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Dauphin County.

JUDGES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

HARMAN YERKES.

Bucks County.

JAMESS MOOREHEAD, Westmoreland County.

PETER P. SMITH,

Lackawanna County.

CHARLES N. NOYES,

Warren County.

TLIVER P. BECHTEL.

BRISTOPHER MAGEE.

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THE COLUMBIAN,

Bloomsburg, Pa.

All con manifestions should be addressed to

County, Pennsylvania.

GRO R +1 WELL EDITOR. SPEC C. RUAN. FOREMAN.

That old campaign bugaboo-which was worked half to death last yearthat the recent hard times and 'depression in business were caused by the fear created by the election of 1892, is being harnessed for the work of the present campaign by Republi-can editors. But it will be robbed of its power quickly.

In 1892, out of a total popular vote of twelve millions the anti-Republican vote aggregated seven millions. As the principal issue before all the people was the tariff every vote of the seven millions was directly or indirectly a vote against high tariff. Is there anybody foolish enough to believe that these seven millions of voters, having elected a Democratic presi dent, fofthwith scared themselves half to death, drove themselves into a busiing in mental power as to believe that putting the Democratic party in power stampeded themselves like a herd of dition, agreeable to Lord Dunraven." Texas steers and trampled each other under foot? What was this tariff revision the fear of which it is said created the panic? Was it not just what had been labored and voted for ? The depression noted after the election of 1892 began before that, when the treasury was forced to buy tons of silver and pay for it with gold ; when the Republican administration needlessly expended moneys in the purchase of bonds not yet matured, paying high premiums for them, in order to make a debt reduction record; came suddenly upon a charming when Secretary Foster, knowing the group-a comely woman with a bevy treasury was empty, made a surplus on paper by transferring to the account of available assets sums of money otherwise disposed of ; when and leaned over the front gate. treasury payments were postponed from time to time instead of made promptly as theretofore; and when the secretary was known to have been preparing an issue of bonds to meet the treasury deficiency. These things became known and had immediate effect. In addition to these the labor weile, however, tax payers will be required to pay each of the justices or that time the sum of \$2,500 or history of several years prior to 1892 was a chronicle of strike after strike and wage reduction after reduction, culminating in the bloody battle at Homestead, where under the Mc-Kinley law wages were reduced that estem of plundering the treasury that sveals the true character of the late have been voluntarily increased under the Wilson law.

igislature and the present executive. But worse than all this was the despicable work of Republican news papers, which immediately after the presidential election began a campaign of mendacity unparalleled in the .t a meeting of the Republican history of any country. It was done with the deliberate and foul intention gue of Pennsylvania held at York, , September 13, 1895, Ex-Lieuten of making the Democratic party suffer Governor Black, was discovered if necessary-and as it transpired inthe audience, and was escorted to platform. Loud calls being made evitably-through the agony of the whole country. The party was ac-cused of every offense malignity could him he entertained the convention h his reasons for being a Democrat. conceive, even to conspiring with commercial enemies of the United paid a high tribute to the Republia clubs for their efficient organiza-States to destroy it and turn workingn and predicted that coming cammen into the streets to starve. There igns would be contests of clubs, was no crime possible with which the pplemented by newspapers. He rongly urged the organization of party was not accused of contemplatasylum." olitical clubs in both parties to the ing or actually committing. The files of almost any Republican newsnd that such organizations would culminate in true Americans. He election will bear out these accusapaid a tribute to Benjamin Harrison tions. The deliberate intention was to foster the panic which began with the mismanagement of the Republican administration, and it was successful. Without the aid of the Republican press the depression would not have been so long or deep. Republican in-fluence for disaster began to disappear when business men who plucked up courage to venture into affairs again found a ready return for their investdone more to debauch the politics of ments, and in a few months the camthe state than any campaign in its paign of depression was ended and history. It is estimated that no less the panic is now only a nightmare that has been shaken off. And having shaken it off all citizens remember tion of delegates. Both sides were that it seized them under the McKinley law and that they were relieved

Will Not Accept the Drexel-Fell Offer to Race With Valkyrie.

Mr. Iselin Declines.

A. J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, received a letter from C. Oliver Iselin, of New York, in response to a proffer made a few days ago by Mr. Drexel and J. R. Fell, of a purse of \$10,000, or a cup of that value, for a race between the Defender and Valkycie on any course between Sandyhook and Marblehead and under the rules of of the New York yacht club. Mr. Iselin declines to accept the proposition.

Mr. Drexel declined to give for publication the entire text of Mr. Iselin's letter, but stated that the following passage sufficiently indicates its tenor: "Although appreciating your generous offer, our syndicate feels ness panic and committed commercial hari kari? Is there anybody so want-to decline and race with Valkyrie, exing in mental power as to believe that cept American cup races. These seven millions of Americans after they have offered to resail at any place, any time, and under any con-

Governor Oglesby's Error.

Even An Experienced Campaigner May Make a Mistake at Times.

"Uncle Dick" Oglesby, says the Chicago Times - Herald, always prided himself on his success in campaigning when called upon to reach a man's vote through his family pride. On one of his tours he passed through a country town in Illinois, when he of little ones about her-in a garden with a high picket fence in front of it. He stopped short, then advanced "Madam," said he, in his most in-

gratiating way, "may I kiss these beautiful children?"

" Certainly, sir," the lady answered, demurely; "there is no possible objection.

"They are lovely darlings," said Uncle Dick, after he had finished the eleventh. "I have seldom seen more beautiful babies. Are they all yours, marm ? "

The lady blushed deeply. "Of course they are-the sweet little treasures. From whom else, marm, could they have inherited these limpid eyes, these rosy cheeks, these profuse curls, these comely figures card orders please return those sent and these musical voices?"

The lady continued blushing. "By the way, marm," said Uncle Dick, "may I bother you to tell your estimable husband that Richard J. Oglesby, Republican candidate for Governor, called upon him this evening?

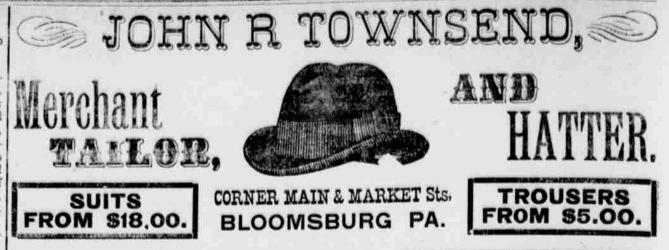
"Alas. sir," quoth the lady, "I have no husband."

"But these children, madam-you surely are not a widow?" "I fear you were mistaken, sir,

when you first came up. These are not my children. This is an orphan

Lewisburg Fair.

Union County Fair will be held at



WILL YOU SEE

We are now prepared to show you

the finest line of coats and capes that

both popular. Coats are all short, and

capes about the same as last year.

We can show you anything from \$5

up in rough and plain fabrics. Fur

capes in all grades. It will pay you to

We are now more than ever con-

vinced that we have the finest line of

blankets ever shown in Bloomsburg.

Our line is complete, from the blank-

et we offer you at \$1.00, which will be

hard to equal at that price, anywhere

up to most any price you want. You

inspect our line.

Blankets.

Thirteenth Annual Reunion of the 16th Pa. Cavalry Veterans Association.

lumbia county, Pa., on Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1895. This beautiful bor-ough lies on a bluff on the south bank of the Susquehanna river, is romantic in scenery, delightful as to location beauties? and is a stirring business centre. Its hotels are unsurpassed in the central Serges. part of the state. It is entered by the D. L. & W. R. R. and the Penn-Nothing more serviceable for a house dress, rothing better for full wear than a serge. We have them in a dozen or more colors, ones that will sylvania R. R. Those living south of the Susquehanna river will be best accommodated by taking the P. R. R. route, and should apply for card at stand more wear and tear than any other goods. We bought quite a numonce. Those at Wilkes-Barre and other points north of that can get ber of these that we are offering at orders from the secretary from Wilkesfigures that dare competition. 50 in. Barre to Berwick. The Lehigh Valfine all wool French 50c. 25 in. fine all wool French, 25c. the yd. Others ley R. R. Co. sell on card orders over their lines good from Sept. 24 to Oct. in various variety of quality and price. ad inclusive to Wilkes-Barre, Tomhicken or Shamokin. Those who Coats and Capes.

wish can stay an extra day and go fishing. We expect Col. James C. Robinson, Gen. J. K. Robinson, Lieut. W. A. McDonnell, Lieut. Dunn, Capts. Billings, Banker, Reesler, Carry and others. It is a nice trip and a nice time of year.

Don't fail to come and bring your wives and daughters. Send to the secretary for card orders over all railroads within the state controlled by the P. R. R. as follows: P. R. R. Division, C. R. of New Jersey, Phila. & Erie, Northern Central, West Jersey, Camden & Atlantic, Phila., Wilmington & Baltimore Railroads, Also over Lehigh Valley. As the secretary has only a limited number of

you at once if you do not intend to T. D. GARMAN, Sec'y,

So much has been said recently about the quarterly statement of the County Treasurer, that the publication of the Act of Assembly on that subject will throw light upon the ques-tion. The Act of 15 April, 1834, Sec. 37, reads as follows :

"It shall be the duty of every county treasurer to receive all moneys due or accruing to the county, and to pay the same on warrants drawn by the commissioners. He shall keep a just Brook Park near Lewisburg Sept 24th and true account of all moneys received and disbursed, which account shall be at all times open to the inspection of the commissioners and each of them : he shall, once in three months, and oftener if required, furnish the commissioners with a statement of all moneys received and disbursed since the date of his last statement, exhibiting the balance remaining in his hands together with the names of the collectors in whose hands any arrearages of taxes may remain, with the amount thereof : and he shall. once in each year, state his accounts. and produce his vouchers, which, after examination by the commissioners. shall be by them laid before the county auditors for settlement according to

a week, are here for your approval. An hour spent among these beautiful stuffs will help you to plan that beautiful new dress. Won't you come while the bloom are on these fabric

THE NEW STYLES ?

Dish Dept.

The latest in fabrics and fashions, not out of the boxes

Are you in want of any dishes this fall in any line? We carry the most complete line of dishes to be found in the county, We buy in the largest quantities, therefore get the best prices. Johnson Bros.' iron stone china, guaranteed, which you can make up a set to suit yourselves. We are showing now a beautiful pattern in the finest semi-porcelain, also guaranteed, which we carry in open stock, will make you up a set 100 pieces, \$12.00, or you can pick it out to suit your own taste. Never sold before for less than \$16 the 100 piece set.

we have ever carried. Our stock is Olives. complete now. Which is going to be worn? We cannot say as they are

Are you a lover of olives? If so, and enjoy a genuine olive, not green plumbs, why pay for a fancy bottle, when you can buy the genuine olives, ust as good by the quart, pint or half pint. Examine them for yourself Eat one, we want you to. 30c. qt.

Catsup.

The finest on the market. Pint and half pint bottles. If it is not good, return it, but you won't ; you will return and be sure you ask for the Blue Label Catsup. 15 and 25c. the bottle.

Sweet Pickles.

Heintz's sweet pickles loose, can buy them as you want, large or small quantities, 15c. the pt., or in bottles, fully convinced that we tell the truth. Midgets, 25c. the bottle. Sherwood's beauties, 35c. the bottle.

PURSEL & HARMAN, BLOOMSBURG, PENN'A.

Free! To Niagara Falls and Return.

Take the letters contained in W.O. M-A-N-K-I N-D and arrange so as to for all time. When sifted down it make as many small words as possible, would be found that the credit system

once. It would quickly spread, like measles in a country school, and when it does it will solve the great problem using the same letter in the construc- is the progenitor of and responsible

Nanticoke, Pa. must call and examine them to be County Treasurer's Statement.

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a true America n and Grover Cleveland as a greater American and retired amid tremendous applause.

DEBAUOHING POLITICS

A Western Pennsylvania Steel Company Expended \$25.000 For Quay.

From Herbert Welsh's City and State.

The Hastings-Quay contest has than a million dollars was spent in the primary elections and in the corrupwell supplied with money. and it was expended liberally wherever it was under the Wilson law .- Patriot. thought its use would accomplish results. Quay played the poor dodge, and his adherents were given the cue to spread the tale that the innocent and traduced leader was without funds, and that his entire private fortune would be swept away in the effort to stem the tide of opposition that had set in against him. Poor Quay !

One of the stories since the convention is that, as soon as the fight was an illness, more or less severe, of two declared on, a prominent Western Pennsylvania steel company contribut- home, in Philadelphia. ed a check of \$25,000 as a nucleus for the campaign fund which the at 426 Walnut steet, has been associmanufacturers of the state rolled up ated with the Catawissa Road almost for the man from Beaver. Of course, on the other side the cash was also Recently he made a strong effort in plentiful. There was never any lack the courts to compel the Philadelphia of it. It is said that one side spent and Reading Road, lessee of the Cata-\$15,000 in Montgomery county, and wissa Road, to pay a larger dividend the other side halt as much; that in than the minimum rate stated in the another county, toward the close of lease in order that the common stockthe contest, the snug sum of \$25,000 holders could get some return on their was offered for the delegates; that \$3,000 was tendered for the vote of the two preferred stocks only. The another county, and that similar sums were offered for the delegates of many counties in the state. It will take years, and the active participation of the people at the primary elections to purify the polls of the debauchery of the campaign just closed.

A lot of new judgment exemption notes, with attorney's commission, ooks of 25 and 50. tf.

Mahlon P. Hutchinson Dead.

A Long Illness Ends the Life of the Catawissa Railroad's President.

Mahlon P. Hutchinson, well known as president of the Catawissa Railroad, died early Monday morning at the Hotel Traymore, Atlantic City, after years. His body was taken to his late

Mr. Hutchinson, whose office was from the date of its organization. stock. The minimum rate covered case was defeated in the court on the ruling that the Reading Company paid all the rental the company was entitled to.

Some years ago the name of Frank Beamish of Scranton was known to every politician in the State. He wielded great influence in this congressional district when portions of and waiving everything, just printed Scranton were in it. Death closed at this office. Sold single, or in his career last Friday, after a long illness.

to 27th 1895. For the benefit of visitors, the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets from Williamsport, Bellefonte, East Bloomsburg, Mt. Carmel and intermediate points to Brook Park-Sept. a4th to 27th valid for return passage until September 28th 1895 inclusive at reduced rates.

Special Trains will be run Sept. 25th, 26th and 27 between Lewisburg and Brook Park every half hour from 9.30 A. M. to 5 15 P. M.

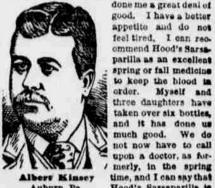
Special return trains will be run on Thursday Sept. 26th to Coburn and on Friday Sept. 27th to Glen Iron leaving Lewisburg 5.30 P. M. Brook Park 5.33 P. M. stopping at intermediate stations.

For time of regular trains consult time tables.

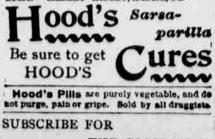
The view on the change of the grade of West Street between Fourth and Fifth was well attended on Tuesday.

All That's Claimed

"I had a poor appetite, that tired feeling and was run down, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has



time, and I can say that Hood's Sarsaparilla io Auburn, Pa. all that is claimed for it. I most heartily recmend it, and shall always keep it in my house." ALBERT KINSEY, Auburn, Pa.



THE COLUMBIAN

From this it will be seen that the Treasurer's accounts shall be at all times open to the inspection of the Commissioners, and each of them. The law does not require him to permit the public to handle his account books. He is under heavy bonds, and if everybody had the right to handle his books, an evil minded person might make trouble by a change of figures. No business man would do business

that way, and the law is right in not compelling the county to do it in that way

The Treasurer shall, once in three months, or oftener, if required, furparilla as an excellent nish the Commissioners with a statespring or fall medicine ment of money received and paid out, &c. In this the law has been strictly complied with, but it will be noticed that this account is only for the inforand it has done us much good. We do mation of the Commissioners, that they may know the condition of the finances. It is not for publication, though the Commissioners say they have no objection to showing these statements to any one who wants in-

formation for legitimate purposes. The law requires the Treasurer and Commissioners, once a year, to produce their accounts before the Auditors for examination. This they do. If the Auditors find anything wrong, they will say so, and if the Auditors make mistakes the law affords ample remedy by appeal.

The latest estimate on the cost of the proposed Nicaragua Canal is \$110,-000,000.

tion of any word no more times than it is contained in Womankind.

The publishers of Ladies' Every Saturday will give a free trip to but it fosters extravagance-the pur-Niagara Falls and return (from the home of the sender) including one week's board at a first-class hotel, or its equivalent in cash to the first person forwarding a list of not less than thirty words as directed above.

A First-Class Bicycle (pneumatic tire) for either girl or boy, to the first person sending list of twenty-five words as above.

A Beautiful Music Box playing ten tunes to the first person sending list of twenty words as above, and one hundred other articles of value as Favors or Rewards in order of merit as received.

Three two cent stamps must be sent for copy of thirty-two page illustrated Newspaper for Women, containing full particulars of the Leisure Hour Circle Word Building Exercises for bright people. The address of The Ladies' Every Saturday is 36 South Seventh Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Industrial World makes the following sensible remark upon the credit system, and claims that merchants generally are responsible for it: Why do merchants encourage the credit system? You answer that you don't. Yes, but you do. If the system was not encouraged by the merchants it would not be in existence to day. Did you ever stop to think that the mercantile community of the country are the only body of men who tolerate the credit system ? Let's see you buy postage stamps, postal notes, money orders, etc., on credit ; try it, and see what you'll be told. Go to the theatre and you pay money. Express companies demand cash, and railroad tickets are cash on delivery to the purchaser. Why should not the merchant demand and receive cash ? Simply because he encourages the credit system. It may be an impossibility to completely eradicate the system, but strict limitations on credit is a step in the right road, and the evolution will be practically a cash basis system of doing business. It is worth a trial and should be begun at

for more evils that effect the financial and business world than all other agencies combined. Not only this, chase of goods which can be very well done without.

The Berwick Fair.

The twelfth annual fair of the Northern Columbia and Southern Luzerne Agricultural Association will be held on their grounds at Berwick, Pa., on October 2, 3, 4, and 5. This association, always noted for its fine displays and numerous attractions, is this year overdoing everything in the past. A special effort is being put forth for good racing-professional bicycle racing being a great feature, in which many of the best professional riders of the country are entered. In addition to these a balloon ascension daily and championship shooting, with the many other attractions, will be more than one pair of eyes can behold. Full particulars are given in pamphlets issued by the society, which can be had on application or by addressing A. E. Shuman, Secretary, Berwick, Pa. The public is assured that this year's exhibition will prove pre-eminently attractive.

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

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Peter Levan deceased, late of the town-Ship of Conyngham.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 16th day of September A. D. 1895. letters testamentary on the estate of Feter Levan, of Conyngham township, Columbia county, were granted to William Goodman, Executor named in the will, to whom all persons are required to make pay-ment, and all claims against the estate must be presented duly authenticated. WILLIAM GOODMAN, FREEZE & HARMAN, Centralia, Penna.

FREEZE & HARMAN, Attys. Centralia, Penna. 9-20-66

