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POLITICAL CARDS.

- FOR COUNTY TREASURER, J. K. SHARPLESS, of Catawissa. FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, WILLIAM H. HENRIE, of Bloomsburg.

The above announcements are all subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention...

A PUBLIC LIBRARY.

At different times during past years the subject of a public library in Bloomsburg has been agitated, but no permanent results were ever reached.

Too Much Salt.

A medical journal advises against the excessive use of salt. It is first of all a perversion of taste the condiment destroying the flavor of delicate dishes if too pronounced.

CONSTABLES' FEES.

An Act to Fix, Regulate and Establish the Fees to be Charged and Received by Constables in this Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That from and after the passage of this act the fees to be charged and received by constables in this Commonwealth shall be as follows:

For executing a warrant on behalf of the Commonwealth, for each defendant one dollar. For conveying defendants, except vagrants, to jail on mittimus or warrant, for first defendant one dollar, and for each additional defendant fifty cents...

For arresting persons guilty of a breach of the peace, riotous or disorderly conduct, drunkenness; or who may be engaged in the commission of any unlawful act tending to imperil the personal security or endanger the property of the citizens; or violating any ordinance of any borough, for the violation of which a fine or penalty is imposed; or offending, or suspected of offending, against the laws of this Commonwealth protecting timberlands; or the violation of any other law of this Commonwealth authorizing arrest by constable without process, and bringing such offender before a justice of the peace, for each defendant seventy-five cents; and for every act in or about the arrest or commitment of vagrants, seventy-five cents for each vagrant so arrested, or arrested and committed, and mileage as hereinafter provided.

For levying a fine or forfeiture on a warrant, fifty cents. For taking the body of a defendant into custody on a mittimus, where bail is afterwards entered before delivery of body to the jailor, one dollar.

For executing bail piece, one dollar. For executing a search warrant and making return thereon, one dollar.

For making returns to the court of quarter sessions, one dollar and fifty cents.

For serving summons notices on referees, suitor or tenant, either personally or by leaving a copy, fifty cents for each person served.

For serving subpoena, fifty cents for the first witness, and fifteen cents for each additional witness served. For executing attachment, fifty cents for each defendant and garnishee served.

For arresting on a capias, one dollar for each person arrested.

For taking bail on a capias, or for delivery of goods, fifty cents.

For notifying plaintiff, where defendant has been arrested on capias, to be paid by plaintiff, twenty-five cents.

For serving writs of execution, one dollar.

For executing landlord's warrant, fifty cents.

For taking inventory of goods, each item two cents.

For levying or distraining goods, fifty cents.

For selling goods levied or distrained, for each dollar not exceeding one hundred dollars, three cents, and for each dollar in excess of one hundred dollars, two cents.

For receiving and paying over money paid after a levy without sale, on each dollar actually received and paid over by the constable to the creditor, two cents.

For advertising sale of goods levied or distrained, one dollar. For copy of vendue paper, when demanded, each item two cents.

For putting up notice of distress at mansion house, or at any other place on the premises, twenty-five cents.

For serving scire facias, either personally or by leaving a copy for each person served, fifty cents.

For executing order of removal of a pauper, seventy-five cents.

For serving executions, fifty cents.

For making return of nulla bona or non est inventus on any writ, twenty-five cents.

For executing writ of restitution, two dollars.

For executing writ of possession, two dollars.

For serving summons in landlord and tenant proceedings, fifty cents.

For taking inventory of goods on an execution, each item two cents.

For holding appraisement, where exemption is claimed by defendant, four dollars, out of which the constable shall pay to each appraiser one dollar.

For attending general, special, township, ward or borough election, three dollars; which sum shall include pay for serving notices in writing to the persons elected at such special, township, ward or borough elections: Provided, That where any such election be held in any township, ward or borough, in which there are more than one election district or precinct, and a deputy constable is appointed to at-

tend elections held at each of such districts or precincts, said deputy constables shall each receive the sum of three dollars.

For traveling expenses in the performance of any duty or service required by law, each mile going and returning, six cents, to be computed by the route usually traveled in going from points and places where said constables may reside, or where he receives any paper to be executed, to the points or places required to be traveled, whether that route be by highways, railroads or otherwise: Provided, That in no case shall more mileage be demanded or received than for the miles actually traveled.

For services not herein specially provided for, the same fees may be charged and received as for similar services.

Section 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed; but this act shall not be understood or construed to repeal, modify or affect the provisions of the following acts:

An act, entitled "An act for the taxation of dogs and the protection of sheep," approved the twenty-fifth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

An act, entitled "An act making constables of townships ex-officio fire wardens for the extinction of forest fires, and for reporting to the court of quarter sessions violations of the laws for the protection of forests from fire, prescribing the duties of such fire wardens and their punishment for failure to perform the same, and empowering them to require, under penalty, the assistance of other persons in the extinction of such fires," approved the thirtieth day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

An act, entitled "An act to change the mode of criminal proceedings in Erie and Union counties," approved the first day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and the several extensions and supplements thereto.

An act, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to provide for the destruction and to prevent the spread of Canada thistle,' approved the twenty-second day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two," approved the twenty-fourth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Approved—The 17th day of February, A. D. 1899.

WILLIAM A. STONE, The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the act of the General Assembly, No. 1.

W. W. GRIEST, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

4,250,000 Men Under Arms.

Few peaceable Americans realize to what extent the world is under arms. A French statistician states that the total number of men permanently under arms is 4,250,000. If universal war broke out there would be 44,250,000 men ready to take up arms at once.

Placed in one line the soldiers of the world could cover the equator right round the earth. To pass along the whole line one would need to ride in an express train at the rate of sixty miles an hour for seventy days. If the soldiers received orders to exterminate the rest of the population they would only have to kill thirty three persons apiece.

"Pride Goeth Before a Fall."

Some proud people think they have strong constitutions, and ridicule the idea of disease. Such people neglect their health, let the blood run down, and their stomach, kidneys and liver become deranged.

Don't be foolish about your health. Use Hood's Sarsaparilla and you will prevent the fall and save your pride.

Scrofulous Hip Disease—"My boy Willie had scrofulous hip disease from a baby. Abscesses developed. Months at the hospital, with best treatment, did no good. They said he would never walk again. He was helpless and wasted away to nothing but skin and bone. Hood's Sarsaparilla had helped me, and I gave it to him. Imagine my delight at a wonderful change. Abscesses all healed, crutches thrown away. He is now tall and stout, perfectly well and the thanks are all due to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Other mothers with crippled children should know this." Mrs. EMMA V. DEFF, Waipole, Mass.

Nervousness—"I was weak, nervous and very delicate, staggered in attempting to walk. Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills made me well. I feel like another person." Mrs. LEZZIE SHEPHERD, Conduit Street, Ext., Annapolis, Md.

Dyspepsia—"We all use Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured my brother-in-law and myself of dyspepsia. I owe my life to it." M. H. KIRK, 807 Franklin St., Philadelphia.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Star Clothing House

During the Month of February, will offer Special Reductions in All Winter Goods

Must be sold to make room for Spring Goods.

WE WILL OFFER BIG BARGAINS IN STORM COATS AND ULSTERS, FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Come and see the Big Bargains in Winter Caps At Townsend's Star Clothing House.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Columbia County the undersigned administrator's c. t. a. d. b. n. will expose to public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, MARCH 4TH, 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon the following described farm and tract of land situate in Bear creek township said county, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, thence by lands of Isaiah Bower and Reuben Stiller, north 88 1/2 degrees east 92 perches to a stone, thence by lands of the said Reuben Stiller north 2 1/4 degrees west 19 5/10 perches to a stone in middle of Public Road thence along the same north 88 1/2 degrees east 25 5/10 perches to a corner in middle of Public Road, thence by land of Sarah Stiller north 2 1/4 degrees east 40 3/10 perches to a stone, thence north 9 degrees west 59 perches to a stone, thence by land of Philip Sponenberg south 73 degrees west 106 5/10 perches to a corner, thence by lands of Emanuel Yost and Mrs. Catherine Lamson south 9 degrees east 151 8/10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 79 acres of land, more or less, on which is erected a story and a half FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, and a large bank barn and other outbuildings.

The land is in a good state of cultivation, having two good orchards with a spring convenient to the buildings. The farm is located about four miles from Berwick and about one and a half miles from the Evansville Post Office, and is conveniently located with regard to stores and churches.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money at the striking down of the property, the balance of the one-fourth at the confirmation nisi, and the remaining three-fourths in one year with interest from the confirmation of the same. Possession will be given April 1st, 1899 providing one-fourth of the purchase money is paid at that time. Deed at the expense of the purchaser and all personal property on premises and grain in the ground reserved.

W. H. STITLER, Administrator's c. t. a. d. b. n. JOHN H. STITLER, of Levi Stitler, deceased. 2-9-18. GRANT HERRING, ATTY.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MATHIAS KINDT, DECEASED. The undersigned appointed an auditor on Exception to second account of the Administrator of said deceased, with power to make distribution, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Monday March 5th, 1899 at ten o'clock a. m. to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in the fund in the hands of the administrator of said deceased will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. 2-2-99 ROBERT BUCKINGHAM, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF LEVI STITLER, LATE OF BRIARCREEK TWP., DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, d. n. c. t. a. o. on the estate of Levi Stitler, late of Briarcreek Twp., Pa., 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 will make known the same without delay to JOHN H. STITLER, W. H. STITLER, ADMRS., D. N. C. T. A. 2-2-99

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DR. WM. GRAYDON, LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA., DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Dr. William Graydon, late of Bloomsburg, Pa., 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 will make known the same without delay to DR. ANDREW GRAYDON, ADMINISTRATOR. 2-2-99

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ELIAS DREIBELBIN LATE OF MT. PLEASANT TWP., DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Elias Dreibelbin, late of Mt. Pleasant Twp., 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 will make known the same without delay to A. W. DREIBELBIN, ADMINISTRATOR. 2-2-99

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TWO OF THE Biggest offers we Have Made

50 pieces of Imported Organdies, some of the same lot advertised so largely by Wanamaker in January. They had never been sold before that time for less than 25c. We will sell them, beginning Wednesday morning, March 1st, at 12 1/2c. the yard. This is not a lot of odds and ends. You will not find a bad pattern in the lot. This is a chance to save some money, and the first on the ground will get the plums.

We put on sale Wednesday morning the largest lot of Table Linen we have ever offered. We have hunted the market in New York and Philadelphia, and we have no hesitation in saying that we can show you the best goods for the least money we have ever had on our counters. Bleached Damask from 22c. the yard to \$2.00. We call special attention to a lot of Bleached Damask, all linen, 72 inches wide, that we will sell during this sale at 49c. Unbleached goods, from 25c. to 75c. the yard. In Unbleached Linen we will sell during this sale a lot of Barnsley Linen, goods that we could not buy to day to sell for less than 70c. It will go in this sale for 49c. 66 inches wide and every thread linen.

DRESS GOODS.

Just a word about them. They are tumbling in daily. Are you interested in knowing just what is correct for Spring wear? Then come and feast your eyes on these new beauties. This Dress Goods Section is a veritable School of Fashion, but we charge nothing for the tuition.

Laces and Embroidery.

Nothing so entertainingly beautiful as these new Laces and Embroidery has ever visited this town, except, perhaps, the Cotton Dress Goods—beauties which they are intended to embellish and adorn. Such a varied assortment of Laces and Embroidery beauty you cannot fail of being suited.

F. P. Pursel.

SPECIAL SALE!

Now is the time to get bargains. During the next 30 days we will give you many goods at and below cost. Wool Dress Goods that was 25c, now 15c. Dress Goods, from 50c. to 30. Do not miss these special sales. We have just received new supply of pretty Coats, Capes and Fur Collarettes for ladies. Fur sets for children. Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, from \$5.00 up. Ladies' Coats, Capes, Separate Skirts. Coats for misses and children. In this line our stock is large. Prices low. Ladies' Fur Collarettes, from \$2.00 up. Our sales in Shoes increases daily. Ladies' Fine Shoes, from 79c. up. Gents' Fine Shoes, from 98c. up. Good Calicoes, 3c. Good Muslin, 3 1/2c. Our stock of Underwear is complete. We handle the celebrated Leather brand Stockings for ladies, misses and boys. Corsets, for 24c. up. Our Grocery Department is improving daily—adding new goods at better prices. Our whole stock is complete and prices always right. It will pay you to see our goods before you buy.

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