interest, costs and expense incident to the litigation of the claim of W R. Ringrose against said Town for person injuries received by him ; as well as for the purpose of procuring real estate and the

the said Town of Bloomsburg be increased in the sum of Forty Thousand Eight Hun dred Dollars (\$40,800). Sec. 2. That bonds be issued in denomi-



er.

purpose of procuring real estate and the necessary machinery and appliances for the furnishing of the light for the Streets and Highways thereof; and to pay the damages, costs and expenses for the opening of Jeffer-son Street and North Street is already ordaised, that the bonded indebtedness of the mid Torm of Plemether he inner est

nations of \$500, \$200 and \$100 each, with coupons attached, and bearing interest at four and a half per centum, per annum, payable semi-annually, to secure the payment of the indebtedness hereby created, all of which shall be payable within twenty years from

just now in particular. All AND WHEREAS, Also the said Town i now at an annual expense approximating \$4400 for the furnishing of Lights for its Highways and Streets, and there is demand made for the immediate opening of Jefferson Street and of North Street agreeably to the action of the corporate Authorities of said Town, heretofore had; and it is believed that the interests of the said Town will b

more they are worth. Prices range from 50c. to \$1.75. UNDERWEAR. We mean muslin underwear

No mistakes to acknowledge. No blunders to correct. They come from the very best mills in America and Europe. They are stylish, seasonable, and in every way splendid fab-rics. Wouldn't be on our

GOODS.

by July 1. It may well be believed that "the mill is rushed with orders, and every branch is running to its full capacity." The best of it is that the activity thus disclosed is no temporary summer spurt, as the New York Times said vesterday:

"The railroads alone need iron and steel enough to keep the manufacturing plants busy for more than a year, but so far demand has been largely for manufacturing and structural purposes."

In short, the iron outlook is aglow with promise; and it is inevitable that the prosperity which has come upon it with a rush will extend to all the network of related industries .- Fee ord

The Smallest Commonwealth.

IT IS A MULE IN DIAMETER AND HAS A POPULATION OF 55 PERSONS.

The smallest commonwealth of the world is the little republic Tavolara, upon the little island of the same name, situated some seven or eight miles south of the Island of Sardinia. Tavolara is an island about one mile in diameter and inhabited at present by 55 people, men, women and children. In 1836 Karl Albert, then king of Sardinia, bestowed the supremacy over this little isle upon the Bartoleoni family, and for 46 years, "King" Paul I reigned in peace in his domain. He died on May 30, 1882, and shortly before his demise called all his faithful subjects to his bedside and declared it to be his earnest desire that none of his relatives could succeed him as the head of Government in the island, but that he considered it for the best that the good people of Tavolara should govern themselves. After this last wish no candidate for the vacated throne could be found among the family of the deceased, who were used to consider their "King's" wish law, and the little island remained ungoverned for four years. At last, in 1886, the little island was declared a republic. Their constitution gives elective fran chise to both men and women: a president is elected to serve six years. None of their officers receive any compensation.

That mother of General Robert E. Lee. An association formed for the purpose has the matter in charge. It is proposed to erect the monument in the churchyard of Christ Church, Alexandria, Va.

Secretary Hoke Smith, of the In terior Department, has restored to the pay rolls of the Pension Office the name of Miss Elizabeth Key, grand-daughter of the author of "The Star Spangled Banner." Miss Key's name was dropped some time ago, and newspaper protests came in from all over the country. As Miss Key is the only support of an old mother, her restoration will meet with general approval.

The town of Hiawatha, Kansas, has adopted a most unseltish plan by which it will celebrate the anniversary of the nation's birthday. It has decided to dispense with the festivities which had been arranged for the Fourth of July this year, and to give the money which would have been spent in the celebration for the relief of a destitute colony of Illinois immigrants and other needy residents of the vicinity.

The impulse lately given to gold mining has infused new life into many deserted towns and abandoned camps in the West. In 1861 the camp of Florence, Idaho, had a population of 30,000 people, and everything that goes to the making of a city. It was a placer camp, and gold was plentiful. But the supply soon became exhausted, and the miners would not take the time and exercise the patience to work quartz. The camp was then quickly deserted. Recently, however, good quartz ledges have been discov ed in that locality, and the abandoned town again shows signs of life.

LYCOMING COUNTY CENTENNIAL.

REDUCED RATES TO WILLIAMSPORT, PA. VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

The Lycoming County Centennial Celebration will be held at Williamsport, Pa., July 2, 3, and 4, and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Williamsport from East Bloomsburg, Shamokin, Mifflinburg, Renovo, Troy, and intermediate stations at reduced rates. Tickets will be good to return until July 5 inclusive.

Tired Feeling

So common at this season, is a serious condition, liable to lead to disastrous results. It is a sure sign of declining health tone, and that the blood is impoverished and impure. The best and most successful remedy is found in

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

Which makes rich, healthy blood, and thus gives strength to the nerves, clasticity to the muscles, vigor to the brain and health to the whole body. In buth Hood's Saraparilla

Makes the Weak Strong Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's

Hood's Pille are purely vegetable, per-fectly harmless, always rollable and beneficial Do your walls need

papering? If so,

call on

William H. Slate, EXCHANGE HOTEL BLDG.,

and see for what a small amount you can have it done. Our stock is the largest and most carefully selected in town. The prices suit the hard times. William H. Slate, BOOKS, STATIONERY AND WALL PAPER.

the date of issue; which bonds shall be in such form, and be executed, issued and delivered in accordance with, and subject to such regulations and resolutions as the Presient and Town Council may adopt.

Sec. 3 That an annual tax commencing with the first year after such bonds shall have been issued of at least two mills on the collar of the assessed valuation of taxable apperty in said town of Bloomsburg, be creafter annually levied and collected for the purpose of repaying the said indebt-edness and the interest thereon; and that the President of the Town Council is hereby authorized and directed to make and file with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Columbia County, attested by the Secretary of the Town Council, the statement required by law, Sec. 4. That notice he given agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly of

April 20, 1874, and its supplements, by ad-vertisement published in THE COLUMDAN, "Democratic Sentinel" and "Columbia County Republican," and by twenty printed hand bills, posted in the most public parts of said Town, that an election will be beld at the usual places of hadding the access it the usual places of holding the general and municipal elections in the said Town of Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, the Sixteenth day of July, A. D., 1895, between the hours provided by law for holding of general elections, for the purpose of obtaining con-sent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness.

increase of indebtedness. Sec. 5. That the President of the Town Council shall cause to be prepared and dis-tributed printed tickets labelled on the out-side "Increase the Debt," and containing on the inside the words "Debt may be In-creased" also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Bingrose indoment, and the w. R. Ringrose judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light and of Opening Jefferson and North Sts., Total \$40.800;" and he shall also prepare and distribute tickets labelled on the outside "Increase the Debt" and containing on the inside "No Increase of Debt," also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Ringrose Judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light, and of Opening Jefferson and North Streets, Total \$40,800; that due notice be given to the Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg in the Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg in the manner prescribed by the 3rd Section of the Act of 1874 and its supplements, said notice to con-tain a statement of the last assessed valua-tion of taxable property in said Town, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and executions of the reversed inverses and percentage of the proposed increase, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased Passed and approved May 21st, 1895. S. C. CREASV, President. Attest: R. H. RINGLER, Sec. of Town

NOTICE TO ELECTORS.

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Notice is hereby given to the qualified Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg that in pursuance of an Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg in order to Fund the Present In-debtedness of said Municipality as Evidenced by outstanding Orders, and a Judgment of Court in an Action for Tort, for Damages

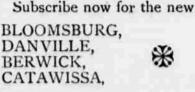
Injuries Received; and also Purchase Real Estate and the Equipment of a Plant to Furnish Light for the said Town and to pay the Expenses Incident to the Opening Jefferson Street and North Street, Ordain to be Opened by Previous Councils and for Obtaining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality Thereto.

An election will be held in the several election districts of the Town of Bloomsburg t be held at the places of holding the general and municipal elections in said election dis-tricts, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, 1895 between the hours provided by law, for holding general elections for the purpose of ob-taining the consent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness, The money to be obtained from such in-crease of indebtedness shall be applied to the payment of existing outstanding orders of said Town, and the payment of the W. R. Ringrose Judgment, interest, costs and ex penses; and to procure a Plant for the fur-

nishing of light for the streets of said Town, and the necessary appliances therefor, and to pay for the opening of Jefferson and North Streets as ordained by action of previous The last assessed valuation of said Town was .. \$2, 239,624 Town, 15 37.949

The net existing debt of said Town including outstanding orders and Ringrose Judgment is..... The amount of the proposed in-crease, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and solid indexed in 19,500 orders and said judgment is...... The percentage of increase, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and or said judgment is..... By order of Town Council, .0182 S. C. CREASY, President.

R. H. RINGLER, Secretary.





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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of J. N. Bower, late of Briarcreek town ship, deceased.

ship, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters of admin-istration on the estate of J. N. Bower, late of Briarcreek township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administratrix to whom all persons indebied to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to EMMA C. ROWER. EMMA C. BOWER,

C. B. JACKSON. Atty Administratrix 6-78-41.

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