

WASHINGTON NOTES.

It is impossible to find a member of either house of Congress who will confess that his official salary enables him to more than cover expenses.

There is no reason why a thrifty man, even one accustomed to the necessities of life, should not save near two thousand dollars during each term in the House.

The truth of the matter is that many representatives and a few Senators do manage to save a little.

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Effects of Shocks Upon Cast Iron.

It has long been an accepted theory that cast iron is injured by a succession of shocks.

The gain in strength was from ten to fifteen per cent. A number of iron rods were placed in a box and shaken in order to free them from the sand of the molds, and to give them a slight smoothness and polish.

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Bryan Gives Halt His Income.

W. J. Bryan will give one-half the royalties received from the sale of his book, "The First Battle," to the cause of bimetallicism, and has appointed a committee whose duty it will be to properly expend the funds received for that purpose.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the funds in the hands of the administrator of the estate of Christopher Kuster, deceased, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Saturday, April 10th, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mordecai Millard, late of Centre township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands against said estate to present them for settlement properly authenticated or be forever barred from coming in for a share of said fund.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of the said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.

In the matter of the partition of the estate of James Johnson, deceased.

To William Johnson, Jerseytown, Columbia County, Pa.; Richard Johnson, Millville, Columbia County, Pa.; Silas Johnson, Hughesburg, Pa.; John Johnson, Watsonburg, Pa.; Jane Johnson, intermarried with Jonty Craig, Opps P. O., Lycoming County, Pa.; Alice Johnson, intermarried with George Hare, Strawberry Ridge, Pa.; and the following grand-children of Henry Johnson, deceased, who was a son of James Johnson, deceased, viz: George Johnson, Mooresburg, Pa.; John Johnson, Mills, Danville, Pa.

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H. BIERMAN, M. D. HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON OFFICE HOURS: Office & Residence, 4th St., UNTIL 9 A. M., 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 P. M. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

S. B. ARMENT, M. D. Office and Residence No. 18, West Fifth St. DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND NOSE SPECIALTY (8 to 10 A. M. BLOOMSBURG OFFICE HOURS: 2 to 4 P. M., 7 to 9 P. M. PA.

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DR. M. J. HESS, DENTISTRY IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, Crown and bridge work SPECIALTY, Corner Main and Centre Streets, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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C. WATSON MCKELVY, FIRE INSURANCE AGENT. (Successor to B. F. Hartman) Represents twelve of the strongest Companies in the world, among which are:

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Losses promptly and honestly adjusted and paid as soon as determined, by Christian F. Knapp, Special Agent and Adjuster, Bloomsburg, Pa. The people of Columbia county should patronize the agency where losses, if any, are settled and paid by one of their own citizens.

CENTRAL HOTEL, B. Stohner, Prop. C. F. Stohner, Assistant, BLOOMSBURG, PA. Large and convenient sample rooms. Hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences. The hotel has been lately refurbished.

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Look the Door

Before the horse is stolen. Purify, enrich and vitalize your blood and build up your physical system before disease attacks you and serious sickness comes.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Easy to take, gentle, mild. 25 cents.

Captain Heard's Exploit.

The speed of the Baltimore clippers in days gone by made history rebound with their exploits. Every boy and girl has read at some time or place of the piratical long, low, rakish looking schooners that cruised the ocean ostensibly as privateers, but chiefly as pirates in those days, and have marveled more or less at their astounding adventures.

It was a dangerous thing to do, but Heard relied upon the good timber in his ship's bows to withstand the shock, although his heart grew sad at the loss of life. Still, as he put it, "My honor and life were at stake, so he had to go under."

Improper and deficient care of the scalp will cause grayness of the hair and baldness. Escape both by the use of that reliable specific, Hall's Hair Renewer.

Fun Making and health making are included in the making of Hires Rootbeer. The preparation of this great temperance drink is an event of importance in a million well regulated homes.

Hires Rootbeer is full of good health. Invigorating, appetizing, satisfying. Put some up to-day and have it ready to put down whenever you're thirsty.

Made only by The Charles E. Hires Co., Philadelphia. A package makes 5 gallons. Sold everywhere.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENTS. The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia County on the first Monday of May A. D., 1897 and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute.

Estate of E. J. Cole, late of Jackson twp. deceased, Personalty \$304.00. Estate of Wesley E. Stues, late of Millin twp. deceased, Personalty \$218.00. Realty \$89.30. Estate of James W. Boss, late of Sugarloaf twp. deceased, Personalty \$244.00. Estate of Joseph C. Davis, late of Centre twp. deceased, Personalty \$80.00. Estate of George Cole, late of Benton twp. deceased, Personalty \$475.00. W. H. HENRIE, Clerk's Office, BLOOMSBURG, Pa., April 1, 1897.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. In the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa. Estate of Benjamin Parker, late of said county, deceased. The undersigned auditor, appointed by said Court to make distribution of the balance remaining in the hands of the executor of said estate, hereby gives notice that he will meet all parties interested, for the purpose of his appointment at the office of L. S. Winterstein, Esq., in the town of Bloomsburg, Penna., on Friday, April 10th, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where said parties are required to present their claims or be forever barred from participating in the distribution of said fund. G. M. QUICK, Auditor.

EXCHANGE HOTEL, G. SNYDER, Proprietor, (Opposite the Court House) BLOOMSBURG, PA. Large and convenient sample rooms. Bath rooms, hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences

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Mr. Clibbey—I don't see how it is the cyclone didn't carry away that shabby little house of yours.

Farmer Kansas—Couldn't lift the mortgage.—New York Journal.

SENATOR. One member of the last Congress used his wife as his private secretary. Representatives of wealth, however, generally give the full \$1,200 a year to young men regularly employed as secretaries.

She Kept the Secret. An amusing story is told of a maiden lady who was staying in a fashionable London hotel when the last census was taken. Like some other people, she is rather sensitive on the subject of age, and this, of course, was not unnaturally the subject of some quizzing among the other guests.

MARRIED. CHRISTOPHER—KINDT. At the M. E. Parsonage, March 16th, 1897, by Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Samuel A. Christopher of Wellersville, Pa., to Miss Mary A. Kindt of Millville, Pa.

DRAKE—CHRISTOPHER. Also at the same place and time by Rev. E. M. Chilcoat, Mr. Lemuel J. Drake to Miss Martha E. Christopher both of Wellersville, Pa.