

Facts for Labor.

At the convention of the Federation of Labor, the strongest federation of the kind in existence in this country, held at Kansas City, one day last week. President Gompers said in relation to the annexation of the Philippines, by this Government:

"We cannot annex the Philippines without a large increase in our standing army.

A large standing army is repugnant to republican institutions and a menace to the liberty of our own people.

If we annex the Philippines we shall have to conquer the Filipinos by the force of arms, and thereby deny to them what we claim for ourselves—the right of self government.

We shall surrender the present state and independent position by which we are guaranteed the tranquility and the fruits of peace, and force ourselves into European and Asiatic entanglements, implying war and the preparations for war.

We shall become a militant instead of a peace loving nation.

We shall seek to conquer by the force of arms instead of by our own industry, commerce and superior mentality and civilization.

We shall be compelled to open the gates and admit the Chinese, Malays and slave laborers who may come from "our new possessions," since the constitution of the United States forbids the interdiction of the free entry of men and their products between our states and our territories.

The policy of imperialism is a declaration that self government has failed, that the people cannot be trusted, that the dollar is of more consequence than the man, and that the plutocracy and the militarism are nobler than humanity.

The attempt to divert the attention of our people from the ills from which we suffer at home to foreign questions will fail.

The principles of liberty and justice have been imbibed by our people too many years to permit them to be cheated out of their birthright.

The institutions of our republic have taken root too deeply in the minds and hearts of our people to permit us to become a nation of conquerors, or to dominate by force of arms a people struggling for liberty and independence.

A Western Paper's Puff Bates.

A paper out west, having grown tired of boosting candidates which it knew ought to be behind the bars, and of putting wings on deceased persons when there was more call for asbestos garments, has prepared and issued a schedule of rates governing the ordinary line of notices, as follows:

"For calling a man a progressive citizen, when everybody knows he is lazier than a government mule, \$2.75; referring to a deceased citizen as one who is sincerely mourned by the entire community, when we know that he will only be missed in poker circles, \$1.08; referring to some gallivanting female as 'an estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet,' when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, hoofs, and horns and all, than to see her coming toward them, \$3.19; speaking of a candidate as a pleasant, amiable gentleman, who is spoken well of by a large circle of friends who have pushed his claim to office rather against his will, when we all know that he has always wanted some office, from roadmaster up, since he was 21 years of age, \$1.07 per speak; calling an ordinary pulp powder 'an eminent divine,' 60 cents.

To Keep in the Mental Note Book.

Three things to admire—Intellectual power, dignity and gracefulness. Three things to love—Courage, gentleness and affection.

Three things to hate—Cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude. Three things to delight in—Frankness, freedom and beauty.

Three things to wish for—Health, friends and a cheerful spirit. Three things to avoid—Idleness, loquacity and flippant jesting.

Three things to fight for—Honor, country and home. Three things to govern—Temper, tongue and conduct.

YOU SHOULD KNOW—What Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to do for those who have impure and impoverished blood. It makes the blood rich and pure, and cures scrofula, salt rheum, dyspepsia, catarrh, rheumatism, nervousness. If you are troubled with any ailment caused or prompted by impure blood, take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once.

HOOD'S PILLS are prompt and efficient, easy to take, easy to operate.

Must Pay Their Own Expenses.

A decision of the McKean County Courts, that the Commissioners must refund the \$3.50 per day that each received for expenses while attending the State Convention, as well as other moneys paid them for railroad fare and hotel bills while away from the county seat on official business, will have a far-reaching effect. The Court stated that the law does not provide for such expenses.

ADVICE FOR TEMPERANCE PEOPLE.

Educate Not Prohibit, Says Bishop Potter, of New York.

When Bishop Potter declared himself in favor of the saloon at a temperance meeting in New York the other night, he dropped a bombshell in the Prohibition camp and created a sensation in the community of wet goods people, producers and consumers. Potter says the saloon must stay until better places have been provided in which poor people who cannot spare \$50 for a club membership and its incidental expenses may spend an evening. He would give the common, every-day working man a more real enjoyment for his money than he can get in the saloon, and would use educational means that in time would result in the slave to appetite abandoning his old resorts and step up on the higher plane of sociability without dissipation. Potter would adopt a middle course, and he is right. He does not lay down a cast-iron law that no man shall taste, touch or handle spirituous beverages, but he would teach men the folly of being slaves to unnatural appetites.

You cannot prohibit a man from drinking till he is drunk, but you can show him the foolishness and iniquity of such a course, and lead him to abandon it. A temperance man is one who avoids extremes. To drink no wine at all is an extreme just as much as to drink wine to excess. When we say a temperate climate we mean one that is neither too hot nor too cold. Applying the prohibition theory and principle, by a temperate climate we would mean no climate at all.

All educated and refined people deplore the evils of the liquor traffic, and form of the system. But deep-thinking people know that you cannot sweep the liquor business out of existence by one stroke of legislation. The excessive drinker is a victim of a disease, and he cannot be cured by prohibition, but he may be cured, and ten chances to one will be cured, by education. In France everybody drinks wine and other spirituous liquors, but they have no drunkards. All this is so because for generations people have been taught that the use of the beverage was right, but its abuse was wrong. If to-day you passed a prohibitory law in France you would certainly create drunkards in direct proportion to the stringency with which you enforced the law. Bishop Potter has struck the keynote to success. Let the temperance people take up the strain and all respectable people will join them in bringing about reforms that years of vain efforts have failed to accomplish.

CALIFORNIA.

Extraordinary Tour via Pennsylvania Railroad.

America is a great country. In variety and grandeur of natural scenery it is unrivaled. To traverse it, to behold its diversities and its wonders, is a liberal education, a revelation to the immature metropolitan citizen. The Personally-Conducted Tour to California under the direction of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which leaves on February 9, affords a most excellent opportunity to view the vast variety and boundless beauty of this marvelous land. The party will travel over the entire route in the model Pullman train of smoking, dining, sleeping, and observation cars exhibited at the World's Fair, Chicago, and subsequently at Atlanta, Nashville, and Omaha. This train will be placed in service for the first time on this occasion, and will be in charge of a Tourist Agent and Chaperon, who will look after all details of the trip, as well as the individual welfare of members of the party. Stops will be made at Mammoth Cave, New Orleans during Mardi Gras Carnival, El Paso, Los Angeles, San Diego, Redlands, Riverside, Pasadena, Santa Barbara, Monterey, Del Monte, Santa Cruz, Mount Hamilton, Menlo Park, San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Greenwood Springs, Colorado Springs, Manitou and Garden of the Gods, Denver, and Chicago. Nineteen days will be spent in California. Round-trip rate, including all necessary expenses during entire trip, \$400 from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad System east of Pittsburgh; \$395 from Pittsburgh. For itinerary and full information apply to ticket agents; Tourist Agent, 119 Broadway, New York; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. 1-12 3t

ITCHING, BURNING, CREEPING, CRAWLING Skin Diseases relieved in a few minutes by Dr. Agnew's Ointment. Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves instantly, and cures Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Eczema, Ulcers, Blisters and all Eruptions of the Skin. It is soothing and quieting and acts like magic in all Baby Humors, Irritation of the Scalp or Rashes during teething time. 35 cents a box.—3. Sold by C. A. Kleim.

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CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

FEBRUARY COURT—TRIAL LIST

For Week Beginning Monday, February 13th, 1899.

Peter Thomas vs James M. Williams, Susan Cooper vs Margaret Averall et al. C. T. Steck, M. D. vs J. W. Kelenher. Lloyd P. Fox vs George Fox, et al. Susan Gompers vs Daniel Miller. Charles Reibart vs The Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. John Schaefer vs same. Wm Hoffman, Admr, vs Wm Hopper and Mary Hopper. Charles H. Snyder, Indorse of Mary Magee Snyder, vs James Magee, Ad. Dennis Brink vs. The Township of Hemlock. The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Middle Pa, now of Harry's Knight, Receiver, vs Bartold Kierdorf. Same vs Sylvester Heath. Same vs B. Robbins. Same vs Elijah Peterman. Philip Habock vs The Penna R R Co, lessee of the C. & P. R. R. Co. Charles D. Hamlin vs Norman E. Hamlin. Edward and William Barlow vs C. C. Creasy and C. W. Wells. Robert S. Howell vs Daniel Snyder and wife. Charles C. Evans, executor of John Hunt, deceased vs D. H. Hoenly. W. H. Whitener vs Phoebe E. DeWitt and J. M. DeWitt, her agent. Lamar Vastick vs S. S. Dretschbach. W. H. Haneck vs The Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. David Shuman vs same. David Shuman, Trustee of Jacob Moyer Est. David Shuman vs Charles M. Dodson & Co. David Shuman vs George H. Myers & Co. David Shuman vs Charles M. Dodson & Co. Wm C. Sponster vs William Walp, Admr of Mary A. Walp, deceased, William Walp, Geo Walp, James Walp, Samuel Walp, Lydia Clay-well and the Trustees of the Estate of Mary A. Walp, deceased. Rebecca J. Martin vs Boyd R. Yetter. J. B. Johnson vs Benjamin H. Karst et al. Charles Tritt vs The Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal Company. James M. Kithone vs Charles Gibbons and Philip Gibbons. Simon Abelie vs use vs B. Doyle et al. E. E. Elmer vs Joseph J. Smith, Jr. Frank Pursell vs John R. Grotz. W. M. Weaver vs Henry Deighmiller, Hiram Sterling. William Berninger vs The S. H. & W. B. Ryer Co, and its lessee, The Pennsylvania Railroad Co. Anglo American S. & L. Ass'n vs James Magee, Ad. with notice to the Mortgagee, terre tenant. The Citizens B. & L. Ass'n vs Margaret Grady. Julia Ribb, assignee of Franklin L. Shuman, vs Herman T. Y. Adams & Co. J. B. Johnson, deceased, with notice to Matilda Krebs, terre tenant.

ARGUMENT LIST. Commonwealth vs Hiram Albertson. Mary C. Kline vs Rebecca J. Adams, Admx of Ellen Kline. J. Hamlin vs N. E. Hamlin. David Naus vs Wm Hoody. Simon Abelie vs use vs B. Doyle. In re annexation of territory to Boro of Berwick. In re road in Catawissa and Main Twps, from river bridge to Main Street, terre tenant. Madrie Wm Poor Dist vs Bloom Poor Dist. Road in Greenwood Twp, near Heacock's R R Station. Road in Catawissa Twp, near Dan's Merri's barn. In re division of Brarler's Twp into two Twps. Francis C. Kline vs Rebecca J. Adams, Admx of Ellen Kline. vs Henry H. Martz, with notice to all terre tenants. Metropolitan C. Heating Co and Danville Sive Mfg Co, vs Anna M. Berninger. Jeremiah Snyder vs Christina Adams. Road in Franklin Twp, near Francis Dill's. Quaker City Watch Co vs Wm. E. Irwin, Dec'd and Scott E. Fenstermacher, Garshields. The Leader Co, Limited, vs Thomas Gorrie. C. F. Wilson vs R. M. A. Albertson. J. E. Wilson vs N. A. Albertson. Road in Cleveland Twp, near house of Rithard Meisner. Road in Beaver Twp, near Rebecca Hingstler's. Road in Main and Beaver Twps, near Israel Naus' lot. In re Sheriff's sale of real estate of Emma Neyard. Estate of Boyd A. Kile, dec'd. Estate of Andrew Fowler, dec'd.

JURY LIST. GRAND JURORS—REPORT FIRST MONDAY, AT 10 A. M. Benton Boro—Chas. E. J. Keeler, Berwick—Philip Clement, E. K. Richardsen, Geo. E. Clemens. Bloomsburg—A. C. Deshpender, Catawissa Boro—K. S. Cleaver, John Haley, Howard Brown, Geo. B. Rhawn. Catawissa Twp—D. H. Pottoroff. Cleveland—J. H. Himmick, Christian Small, Chas. E. Stine, Samuel Leiby. Conyngham—M. J. Mellie. Fishingcreek—A. N. Hooper. Greenwood—David Albertson. Milfill—Wilson Cressy, F. H. Smoyer. Montour—Henry Kitchin. Mt. Pleasant—P. C. Oman. Orange—M. F. Bowman, Rapido Report. TRAVELER JURORS—FIRST WEEK—REPORT FIRST TUESDAY, AT 10 A. M. Beaver—C. E. Berninger. Berwick—Chas W. Bower, O. E. Evans, Abram Hartman, Harvey Glueker, Albert Bower, Wm Stackhouse, Wm Foley, Henry Jones. Bloomsburg—Chas Evans, Henry F. Pursell, Ralph Gray, B. Martin, Wm H. House, Jas Ritter, Jas Pollock. Briarclark—John Feater. Catawissa Boro—Edward Billig, Chas E Smith, Peter R. Baldy, C. E. Cleaver. Centre—James L. Williams. Conyngham—Edward Rooney, Thos. Kieran. Cleveland—J. H. Himmick, Wm. E. Irwin, Dec'd. Greenwood—John Morris, J. W. Reece, Jno C. Parker, Chas H. Dillide. Hemlock—Wm. E. Irwin, Harry Weston. Locust—Andrew Boyer, William Yeager, Wm Beaver. Main—Daniel Shuman. Madison—C. C. Cooper. Milfill—Milton Lehman. Millville—G. O. Christian. Montour—Josiah Hothers. Pine—W. H. Hayman, B. F. Karshner. Hoadingcreek—W. H. Cherrington, Michael Scott. A. F. McCollum. Sugarloaf—J. W. Perry, Benj. Laubach, John Montour. TRAVELER JURORS—SECOND WEEK—SECOND MONDAY, AT 10 A. M. Benton Twp—Emanuel Laubach, Daniel Estelmann. Berwick—Frank Corkins. Bloomsburg—R. C. Buckalew, Frank Parks, I. E. Hobb, Edward Stierck, H. D. Edgar. Catawissa Boro—David Kashner, W. M. Vastine, Reuben Shuman. Catawissa Twp—Lloyd Cressy. Centre—Geo. Cressy, E. B. Hess, Wilson J. Kline. Cleveland—F. J. DeLong. Conyngham—Wm Richard. Fishingcreek—Herman Chine. Franklin—V. J. Johnson. Greenwood—Wm T. Hileman. Hemlock—Wm Fry. Jackson—W. A. Hart. Locust—Wm Hartig, Anza Kline. Madison—A. F. Hartline, J. J. Cramer. Millville—J. H. Esterson. Montour—Wm Huntington. Mt. Pleasant—G. H. Everett. Orange—Wm. E. Irwin, Dec'd. Pine—Benj. E. Whitmoyer. Sugarloaf—B. D. Cole, Albert Cole, J. E. Fritz.

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INSOLVENT NOTICE. Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the undersigned, and to all persons to whom it may concern, that he will apply to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this Commonwealth, on Monday, February 6, 1899, at three o'clock p. m., of said day, at which time any person having any claim against or against the undersigned, or any claim which may appear and make the same known. THOS. E. ATEN. FEELEK & IKELER, Attys. 1-19-14.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of writs of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, State of Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, '99, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following real estate, situated in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania:

PARCELS No. 1. Designated as the Ingrain Mill, more fully described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southeast corner of Fifth and Leonard streets, thence along south side of Fifth street north 61 degrees, 30 minutes east four hundred forty-nine and one-tenth feet to a stake o land of R. B. R. R., thence along same south 96 degrees, 50 minutes east two hundred and five feet to corner of Tapestry Plant, thence along same south 64 degrees, 30 minutes west seventy-nine feet to a stake, thence along same south 25 degrees, 10 minutes east one hundred and twenty and thirty-four hundredths feet to a stake corner of Spinning Plant, thence along same south 64 degrees, 30 minutes west three hundred and sixty-nine feet to Leonard street, thence along same north 34 degrees, 10 minutes west three hundred and twenty-five and thirty-four hundredths feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a four-story

BRICK INGRAIN CARPET MILL, a three story brick engine, boiler and drying house, barn and out buildings.

PARCELS No. 2. Designated as the Tapestry Plant, more fully described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the line of R. B. R. R. one hundred and ninety feet north of Sixth street at a corner of Ingrain Carpet Mill, thence along same south 64 degrees and 30 minutes west seventy-nine feet to a stake, thence south 25 degrees and 10 minutes east one hundred and sixty-two and sixty-six hundredths feet to the corner of Dye room, thence along same north 64 degrees and 30 minutes east seventy-nine feet to line of R. B. R. R., thence along same north 64 degrees and 30 minutes east one hundred and forty-one and five-tenths feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected

A BRICK WEAVING SHED, used in the manufacture of Tapestry Carpets.

PARCELS No. 3. Designated as the Dry Room or color shop, more fully described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Sixth street, corner of R. B. R. R.; thence along same, north twenty five degrees, 10 min., west forty eight and five tenths feet to a corner of Tapestry plant; thence along same south 68 degrees and 30 minutes west seventy-nine feet to a stake corner of Spinning Mill; thence along same fifty-three and five tenths feet to a point on north side of Sixth street fifty-two feet from place of beginning; thence along same fifty-two feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a one story

BRICK COLOR SHOP.

PARCELS No. 4. Designated as the Spinning Mill. More fully described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on north-east corner of the intersection of Sixth and Leonard streets, thence along Leonard street, north 25 degrees, 10 minutes west sixty-nine and sixty-six hundredths feet to corner of Ingrain Plant, thence along same north 64 degrees, 30 minutes west three hundred and sixty-nine and four-tenths feet to Tapestry Plant, thence along same south 25 degrees, 10 minutes east twenty-one and sixteen-hundredths feet to corner of dye room; thence along same fifty-three and five-tenths feet to line of Sixth street; thence south 64 degrees, 30 minutes west three hundred and ninety-seven and one-tenth feet to place of beginning, whereon is erected a three-story

BRICK BUILDING, with basement used in spinning yarns. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of C. C. Peacock, trustee and James Magee 2nd trustee vs. the Magee Carpet Works, and to be sold as the property of the Magee Carpet Works. C. W. MILLES, W. W. BLACK, Attys. Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Columbia County, the undersigned, administratrix of John Barber, late of Fishingcreek Twp., in said county, deceased, will expose to public sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, '99, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate: All that certain lot of ground, situated in Stillwater, Fishingcreek township, county and state aforesaid, bounded on the north by land of Moses McHenry, on the east by land of William Smith, on the south by public road and on the west by land of Moses McHenry, being about forty feet front on public road and sixteen feet deep, on which is erected a two-story

FRAME WAGON SHOP.

At the same time and place the administratrix will sell a two-story frame building, twenty by thirty-six feet, used as a paint shop, standing on ground of Moses McHenry. Said administratrix will also sell, at the same time and place, the following described personal property: One boiler and engine, one chopper, one turning lathe and bit, shafting and bolts, patent room contents, one gig saw, one-half interest in a wheelbarrow, one bed and bedding, one table, vinegar and barrel.

TERMS OF SALE—For Real Estate:—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the balance to be paid within six months. Possession given April first next, providing one-fourth of the purchase money be paid at that time. Deed at the expense of the purchaser. All personal property on the premises reserved.

TERMS OF SALE—For Personal Property:—All purchases under \$50.00, cash; for all over \$50.00, a note with approved security will be required, payable within six months.

HARRIET BARBER, Admx. of John Barber, dec'd. GRANT HERRING, Atty.

At the same time and place will sell her in, individual property, as follows: One horse, wagon and harness, one pair of new bolt-shoulds and rims, three circular saws and bench, about two or three thousand feet of prime, dry wood for wagon making purposes; a lot of worked wood of the same character, one cart, a boring machine, two work benches and vise, one grindstone and bench, and a variety of tools and patterns, suitable for a wheelwright shop.

TERMS OF SALE—All purchases under \$50.00 cash; for all over \$50.00, note with approved security, payable within six months. 1-19 HARRIET BARBER.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENTS. The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Columbia County on the first Monday of February 1899 and confirmed, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute. Estate of Ezekiel Brink late of Sugarloaf township, Pennsylvania, Personalty \$60.25. Realty \$200.00. Estate of Wm. H. Snyder late of Bloomsburg, Realty \$900.00. W. H. HENRIE, Clerk of O. C.

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