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THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1896.

FOR PRESIDENT, WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT. ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

It must be about as much as Mr. McKinley can do to keep from making an occasional speech for free silver, just from force of habit.

Hon. W. T. Creasy is the only Democratic candidate for Representative on the south side of the river. In and one vote for a north side candi date. This is in accordance with the long established custom of the party.

It has been rumored for several days that a new deal has been made, and a new combination entered into, regarding the offices and politics of are are quite indefinite.

Rhawn, will cease.

with Krickbaum, and the latter pub- denouncing the ticket as a "theatrical" lished a statement in the Daily of Wednesday denying that there was any deal with Herring and Rhawn.

To the Democratic Voters of Columbia County.

not help what either Krickleing a or owners one third, such a yearly approwhat he calls the Bloomsbur prig priation would result in the building are doing. I ask your support or the each year of 3,000 miles of macadem office of County Commissioner, for the purpose, if elected, of serving the best interest of the tax-payers.

JOHN N. GORDON.

To the Democratic Voters of Columbia County.

I hereby announce my withdrawal as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner at the coming Democratic delegate election. At the same time I wish to thank my friends for their offers of support and assistance. J. G. SWANK.

Bloomsburg, Pa., July 28, 1896.

Bloomsburg, Pa., July 27, 1896. To the Democratic voters of Columbia County :- The report has been circulated in some parts of the county that I have withdrawn from the fight for the nomination of District Attorney. I wish to inform you that it is not true. I am a candidate for the same, subject to the rules of the Democratic Convention, to be held August 11, 1896. Thanking you beforehand, I am

> Yours respectfully, W. A. EVERT.

Mr. Buckalew will not be a candidate for nomination for Congress at the delegate election in this county; but he informs us that he will in due time take part in the general campaign as usual.

The Silver Party Convention.

The Silver party's convention, held at St. Louis simultaneously with that of the Populists, was composed almost exclusively of Republican silver adherents, and readily accepted the Chicago licket and its entirety. As to the platforms of the Populist and Silver conventions they resemble that of the Chicago convention near enough on the silver question to answer every ourpose of the Free Silver advocates. was endorsed.

### BRYAN NOMINATED.

The "Pops" Name Him for President Despite His Refusal.

The Populist Convention, after four days of heat, turmoil and unlimited oratory, completed its labors last Saturday afternoon and adjourned sine die. Notwithstanding the receipt of one or more telegrams from Mr. W.

The Populist Convention, after four ary on the estate of Allen Shellhamer, late of the township of Centre, county of Columbia, Pa. deceased, have been granted to John Shellhamer and James Shellhamer, residents of Foundry file, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

JOHN SHELLHAMER, JAMES SHELLHAMER, Executors. J. Bryan, declining to permit the use of his name on the Populist ticket unless Mr. Arthur Sewall, his associate on the Chicago ticket, was also indorsed, Mr. Bryan was put in formal nomination, as originally contemplated by General Weaver of Iowa, and seconded by one or more spokesmen from every State and Territory, with about 10 exceptions, and on a ballot received 1042 votes against 321 for Colonel Norton of Chicago, who at the last moment was selected as the candidate of the unreconstructed "middle-of-the-road" element.

It was the intention of this faction early in the morning to place Eugene V. Debs in the nomination and thus to force the labor issue to the front, but Mr. Debs telegraphed declining to serve, and his telegram was respected. Strenuous efforts were made without avail by Ignatius Donnelly and others to obtain some kind of assurance that Mr. Bryan would accept the nomination and stand upon the platform. The permanent chairman, Senator Allen of Nebraska, admitted that he voting at the delegate election the had received some kind of a telegram voters should mark one vote for him, from Mr. Bryan, but he said he had paid no attention to it. He also said he had received one supposed to be from Governor Stone, but would not open it until he reached his home in Nebraska.

Before adjourning, the convention adopted a resolution clothing the National Committee with plenary powers this county. According to these to do anything and everything which reports it seems that the deal the convention itself might have done stands about as follows: Will- if in session This, of course, would iam Krickbaum, Grant Herring and authorize it to take down the names W. H. Rhawn have got together, and of either Mr. Bryan or Mr. Watson, Krickbaum is to be supported for or both, if necessary, to construct an commissioner, and Henrie for Pro- entirely new ticket. The National thonotary. The rumors connect a Committee was enlarged so as to connumber of other candidates with this sist of three members from each State deal, but the reports as to who they and Territory. But, naturally, the power conferred upon this cumbrous It is reported that for the support body will eventually be lodged in an of Krickbaum now, he will support executive committee of more man-Herring for Congress when he is a ageable size. A noticeable feature of Herring for Congress when he is a candidate in the future, and that he will also support Rhawn as a candidate for Judge two years hence. It is also reported that the attacks in hounced, it was not followed up by the last moments of the convention was the fact that, though the result of the ballot for President was announced, it was not followed up by declaration on the part of the Notary Public.

County of Columbia, 1 County of Columbia the Sentinel against Herring and any declaration on the part of the Chair that Bryan had been duly chosen The foregoing are the reports as the candidate of the People's party they are floating around. On the for President of the United States. other hand, Senator Herring denies The convention separated in bad that he has any arrangement whatever humor, many of the delegates openly

The Secretary of Agriculture says that \$4,000,000 is annually spent in repairing Pennsylvania roads. The money is mainly thrown away, of course. The assertion is made that I belong to no political ring or if it were spent in building permanent moination. I stand aloof from ring- | highways, the State paying one-third, stors and political tricksters, anythigh- the county one-third and the property or telford road 12 feet wide.

Makes life misery to thousands of people. It manifests itself in many different ways, like goitre, swellings, running sores, boils, salt rheum and pimples and other eruptions. Scarcely a man is wholly free from it, in some form. It clings tenaciously until the last vestige of scrofulous poison is eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the

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Thousands of voluntary testimonials tell of suffering from scrofula, often inherited and most tenacious, positively, perfectly and permanently cured by

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Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's. Hood's Pills pills, aid digestion. 25c.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ELVINA WHITESIGHT DECD The undersigned auditor as solnted by the Or-phans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Evenutor of the estate of Elvina Whitenight, late of Fishingcreek township, dee'd, will sit at the office of B. Frank Zarr, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Sat-tracy, September 5, 1896, at 10 o'clock a, m., when and where all parties interested will attend or be forever barred from any share in said fund. "O'ever barred from any share in said fund."

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Reberca Bogert, late of Pichingcreek tosconchip, Columbia county, decid.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphanic Count of Columbia county to make distribution of the fund in the hands of Moses Molling, executor of said estate, will sit in his office in Electroscope, for, on Saturday, August 29, 1896, at 16 o'clock a, m, when and where all persons having dains against said estate must appear and proceed the same, or be decorred from coming H. A. McKILLIP.

J. S. JOHN, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. The nomination of Bryan and Watson Office and residence, 410 Main St., 7-30-1y. BLOOMSBURG, PA

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Allen Shellhumer, late of Centre township, deceased.

Foundryville, Pa.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, on the first Monday of next term, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, under Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29, A. D. 1874, and the supplements thereto, by Wm H. Smith, Irak McHenry, H. L. Mattman, N. O. McHenry and R. Appleman, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "First Christian Church of Benton," the charter and object of ichich is the support of the public worship of Almighty God according to the constitution, canons, dicipline, doctrine, faith, government and forms of the Christian Church, which it hereby accedes to and adopts, and for the purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the Act of Assembly aforesaid, and its supplements. Bloomsburg, Pa.,

July 27, 1896.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

-OF THE-

NATIONAL

AT BLOOMSBURG, THE STATE OF PENNA. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JULY 14, 1896,

RESOURCES. other real estate and mortgages owned. Due from National Banks (not Re-Serve Agents)
Due from State Banks and Bankers.
Due from approved reserve agents.
Checks and other cash items.
Notes of other National banks
Fractional paper currency, nickels
and cents.

Specie. 6,391.55
Legal-tender notes 8,409.00
U. S. Certificates of Deposit for legal tenders.
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).

LIABILITIES.

LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:

Capital stock paid in..... national Bank notes outstanding.
Due to other National Benks.
Due to Siste Sanks and Bankers.
Dividends unpaid.
Individual deposits subject to check
Certified checks.
Cashler's checks outstanding.

State of Pennsylvania, ss County of Columbia, ss

CORRECT—Attest:
C. M. CREVELING,
N. U. FUNK,
PETER A. EVANS,
WM. S. MOYER,

# 3 JOHN R. TOWNSEND,

TAILOR,



BLOOMSBURG PA.

AND

TROUSERS FROM \$5.00

ORPHANS' COURT SALE -OF VALUABLE-

SUITS

FROM \$18,00.

### REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order issued out of the O i phans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned Administrator of Mary J. Vanhorn, late of Hemlock township, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pa., two miles from Buckhorn, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER, 1, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following farm and tract of real estate:

All that certain piece, parcel and tract of land situate in the township of Hemlock, county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone corner standing at the side of the road leading from Jerseytown to Bloomsburg. thence along said road and lands of Hart-line, north 19 degrees and three-fourths west sixty-five perches to a black oak; thence north forty-three degrees and one-half east seventyone perches to a pine; thence north thirtyeight and one-half degrees west one hundred and five perches to an oak; thence by land formerly owned by Frederick Pable, north forty-three and one-half degrees east twenty two perches to a chestnut oak; thence by land formerly owned by heirs of Frederick Reichart. eighty-six perches to a post; thence by land formerly owned by Michael Whitenight, south one and one quarter degrees east two hundred and twenty-one perches and five-tenths to a pine; thence by land formerly owned by Henry Bomboy, north eighty-one and a quarter de grees west sixty-eight perches to place of beginning, containing

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adore handed and fifty-we per him be the same, more or less. There is erected upon said tract of land two

sets of farm buildings, consisting of

TWO HOUSES and BARNS, all in good state of repair. There is excellent

water on the premises and is in close proximity to churches, school houses and stores. All personal property and grain in the ground is reserved. Purchaser to pay for deed.
TERMS OF SALE—Ten per centum of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at

the striking down of the property; the one fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nist, with interest from that date. H. W. SHADE,

GRANT HERRING, Atty.

### Its the Spirit Behind the Guns

That does the business. The old fashioned droning way o keeping shop will not do for this end of the nineteenth century. No time of the year when the trading public can secure

such bargain benefits as right now. Makers and agents are selling at most any reasonable sacri-

The wide-awake merchant takes advantage of this for the benefit of his patrons.

Strong Summer Dress | shirts from \$1.00 to 85c. Goods Argument.

Special lot of these; the wind up of our summer dress goods offer some at about half early season's prices. If you want a nice cool wash dress, now is the time to get it. Dimities reduced from 121 to 6c. Dimities, Lawns and Linens from 15 to 121c. Calicos, very best to be had from 6 to 4c.

More Laundried Waists Never tired of talking about them.

Sharps the name on these, owned cheap, you get them cheap. That's our mode of doing business. Ladies' waists laundried, reduced from

from 50c. to 35c.

Men's Shirts.

We put on sale to-day a lot of Men's R. &. R. Boned chicken and turkey. shirts. They are alright in every re- R. & R. potted chicken and turkey. spect, and yet we make a price on Underwood's deviled ham.
them that is hard to beat. Come in and examine them. Men's laundried and pickles of all kinds.

Men's unlaundried shirts from 75c.

This is the best offer we ever made to you in this line.

Ladies' Muslin

Underwear. Did you ever see the kind of under-

wear we are selling? None of your slip shod, half put together stuff, but real well made articles out of good material.

Groceries.

Hot weather people don't want to 75c. to 5oc.
Ladies' waists, unlaundried, reduced ask you to cook, but here is a chance to eat without cooking. Franco-American Food Co's. truffled

## Pursel & Harman.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

# BROADWA

NOW FOR THE BIG SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE! PAST RECORDS BROKEN. WE SHALL INDULGE

We propose to make this sale the greatest event of our history. Every dollar's worth of surplus stock has been marked at prices to close it in a week. Cost, former value, and loss will not be considered. We are bound to sell the goods. We mean just what we say and want you to regard every word as a cold fact. We consider it a wise loss and take it cheerfully. The sale will last just one week, and it is a buying opportunity that none should miss.



In no spread-eagleism, no bombast, but give you a chronicle of money-saving facts that will throng the store with purchasers. There are bargains in this store at all times, but not such as these. Read the list to the end, cut out from the advertisement, the items that interest you and compare the printed statement with the actual merchandise offered. Money back on every dollar's worth that you purchase, if not as represented and satisfactory.

space for full descriptions, but if you never bought silks before, you'll buy them now at these prices:

Fancy Waist Silks, former prices, 39, 69 and 98 cents to \$1.15 per yard. Sale price, 29, 56, 79 and 98c. per

A Dress Goods Slump, Might as well own up: We're over-stocked on Dress Goods! We'll move them, though; see if we don't. It means a big loss, but it's got to be done. These prices would make the

cottons blush. Fancy Worsted Suitings, regular, 12 cents. Sale price, 81 cents. Fancy Worsted Suitings in Brown, Navy and Garnet, regular price, 18 cents. Sale price 14 cents. 36 inch colored cashmeers, 19 cents yard.

It Hits the Men's Goods.

And hits them hard. All the sum muer lots go nnder the knife: Outing Shirts, Suspenders, Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs and Laundried Shirts. Prices talk here with no uncertain sound.

Men's 98c. Laundried Percale Shirts, some with detached collars and cuffs, assorted styles and sizes, all at bleached, at 12½, 15, 19c. yard. 75 cents each to close. Suspenders, Odd Lots of Gloves. sale prices, 8, 10, 13, 19c. per pair. Men's fancy silk neck scarfs, 42, 50 and 62 cts., lines all at 25c. each. Men's 4 ply solid linen standing collars,

all sizes, 5 cents each; 6 for 25 cents. The Wash Goods Whirl.

Want to sell every yard of wash goods in the stock. See if prices wen't The Summer Hesiery and Underdo it: Printed Lawns, fast colors, 21 31 and 5 cents. Dimities, Silkolettes, silk printed effects in washable goods, don't want to winter them. Absurd about two waists for the price of one.

Sun Umbrellas.

Its not a question of what they are worth, but what will sell them? They've got to go and go quick. Note the prices, then see if we are honest

about it: 26 inch umbrellas, worth 50c., sale price, 42c.

26 inch Gloria umbrellas, worth \$1, sale price, 8oc. 26 inch Twill umbrellas, worth \$1.50, sale price, 98c.

House-Keeping Goods at Less than Mill Prices. It's only for a week, though. The pace is too hot for a longer period, so

buy all you want. 2000 yards fine, yard wide, un bleached muslin, the kind you readily pay 6c. for. Price for this sale, 4c. yard. Special, yard wide, fine bleached muslin, 16 yards for \$1.

All Linen Crash Towels, good size, 10c, each. Our regular \$1.25 white bed spread, large size and extra heavy weight, price for this sale, 98c. each. Wide sheetings, bleached and un-

Some kid, some silk, some lisle, but they've all got marching orders and share the great price pinch. Ladies' black cotton gloves, sale prices, 9, 13, 19c. per pair. Kid gloves, sale prices 50, 69 and 75c. pair. Ladies' black price, 15c. silk mitts, sale prices, 13, 19, 23c. pair

wear Must Go. You can use them now, and we is to see the stock cleaned out. Its

Silks First.

Haven't much time for talk, nor cost not considered. Best indigo blue prices with the intrinsic worth of the prints, price for the sale, 4c. yard.

I large line, all to go at 5 cents a yard, is the word, when you compare the prices with the intrinsic worth of the sortment. Your choice during this sale at 39c. each. Come quickly be-

Ladies' Ribbed Vests, sale price, 4, 9, 13, 19c. each. Ladies' fast black seamless hose, with white feet, our regular 2 for 25c. line, during this sale toc. pair. Children's seamless ribbed black hose, Hermsdorf dye, double knees, a 121c. article, at 9c. pair. Men's summer underwear, 17, 25 and 35c. per garment.

Ladies' Capes.
There'll be a merry time here: 50c. will do a dollars worth in most cases, but we'd rather have the money than the goods. Cost is not considered here:

Capes, 60, 98c., \$1.50, \$2.00 each. Staple Black Goods. Join the general price tumble. only for a week, and you'll appreciate

the chance. 50 inch wide wale black storm serge, good value at 69c yd, sale pri ce 38 inch fine black Henrietta, cheap

at 50c. Sale price, 42c. A Ribbon Riot.

Over stocked in certain lines. We know how to reduce them, though, and make it very satisfactory to you at the same time.

All silk satin edge ribbon, No. 4, 2c. yd. No. 7, 5c. yd. No. 9, 6c. yd. No. 12, 8c. yd. Heavy black satin ribbon, No. 15, worth 22c. yd. Sale

Last Call on Shirt Waists. And its the loudest of the season. Good-bye, profit! All we want now fore the assortment is broken. A Scap Slide.

Soap cuts a wide swath in our civilization. Like art and literature, it has a refining influence. Soap is also a powerful factor in politics. We shall sell during this sale any of our standard makes of toilet soap as follows:

Cocoa Castile, 3 pieces for 5 cents. Royal Navy, a milled soap, wrapped, c. a cake.

Buttermilk soap, 8c. box of 3 cakes. Muslin Underwear.

Odd lots slightly soiled. Want to clear them out. Give you a pick of them at merely nominal prices: Night-Dresses, 50c. each. Drawers, 25 and 50c. pair, Skirts, 50 and 98c. each, Chemises, 25, 50 and 75c. each, Corset Covers, 13, 24, 48c. each.

Notion Nuggets Last.

Noted in a line and every item pregnant with money saving meaning to you.

Shell hair pins, 4c. a dozen. 200 yd. spool cotton, 2c. spool. Hair curlers, 2, 3 and 5c. each. Kid hair crimpers, 3, 4 and 5c. doz. A'uminum hair pins, 2 for 1c. Belts, all kind, 4, 9, roc. and up. Swansdown toilet powder, 3c. box. Children's hose supporters, 4c. pair. Darning needles, 2c. paper of 25. Steel and bone crotchet hooks, 20.

Silver plated thimbles, re. each. Shoe laces, 2c. dozen. Velveteen skirt facing, 7c. piece. Eagle talon hook and eyes, 2c. card.

Remember that this Sale begins on SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1st, and will positively end on SATURDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 8th.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED TO THE CASH TRADE ONLY BY